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URGE RETURNS ON CHRISTMAS SEALS

County Tuberculosis League Anxious to Clean Up Year's Business

It is time to dispose of the calendar of 1930 and turn to the new one of 1931 and the Burlington County Tuberculosis League is hoping to announce that most of the letters containing Christmas Seals that were sent to residents of the county have been answered either by the return of money or the seals.

We hope that, since the Christmas rush is over our friends will pause long enough to remember that our vast program planned will not be carried out unless the funds are forthcoming to meet the demand for increase of service to the people of Burlington county. Unless we hear from our friends soon a follow-up will be sent but we would prefer saving the time and expense necessary for such a procedure as the money can ge used in many other ways.

For the same reason, there has not been an individual letter of thanks written to each person who has submitted, but we will attempt to express through the columns of this paper our appreciation of the splendid efforts put forth to help us in our 1930 Seal sale. We have to date $5918.00 and would like to feel that we would shortly reach $8000.00.

The next Chest Clinic of the Burlington County Tuberculosis League will be held at the Burlington County Hospital, January 5, 1931 from 9 to 12. In December alone there were fifty patients examined at the two clinics of the league at the above place and this amount of work has been going on steadily throughout the entire year.

ORGANIZATION OF RIVERTON COUNCIL

Walter K. Woolman and J. Elmer Hahn Seated As New Members.

The organization of the Riverton Borough Council was effected today at noon in the council chamber in the fire house.

Oaths of office were administered to the two new members of council, Walter K. Woolman and J. Elmer Hahn, to James S. Coale, who was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Robert R. Clelland resigned, and to C. Kenneth Davis, Collector and Treasurer, who was re-elected in November.

The retiring members of council, Henry L. Randall and Joshua S. Bartley, were presented with gold mounted pen and pencil sets by the mayor on behalf of council.

XMAS CHEER AT CINNAMINSON SCHOOL

"Christmas, Christmas, everywhere!" The whole school buzzing with excitement.

Trees, stockings and songs in individual rooms, a general assembly in the auditorium at one-thirty, with carols and exercises by the different grades, and joyous wishes before parting for the holidays.

This was Westfield School on Tuesday of last week.

The beginners were given a special treat by their teacher, Miss Stewart,—a well filled stocking for each child, many also receiving an extra package containing needed clothing.

If you have pleasure in watching one or two children with their Christmas gifts, try to imagine twenty-five, all bubbling over with surprise and pleasure.

Then the refreshments. All the little ones seated at the tiny tables, bowed their heads before attacking the oranges, cookies, candy, etc.

So much had been provided that the overflow was divided among those in the first grade in School No. 2 and the Mission Building.

Many gaily wrapped packages containing the work of the pupils were taken home to father and mother. One room had written letters to be placed at the parents' places on Christmas morning, in addition to other presents. All in all, the true spirit of Christmas reigned.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

DIVIDENDS

The Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company

Riverton, N. J., December 23, 1930.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a regular semi-annual dividend of 6 per cent, payable January 1, 1931 to stockholders of record at the close of business December 29, 1930.

Adv.

HOWARD B. CONOVER,
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The annual meeting of the stockholders for the election of Directors of this Bank and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the banking house on Tuesday, January 13, 1931, between the hours of 2 o'clock and 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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New Members of Riverton Borough Council



J. ELMER HAHN

J. Elmer Hahn took oath of office as member of the Riverton Borough Council at noon today.

Mr. Hahn is the son of John and Emma Hahn, and was born in Philadelphia in 1894. He is a graduate of the Philadelphia Textile School and for fourteen years was connected with the I. R. Reifsnyder Co., wool merchants, in Philadelphia, and is now engaged in the same line at 105 South Third street, under the firm name of Hahn-Simons Co.

The Hahns live at 628 Thomas avenue, and have two sons, Jack and Bob, both of whom attend the Riverton public school.



WALTER K. WOOLMAN

Walter K. Woolman, who was seated as a new member of the Riverton Borough Council today, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Woolman, and was born in Philadelphia, in 1880.

He was married in 1903 and moved to Riverton two years later. He has a son and a daughter, Walter K. Jr., who is in business in New York City, and Elizabeth F. who is attending school in Moorestown.

Mr. Woolman is in the grain and feed business in Philadelphia, with offices in the Bourse Building.

Retiring from Riverton Borough Council



HENRY L. RANDALL

Mr. Randall is retiring after having served as councilman for three years.

He was chairman of the fire and water committee, and also a member of the board of directors of the Riverton Fire Company, in which capacity he did much toward developing a closer understanding between the fire company and the members of council.

He also served as chairman of the lighting committee, and under his administration several new street lights were installed.



JOSHUA S. BARTLEY

Mr. Bartley has served six years as member of the Riverton Borough Council, during which time he was chairman of the finance committee for five years. He was also chairman of the lighting building, printing and ordinance committees.

When Mr. Bartley became chairman of the finance committee the bonded indebtedness of the borough was $101,000, which has been reduced to $40,000.

Mr. Bartley missed but one meeting during his incumbency.

P. O. S. of A. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1931

George W. Fichter to Lead Palmyra Camp; Gideon H. Horter is Vice-President

New officers for 1931 were elected Monday night at the regular session of Washington Camp No. 23, Palmyra.

Those elected to hold office this year are George W. Fichter, president; Gideon H. Horter, vice-president; William Seagraves, master of forms; Walter M. Horner, conductor; Leslie W. Reeves, recording secretary; M. P. Davis, financial secretary; George N. Wimer, treasurer; Archer Fish, inspector; Israel Groff, guard. The camp trustee and building trustees, elected for a period of 18 months, are Walter M. Horner and Walter D. Lamon, W. H. Horner and Russell C. holmes, respectively.

These officers will be installed at the meeting of January 12, when County District President, Howard T. Jarretts, will take charge of the meeting.

A delegation from the Nathan Hale Pioneers and the Palmyra Camp attended the dedication of the John Honeyman Memorial Fountain at Washington's Crossing, December 26.

Fred Oilkyson, Adjutant General of the State of New Jersey, and Chrles B. Wilbur, chairman of the State Park Commission were among the speakers at the dedication.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Edward H. Jessup, assessor for Cinnaminson Township, announces that his assessments have been completed, and his books are ready for inspection by anyone interested.

Mrs. Annie E. Eisley

Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Eisley, mother of John F. Eisley, of 409 Morgan avenue, Palmyra, died Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eisley, who was 87 years old, was the widow of the late Frederick Eisley.

Funeral services were held yesterday morning from the son's residence with the Rev. Harold L. Creager, pastor of the First Lutheran Church, officiating. Interment was made in Morgan cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

Mrs. Catherine B. Hoehn

Mrs. Catherine B. Hoehn, 83 years old, of Cinnaminson, died at her late residence Sunday afternoon. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock from the Moravian Church, Five Points, with the Rev. Albert J. Harke officiating. Interment was made in the Morivian Cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover. Mrs. Hoehn was the widow of the late George J. Hoehn.

NEW TRUCK

Joseph T. Evans has added a large Ford truck to his delivery service. The truck was purchased from Rice & Holman, of Merchantville.

CALENDARS

J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., of Riverton, have again this year a goodly supply of artistic calendars and will be glad to give one to any person applying at the store.

WATER MAIN LEAKS

Reduced Pressure Results As Eight-Inch Pipe Bursts Near Palmyra Station Sunday A. M.

Many residents on the south side of the railroad, Palmyra, found themselves with a greatly diminished water pressure Sunday as the result of a breakage of an eight-inch water main at Broad street and Cinnaminson avenue.

In order to lessen the leakage from the main several fire plugs in Palmyra were opened, causing less pressure on the water pipe and in the homes in the vicinity.

Water company employees were forced to work until late Sunday afternoon to repair the leak. The opening in the middle of the Broad street and Cinnaminson avenue intersection caused several traffic delays during the day.

The water main is one of the largest on the south side of the railroad, furnishing Cinnaminson avenue throughout most of its length. The break occurred about 5:30 Sunday morning.

FEAST OF LIGHTS

Next Sunday evening, January 4th, the Annual Feast of Lights will be held at Christ Church, Riverton.

At this service the church is lighted by candles carried by the vested choir and the congregation joins with the choir in singing Christmas Carols.

You are cordially invited to attend.

65 YEARS IN HOSPITAL

Edinburgh—A patient at the Royal Hospital for 65 years, 7 months, Mrs. Irma McGregor died there at the age of 90.

CONTRACT GIVEN TO REBUILD SPAN AT W. PALMYRA

Pensauken Creek Bridge Will be Reconstructed by Charles S. Moses

OLD STRUCTURE WAS CONSIDERED UNSAFE

Edgewater Park Contractor Will Start Work Shortly After January 1

The River Road bridge across Pensauken Creek, Palmyra, will be rebuilt the beginning of the year.

Charles S. Moses, contractor of Edgewater Park, has been awarded the contract by the Burlington and Camden County Boards of Freeholders.

This bridge was condemned by authorities as unsafe several months ago, and since that time only vehicles of light tonnage have been permitted to cross. Buses have had to detour to Burlington Pike from Palmyra, returning to the River Road at Delair. This long detour has been of great inconvenience to bus riders.

The creek at this point is the dividing line between Camden and Burlington counties and the rebuilding has been considerably delayed by the fact that both counties had to agree on the plans.

$7,765 is Low Bid

Moses' bid of $7,765 was accepted last Friday at the meeting of the Burlington County Board and by the Camden County Board at its meeting Monday.

Bids had been asked on two methods of construction and were as follows:

Bids received for the work, using the riveting method, were as follows: Electric Welding Company of America, Philadelphia, $12,800; E. L. Morehouse and Company, Camden, $11,832; Hill Construction Company, Mt. Holly, $8,472.75; George W. Shaner and Sons, Palmyra, $9,890; Eugene Verga, Camden, $12,171.90; Kolyn Construction Company, Trenton, $9,669; Charles S. Moses, Edgewater Park, $7,765; Rancocas Construction Company, Delanco, $9,026.50.

Bid received, figured on the arc welding method, were: Electric Welding Company of America, $10,875; E. L. Morehouse, $12,207; Hill Construction Company, $9,807.19; George W. Shaner and Sons, $10,890; Eugene Verga, $13,464.28; Kolyn Construction Company, $9,692; Charles S. Moses, $8,175.

Raise County's Share.

Freeholder William H. Heisler offered a resolution which was unanimously adopted, appropriating $5,000 to cover Burlington County's share for the reconstruction of the bridge.

Under a resolution by Freeholder Charles R. Stout, the Mount Holly Exchange Club was granted permission to erect five signs of welcome at the entrances of Mount Holly.

The Public Service was granted permission to locate two poles on Church road near Fellowship in Mount Laurel Township.

The annual meeting for organization of the board will be held in the Court House, January 2 at 12 o'clock noon.

Asks Money for Road.

Willingboro Township sent a communication to the board requesting state aid to the amount of $1800 out of the $25,000 fund, for oiling five miles of oyster shell and cinder road, the total cost of which would be about $2700. Communication was referred to the director of the road department. Since the status of this $25,000 fund created by recent legislation is still in doubt, and awaiting a decision by the attorney general, no immediate action can be taken.

Lawrence Minkin, county clerk sent to the board a letter which he received from the office of public records in Trenton, which stated that valuable county records were being destroyed by dampness in the vault in which they are stored, and urged the board to take immediate action to remedy this condition. The communication was referred to Howard Russ, director of Public Buildings.

Workhouse Recommended

The New Jersey Department of Institutions and Agencies, in a report sent to the board highly commended Sheriff Roscoe C. Shinn and his official family for the manner in which the county jail is being kept, but made some recommendations that will be considered by the freeholders.

The report was received from S. H. Sonder, Jr., of the state department, who with other members of the state body, made an inspection of all county buildings recently. One important recommendation was the erection of a county workhouse, where idle prisoners could be employed. The freeholders have had this proposition under consideration for a long time.

Souder recommends that the "subway, or cellar, in the jail, where tipsy prisoners are incarcerated, should be done away with because of poor ventilation, and he thought the method of heating presented a hazard in that part of the building. He also thought that a washroom for the women employes at the jail should be added.

In referring to the inspection of the county almshouse at New Lisbon, the reported stated that Steward Henry I. Worrell was doing fine "with the facilities at hand", but suggested that the refrigeration plant was inadequate and the third floor of the building was dangerous as a fire hazard."

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Despite reports of hunters that deer in New Jersey were scarce on account of forest fires, reports of game wardens made to the State Fish and Game Commission reveal 125 more deer were killed this season than last. Hunters in New Jersey bagged 1456 deer during the five-day season. Wardens reported finding 116 does and short-horned bucks left in woods, where they had been killed illegally. Two men were killed and three injured accidentally during the season. Burlington county led the state with 525 deer.

URGE RETURNS ON CHRISTMAS SEALS

County Tuberculosis League Anxious to Clean Up Year's Business

It is time to dispose of the calendar of 1930 and turn to the new one of 1931 and the Burlington County Tuberculosis League is hoping to announce that most of the letters containing Christmas Seals that were sent to residents of the county have been answered either by the return of money or the seals.

We hope that, since the Christmas rush is over our friends will pause long enough to remember that our vast program planned will not be carried out unless the funds are forthcoming to meet the demand for increase of service to the people of Burlington county. Unless we hear from our friends soon a follow-up will be sent but we would prefer saving the time and expense necessary for such a procedure as the money can ge used in many other ways.

For the same reason, there has not been an individual letter of thanks written to each persoin who has submitted, but we will attempt to express through the columns of this paper our appreciation of the splendid efforts put forth to help us in our 1930 Seal sale. We have to date $5918.00 and would like to feel that we would shortly reach $8000.00.

The next Chest Clinic of the Burlington County Tuberculosis League will be held at the Burlington County Hospital, January 5, 1931 from 9 to 12. In December alone there were fifty patients examined at the two clinics of the league at the above place and this amount of work has been going on steadily throughout the entire year.

ORGANIZATION OF RIVERTON COUNCIL

Walter K. Woolman and J. Elmer Hahn Seated As New Members.

The organization of the Riverton Borough Council was effected today at noon in the council chamber in the fire house.

Oaths of office were administered to the two new members of council, Walter K Woolman and J. Elmer Hahn, to James S Coale, who was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Robert H Cleiland resigned, and to C. Kenneth Davis, Collector and Treasurer, who was re-elected in November.

The retiring members of council, Henry L Randall and Joshua S Bartley, were presented with gold mounted pen and pencil sets by the mayor on behalf of council.

XMAS CHEER AT CINNAMINSON SCHOOL

"Christmas, Christmas, everywhere!" The whole school buzzing with excitement.

Trees, stockings and songs in individual rooms, a general assembly in the auditorium at one-thirty, with carols and exercises by the different grades, and joyous wishes before parting for the holidays.

This was Westfield School on Tuesday of last week.

The beginners were given a special treat by their teacher, Miss Stewart,—a well filled stocking for each child, many also receiving an extra package containing needed clothing.

If you have pleasure in watching one or two children with their Christmas gifts, try to imagine twenty-five, all bubbling over with surprise and pleasure.

Then the refreshments. All the little ones seated at the tiny tables, bowed their heads before attacking the oranges, cookies, candy, etc.

So much had been provided that the overflow was divided among those in the first grade in School No. 2 and the Mission Building.

Many gaily wrapped packages containing the work of the pupils were taken home to father and mother. One room had written letters to be placed at the parents' places on Christmas morning, in addition to other presents. All in all, the true spirit of Christmas reigned.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

DIVIDENDS

The Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company

Riverton, N. J., December 23, 1930. The Board of Directors has this day declared a regular semi-annual dividend of 6 per cent, payable January 1, 1931 to stockholders of record at the close of business December 29, 1930.

Adv
HOWARD B. CONOVER,
Secretary

Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company

Riverton, N. J., December 29, 1930. The annual meeting of the stockholders for the election of Directors of this Bank and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the banking house on Tuesday, January 13, 1931, between the hours of 2 o'clock and 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

HOWARD B. CONOVER,
Secretary.

New Members of Riverton Borough Council



J. ELMER HAHN

J. Elmer Hahn took oath of office as member of the Riverton Borough Council at noon today.

Mr. Hahn is the son of John and Emma Hahn, and was born in Philadelphia in 1894. He is a graduate of the Philadelphia Textile School and for fourteen years was connected with the I. R. Reifsnyder Co., wool merchants in Philadelphia, and is now engaged in the same line at 105 South Third street, under the firm name of Hahn-Simons Co.

The Hahns live at 628 Thomas avenue, and have two sons, Jack and Bob, both of whom attend the Riverton public school.



WALTER K. WOOLMAN

Walter K. Woolman, who was seated as a new member of the Riverton Borough Council today, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Woolman, and was born in Philadelphia, in 1880.

He was married in 1903 and moved to Riverton two years later. He has a son and a daughter, Walter K. Jr., who is in business in New York City, and Elizabeth F. who is attending school in Moorestown.

Mr. Woolman is in the grain and feed business in Philadelphia, with offices in the Bourse Building.

Retiring from Riverton Borough Council



HENRY L. RANDALL

Mr. Randall is retiring after having served as councilman for three years.

He was chairman of the fire and water committee, and also a member of the board of directors of the Riverton Fire Company, in which capacity he did much toward developing a closer understanding between the fire company and the members of council.

He also served as chairman of the lighting committee, and under his administration several new street lights were installed.



JOSHUA S. BARTLEY

Mr. Bartley has served six years as member of the Riverton Borough Council, during which time he was chairman of the finance committee for five years. He was also chairman of the lighting, building, printing and ordinance committees.

When Mr Bartley became chairman of the finance committee the bonded indebtedness of the borough was $101,000, which has been reduced to $40,000.

Mr Bartley missed but one meeting during his incumbency.

P. O. S. of A. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1931

George W. Fichter to Lead Palmyra Camp; Gideon H. Horter is Vice-President

New officers for 1931 were elected Monday night at the regular session of Washington Camp, No. 23, Palmyra.

Those elected to hold office this year are George W. Fichter, president; Gideon H. Horter, vice-president; William Seagraves, master of forms; Walter M. Horner, conductor; Leslie W. Reeves, recording secretary; M. P. Davis, financial secretary; George N. Wimer, treasurer; Archer Fish, inspector; Israel Groff, guard. The camp trustee and building trustees, elected for a period of 18 months, are Walter M. Horner and Walter D. Lamon, W. H. Horner and Russell C. holmes, respectively.

These officers will be installed at the meeting of January 12, when County District President Howard T. Jarretts, will take charge of the meeting.

A delegation from the Nathan Hale Pioneers and the Palmyra Camp attended the dedication of the John Honeyman Memorial Fountain at Washington's Crossing, December 26.

Fred Gilkyson, Adjutant General of the State of New Jersey, and Charles B. Wilbur, chairman of the State Park Commission were among the speakers at the dedication.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Edward H. Jessup, assessor for Cinnaminson Township, announces that his assessments have been completed, and his books are ready for inspection by anyone interested.

Mrs. Annie E. Eisley

Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Eisley, mother of John F. Eisley, of 409 Morgan avenue, Palmyra, died Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eisley, who was 87 years old, was the widow of the late Frederick Eisley.

Funeral services were held yesterday morning from the son's residence with the Rev. Harold L. Creager, pastor of the First Lutheran Church, officiating. Interment was made in Morgan cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

Mrs. Catherine B. Hoehn

Mrs. Catherine B. Hoehn, 83 years old, of Cinnaminson, died at her late residence Sunday afternoon. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock from the Moravian Church, Five Points, with the Rev. Albert J. Harke officiating. Interment was made in the Morivian Cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover. Mrs. Hoehn was the widow of the late George J. Hoehn.

NEW TRUCK

Joseph T. Evans has added a large Ford truck to his delivery service. The truck was purchased from Rice & Holman, of Merchantville.

CALENDARS

J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., of Riverton, have again this year a goodly supply of artistic calendars and will be glad to give one to any person applying at the store.

WATER MAIN LEAKS

Reduced Pressure Results As Eight-Inch Pipe Bursts Near Palmyra Station Sunday A. M.

Many residents on the south side of the railroad, Palmyra, found themselves with a greatly diminished water pressure Sunday as the result of a breakage of an eight-inch water main at Broad street and Cinnaminson avenue.

In order to lessen the leakage from the main several fire plugs in Palmyra were opened, causing less pressure on the water pipe and in the homes in the vicinity.

Water company employees were forced to work until late Sunday afternoon to repair the leak. The opening in the middle of the Broad street and Cinnaminson avenue intersection caused several traffic delays during the day.

The water main is one of the largest on the south side of the railroad, furnishing Cinnaminson avenue throughout most of its length. The break occurred about 5:30 Sunday morning.

FEAST OF LIGHTS

Next Sunday evening, January 4th, the Annual Feast of Lights will be held at Christ Church, Riverton.

At this service the church is lighted by candles carried by the seated choir and the congregation joins with the choir in singing Christmas Carols.

You are cordially invited to attend.

65 YEARS IN HOSPITAL

Edinburgh—A patient at the Royal Hospital for 65 years, 7 months, Mrs. Irma McGregor died there at the age of 99.

CONTRACT GIVEN TO REBUILD SPAN AT W. PALMYRA

Pensauken Creek Bridge Will be Reconstructed by Charles S. Moses

OLD STRUCTURE WAS CONSIDERED UNSAFE

Edgewater Park Contractor Will Start Work Shortly After January 1

The River Road bridge across Pensauken Creek, Palmyra, will be rebuilt the beginning of the year.

Charles S. Moses, contractor of Edgewater Park, has been awarded the contract by the Burlington and Camden County Boards of Freeholders.

This bridge was condemned by authorities as unsafe several months ago, and since that time only vehicles of light tonnage have been permitted to cross. Buses have had to detour to Burlington Pike from Palmyra, returning to the River Road at Delair. This long detour has been of great inconvenience to bus riders.

The creek at this point is the dividing line between Camden and Burlington counties and the rebuilding has been considerably delayed by the fact that both counties had to agree on the plans.

$7,765 is Low Bid

Moses' bid of $7,765 was accepted last Friday at the meeting of the Burlington County Board and by the Camden County Board at its meeting Monday.

Bids had been asked on two method of construction and were as follows:

Bids received for the work, using the riveting method, were as follows: Electric Welding Company of America, Philadelphia, $12,800; E. L. Morehouse and Company, Camden, $11,-852; Hill Construction Company, Mt. Holly, $8,472.75; George W. Shaner and Son, Palmyra, $9,890; Eugene Verga, Camden, $12,171.90; Kolyn Construction Company, Trenton, $9,069; Charles S. Moses, Edgewater Park, $7,765; Rancocas Construction Company, Delanco, $9,035.50.

Bids received, figured on the arc welding method, were: Electric Welding Company of America, $10,-875; E. L. Morehouse, $12,207; Hill Construction Company, $9,807.19; George W. Shaner and Sons, $10,890; Eugene Verga, $13,464.28; Kolyn Construction Company, $9,092; Charles S. Moses, $8,175.

Raise County's Share.

Freeholder William H Heisler offered a resolution which was unanimously adopted, appropriating $5,000 to cover Burlington County's share for the reconstruction of the bridge.

Under a resolution by Freeholder Charles R. Stout the Mount Holly Exchange Club was granted permission to erect five signs of welcome at the entrances of Mount Holly.

The Public Service was granted permission to locate two poles on Church road near Fellowship in Mount Laurel Township.

The annual meeting for organization of the board will be held in the Court House, January 2 at 12 o'clock noon.

Asks Money for Road.

Willingboro Township sent a communication to the board requesting state aid to the amount of $1800 out of the $25,000 fund for oiling five miles of oyster shell and cinder road, the total cost of which would be about $2700. Communication was referred to the director of the road department. Since the status of this $25,000 fund created by recent legislation is still in doubt, and awaiting a decision by the attorney general, no immediate action can be taken.

Lawrence Mingin, county clerk, sent to the board a letter which he received from the office of public records in Trenton, which stated that valuable county records were being destroyed by dampness in the vault in which they are stored, and urged the board to take immediate action to remedy this condition. The communication was referred to Howard Russ, director of Public Buildings.

Workhouse Recommended

The New Jersey Department of Institutions and Agencies, in a report sent to the board highly commended Sheriff Roscoe C. Shinn and his official family for the manner in which the county jail is being kept, but made some recommendations that will be considered by the freeholders.

The report was received from S. H. Souder, Jr., of the state department, who with other members of the state body, made an inspection of all county buildings recently. One important recommendation was the erection of a county workhouse, where idle prisoners could be employed. The freeholders have had this proposition under consideration for a long time.

Souder recommends that the "subway, or cellar, in the jail, where tipsy prisoners are incarcerated, should be done away with because of poor ventilation, and he thought the method of heating presented a hazard in that part of the building. He also thought that a washroom for the women employes at the jail should be added.

In referring to the inspection of the county almshouse at New Lisbon, the reported stated that Steward Henry I. Worrell was doing fine "with the facilities at hand", but suggested that the refrigeration plant was inadequate and the third floor of the building was dangerous as a fire hazard."

SEVEN AUTOS IN THREE CRASHES

1 Machines Figure in Moorestown Accident; Man Injured Sunday

Seven automobiles have been damaged in accidents occurring in Morestown since Christmas.

The most serious crash was Sunday evening when Clifford White, colored, 1334 North Fifty-seventh street, Philadelphia, was seriously injured when he was thrown from his car after it hit two trees on Camden avenue.

White was picked up by Victor Morgan, Moorestown, passing motorist, and taken to the office of Dr Eugene A. Meyer, where he was treated for a badly lacerated face and injuries of the chest. Eight stitches were required in his face. He is now in Cooper Hospital, Camden, where he was taken in the Moorestown ambulance, and at last report was in a serious condition.

The crash was witnessed by William H. Richie, who was backing his auto out of the Harvey Smith driveway on Camden avenue.

According to reports, White's car, which had only one light, and was going east on Camden avenue, swerved as it neared the Smith property, cut across the road and crashed into two trees before stopping. The car was badly damaged.

Four autos figured in an accident on Chester avenue, at Plum street, late last Friday afternoon. It occurred when an Essex sedan, going south on Chester avenue, made a left turn into Plum street, hitting a Packard car, owned by E. Russell Perkins and driven by Cornelius Bounds, colored, North Church street. The Essex was owned and driven by "Zach" Dunlap, colored, of Plum street.

The Perkins machine then collided with a car owned by John Murray, East Third street, which was parked on Chester avenue. The force of the impact drove Murray's Chevrolet into a machine owned by Thomas Bartello, also parked on Chester avenue, and then up on the sidewalk.

The Perkins, Murray and Dunlap machines were considerably damaged. Chief of Police Bradshaw and Officer Walter A. Errickson, who were called on the scene, issued summons for Dunlap and Bounds to appear before Recorder Joseph W. Johnston in Town Hall Monday evening, but the hearing had to be postponed until next Monday night when an important witness, a Trenton man, was unable to be present.

Christmas morning a car, driven by William Stitzell, 721 Raymond avenue, Camden, crashed into a Buick sedan owned by James McChesney, Linden street, and parked on High street. The accident occurred when Stitzell made a left turn off of Main street and hit McChesney's machine.

Stitzell, taken before Recorder Johnston in Town Hall, was released under $200 bond for further hearing on January 10, when he is to settle for the damages to the McChesney machine, which was damaged about the front.

MAN IS BADLY CUT IN XMAS STABBING

Birmingham Assailant Committed to Jail Charged With Atrocious Assault and Battery.

Collare Marshellie, 45, of Birmingham, near Mount Holly, is in the Burlington County jail charged with atrocious assault and battery with intent to kill, after the stabbing of Emilio Costello, 35, also of Birmingham.

Marshellie was arrested on a bus in Merchantville after he had fled from his home, after the stabbing. Both men are employes of the Norcross & Edmunds sand pits at Birmingham. Costello may die. Hospital authorities said his condition was critical.

It is claimed that Marshellie and Costello had been imbibing "Christmas cheer" and had afterward engaged in a trivial argument. Marshellie drew a knife, it was alleged, and stabbed his friend in the back, under the right shoulder, near the kidneys.

Marshellie at once disappeared. Irving Snow, of Pemberton, a motorist, was summoned to take Costello to the hospital. The victim suffered from loss of blood. The gash in his back was three inches long.

Trooper Speed was dispatched from the Columbus barracks of state police. Hearing that Marshellie had boarded a bus, Speed called police of Moorestown, Merchantville and Camden. Chief of Police William Linderman, of Merchantville, with several of his men, halted the Bordentown bus. When Marshellie saw the officers he tried to escape through an emergency door on the bus.

Captured, he would make no statement or explanation as to what had happened.

Arraigned before Justice of the Peace Frank Lockman, Marshellie was committed to jail to await the outcome of Costello's injuries.

BURLINGTON COPS PLAN CHARITY DANCE JAN. 9

Tickets are being distributed for the dance and card party to be given in the Burlington Armory, Jan. 9, under the auspices of the Burlington Police Department, to benefit the unemployed of that city.

Elwood Weidmann and his Royal Commanders Orchestra, of Burlington, will furnish the music for the dancing.

MAN JAILED THREATENING TO FIRE HOMES IN HOLLY

Threatening to burn two or three homes on Waters street, Mount Holly, Wednesday night of last week, Augustus Powell, of Water street, was arrested by state troopers and at a hearing before Justice of the Peace Frank Lockman, Powell was committed to jail for 150 days.

Ivanhoe was not a Russian bolshevist.

VETERAN TOWNSHIP OFFICIAL RETIRES

Rush D. Rogers, Moorestown Committeeman, Ends Sixteen Years Of Service.



RUSH D. ROGERS

Rush D. Rogers, veteran member of Moorestown Township Committee, completed sixteen years of public service to the community in which he has lived since 1897 when he attended the meeting of the Town Fathers Monday evening.

Mr. Rogers' retirement from official life in his home town is voluntary. When he was re-elected in 1927 for the term which expires on December 31, he announced it would be his last term on the committee, and last spring he refused to be a candidate for renomination.

Mr Rogers took up his work as an official when he became a member of the old Chester Township board in 1915. Since that time he has stood out as one of the most influential members of the committee during numerous administrations.

For many years the chairman of police and township property committees, Mr. Rogers has filled virtually the same office as the post of director of public safety is in large communities and cities. During his regime, the police department has grown from four to eleven men.

Just before the close of the meeting Monday evening, the entire police force, headed by Chief John H. Bradshaw and Recorder Joseph W. Johnston, filed into council chambers to pay their respects to their retiring "chief". They presented a letter, explaining their deep appreciation for the kindly manner in which he had treated them during his long term in office, and their regrets in losing him as the head of their department.

The vacancy caused by the retirement of Mr. Rogers will be filled by Roscoe C. Lockwood, of Lenola, who was elected in November. Benjamin M. Haines, who was appointed for the unexpired term of the late Clarence E. Worrell, also is to take office for a full term, having been elected in the general election.

47 WIN S. S. AWARDS

Woman Holds Record With Twenty Years Perfect Attendance.

Forty-seven members of the Methodist Sunday School, Mount Holly, received awards at Christmas exercises Christmas night for perfect attendance at all sessions during the past year.

Mrs. Milton Chambers holds a record of 20 years of perfect attendance. Mrs. John Hunt follows with 12 years.

Engaged

Mr and Mrs. James Riley of Master avenue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Nellie M. Riley, to Walter F. Brickley, of Merchantville.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss. Riley is a graduate of Moorestown High School in the Class of '26, and Mr. Brickley is the golf professional at the Riverton Country Club.

STANDARD GRADES BOOST SALES OF JERSEY APPLES

The adoption of United States standard grades by a member of large commercial apple growers in New Jersey during the last season has increased the demand for their apples by widening the market area, attracting more buyers, and making it possible to ship large quanities of fruit to foreign markets, reports Prof. A. J. Farley, extension service horticulturist of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station. Buyers and brokers who were not interested in New Jersey apples a year ago, he states, have been competing with each other during the last season for uniformly graded fruit that would meet the requirements of certain standard grade specifications. More than 200,000 bushels of apples were graded, packed and sold during the year under these grade requirements.

TWO IN AUTOMOBILE CRASH FINED FOR RECKLESS DRIVING

Two motorists were each fined $5 and costs when they were arraigned Christmas night before Justice of the Peace Frank Lockman, of Columbus, each charged with reckless driving on the other's complaint, as the result of an automobile accident. They were Fred Dunston, of Mount Holly, and Howard Eckert, of Medford. Cars driven by the two men collided on the Mount Holly-Burlington road Thursday. Eckert's car was turned over and wrecked. Neither driver was injured. They signed reckless driving complaints against each other, and were both arrested by State Troopers Wood and Speed, of the Columbus state police barracks. Lockman found them both guilty of the charge when they were arraigned before him.

TAXES NOT PAID, COUNTY BORROWS

Municipalities Behind With County Taxes Amounting to $143,338

When the Board of Freeholders met in special session Monday afternoon to consider the proposed budget for 1931 and to award the contract for an artesian well at New Lisbon, they were confronted with two surprises.

One was the fact that the contracts were not ready to be awarded. The other was that eight townships had not paid over to the county tax money due, amounting to $143,338.14. To properly conduct the business of the county tax freeholders were required to float a deficiency note for the amount due from the delinquent townships to meet demands.

The following are the delinquent townships and the amount due the county: Evesham, $8637.45; Moorestown, $84,151.69; Mt. Laurel, $13,798.57; Pemberton borough, $6145.32; Pemberton township, $10,000; Springfield, $15,616.92; Tabernacle, $3743.23; Woodland, $3256.96. These amounts were due December 17. The townships involved will be required to pay the county eight percent because of their failure to turn over the amounts due.

Budget Increased.

The county budget this year is increased $146,157.40. Last year the budget was $1,374,020.96; this year it is $1,514,152.36. The county will get $117,021.08 more from the state for road repairs from the motor vehicle fund than last year. From this fund the past year the county received $126,404.37; for 1931 the county will receive $245,423.45. The amount raised by taxation in 1930 was $899,225.18; for 1931, it is $914,001.53, so that while the increase in the county budget is $140,157.40, the increased amount to be raised by taxation is only $14,776.35.

In order to keep these figures this low several departments of the county were cut in their appropriations. Charles Stout, of the road department, made a big slice in the appropriation for his work, the figure being reduced $21,000. In 1930 the appropriation for road maintenance and repairs was $81,000; for 1931 it is $60,000. There were no increases given in salaries or in office maintenance. In any way the freeholders could make a possible cut it was done, but there are many items that were out of their jurisdiction, it was explained.

The appropriation for widow's pensions was increased $20,000. Last year the amount was $56,000. Next year it will be $76,000.

Cut Hospital Item

The Burlington County Hospital asked for an appropriation of $55,000, but the proposed budget allows an appropriation of only $48,000. In 1930 the institution received $42,000.

A public hearing on the proposed budget will be held Friday, January 9, at 11 o'clock, at the freeholders' rooms for the purpose of hearing objections raised by any taxpayer of the county against adoption of the items as listed.

The District Court requirements for 1931 will total $5360. The estimated revenue will be $2400; which leaves $3560 to be raised by taxation in this particular branch of the county's business.

Department bills were presented and ordered paid as follows: Roads, $6,621.25; bridges, $1,501.29; finance, $236,528.15; public affairs, $5,093.64; public buildings, $13,659.69; total, $262,404.42.

Joseph R. Imhoff

Joseph R. Imhoff, wealthy sawmill owner and lumber merchant, father of the Moorestown physician, Robert E. Imhoff, of East Main street, was fatally stricken with apoplexy Saturday night.

He had been listening to the radio and bade his wife "good night." As he reached the foot of the stairs he collapsed and was dead when Dr. Charles Cunningham reached the house.

Mr. Imhoff owned sawmills at Williamstown, Blue Anchor and Winslow. He was one of the organizers of the First National Bank, Williamstown. At one time he was vice-president and director of the Hammonton Trust Company.

He purchased the Bernhouse Lumber Company's interests in Hammonton in 1907 and made his home there since. He was a member of M. B. Taylor Lodge, F. and A. M., and the First Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. Stedman Applegate, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, assisted by the Rev. William E. Mounteney, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Hammonton.

He is survived by his widow, Elizabeth, and seven sons and daughters. They are Ruth, Helen, Lewis R. and Nelson E. Imhoff, of Hammonton; Dr. Robert E. Imhoff, Moorestown; Joseph J. Imhoff, Elgin, Ill., and Ethel M., a student nurse in Philadelphia.

Willard F. Hitchins

Willard F. Hitchins, of Delhi Road, Pleasantville, painter, formerly of Moorestown, died in the Aalantic City Hospital, Atlantic City, on Sunday night, from paralysis, following an illness of about a week.

Funeral services will be held this Wednesday afternoon.

He is survived by two daughters, both of Philadelphia.

CLOSED CHIMNEY CAUSE OF BURLINGTON BLAZE

When a fire was built in an open fireplace, the chimney of which had been removed and plugged up, sparks ignited the roof of a three-story frame house in Burlington on Christmas night. The fire was started on the second floor of the home of Richard Dezerby, 6 West Delaware avenue. He said he did know the chimney had been removed. The damage is estimated at $600.

Laughing Around the World

With IRVIN S. COBB

The Wily Tiger

By IRVIN S. COBB

THIS one springs from French sources. A Frenchman was going to India. His friends told him that on no account must he fail to enjoy the tiger hunting.



"It's no trick at all," they said. "You tie a bleating goat in a thicket at night; its cries attract the tiger. Meanwhile you are in a tree nearby. When the beast arrives, aim between the eyes shining in the darkness and fire, and it will fall as though stricken by lightning."

On his return they asked how many tigers he had killed.

"None at all," he replied sadly. "They've become altogether too clever. They now travel in pairs, and each one closes an eye. So of course . . . . . "

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F. MORSE ARCHERS OPEN CHARITY BALL

Moorestown Couple Lead Grand March At Beginning Of Brilliant Social Event.

F. Morse Archer, Jr., of High street, Moorestown, the new chairman of the junior floor committee of the annual Charity Ball, held in Convention Hall, Camden, Monday evening, and Mrs. Archer, led the grand march which opened one of the most brilliant social events of the year for South Jersey and Camden.

The ball got underway at 10:30 o'clock and a scene of Oriental splendor. More than 100 persons attended, pronouncing the affair a great success. The ball is sponsored each year by the main Women's Auxiliary of Cooper Hospital, Camden, and nets more than $4,000 for the maintenance fund each season.

CHECK LIGHTING SYSTEMS, IS ADVICE TO POULTRYMEN

Addressing poultrymen who are using electric lights as a means of stimulating fall and winter egg production, J. C. Taylor, New Jersey associate extension service poultryman, advises a careful checking of the lighting system to determine if it conforms to accepted standards. This should be done immediately, he points out, since the effectiveness of artificial lights in poultry houses depends upon their proper installation.

KILLED BY MONEY-LENDERS

London—The verdict in the suicide of Lieut. Col. J. W. Byrne, war hero, was that he was hounded to death by money-lenders.

MOORESTOWN MAN THROWN FROM CAR

Driver Escapes Hurts When Automobile Is Forced From Road Into Ditch.

Harvey Fish, of East Third street, Moorestown, was cut on the forehead and chin, Christmas night, when the automobile in which he was riding was forced off Burlington Pike, near Burlington. Everett Leary, also of Moorestown, who was driving the car escaped without injury.

Leary's car went off the road into a ditch and struck a tree with such force that Fish was thrown out. He was taken to a doctor in Burlington for treatment. Three stitches were needed to close the cut on his chin, and seven in his forehead.

The driver of the other car, which caused the accident, did not stop and the Moorestown men were unable to secure his license number.

3 SPEEDERS FINED

Penalized $5.00 and Costs Each in Moorestown Police Court.

Three persons were arrested in Moorestown over the week-end all of the arrests having been made by Officer Walter A. Errickson, who patrols the east Main and Church street.

The three were violators, all of whom were fined $5.00 and costs when taken before Recorder Joseph W. Johnston in Town Hall were:

Fritzie Wolfing, 3726 Baring street, Philadelphia; Lester U. Taylor, 1428 Kaighn avenue, Camden, and Henry L. Gortman, 6545 McCollum street, Philadelphia.



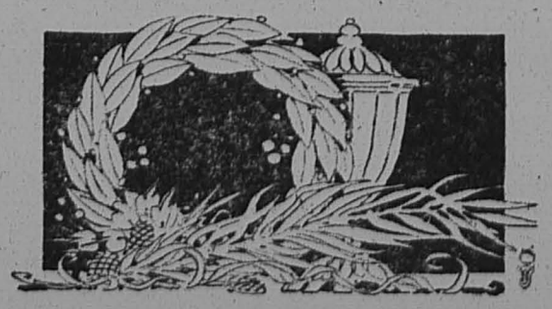
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38 SECOND ON HIGHWAY LIST

State Road by Moorestown to Follow Route 10, Says Stout

Freeholder Charles R. Stout, head of the Burlington county road department, gave some interesting information concerning proposed state highways before the Pemberton Rotary Club Monday evening.

The freeholder, after explaining that this county will receive at least $100,000 additional for road improvements through the increased state gasoline tax, adding that Burlington county will probably fare better than any other county in the state, said he has been informed that Route 40 will be the first highway to be built in the county with the increased funds.

Route 40 from Merchantville to Four Mile Colony, by Marlton and Medford will undoubtedly be built early this year, he told his audience.

The next project in this county, he said, will probably be Route 38, from the circle on Crescent boulevard to Mount Holly. This road, to run along the south valley in Moorestown, is the highway for which Moorestonians have campaigning for several years.

The freeholder, other than saying it probably will be second on the list of state projects in the county, made no predictions as to just how soon Route 38 is to be built, although it is understood that some highway officials have promised work will start on it during 1931.

Miss Mary E. Morgan

Miss Mary E. Morgan, a life-long resident of Moorestown, died Sunday at midnight.

Miss Morgan had been very actively interested in the work of the First Baptist Church since childhood, and taught a Sunday School class there for sixty years. She was a Deaconess, and active in both the missionary and Mite Societies of the church, having held the office of president of the latter organization for fifteen years.

Miss Morgan was born in the old Turner property, 385 West Main street, (now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Githens) the daughter of Joseph and Lavinia Morgan. She was affectionately known as "Aunt Mamie" to a large circle of relatives, which includes the families of William G. Stiles of Portland, Ore., and William and Horace LeConey, of Moorestown, with whose father and mother she made her home during her early womanhood. She had resided with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stryker for a number of years.

Miss Morgan is survived by her brother, William Morgan, of Mount Holly, and a half sister, Mrs. Annie Turner Hunt, of North Wales, Penna.

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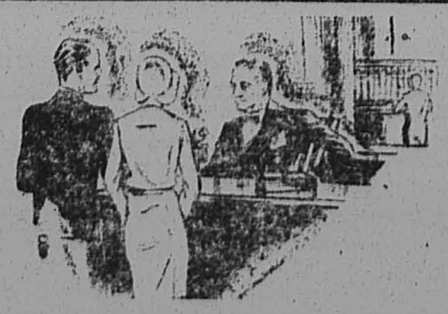
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It seems a circus hit upon the novel plan of having a camel pull an old cab around prior to the commencement of the show, in which the girls of whatever town they happened to be in were invited to ride. Everything went fine until they "played" an Indian reservation. All the girls got in but one. When she stepped into the cab it collapsed; so, you can see, it was the "last squaw that broke the camel's back."

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"We sometimes wonder," says Morgan Cook, "whether Mr. Coolidge sends in his 'string' with the number of words carefully counted." And how else, we ask, would Mr. Coolidge know when his string is finished.

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Our idea of the meanest man on earth is the one who wrote on the Christmas card he sent us so that we can't use it over again next year.

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Remember the one we told you a couple of weeks ago, about the civet cats? Well, now it seems they weren't civet cats at all, so we will try to make it right with you: The lady was awakened at daybreak by a noise in the yard. Upon looking out of the window she perceived a squirrel at play. "Mama, is that the old man"? asked her young hopeless. "No," she retorted, "that must be a nutter fellow."

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No, we don't mind 'em "fair, fat, and forty," but we do object to 'em being "floopey, flat and flighty."

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"It is a puzzle to many Americans as to how Maurice Chevalier acquired the delightful American accent that has attracted so many admirers."—Camden Courier. Und don't youh yhust lofe heem.

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Morgan Cook comes through again with, "One striking difference between columnists and other bricklayers is that the former begin at the top and work down." Just an optical illusion, "Morg"; most columnists start at the bottom and work down.

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"As I take stock of myself and try to imagine how others might consider me as being eligible for marriage," says Rudy Vallee: "I personally fail to see why I should receive many, if any, proposals at all." Quite so, Rudy; but, oh, Rudy! if only you could cook?

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Trying to mail a last-minute package before Christmas, we stood in line for hours at the post office. Something ought to be done about it.—Pity the poor mailers in a plight like this!

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"Proper care saves mothers and babes."—headline. Wonder what effect it would have on the old man.

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Morgan Cook, writing of the new N. J. license plates, says, "The bright red gash gives the impression someone has operated on a boil." And when we take our car out it gives the impression someone is operating on a boiler.

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Now, since we have so many of those "high power" apple salesmen, we wonder where all the doctors will go who are being kept away.

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We used to wonder what earthly use we would ever have for the technique we acquired from carrying a seventy-five pound pack in the army, but after accompanying the boss on a shopping tour Xmas week we found out that the training was the only thing that kept us from being mashed so flat we would look like the design on an oriental rug.

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We are suffering from a cold in the vacuum, and, like Walter Winchell, we are going south. So, by the time this gets into your local "dewsbaber" 'way out in Arkansas or Palmyra, or wherever you may be, there is no telling where we will be. We may even be as far south as Mount Holly or Key West.

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A "norem" is what you see when you look in a mirror. Now, don't get mad. If you get it that quick we don't mean you at all.

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"H. Coferdan Wills $143,000 to Charity"; "Poor to Benefit Under Terms of Millionaire's Will." — headlines. —Thar's doles in them thar wills.

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Vanguard of Johnson Research Party Leaves for Trip to Brazilian Jungle

Leader to Join His Expedition in February; University of Pennsylvania Sponsoring Exploration of Mysteries of "Matto Grosso"

The probing of age-old mysteries in one of the darkest jungles of the world will be the object of an expedition into the Matto Grosso, or "Great Woods of Brazil," financed by E. R Fenimore Johnson, of Moorestown, which left New York Friday for South America.

Johnson, former vice-president of the Victor Talking Machine Company, will join the expedition in February. The search will be made under sponsorship of the University of Pennsylvania.

The mysteries, which the expedition will seek to solve for science, are botanical, anthropological, piscatorial, animal life and flora and fauna of the Matto Grosso.

Advance Guard.

The advance guard of explorers left New York Friday and in March will reach the headwaters of the Paraguay river in Southern Brazil. Temporary headquarters of the expedition will be in Cuyaba, capital of the State of Matto Grosso. Johnson and John S. Clarke, Jr., business manager of the expedition, will join the party in that month.

The Matto Grosso has an area of more than 570,000 square miles, largely unsettled and unexplored and populated mostly by Indians. It is separated from the civilized portion of Brazil by the drainage basins of the Amazon and La Plata rivers. The climate, Johnson said, except for mountainous parts of the plateau, is hot, humid and unhealthful. Although gold and diamonds have been found in the region the jungle has defied the inroads of man.

To Be Gone Year.

The expedition will be gone for one year, headed by Captain Vladimir Perzilieff, artist, photographer, adventurer and former Cossack officer. For 2500 miles up the Paraguay river he will lead the party, composed of about 25 men. The party expects to cover 360,000 square miles by speed boat, horse and on foot. Dogs, American bred, will also be used. The dogs have been especially trained for their work.

The trip will be Johnson's first major-exploring experience, although he was member of a party that uncovered a prehistoric man in Texas about eight years ago.

The chief record for posterity of the expedition's work will be contained in sound pictures. The anthropology of tribesmen will be studied by Prof. Vincent Petrullo, of the University of Pennsylvania; David M. Newell, will gather material for books for children; Floyd Crosby will be chief cameraman; William E. Green, of Trenton, will be taxidermist, and Alexander Siemel, native of Latvia, experienced in jungle exploration, make up the chief heads of the party.

In Touch by Radio.

The expedition will keep in communication with the United States through station KDKA at Pittsburgh.

Special studies to be made by the party include 20-foot Anaconda snakes, armadillos, ant-eaters birds, tapirs, peccary and a fish, 12 inches in length, known to science from sporadic reports as "piranha," which has a razor-sharp jaw and said to be capable of severing a man's head from his body.

An effort will be made to ascertain if the tribesmen of the jungle bear anything in common with the Mayas, the greatest anthropological mystery confronting science.

FINES IMPOSED ON ILLEGAL HUNTERS

Violators of State Game Laws Are Penalized By Burlington County Magistrates.

Fines of from $20 to $120 were imposed upon game law violators by Burlington county magistrates last week.

Elvin Garrett, Browns Mills, and Charles Lukens, Trenton, were fined $100 each by M. Warner Hargrove, Browns Mills, for killing doe with an extra penalty for Lukens for having no license.

For hunting with shotguns holding more than two shells, fines of $20 were imposed upon Luke Lyons, New Brunswick, and Walter Garrettson, Philadelphia, by James Ritzendollar, Chatsworth, and upon Charles A. Applegate, Freehold, by John Curran, Chatsworth.

For obtaining hunting licenses upon misinformation $20 fines were imposed upon H. Lehran Krauss, Philadelphia, by Ritzendollar, and upon Vincent Potter, West Creek, and Ovozio Sassone, Philadelphia, by Justice Potter, West Creek.

STOCK FARM WORKER HIT BY CAR AT HOLLY

Victim Removed To Burlington County Hospital; His Condition Is Not Serious.

Timothy Gray, 30, of 178 Water street, Mount Holly, who is employed as exercise man at the Rancocas Stock Farm at Jobstown, was struck by an automobile driven by Ralph E. Robbins, of near Medford, recently at Washington and King streets, Mount Holly.

Gray was dragged several feet before Robbins brought his car to a stop. He was removed to the Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly, where it was found that he was suffering with injuries of the back, a cut over the left eye requiring two stitches and was bruised and cut on the body. His condition is not considered serious.

Robbins, who is the son of Alvin Robbins, who operates a lunch car on White street, Mount Holly, was held under bail to await the outcome of the injuries to Gray, after he reported the accident to Lieutenant Harry Goldy.

It's a good thing for history that William Tell was cross-eyed.

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PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER
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We, of the Burlington Country Aero Club, wish to thank the residents of Burlington County for the support and co-operation received during 1930, and we hope to receive your increased support during the coming year.

The 1931 National Air Races will be held at Cleveland. This city will also stage the races for the next five years. The public-spirited business men who have made this possible are surely to be commended and the Aviation Committee of the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce is a real honest-to-goodness committee.

The Air Corps maneuvers to be held along the Atlantic Coast next May will bring together one headquarters group (50 planes), one transport group (40 planes), three pursuit groups (180 planes), one bombardment group (40 planes), four provisional groups (135 planes), to which will be added National Guard units and one attack group of 50 planes. In addition there will be radio, photographic and ambulance planes.

During the year 1930, about 2500 civil airplanes were produced in the United States. This is 2900 ships less than were produced in 1929 but it is expected that production in 1931 will be at least 3300 ships.

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SOUNDS OPTIMISTIC NOTE ON N. J. FARM SITUATION

Low prices of feed and fertilizer and a plentiful supply of labor are encouraging aspects of the agricultural situation in New Jersey at the opening of the new year, according to W. F. Knowles, extension service economist of the State Agricultural Experiment Station. Wholesale feed prices are about as low as they have been since 1916, he reported, and the combined wholesale prices of 12 fertilizer ingredients have dropped to pre-war levels. Building materials are slightly lower in price, he continued, but costs for taxes, interest, and insurance are not any lower.

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WARRICK 'SCARED' AS BUCKS CHARGED

Moorestown Deer Hunter Was Put on Defensive, Reports Indicate

(From Mount Holly News.)

The scare of his young life, and that means something fierce, came to Edward M. Warrick, of Moorestown, well-known all over, when he was down in the woods hunting deer on Friday and got in a position where two bucks charged at him and Joseph Holloway, of Sandy Ridge, after the animals had been surrounded and were put on a real defensive that gave them only one way out. Warrick didn't exactly have all the hair scared off the top of his head, as that had already been done in some other manner, but he declares that his breathing was cut short and it was almost an hour before he could come to his senses and give an account of his feelings.

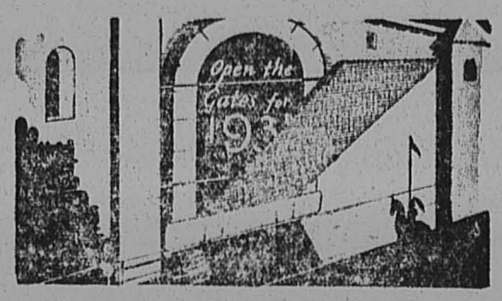
Warrick now explains that he and Holloway were in a party that had corralled four deer at Sandy Ridge and there developed a situation that called for quick thinking. The gunners were all set to bring home the best kill of the season when they found the deer were too hot for them. Two of the bucks made a bee-line charge toward these two fellows and it was no easy matter for them to get out of the path of the chargers and save their lives. The gunners got so excited that their guns were discharged without the definite aim that they would be expected to take, and County Detective Parker, who has run out this case, says that a load from one of the guns hit one of the buck but wasn't a shot direct enough to do any serious damage beyond a wounding.

While Warrick and Holloway were not caring anything about what was happening to the deer Elmer Drayton, of Burlington, got after the wounded animal and bagged it with a shot that hit where he intended it should go.

Many are called, but most of them are the wrong numbers.

PROGRESS REPORTED FOR N. J. FARM CO-OPERATIVES

That New Jersey farmers are regaining confidence in the principle of co-operative action is to be found in the fact that their selling and purchasing organizations did a $10,000,000 business in 1929, Byron C. Denny, field agent of the Federal Farm Board, and a member of the economics department of the State Agricultural Experiment Station, reported at New Brunswick Tuesday. His statement is based on a study of New Jersey's farm co-operative organizations, which was started on July 1 by the Farm Board in co-operation with the state experiment station. The information obtained is to be used as a guide by the Farm Board in formulating a program of assistance to New Jersey farmers.



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MEAN YOUR NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

Somebody has said that 1930 could have been worse and by that same token 1931 can be better.

Isn't there a lot of truth to that remark?

When you greet your friends, "Happy New Year!", mean it and don't forget it the next day. If everyone is determined to make 1931 the happiest ever, it will be the happiest.

One of the best ways to make 1931 happier is to take care of the unemployed. But not by charity. While the giver realizes a certain warmth of feeling when he doles out charity, the recipient is not necessarily as happy. Everyone will be better off if charity is replaced by employment.

You may do your share to reduce unemployment by continued buying. Those who have the money can save much by making purchases at the present low prices and at the same time they will aid in keeping the wheels of industry rolling.

As buying continues—yes, and even increases—present business will not only keep going, but additional workers will be provided with employment to keep up with the demand. As others prosper, so will you.

In other words, every extra dollar you spend should come back to you with a substantial dividend!

New Year's Day represents the turning over to a new and clean page. Let's forget 1930, with its numerous entries in red ink, and make a determined effort to write a more attractive message on the Page of 1931.

Let's stop talking and thinking "hard times".

When you shout, "Happy New Year!" to your friends, add under your breath, "And I'm going to do my share to make it a happy one".

SCHWARTZKOPF SHOULD BE RETAINED

Governor Larson, according to news dispatches from Trenton, has denied that he will replace Colonel Schwartzkopf as superintendent of the State Police.

In fact, the state's chief executive has gone so far as to declare that the Colonel will be reappointed at the expiration of his term.

While many persons with influence in the state are known to have been seeking Schwartzkopf's scalp, the chief argument in favor of his reappointment is found in one of the newspaper reports which read:

"That political leaders would like to have one of their personal friends at the head of the state police has been known for some time. The position is one carrying with it wide powers in the handling of law enforcement in which political leaders always have taken interest".

While some municipal police heads are of the opinion that the colonel is steadily, through his influence with legislature, annexing more powers for the state police, and he has therefore gained some ill will from this source, it is generally admitted that the state police, during nearly ten years under the administration of Schwartzkopf, has aroused little criticism because of its political activities.

Since we have one state law enforcement bureau that has not wallowed in the mire of politics, why not keep it that way? The department would not enjoy the unique distinction it does today if "Dave" Baird, "Noch" Johnson or any of the other leaders were to have a hand in the selection of the superintendent.

This Week in WASHINGTON

BY RADFORD MOBLEY
AUTOCASTER WASHINGTON BUREAU

Additional legislation concerning the federal farm board appears sure during the short session of Congress beginning Dec. 1. When the board submits to Congress its appropriation estimate for the year, it will also request certain changes in the law which created it. Just what form these changes will take is as yet unknown, although it seems pretty well assured that some of them will deal with present credit restrictions. This will be a signal for renewed agitation regarding the debenture plan, equalization fee or some similar "subsidy" scheme. Present prospects are, however, that little prospect remains for enactment of any of these into law at least not before the new Congress convenes in December of next year.

Two Minnesotans who never appear in public prints are among the most vital cogs of the farm board. They are Chris L. Christensen, secretary, and Edgar Markham, director of information.

They don't form any board policies exactly, but they nevertheless play a very large and real part in the functioning of the board; what is more they are more in contact with the visitor to the board's offices than any one member of the board. Christensen, the six-and-a-half footer who is always so busy, used to be in the agricultural economics bureau of the agriculture department and is one of the most expert of all federal agricultural experts. Markham, former Washington correspondent of the St. Paul Pioneer-Press, is almost the real secretary to the board, attending all meetings and having wide discretion, while many of Christensen's activities are those you would expect members only to perform.

Two hundred post office employes probably wouldn't agree with you if you think the American people are not so stupid, after all. They are the ones who annually handle 25,000,000 dead letters or pieces of undelivered mail. Most of these are wrongly or illegibly addressed and about four-fifths must be destroyed because it is impossible to discover to whom they are addressed.

"In many states the farmers are now working two days a week to pay the cost of government." This is the key statement in a report on farm taxes issued here by the Rawleigh Foundation, a foundation maintained by a wealthy Illinois manufacturer. The report states that direct state and local taxes now equal 31 per cent of the net rent of farms; that farmers now pay more than four times as much in taxes as they spend for seed; two and a half times as much as they spend for fertilizer, and one and a half times as much as all farm improvements cost. It has been sent to all state legislatures, 42 of which convene in January.

A plant protector for the aid of young plants has just been patented here embodying several new features. It consists of a corrugated rim to be partly pushed into the earth, and a top which is detachable but wedges into the rim in the ground. This top is a deme of wire with a rim around the bottom which fits into the ground rim. It is patented by John L. Stevason of Indianapolis.

Approximately three-quarters of a million files of abandoned patent applications will be destroyed in the next six months, as a result of a recent act of Congress. This act gave the commissioner of patents authority which had been lacking before. For 26 years these ancient files had been accumulating at a rate of from 30,000 to 40,000 a year. Congress has finally acted to allow for their disposal before the Patent Office moves to its new quarters in the gigantic new Commerce Department building here.

TRENTON NEWS LETTER

By CHARLES R. BACON

It does seem a lot like a continuous performance for the 1930 Legislature having had so many special and adjourned sessions during the year, but its end is in sight. It will return next Monday night to resume consideration of the pending bills presented at the voice of the Abell Commission in the proposed revamping of the state government along progressive and efficient lines, but none of the Republican leaders is quite certain what is to be done with them. As has been here stated some of the measures carry so much of real merit and suggest changes calculated to effect ultimate economies and some degree of efficiency that their enactment into law might be desirable after the necessary study and analysis.

At the public hearings before the Joint Judiciary Committee of the two houses, with Senator Joseph F. Wolber presiding, about the only persons who appeared were those who opposed passage of the bills because of specific objections relating intimately to the interests they happened to represent. Thus were arrayed a formidable force of lawyers, doctors and others entering serious objection to that bill which provides for transfer to the Department of Education all the powers and duties of the various boards which examine and license, sundry professions and trades, such as physicians, barbers, optometrists, pilots, engineers and firemen, architects and others.

It was very forcibly declared that such a proposed transfer would accomplish no good purpose, but only load down the Commissioner of Education with an added burden while he already has more than enough. It was also suggested, very bluntly, that under such control there would be the peril of injecting political color into the situation by the creation of the proposed bureau of licensing in the Department whereas the present boards are wholly free from such influences.

There did not appear to be much public sentiment in favor of this proposed change in the governmental functions, nor indeed was there any tangible evidence of such interest in and of the pending measures. Chairman Wolber asked, as the hearing proceeded if anyone desired to speak upon the bill intended to erect an Executive Commission to take the place of the State House Commission now clothed with much power and authority. Not a voice was raised for or in opposition to the bill and nothing was done with it.

That indeed, appears to be the public attitude upon the whole program. Some of the members of the two houses have informed me that they have had practically no communications from the voters of their parts of the state either approving or condemning the program of the Abell Commission. That, however, is not strange. Often the most vital and far-reaching questions of the day, directly concerning the interests of the people, are permitted to take their course without sign of an effort or the least display of interest upon the part of those affected. Present, for instance, a proposed constitutional amendment to the voters and see what a small percentage display interest enough to cast ballots for or against adoption. Offer a proposed road issue carrying a high addition to the public debt and ask the voice of the people be expressed thereon and note the insignificant proportion of taxpayers sufficiently interested to go to the polls and cast ballots. Somehow, the people have come to believe as the slangy suggestion "Let George Do It". Then if George fails to do it, or does it in some manner not in full accord with their ideas of right there is a howl from those who have failed to register upon the matter at all.

It becomes more than evident, then, that the series of bills offered by Senator Abell as representing the conclusions of the Commission of which he has been the industrious chairman, will undergo many changes in the constructive, or be wholly revamped before they become acceptable to the majority in Senate and Assembly. Lack of enthusiasm, or even interest, in the attitude of the voters, with a feeling of utter indifference upon the part of many of the members accounts, in large measure, for this situation and unless something occurs to change it the chances for the bills will be reduced to a small margin. The new Legislative session is due in three weeks and a few of the members are favoring action at the adjourned session. Nothing is to be gained by haste, they argue, and it will be just as well, if not much better, to defer action until the 1931 session.

Unsightly Signs Go

The earnest and forward looking women who so energetically fought for the passage of the measure known as the bill board Bill will be mightily cheered by the information coming from State Motor Vehicle Commissioner Hoffman to the effect that sixty-five prominent and prosperous firms have informed his Department that they will abandon outdoor advertising, largely as a result of the aroused feeling against the unsightly billboard. The law setting a tax upon the device goes into effect January 1 and Commissioner Hoffman says a large number of the signs will disappear in a short time. The license fee of $100 a year for operators of such advertising devices, together with the annual tax of three cents per square foot for the boards, is likely to deter many business men entering into contracts for such matter, especially in view of the widespread unpopularity if this form of display. Hence the wisdom of the Legislature in enacting this law, which gives such indication of clearing the landscape of its ugly obstruction, so unsightly to the eye of the tourist and dweller, appears to have been given complete vindication. Moreover, the Commissioner is empowered to order the removal of any sign or board which, in his judgment, offers a serious obstruction to the view of a highway intersection and, as everybody knows, there are many of these obstructions in New Jersey.

TODAY and TOMORROW

ORANGES

In California 78 per cent of the orange and lemon growers ship through co-operative organizations. In 1930 California grew 30 per cent fewer oranges than in 1929, and got fifteen million more dollars for it.

In Florida more than 100 different shipping agencies control the shipment and sale of oranges. Florida growers, except a few large ones maintaining their own marketing organizations, make very little money for their work. They are nearer the great orange-consuming centers, but they have never been able to organize co-operatively and pull together.

INVENTORS

An "inventor" was indicted in New York the other day on the charge of swindling gullible investors out of more than a million dollars in the past four years. He had an invention which would revolutionize automobiles and airplanes, a new kind of engine—so he said. The great corporations were trying to steal it from him, but he wouldn't let them. Instead, he was letting the common people have a share in the enormous profits which the invention would earn.

That was his story, and the common people bit, as usual. Nothing is more persistent than the erroneous belief that the great industrial companies always try to rob the inventor. The fact is just the other way. There is no limit to the price which any one of a dozen concerns would pay for an engine which could do what this inventor claimed his engine could do. But if the experts of the big manufacturers decided that it would not do what he claimed, it is a safe bet that they were right and he was wrong.

Ordinary people would better buy shares in established companies using inventions which have been proved practical, than in new inventions which are so good that nobody will buy them.

THRIFT

The week beginning January 17 is National Thrift Week. Everybody is supposed to think about saving money during that week, and to begin some sort of saving program.

That is not what is needed now. There is too much thrift. Too many people are hoarding money, keeping it out of use. What is needed this year is not more thrift, in the narrow sense of merely saving the symbols of wealth, but real thrift in the sense of investing money where it will create more wealth.

The new crop of millionaires five years from now will be the ones who are putting every penny they can rake or scrape into securities and real estate that are going begging at prices far below their real values. The foundations of great fortunes are being laid now by that sort of intelligent thrift. The mere saving of surplus income never made anybody rich.

CELEBRITIES

The practice of honoring men who have contributed to the world's progress by issuing special postage-stamps is one which is growing. The newest proposal in this line is to honor Morse and Draper, inventors of the electric telegraph, which will be 100 years old this Spring.

It is hard to realize that only a century has passed since men first learned how to communicate at a distance electrically. It is hard, for that matter, to realize that electric telegraphy without wires—what we call radio—is only thirty years old.

The names of Morse and Draper, of Marconi and De Forest, will live for all time as those of men who made it easier for people to communicate with each other, and so hastened the day of universal friendship and peace.

"REALISM"

Sinclair Lewis, author of "Main Street," "Babbitt" and other popular novels, which hold up certain phases of American life to ridicule, if not to contempt, was awarded the Nobel Prize for literature for 1930. The prize was given to him because the European judges thought his picture of American life must be a true one, since it was so different from that which other American writers presented, and gave European readers a chance to sneer at the United States.

Mr. Lewis belongs to the school of modern writers who have discovered that one way to get people to read your books is to attack everything which most folk hold in respect or reverence. They call this "realism." Nobody can object to their writing whatever they please. But most readers read to be entertained, and prefer the sort of stories which "leave a good taste in the mouth." Most of us come in contact with the ugly side of life sufficiently in our daily occupations.

Editorial Comment

Should Change the Law

Why not repeal the present financial responsibility act, which works such injustice and which has been roundly scored by Motor Vehicle Commissioner Hoffman, and turn to compulsory insurance as the logical next step to compel financial responsibility among all motorists using the public highway? The alleged constitutional bar to this requirement ought not to be insuperable.

The present act admittedly has done little to increase the number of motorists carrying insurance, while it has worked hardship to innocent drivers, figuring in accidents, caused by the other party. Under the law in question no discrimination between the driver or owner responsible for an accident, and his victim is made. If they fail to have insurance each must take it out immediately or show financial responsibility satisfactory to the Commissioner. Failure to comply with this provision means equal penalty to either party. It is obviously unfair thus to punish those who already have suffered through the negligence or worse of others and to whom no blame attaches; yet to ascertain who should be held responsible in every automobile accident would call for new official machinery, the extent of which we dislike to contemplate.

As an instance of another phase of the financial responsibility law, we cite the case of a colored man of Mount Holly, who was summoned to Trenton last week to show his insurance credentials or furnish proof of financial responsibility, neither of which he had, as the result of having driven past a trance sign, set against him, which he maintained he had not seen. Admittedly the defendant in the case may have been deserving of a small fine as an aid to his eyesight when next he passes that way, but to make him take out indemnity insurance under penalty of losing his license, as a punishment for having driven slowly past an unseen red light, where there was no traffic at the time, seems unduly severe.

There is one course which guarantees fairness to everybody and that is compulsory insurance, preferably with the State selling such insurance at a minimum premium.—Mount Holly Mirror.

WAY OF LIFE

BY BRUCE BARTON

Only a Few Ideas

Twenty years ago I heard a famous editor deliver a talk on advertising before the Chicago advertising club. I was just out of college and had seen very few great men, so the talk made a deep impression. I remember the editor said that "reputation is repetition," and he told some stories to illustrate the point.

The other night in New York I heard the same great editor speak on the same subject. To my surprise it was the very same speech.

Another speaker was a celebrated banker whom I had heard on two previous occasions. He, also, repeated himself.

As we left the dining room one of my friends who had noted the repetitions remarked on them gloomily.

"Rather discouraging to see that even the big minds have so little in them," he said. "Makes you wonder if human ingenuity is coming to an end."

"They say that though the stars appear so numberless, you can not count more than a thousand," he said. "Well, there are few thoughts. Count the books and you would think that there was immense wealth; but any expert knows that there are few thoughts which have emerged in his time. Shut him in a closet and he could soon tell them all. They are quoted, contradicted, modified, but the amount remains computably small."

It is a good thing for humanity that this is so. Nature apparently designed the game of human progress to last a long time, and provided that only a small advance should be made in any one generation. Suppose one mind should suddenly discover everything. How it would take the zest out of the game!

Moreover, it is decidedly heartening to us average folks to know that only a very little difference separates us from the smartest. Lincoln remarked on it. "I have talked with great men," he said, "and I can not see wherein they differ from others."

Generally speaking, the great achieve their greatness by industry rather than by mere brilliance. The editor whom I quoted is said to be the highest paid in the world. But if you divide his salary by the more than two hundred newspapers which print his editorials, he is the lowest paid worker whom each of those papers employs. He produces more than anybody else and works longer hours to do it.

I was glad that I went to that dinner. It reminded me how little wisdom and genius really rule the world; how far industrious effort can stretch the few ideas, or even one idea.

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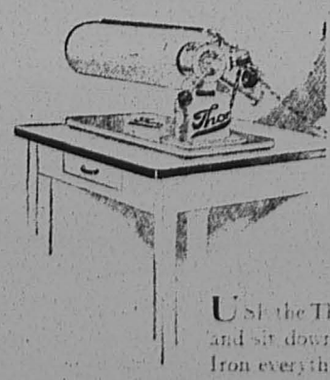
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RIVERTON ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. George Weifel entertained Mrs. Alice Weigel and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dodge, of Philadelphia, Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hirst and son Roy and Miss Ann Cook were guests of James Hastings, of West Philadelphia, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeLaney entertained Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dudley, Jr., of Haddonfield Tuesday.

Miss Janet Yardley, of Fort Washington, was the guest of Miss Marcella Bowen for several days this week.

Bayard Brunt entertained, William Hofstetter, of West Philadelphia, at the Art Club last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Cook and A. Smith reviewed the Mummer's Paraderade Thursday morning.

Mrs. William McDermott is visiting friends in Swedesboro for several days.

The Ladies of the Golden Hour Circle, of Calvary Presbyterian Church, will give a Sauer Kraut supper Friday evening, January 16th, from 6 to 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schadt, of Allentown, Pa., were the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Clifton.

Mrs. Earl Perkins returned Sunday after spending a week as the guests of her sister, Mrs. George Ziegler, of New Brunswick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell Jermon entertained at a family reunion New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Elwell entertained at cards Saturday evening.

Mrs. William Hahle entertained the members of the C. D. C. Monday evening.

Mrs. Ada M. Brown visited friends in Narberth, Pa., Friday.

Mrs. Mary Sharp visited relatives in Tioga, Sunday.

Mrs. William M. Thomas visited friends in Philadelphia over Christmas.

PALMYRA NOTES

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Mary Coxey, of Linden street, Camden, to Joseph L. Atkinson, son of Mrs. George Atkinson, of Palmyra. The engagement was revealed by Miss Coxey's mother, Mrs. Blodwen T. Coxey, Friday afternoon. Mary is a graduate of the Friends' Central School and is now a student at the Academy of Fine Arts. Mr. Atkinson will graduate from Swarthmore College in the Spring. He is a member of the Book and Key Club and the Delta Upsilon Fraternity. The wedding will take place during the summer.

Bobby Nash, of Philadelphia, is enjoying the holidays with Shelby Torbett, of Morgan avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Lever and son, Sonny, of Fairfield, Conn., formerly of Palmyra, enjoyed the holidays with friends and relatives in Palmyra and Riverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stringer, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Hampton, of Riverton, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Arne, of Lenola, enjoyed Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Speakman, of Philadelphia.

The Community Welfare Association of Palmyra, Riverton and Cinnaminson acknowledged with thanks the receipt of the following contributions: Ladies' Auxiliary of the Compass Club, $10.00; Paul Braun, $5.00; In His Name, $5.00.

Mrs. Edward D. Stewart, of Garfield avenue, is sojourning at the Hotel Morton, Atlantic City.

Miss Mildred Wimer, daughter of Mayor and Mrs. George N. Wimer, who is employed at the Congressional Library, Washington, D. C., returned to Washington Sunday after enjoying the Christmas holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Shaw celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Connor, of Highland avenue, Saturday evening, December 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Venat, Charles Venat, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Ida Pierpoint, of Bala Cynwood, enjoyed Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. West, of Morgan avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rivel and son, of Morgan avenue, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Rivel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rivel, of Woodlynne.

Mrs. Frank Booth, of Garfield avenue, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Kern, of Hempstead, L. I.

Mrs. William Zeller, of Berkley avenue, entertained several friends at Cards Saturday evening.

Mrs. James Ludlam and daughter, Clarabelle, of Camden, enjoyed Tuesday with Mrs. A. B. Powell, of West Broad street.

LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

EPWORTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

J. William Lee, Minister

Happy New Year to all is the wish of this church, and may God help each one during the coming year to build better lives. May the Christian influence of this church be a power for good in this community.

The annual Watch Night service was held New Year's Eve with Reading Z. Poinsett in charge of pulpit services.

The usual services will be held Sunday. Starting at 10 a. m. with the Sunday School service, other services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., while the regular Epworth League meeting will take place in the Junior Room Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

The regular meeting of the official Board will be held Tuesday, January 6, and all members are urged to attend.

FIRST LUTHERAN

Happy New Year To All! Whatever difficulties, disappointments, achievements, joys and progress have been experienced during the past year, let this be a reason for vision and determination for the future. Let us each one ask how much growth of character and spirituality has been made in the past year, and seek for the coming twelvemonth a definite increase in the power of the soul and in the qualities of the heart, as well as in the material factors of life.

Our message next Sunday morning will be "The Old Gospel for the New Year". We hope that everyone will start the New Year with a revived faith in the Lord and in the power of His gospel. We are glad also to cooperate in the Union Week of Prayer Services to be held next week in the Presbyterian Church. And we give earnest testimony and exhortation concerning the great value of a community movement for Christian life.

A special feature will be presented at the Sunday evening service. The story of "The Other Wise Man", one of the most beautiful associated with the Christmas season, will be presented with lantern slide illustrations. We cordially invite all to enjoy the inspiration of this special service.

Light Brigade this Friday afternoon at four o'clock. Next Tuesday at 1:00 p. m. the Ladies' Aid will have a covered dish luncheon, followed by the monthly business meeting.

Calvary Presbyterian

Calvary Presbyterian Church will hold its morning service of worship next Sunday at 11 o'clock; evening service at 8 o'clock with fifteen minutes of singing of favorite hymns; Christian Endeavor Society will meet at 7 p. m. All departments of the Church School will meet at 10 o'clock.

The Week of Prayer Services held by the churches of Riverton and Palmyra will be held in the church starting January 5th and continuing to January 9th. The services start at 8 p. m. It is hoped all the members of this congregation will plan to be present.

CHARLES T. BATES, Minister

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Services: Sunday 11 a. m.; Sunday School, 11 a. m.

Wednesday evening, Testimonial Meeting, 8 p. m.

"GOD" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 4, 1931.

The Golden Text is: "Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and not be afraid" (Isiah 12:2).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And Jesus returned in the power of the Spirit into Galilee: and there went out a fame of him through all the region round about. And he taught in their synagogues, being glorified of all" (Luke 4:14, 15).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Having one God, one Mind, unfolds the power that heals the sick, and fulfills these sayings of Scripture, 'I am the Lord that healeth thee,' and 'I have found a ransom'" (p. 276).

BAPTIST

Rev. George Lockett, B. D., Pastor

The Samaritan Class of the Sunday School is always "doing something". The teacher, Charles A. Deitz, passed another milestone in his life on December 20 and the boys tendered him a postal surprise. He received a large number of cards, several members of the church also sent cards. On Sunday, December 28, the class had charge of the evening church service at which time they dedicated the organ and chimes and also placed a plate, suitably inscribed, on the organ. This service was a complete surprise to Mr. Deitz and the service was great enjoyed. He has been teacher of this class 23 years, keeping up his work through many discouraging times, but now has a strong organization with him. We wish many happy returns of his birthday.

The regular monthly business meeting and thimble party of the Philathea Class was held at the home of Mrs. Joseph H. Abdill. About 40 members being present. It being their Christmas party too, and gifts were exchanged.

The Grenfell B. Y. P. U. will hold a social in the Social Hall next Friday evening and it is hoped all children of the intermediate age will come out and have a good time.

The annual Christmas entertainment of the Sunday School was held in the Sunday School room, Tuesday evening of this week, under the direc- evening of this week under the direction of the B. Y. P. U. Dickens' Christmas Carol, with Miss Helene Johnson, reader, was presented in a very unique manner, which was greatly enjoyed by a large audience. During the evening, Sunday School pins were awarded for perfect attendance during the past year, for periods ranging from one to fifteen years.

The Philathea Class is arranging for a Montco Supper to be given in the church in January or February. If you are in need of Montco products, Mrs. Milton Klotz, phone Riverton 629, will be pleased to take your order. Every order helps them toward giving the supper.

Sunday Services: Sunday School at 10:00 p. m. Preaching service and Communion at 11:15 p. m. This will be the sixth anniversary of the pastorate of Mr. Lockett and a suitable service has been arranged. Children's Church services for the little folks at 11:15 a. m. in the primary room. B. Y. P. U. service at 6:45 p. m. The evening service at 7:45 p. m. will be in charge of the Sunday School.

EPISCOPAL

Rev. G. J. McCormack Rector.

Getting away to a flying start is the way many races have been won. I have won several myself just that way, and still can. What is most needed in Church work, seems the very same method. Let us make a good start this year by prompt and regular attendance at public worship. Make this one resolution for this year and keep it. The Sermon on Sunday is directed definitely to the Men of the Church and is intended to provide discussion. Here is the text. We hope you will read it.

"In the midst of all the battle, In the thickest of the strife,
See the Valiant Christian Soldier, Represented by his wife!"

The officers of the St Agnes Guild entertained the members at a delightful gathering held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Reber on Monday evening of this week. The Christmas offering for the Guild amounted to $500. Congratulations!

The annual meeting of the St Agnes Guild will be held on Monday evening January 5th. Reports for the year, and election of officers with other business. A covered dish luncheon will be served. We hope for a record attendance.

Services for 2nd Sunday after Christmas:

10:00 A. M. Church School and Presentation of Advent Offering.

10:45 A. M. Holy Communion Sermon "Ye "Men" of Galilee"

8:00 P. M. Evensong Sermon.

We are too much troubled about transitory things. We are not set on fire to grow better every day, and therefore we remain cold and lake warm. When any small adversity meeteth us, we are too quickly cast down. If we would endeavor like brave men to stand in the battle, surely we should behold aboye us the help of God from Heaven. For he himself who giveth us occasion to fight, to the end we may get the victory, is ready to succour those who strive, and trust in his grace.

Thomas A. Kempis.

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH
Riverton
Rev. Arthur S. Lewis

Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.
Church School, 10:00 a. m.
Holy Communion and Sermon, 11:30.
Feast of Lights and Carols Service 8:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
First Church of Christ, Scientist
Thomas Ave. and Seventh St.
Riverton

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Sunday services, 11 a. m.
Subject, "God"
Wednesday 8 p. m.
Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. All are welcome.

Epworth M. E. Church
J. William Lee, Minister

10:00 a. m. Church School.
11:15 a. m. Morning Service.
6:45 p. m. Epworth League.
7:45 p. m. Evening Worship.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00, Wed., 8 p. m., Mid-Week Service.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Craeger, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday School
11:15 a. m. "The Stewardship of Money. 2. "Giving and paying in the Kingdom of God"
7:00 p. m. Luther League
8:00 p. m. Thank Offering Service.

Calvary Presbyterian Church
Riverton, N. J.
Charles T. Bates, B. D.

Church School, 10 a. m.
Morning Service, 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock.
Evening Service, 8:00 p. m.

MORAVIAN CHURCH
Albert J. Harke, B.D., Pastor

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Morning Service, 10:40 a. m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p. m.
Evening Service, 8:00 p. m.

GLASS MAY BEAT SLATE AS SCHOOL BLACKBOARD

Either glass or porcelain, instead of slate, may be the future material preferred for school blackboards. A new method of making glass blackboards overcomes previous objections to the material. The glass is hardened by chromite, and gives it a sufficiently rough surface to facilitate writing with chalk. Colored blackboards of porcelain are a recent innovation, latest development in the enameling industry, says Popular Science Monthly.

RIVERTON COUNCIL FINISHES UP YEAR

(Continued From Page 1)

Councilman Elwell, chairman of the borough property committee, reported that the Revolutionary gun promised for Memorial Park, had been received and stored until Spring, when a base will be constructed for it.

At a previous meeting the Public Service Coordinated Transport requested permission to substitute buses for trolleys on the line between Camden and Trenton. The matter was referred to the borough solicitor, who advised that a conference be held with the company to find out if it intended to take advantage of the change to avoid a payment of the franchise tax to the borough, and if so, recommended that council refuse to pass the desired resolution. The clerk was instructed to arrange a conference with a representative of the Coordinated Transport.

Solicitor Read Resigns

A letter was received from William T. Read, tendering his resignation as borough solicitor, which was accepted with regret.

The resignation of Robert H. Clelland as member of council, which was submitted at the last meeting, and on which action was deferred until an effort could be made to get Mr. Clelland to reconsider the matter, was also accepted, Mr. Clelland having declined to change his decision. His fellow members of council and the mayor expressed their appreciation of Mr. Clelland's valuable services and their regret that he would not continue as a member of council.

Mr. Randall said that as this was his last meeting as councilman he wanted to express the pleasure and satisfaction he had experienced in serving as a member of that body, and to extend his best wishes to his successors and to succeeding councils.

The mayor replied that he had no intention of letting the meeting come to a close without a word of appreciation to the two retiring members—Mr. Bartley's term also expiring with the close of 1930. His Honor expressed his deep appreciation of the valuable services rendered by both Mr. Bartley and Mr. Randall.

Mr. Bartley said he had derived a great deal of pleasure from his six years of service and association as a member of council, and that he would be glad to render any assistance to his successor that he could.

Mr. Bartley expressed his very high regard for the mayor and said that the people of Riverton were to be congratulated on the type of man filling the executive chair, whom he characterized as being broad minded, reasonable and always willing to cooperate with his committee.

Protests Burning Dump

The subject of the burning dump, which has been a source of great annoyance to many of the residents of the borough, was treated in the following letter from Edwin S. Parry:

December the 17th
1930

To the Mayor and Council
of the Borough of Riverton.
Gentlemen:

With unemployment relief now one of our major problems, I wish to call to the attention of your respected body an exceptional opportunity to "Give a job for Christmas" in Riverton.

A daily and nightly nuisance at the eastern end of our town, impels me to the suggestion. The sight of it or the odor of it, or both, must have been brought to your own attention as individuals, ere now—particularly when there is an east wind.

A column of smoke rising steadily from a spot near our Main street, commonly known to resident on "the Hill" as the "dump," is the visible sign. Why it should be permitted to waft its odors and its health-menacing particles week after week, into the windows of surrounding homes unchecked, is a mystery to many of us.

The Fire That Dieth Not

We understand that a fire hose has been applied, superficially now and then, but like the modern night club, this unsavory nuisance goes merrily on after the raiders have disappeared.

As to who started the fire, we are in the dark. Rumor has it that a colored man employed by the gentleman on whose property the dump is located, did so "to see the rats run." And that he did so despite caution and remonstrance.

Many of the rats did run. They have been seen crossing Main street. But many of them apparently died before they had a chance to flee—which may account in part for the daily and nightly odors.

May Drive Away Santa Claus

Lest our Christmas dinners be flavored by this unnatural atmosphere as were our Thanksgiving dinners, I am writing to suggest that something be done. So often are we compelled to rise in the night to close our windows and protect our children from the stench-laden east wind—that they are fearful that Santa Claus himself may refuse to visit that pointed section of the town at his scheduled time.

When one reflects that it would take a half dozen men armed with pickaxes and spades but a short time to dig down into that smouldering mass and extinguish the fire—and when one realizes that there are many unemployed men within the knowledge of our local welfare committees who would welcome the job—it is extraordinary that the nuisance should be permitted to go on.

Precaution for the Future

And may I further suggest that if it can be established that the fire was not accidental, but was deliberate in order to see the rats run, some one in authority give proper caution to the party responsible to refrain from repeating?

I realize there are many problems coming before you and am deeply sensible of the capable manner in which the town's affairs are being managed. But if you can delegate some one to remedy the condition I have here discussed, many of your citizens will be grateful.

Truly yours,
E. S. PARRY.

The clerk was instructed to inform Mr. Parry that the matter had been taken in hand by the Board of Health, that council would ask the board for a report on the progress being made, and that council would follow the matter up.

Annual Police Report

Director of Public Safety Charles DeLaney submitted his yearly report of the police department as follows:

December 29th, 1930.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Members of Borough Council,
Borough of Riverton, New Jersey.
Gentlemen:

I beg to submit to you a resume of the activities of the Police Department from January 1st to December 29th, 1930, as taken from the Police Records now on file in the Police Court.

The new jail and Police Court was conveyed to the Department for its official use in June 1930.

An approved system of keeping Police records was installed and has been kept up to date. The system has proven very satisfactory. All telephone calls, complaints, warrants and miscellaneous records are now on file and cross-indexed in such a way that records of any particular complaint or case can be located if required in years to come.

A Bertillion System of finger printing as required by the State has been installed without any expense to the Borough and is under the supervision of Officer Miller. Numerous prints have been made and are on file in the Police Court, Trenton and Washington.

The Department has functioned very satisfactorily during the year. The officers have been very diligent and have answered all calls promptly.

No serious crimes have been committed in the Borough during the year, and although several petty robberies have taken place, the total value of the stolen goods does not exceed $350.00. Due to the promptness with which the officers handled the cases and sent out fliers regarding the robberies all the thieves have been caught and sentenced.

It is recommended by the Police Committee that serious consideration be given to the purchase of a new police car during the coming year. The present car, which is three years old, is in a very poor state of repair and will cost several hundred dollars to be put in first-class condition. During the year much money has been spent to keep this car in running order. It would be more economical to use this repair expense toward payment on a new car.

A suggested plan will be presented during the coming year regarding the proposed dog catcher.

Thirty arrests were made for disorderly conduct; 3 arrests were made for larceny; 12 arrests were made for reckless driving; 1 arrest was made for driving without license; 1 arrest was made for sending a threatening letter; 11 arrests were made for drunk and disorderly conduct; 3 arrests were made for drunken driving.

Three raids made during the year, all in Cinnaminson Township.

Two raids on disorderly houses and one raid for illegal sale of liquor.

Number of persons arrested in raids—male, 17; female, 13.

Number of robberies, 8; number of attempted robberies, 9; the value of stolen goods $350.00.

Fourteen dogs killed and buried.

Ten bicycles stolen, three recovered.

Two automobiles stolen and recovered.

One sailboat stolen and recovered.

Two commitments to Almshouse.

1 truck load of beer seized and turned over to Sheriff.

Telephone calls received and answered, 182.

Night lodgers accommodated during the year, 28.

Marriages performed by Borough Recorder, 1.

Patrol practices held during year, 30.

Fire calls answered by officers, 21.

Number of male prisoners jailed during year, 68; number of female prisoners jailed during year, 13.

Overseer of Poor, Chief Quigley, filled five orders for food amounting to approximately $20.00, for destitute families.

Number of warrants issued and served, 27. Number of commitments to Mount Holly to await action by Grand Jury, 6. Justice of Peace Cadmington's yearly report is annexed hereto. Borough Recorder Bowers' yearly report annexed hereto.

The total fines collected by Borough Recorder Bowers since taking office, September 12, 1930, amounts to approximately $331.00 and was distributed as follows: County and State, $244.00; Cinnaminson Township, $52.00; Borough of Riverton, $15.00.

Sixty per cent of the total calls received and answered by the Police Department were from Cinnaminson Township.

Ninety per cent of the total prisoners jailed were from Cinnaminson Township.

It is the recommendation of the Police Committee that the Mayor confer with the Township Committee of Cinnaminson Township before the budget is prepared and see what arrangements can be made to compensate the Borough of Riverton for its police protection to said Township. The Borough in addition to housing the prisoners has been obliged to feed them, as well. We feel sure that this request is only just and reasonable.

The new traffic light has enabled an officer to be around the town during the peak of traffic, and from comments of our citizens, all are well satisfied with the new arrangement.

During the year a revision was made as to the hours of the officers. Two are now on duty after 9 p. m. instead of one, as heretofore. In addition, Chief Quigley can always be found on the job in the evening, after serving all during the day. Our officers are doing from 11 to 12 hours duty every day as compared to 8 hours duty in other municipalities. One day a month is allowed for vacation instead of two to four days, as in other municipalities.

It is the opinion of your Committee that the Borough of Riverton is very fortunate in having such a few officers and such a small percentage of crime.

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS DELANEY.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Borough Organization—
Ogden H. Mattis, Highway Inspector, one year ..... $ 25.00

Borough Property—
J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., wheelbarrows 7.50
T. E. Steele & Son, shrubbery 151.25
James S. Coale, planting 22.00
Sherman & Sleeper, staking 10.00

Contingent—
Wm. F. Becker, greens 6.37
Wm. F. Becker, greens 4.75

Fire and Water—
Taylor Motor Company, gas 1.26
Rivtn & Pal. Wtr Co., svc 997.24
C. T. Woolston 2.02
W. F. Becker 9.00

Lighting—
P. S. Elec. & Gas Co., svc 260.57
P. S. Elec. & Gas Co., svc 227.40
P. S. Elec. & Gas Co., svc 17.17

Highway—
C. B. Woolston, gas, oil, etc 4.44
Steelle's Auto Laudry, gas, oil, etc 10.41
W. G. Miller, driver's license 3.00
Jos. T. Evans, horse hire 1.75
J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., incidentals 4.73

Police—
Walter Miller, auto licenses 9.00
Walter Miller, telephones 6.00
J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., incidentals 1.30
Steedle's Auto Lndry, gas, oil 8.72
C. B. Woolston, gas & oil 7.20
Karl W. Latch, Ins. 19.83

Printing—
Walter L. Bowen, printing 6.50

Sewer—
J. S. Collins & Son, Inc. 2.05

Int. Memorial Park Notes 5%—
Cinnaminson Bnk & Trst Co., $3,000 9-12 to 12-31-30 ..... 46.25
Cinnaminson Bnk & Trst Co., $3,000 10-9 to 12-31-30 ..... 35.00
Cinnaminson Bnk & Trst Co., $1,300 11-13 to 12-31-30 ..... 5.95

Int. Fire Truck Note, 5%—
Cinnaminson Bnk & Trst Co., $3,620 7-1 to 3-15-30 ..... 23.13

Int. Current Loan, 5%—
Cinnaminson Bnk & Trst Co., $7,000 9-12 to 12-15-30 ..... 92.36
Cinnaminson Bnk & Trst Co., $8,500 10-15 to 12-15-30 ..... 68.89

Int. Assessment Notes, 5½%—
Cinnaminson Bnk & Trst Co.
Elm Ave Sewer, $346.52, 7-1 ..... 9.75
Main St. Curbing, $109.57, 7-1 ..... 3.09
Thomas Ave. Sewer, $466.22, 7-1 ..... 13.10
Nyhistrn Curbs & Sidewalks, $504.92, 7-1 ..... 18.48

Board of Education—
C. Kenneth Davis, Custodian, School Monies 3,000.00

NEW ELECTRIC SIGNS BRIGHTEN PARIS STREETS

With the coming of the World War and the fear of nocturnal visits from Zeppelins, Paris ceased to be the "City of Light", and as its sobriquet gradually passed out of use. Only now has the metropolitan press attempted to revive it, for there was a long period of post-bellum economy when the streets of Paris were comparatively dark. New electric signs are gradually becoming the vogue and the lights on the facade of the opera and the bridges across the Seine shine forth again, and the government has installed a network of lights. In these circumstances the papers of Paris have returned to the pre-war habit of writing of Paris as "La Ville Lumiere."

HOME GROWN PEACHES

Herkimer, N. Y. Peaches 8½ inches in circumference are ripening on a tree which grew from a peach stone thrown carelessly into the backyard of Mrs. Wesley Bates several years ago. This is the third year the tree has borne fruit.

MARRIAGES FALL OFF

Knoxville, Tenn.: Knox county issued fewer marriage licenses in the first six months of 1930 than during any similar period since 1910. The records are: 584 in 1930, 906 in 1929 and 536 in 1910, when the population of Knoxville was one-third its present mark. W. H. Hall, license clerk, blamed a new state law which requires parents' consent for candidates under 21 years of age.

OFF AGAIN

Husband: "Forgive me this time, darling. Let us hang the cloak of Christian charity over the past."

Wife: "Did you say cloak. How much may I spend on it?" Dorfbarbier, Berlin.



We are all of us ready to forget 1930; and we believe that the constructive factors are now free to operate in taking up the "slack" caused by 1930. We will continue our customary messages in this paper, and hold curselves in readiness for calls for service on new or old homes.

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CLARA BOW in
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FRIDAY—
BUCK JONES in
"MEN WITHOUT LAW"
Comedy Cartoon

SATURDAY—
EDMUND LOWE and JOAN BENNETT in
"SCOTLAND YARD"
Roy Friend Comedy Rambling Reporter

MONDAY and TUESDAY—
"WAR NURSE"
WITH AN ALL-STAR CAST
News Comedy

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—
HAROLD LLOYD in
"FEET FIRST"
News Mickey Mouse Cartoon

MAYOR PRAISES WORK OF RETIRING COUNCIL MEMBER

Councilman Frank A. Snover is Lauded for Efforts in Paving Program

BOROUGH OFFICIALS REGRET WITHDRAWAL

Annual Report of Shade Tree Commission Submitted at Meeting

The resignation of Councilman Frank A. Snover was formally accepted by the Palmyra Borough Council at an adjourned meeting held Monday night.

The acceptance came after two months had elapsed since Mr. Snover had tendered his resignation. Mayor George N. Wimer, in speaking of Mr. Snover's retiring said, "I feel that Mr. Snover's loss will be felt most keenly. During his stay as a member of the Borough Council, he has been outstanding in his achievements during the past year there has been no member of Council who has done any more in the way of civic duty. In the paving program, there are very few who know how much work and time was devoted by Mr. Snover.

There has never been a person in this department who has been more effelent or who has accomplished more. It is too bad that he has not received more credit for the work he has done, but unfortunately too many people would rather find the few flaws than the many virties for the Council, I feel the Borough has lost an invaluable worker, and it is with the deepest regret that I have received Mr. Snover's resignation."

Will Assist Successor

The retiring councilman expressed regret that he had found it necessary to leave public office. Mr. Snover said to his colleagues, "It is with a deep feeling of regret that I am compelled, I feel, to vacate my office as councilman. I have enjoyed working on the Borough Council and I appreciate the feeling which the other members have at my resigning. While not officially a member of Council after this year, I will be glad to render any service possible to other members and to my successor. Since serving in a public office, I realize the work there is attached to it and I am still ready to serve the community to the best of my ability. While things have not always gone on as smoothly as they might, the difficulties have been ironed out to the satisfaction of Council and citizens alike."

Mayor Wimer emphasized the fact that the Borough of Palmyra was fortunate indeed to have a person of Mr. Snover's calibre to serve on Council, with no other remuneration than the thanks of his fellow members and a few of the people who realized the service he was rendering.

As the motion was passed by the Council to accept the resignation, with the deepest and most sincere regret, the members of the official stood as they voted in favor of the resolution. Other Borough representatives and others at the Council meeting also stood out of respect to Mr. Snover as the motion was passed.

At the meeting, called for the purpose of finishing all business for the year, outstanding bills were paid, and C. Nevin Buchholz, chairman of the Finance Committee was enabled to start the new year with a clean slate.

The following report for the year was submitted by the chairman of the Shade Tree Commission:

Shade Tree Report.

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the Borough Council:

Gentlemen:

Your Shade Tree Commission respectfully submits the following report:

Following the method pursued in the season of 1929 of making the streets and sidewalks safe for pedestrian and vehicle travel, we removed all dead wood and unsightly branches from the trees in the following sections of the Borough: North of Broad, Elm avenue to east side of Delaware avenue, to south side of Temple Boulevard, south of Broad, Lincoln avenue to Garfield inc. and south to Cleveland inc.

In this territory 815 trees were trimmed and 11 removed. A greater number of trees were trimmed this year than in the previous season, due to the prompt and efficient help given us by the highway men and trucks in removing the trimmings.

Fourteen Oriental Plane trees were planted for property owners and we hope to have a larger number put out next year.

The sections of the Borough which have not had any tree trimming for the past three years, are: North of Railroad—Elm avenue to Cinnaminson, Temple Boulevard to River, and west side Delaware avenue to Borough Line; South of Railroad, Parry Avenue south and west to Borough Line, also Berkley avenue which was not covered this season.

For the 1931 tree work may we ask that the appropriation be at least as much as 1930 and if possible a little more.

In addition to the 14 trees put out at private expense, the Commission had 72 Plane trees planted in various streets of the Borough to replace the trees removed due to the construction of concrete curbs and gutters.

Yours very truly,
THE SHADE TREE COMMISSION
Walter B. Tees, Chairman.

The average automobile makes use of 32 pounds of cotton in its manufature. This is utilized in the tires, tops, upholstery and washers.

1931 Tillicum Staff



High School students who are managing the High School Year Book. Seated: Wesley Hemphill, Irene Sippel, Robert Finney, Marjorie Spahr, Charlotte Hollinshead, Marie Jander, Harold Lybrand, Archie Seabrook, Robert Young. Standing: Francis Klevan, Rudman Merrill, Sylvia Schild, Virginia Zayotti, Mr. William H. Plank, Louise Smith, William Brown, William Landgraf, Murray Kirkpatrick, Arthur Terrell.
Absentees: Fred Green, Thomas Smith.

PALMYRA MAN TAKES HIS LIFE

Emanuel H. Keuser, 25 Years Old, Found Dead From Gas

Emanuel H. Keuser, twenty-five years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel H. Keuser, Jr., of 307 Delaware avenue, Palmyra, committed suicide at his home early Monday morning.

The young man is survived by his widow, Mrs. Hazel Keuser, from whom he was estranged, and a son three years old.

The elder Keuser awakened shortly before three o'clock Monday morning and upon discovering that his son was not in bed, made a thorough search of the house. He found the body in a shed in the rear of their home with a gas hose running from a wall jet to his mouth.

Dr. Dean H. LeFavor, Palmyra police physician, was immediately summoned by the parent. Dr. LeFavor called Police Officer Joseph Rodgers, but when they arrived the man was dead. They administered artificial respiration in vain.

Coroner William P. Young, of Burlington, was called and issued a certificate giving the cause of death as suicide from asphyxiation by gas.

Keuser's parents told officials they knew of no reason for him to take his life, as he had an excellent position and was apparently quite happy.

PUBLIC GOLF COURSE TO BE READY JUNE 1

Links And Club House Offer Same Enjoyment As Privately Owned Places.

A playground for men with jobs is providing employment for many who would otherwise be without work, in the most recent development of Ludlington Management. The public golf course, south of Marlton Pike and West of Browning Road, Pensauken Township, is a busy scene as engineers and workmen, with the aid of a sand shovel, scoops and tractors, mound it into the form Emmett, Emmett and Tull, golf architects, have laid down on paper.

The new course, the first for public use in the Camden area, is expected to be ready by June 1. It will cover 95 acres of a tract that contains 180 acres. A locker room will be separated from a commodious club house. The latter will contain private dining rooms, in addition to the large dining room and dancing space. Card rooms and the layout of the more popular private country clubs will offer the man who cannot write a big check for dues, the same enjoyment for which the rich man pays at his private club.

In addition to the pay-as-you-play plan, there are already offered memberships at prices considerably below the dues of the private clubs. These include several classes.

G. G. Burlinghame, engineer, and Chris Shea, professional, are assisting in building the course.

PAINT FARM BUILDINGS IN SLACK WINTER SEASON

The painting of farm buildings may be done during winter if the weather is reasonably dry, and without any inconvenience or sacrifice in the quality of the work, advises Prof. E. R. Gross, agricultural engineer for the State Experiment Station. Even though the days are short in December and January, he explains, painting on sunny days may be started on the east or south sides of buildings by 9 o'clock in the morning. The suggestion is made that the north sides of buildings be painted in the middle of the day, and the west sides in the afternoon. "More important than the particular brand or mixture of paint is the necessity of having wood dry and clean when paint is applied," Professor Gross explains.

AUCTIONEER INJURED

While riding in a car driven by Chief of Police Raymond A. Jones, of Medford, Thomas B. Warner, Burlington county's well known auctioneer, was injured Sunday when the car was struck by a truck driven by Clifford Deviney, of 15 Greenwood avenue, Mount Holly. After stricking a truck owned by Jacob Dellinger, a glancing blow, Deviney lost control of his machine and plowed into the car of Chief Jones. Warner was treated by Dr. Harold E. Longsdorf for cuts and bruises of the knees, arms and face.

There's a fellow in Cleveland who's so tall that when somebody steps on his corn he doesn't know it for ten minutes.

PTA CHRISTMAS PARTY ENJOYED

1000 School Children Attend Festival Held in Palmyra High School

The Christmas party given to the school and pre-school children in the Palmyra High School auditorium by the Parent-Teachers' Association was enjoyed by about 1,000 school and pre-school children.

The throng of kiddies who assembled to enjoy the party overflowed the spacious school auditorium and filled the corridors. Christmas Carols were sung and Mrs. Alfred Parker read the Christmas story from the Scriptures. She also read a telegram from Santa Claus, who promised a visit later in the afternoon.

Four grammar school boys, Charles Saltmer, Douglas Mickle, William Fries and Thomas Wiley, nattily attired in full dress suits, looked quite professional as they sang two carols, accompanied at the piano by Miss Vere Malone. Miss Gladys Booth's sixth grade class presented an original dramatization of Bird's Christmas Carols.

The "Toy Orchestra," a novelty group of musicians, was presented by Harold L. Mueller. The members of this musical group, all pupils of Mr. Mueller, played the first movement of Hayden's famous "Toy Symphony." The orchestra was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Ruth Petterson Bell.

Two solo tap dancers, beautifully costumed, added a festive note to the program with their performance. The dancers, Misses Mildred Powell and Grace Jordan, are pupils of Mrs. Alexine Tomes.

"Buddy" Delaney, of Riverton, was a veritable Jazz-king in his white satin full-dress suit and top hat. This clever youngster's electrically lighted drum was the envy of every small boy in the audience. Piano accompaniment was furnished by Miss Mildred Meyers.

At the close of the program, Santa Claus and seven elves entered singing "Jingle Bell" and dancing around the large well-lighted Christmas tree.

Kindergarten children were individually presented with candy and favors by the Santa Claus troupe, while a child from each of the other grades went to the stage to receive the candy for members of his class.

Mrs. Ellis Toy, president of the P. T. A., deeply appreciated the response which the school children made when they were asked to bring used toys or books as gifts for the less fortunate. Their contributions were used by the Welfare to make many kiddies happy at the holiday season. Several large boxes of books, games and dolls were sent to hospitals to cheer the little inmates.

GIRL RESERVES

Palmyra Tri-Hy Members to Correspond With Girls Abroad.

At a meeting of the Tri-Hy group of the Girl Reserves held last week, Miss Ermyn Jewell, leader of the group, created a great amount of interest when she gave each member the name and address of a girl in Germany or Holland for the exchange of letters.

When some of the girls wished to have more than one correspondent Miss Jewell promised to obtain more names, also some from France and Spain.

During the course of the evening, a letter from Miss Shipley, County officer of the Girl Reserves, was read and at the close of the program a Christmas story, written by the incomparable Mark Twain was read by Miss Jewell, and another Yule story was told by Miss Harmond.

The beginning of the evening was devoted to a discussion of basketball. Two teams from this group will probably be formed, with six substitutes for each, thereby providing entertainment for at least 24 girls. The only requisite is that the girls must be of high school age.

Both the first and second team will have a schedule for the season. Eleanor Finn, manager of the teams, is now waiting to confer with managers of other troop teams. Mary Rhoades was elected to captain the team for this season.

NATURAL SODA LAKES DISCOVERED IN SIBERIA

Leningrad.—A number of lakes containing precipitated natural soda have recently been discovered by an expedition of the Academy of Science in Western Siberia, between the Altai mountain range and the Irtish river. It is said there are only two other places on earth where such "soda lakes" as to be found in Canada and California.

TILLICUM DRIVE BEGINS TUESDAY

Subscription Campaign for Palmyra High Year Book Will Start Next Week

The subscription drive for the 1931 Tillicum, year book of the Palmyra High School, will open next Tuesday, when the circulation department of the staff will start a six day campaign.

A new feature in connection with the subscription drive is a popularity contest to determine the best liked boy and girl in High School. Each 1931 Tillicum subscriber is entitled to vote for both a boy and a girl, and these receiving the most votes will be crowned "King and Queen Popularity" at the end of the campaign. Full page pictures of the winners will appear in the 1931 Tillicum and they will be honored in various ways during the coming year.

Very attractive folders, showing the many new features of the 1931 Tillicum, have been sent to every member of the High School. The new ideas carried out in the year book are expected to make it surpass all its predecessors, both in beauty of design and novelty of form. The theme followed throughout the book is medieval, with its basic ideas founded upon Watt's picture, "Sir Galahad." The sub-theme will be the new school seal which was approved by the School Board at its last meeting.

The covet is being specially designed by the arts editors of the Tillicum staff and the John B. Molloy Co. of Chicago. It will be made in blue, of the newest suede leather that is being introduced this year for the first time and which is being used extensively by the distinctive year books of the country.

The number of books printed this year will be determined entirely by the number of subscriptions which are obtained during the campaign next week.

Last year a large number of the Alumni were sufficiently impressed by previous issues of the year book to wish one of a later year, and the staff this year hopes to increase the alumni circulation, inasmuch as the graduates are ever increasing and more and more interest is being taken in the high school publication. Those not attending the high school may obtain copies of the book by leaving their names at the high school by phone or by notifying any member of the Tillicum staff.

PALMYRA P. O. TO BE MOVED

Federal Officials Lease Property of John S. Warner for Ten Years

The Palmyra Post Office will probably move into a new location some time next month it was announced last week by the Post Office Department.

The new office will be at 520 Cinnaminson avenue, in the property owned by John S. Warner. The building, now occupied by Mr. Warner's real estate office, will be remodeled to meet the demands of the postal authorities.

The post office has occupied its present location in the P. O. S. of A. Hall for about 16 years, having previously been situated at 15 East Broad street.

George Harvey, Palmyra postmaster, announced the new office would be newly furnished throughout. In addition to the new fixtures, the Cinnaminson avenue office offers more floor space than the present site.

Mr. Harvey, however, has had nothing to do with the change in location of the Post Office, the matter having been taken out of his jurisdiction by Federal Inspectors.

The present rent charged for the use of the space in the P. O. S. of A. Hall has been raised from $1000 to $1200 annually, with an additional increase of $300 per year if the new equipment required by postal autnorities were added. Mr. Warner, in leasing his property, has agreed to a rental fee of $1400 for the twelve months. This sum includes the supplying of the new fixtures.

Extensive alterations in the Cinnaminson avenue property will be necessary before it is ready for occupancy by postal employees. Plans for the required changes have been approved and the work will begin as soon as it is possible to let the contracts. The alterations will require about six weeks to complete.

The lease for the post office to occupy the Warner property extends over a period of ten years.

NERVE!

St. Louis, Mo.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis moved into a house whose owner had gone away, sold off the furniture and then tried to sell the house.

Calabash was seated in his office when the phone rang. "Hello, is this Mr. Calabash?" came the voice over the wire.

"Yes," replied Calabash. "Who is this?"

"This is Johnson, Johnson, Johnson and Johnson lawyers."

"Oh, good morning, good morning, good morning, good morning."

CLEAN CREAM URGED

East Lansing—The present difference in price of five cents per pound between first and second class butter, is for the most part due to care exercised by dairymen in keeping their cream in first-class condition before selling, the dairy department at Michigan State College advised.

PALMYRA FIVES SPLIT TWIN BILL

Artisans Trim Pensauken 23-19 as Scholastics Bow to Merchantville 36-21

Two Palmyra basketball teams met with varying success Friday in a double header scheduled at the Pensauken Community House.

The Palmyra Artisan five, playing the preliminary game against the Pensauken Bears, came from behind in the last half to win 23-19. Trailing 10-8 at the end of the first half, the Pals scored several field goals and numerous fouls in the final period. Paul Burge was the big gun of the Palmyra attack, scoring two field goals and nine out of 13 fouls, to total 13 points. Lacy and Patterson, with eight and six points respectively, led the scoring for the leaders.

Pos.	Palmyra	Pensauken
For.	Miller	Patterson
For.	Siddall	Lacy
Cen.	Long	Kelly
Guard	Burke	Pitman
Guard	Bottger	Ladd

Field goals: Siddall, Long, 2, Burke 2, Bottger, Patterson 3, Lacy 3, Kelly 2. Foul goals: Miller, Burke 9, Bottger, Lacy 2, Pitman. Referee—Baitzel. Time of periods—20 minutes.

The Palmyra Scholastics, playing the final game, lost to a strong Merchantville quintet by a 36-31 score.

Losing an early 4-0 lead the Palmyra boys were swept to defeat under barrage of field goals, being outscored from the floor, 16 to 9. Smythe and Cooper, Merchantville center and guard, were unstoppable, both registering five times from the floor. Reeves, Palmyra guard, tallied three times from scrimmage, while Eisley and Baker hit the cords for two field goals.

Pos.	Palmyra	Merchantville
Forward	Branson	Johnson
Forward	Baker	Miller
Center	Eisley	Smythe
Guard	Sloan	Suydam
Guard	Reeves	Cooper

Field goals: Branson, Baker 2, Sloan, Reeves 3, Johnson 3, Miller, Smythe 5, Suydam 2, Cooper 5. Foul goals: Baker, Eisley, Sloan, Johnson 3, Miller. Referee—Baitzel. Time of periods—20 minutes.

MOVIES FROM HOME

London—George Patton has been sent here by the provincial government of Ontario, Canada, to film the typical scenes of London and other cities of England. This is being done because natives of Canada who went there from England are anxious to see scenes of their motherhood. The governments plans to show these movies all over the Dominion.

According to the 1929 preliminary report, there are 717,000 acres of sugar beets in the United States. More than 7,620,00 short tons of beets are produced from these acres.

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Legal Notices

PROPOSED BUDGET

For the County of Burlington, in the State of New Jersey, for the Year 1931

The estimated amount of Surplus Revenue or the Surplus Revenue accruing

ANTICIPATED REVENUE	1931	1930
Surplus Revenue appropriated	$ 37,918.01	$ 60,000.00
State Aid Motor Vehicle Fund:		
Road Repair	245,122.42	128,161.37
Bonds and Interest	126,816.46	64,067.63
County Clerk's Office	26,000.00	26,000.00
Surrogate's Office	10,000.00	10,000.00
Court Costs and Fine	20,000.00	20,000.00
Sheriff's Office	8,000.00	8,000.00
State Aid Tuberculat Hospital	15,000.00	10,000.00
Board Tuberculat Hospital	12,000.00	12,000.00
Almshouse	8,000.00	8,000.00
State Aid Asylum	27,450.00	27,450.00
Board of Patients Asylum	22,000.00	22,000.00
Board of Patients—State Institutions	1,000.00	1,000.00
Interest	1,500.00	2,500.00
State Court Stenographs	600.00	600.00
Reserve for Payment of Bonds and Interest	1,000.00	5,000.00
Unexpended balances Capital account	2,414.82	8,077.28
Total Anticipated Revenue	$646,180.83	$417,856.28
Amount to be raised by taxation	914,982.13	956,272.78
Total	$1,561,162.96	$1,374,129.06

APPROPRIATIONS	1931	1930
Interest on Bond and Improvement Notes	$ 57,250.00	$ 74,472.12
Interest on 1837 Surplus Revenue	4,363.00	4,363.00
Payment of Bonds and Improvement Notes	320,000.00	335,512.25
Sinking Fund for Payment of Bonds	3,324.15	3,324.15
Interest on Current Loans	10,000.00	11,000.00
Interest on Emergency Notes	none	500.00
Payment of Emergency Notes	16,150.00	11,200.00
County Free Library	11,275.00	12,065.00
Administration Expense	4,500.00	4,500.00
Over Expenditures 1927-1928	none	141.18
Over Expenditures Capital pd. Accounts	none	1,454.16
Roberts City Act No. 1	17,661.01	none
Detour 1929 Road Bond Act	280.00	none
Treasurer's Office	4,500.00	4,500.00
Road Maintenance and Repairs	60,000.00	81,000.00
Motor Vehicle Funds for Bonds	245,122.42	128,161.37
Purchase of Land	2,000.00	2,000.00
Bridges, Railings and Culverts	70,000.00	70,000.00
Court House Buildings and Grounds	12,000.00	12,000.00
Jail Exp. and Maintenance of Prison	13,750.00	13,250.00
Asylum Maintenance	100,500.00	101,500.00
Asylum Improvements	1,000.00	1,000.00
Almshouse Maintenance	45,200.00	45,200.00
Almshouse Improvements	2,000.00	2,000.00
Tubercular Hospital Maintenance	100,000.00	95,000.00
Tubercular Hospital Improvements	12,512.00	6,650.00
Surrogate's Office	11,500.00	11,500.00
County Clerk's Office	25,500.00	27,510.00
Sheriff's Office	12,500.00	12,500.00
Detectives' Office	14,100.00	14,100.00
School Superintendents Office	5,000.00	4,800.00
Weights and Measures	2,800.00	2,800.00
Engineer's Office	9,000.00	9,000.00
Fire Marshal	500.00	500.00
Soldiers' and Sailors' Burial	2,000.00	2,000.00
Board of Agriculture	8,520.00	8,520.00
Coroners and Postmortems	2,500.00	1,500.00
Certificate of Lunacy	500.00	500.00
Vital Statistics	800.00	800.00
Elections	28,000.00	28,000.00
Contingent	1,000.00	1,000.00
County Board of Taxation	3,800.00	3,800.00
Courts	55,000.00	50,000.00
Law Library	300.00	300.00
Children's Guardians and Widows' Pensions	76,500.00	76,000.00
Support of Patients in Charitable Institutions	2,000.00	2,000.00
Burlington County Hospital	48,000.00	42,000.00
Relief of Needy Blind	4,000.00	3,000.00
Board of Patients—State Institutions	12,000.00	12,000.00
Prosecutor's Office	6,200.00	6,200.00
Freeholders' and Officers' Salaries	28,400.00	28,400.00
National Guard Units	200.00	
	$1,514,182.36	$1,374,024.96
District Court		
1931 Requirements	$ 5,560.00	
Estimated Revenue	2,400.00	
To be raised by taxation	$3,160.00	

The estimated revenue of $5,000.00 from Motor Vehicle Fines is to be used for Road Maintenance pursuant to Chapter 162, P. L. 1922.

Recommended for Approval

HARRY J. ZIEGLER,
County Auditor.

HOWARD RUSS,
Director of Board.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That a Public Hearing will be held on Friday, the 9th day of January, 1931, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Freeholders' rooms in the Administration Building in the Town of Mount Holly, County of Burlington and State of New Jersey, for the purpose of hearing objections raised by any taxpayer of the County of Burlington against the adoption of the proposed County Budget for the year 1931.

Attest:
ALFONZA ADAMS,
Clerk of Board.

HOWARD RUSS, Director
Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Burlington.

Pr. adv. fee $26.10.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, to wit, at 2 o'clock at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey:

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Township of Cinnaminson in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 92, known as Lots 54 and 55, Section H, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly line of Zetzer Street which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zetzer Street two hundred fifty-seven and ninety one one-hundredth feet from the northwest corner of Broad and Zetzer Streets, which said beginning point is also the northeasterly corner of Lot No. 56, Section H, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence (1) north sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) south twenty-nine degrees forty one minutes and twenty seconds west fifty feet to a point which is the northwest corner of Lot 57, Section H; thence (3) northeasterly along the southerly line of said Lot 55, Section H, north sixty degrees, eighteen minutes and forty seconds east one hundred feet to a point on the westerly side line of Zetzer Street; thence (4) southerly along the westerly side line of Zetzer Street, south twenty-nine degrees, forty one minutes and twenty seconds east fifty feet to a point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 91, known as Lots 48 and 49, Section H, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly side line of Zetzer Street, which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zetzer Street, three hundred ninety-seven and ninety-one one-hundredth feet from the northwest corner of Broad and Zetzer Streets, which said beginning point is also the northeasterly corner of Lot No. 56, Section H, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence (1) north sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) south twenty-nine degrees forty one minutes and twenty seconds west fifty feet to a point which is the northwest corner of Lot 57, Section H; thence (3) northeasterly along the southerly line of said Lot 55, Section H, north sixty degrees, eighteen minutes and forty seconds east one hundred feet to a point on the westerly side line of Zetzer Street; thence (4) southerly along the westerly side line of Zetzer Street, south twenty-nine degrees, forty one minutes and twenty seconds east fifty feet to a point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 91, known as Lots 48 and 49, Section H, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the northerly side line of Broad Street, distant seventy-five feet, seven inches and twenty seconds east from the northeast corner of Broad and Zetzer Street, which said beginning point is also the southwest corner of Lot No. 8, Section H, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) northerly along the westerly line of Lot No. 8, Section H, north sixty degrees, twelve minutes and forty seconds west passing through the center line of a party wall between Lots 7 and 8, Section H, one hundred twenty-five feet to a point in the northerly side line of Broad Street, which point is distant seventy-five feet, seven inches and twenty seconds east from the northeast corner of Broad and Zetzer Streets, which said beginning point is also the southwest corner of Lot No. 8, Section H, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence (2) north sixty degrees, twelve minutes and forty seconds west passing through the center line of a party wall between Lots 7 and 8, Section H, one hundred twenty-five feet to a point in the northerly side line of Broad Street, which point is distant seventy-five feet, seven inches and twenty seconds east from the northeast corner of Broad and Zetzer Streets, which said beginning point is also the southwest corner of Lot No. 8, Section H, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence (2) north sixty degrees, twelve minutes and forty seconds west passing through the center line of a party wall between Lots 7 and 8, Section H, one hundred twenty-five feet to a point in the northerly side line of Broad Street, which point is distant seventy-five feet, seven inches and twenty seconds east from the northeast corner of Broad and Zetzer Streets, which said beginning point is also the southwest corner of Lot No. 8, Section H, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) northerly along the westerly line of Lot No. 8, Section H, north sixty degrees, twelve minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) south twenty-nine degrees forty one minutes and twenty seconds west fifty feet to a point which is the northwest corner of Lot 57, Section H; thence (3) northeasterly along the southerly line of said Lot 55, Section H, north sixty degrees, eighteen minutes and forty seconds east one hundred feet to a point on the westerly side line of Zetzer Street; thence (4) southerly along the westerly side line of Zetzer Street, south twenty-nine degrees, forty one minutes and twenty seconds east fifty feet to a point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 91, known as Lots 48 and 49, Section H, on Plan of Bellevue.

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YOUR CAR and the MOTOR LAWS



By Harold G. Hoffman, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles

EDITOR'S NOTE: The twenty-seventh of a series of articles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles is presented by this paper as its part in the campaign of education to familiarize motorists with the regulations which govern their conduct on the road.

XXVII. THE POLICEMAN

The public generally has little real appreciation of the part the policeman plays in making the streets and highways of New Jersey safe for motorists and pedestrians.

It seems to me that there is a distinct parallel between the methods used in the battle to make the public highways safe and those employed in war time. In effect, the law-receiving and law-making agencies constitute the general staff. They map up the plan of battle, so to speak.

The police department provides the officers and troops who put that plan of battle into effect, who give it substantial purpose. Carrying the parallel further, the policeman is the man who goes out and meets face to face the enemy of society, who must be eliminated from the traffic if he cannot be reformed.

Upholds the Laws

The motor vehicle commissioner, on the other hand, holds a quasi-judicial position; he must constantly be studying conditions and seeking remedies for the evils he finds existing. It is his duty to weigh the arguments for or against particular methods of regulations and to select those which appeal to him as being the more effective. At this point the policeman comes forward with his badge of authority and upholds the hands of the legislature and the motor vehicle commissioner by the enforcement of the laws which they have deemed necessary.

The policeman is in a real sense the ambassador of the traffic authorities in his dealings with the motoring public. In many instances, the attitude of the motorists toward the traffic regulations will be tempered by his contact with those who enforce them. If they are exacting, he will be more likely to be careful in his obedience to the law. If they are inclined to be lax, there are no regulations which can be successful.

Varied Traffic Problems.

We are faced in this country today with a varied array of traffic problems. There is a perplexing degree of congestion existing in our large cities, and it is gradually enveloping smaller communities. We have also the problem of the irresponsible reckless driver, the man who drives faster than conditions will allow, and that other type of individual who does not know the regulations and, therefore, cannot obey them. There is the parking problem and the need for insisting upon the proper maintenance of motor vehicles in the interest of public safety. They all present their difficulties, but do not, I believe constitute difficulties that we cannot cope with effectively if we give our best efforts to their solution.

The motor vehicle administrator is endeavoring to find the best solution for the many important problems of traffic control, but he cannot carry the job to a successful completion without the assistance of the police. They must put into effect the regulations put on the statute books at the suggestion of the commissioner.

Makes Laws Effective

The policeman, by his alertness to violations of the traffic laws, is the man who can give them the effectiveness which they must possess if human life and property are to be conserved and if the vast economic loss from accidents and traffic delays is to be lessened.

A survey of conditions shows that the sources of this great loss are two: driving faults and physical conditions, such as congestion or mechanical defects of vehicles, which surround the use of a motor car.

By driving faults I do not mean merely those errors of judgment to which any man is prone at times because of the natural probability of any of us to make a mistake. It is the wilful violator whom I have in mind, the man who is constitutionally unfit to drive an automobile. And we have many persons of that type. Fortunately, they are in a considerable minority, but they do constitute a problem for the motor vehicle administrator and the law enforcement officer.

Eliminate Undesirables

How are we going to eliminate these individuals? Only by depriving them of the privilege of driving. It is a drastic procedure, and one which must be used with considerable discrimination and exercise of good judgement, but it is the most effective means of dealing with violations of the traffic laws after other methods have failed to reach that small group of wantons who flout the law.

We have in New Jersey the machinery for curbing the reckless driving in this way. The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles is empowered to revoke a driver's permit and return it to him only as he sees fit. His rights, however, are protected to the extent of allowing review of the case by the courts. But if the policeman is not on the alert to apprehend this type of motorist, then the motor vehicle administration is virtually powerless to proceed. Of course, the commissioner could have cases of this sort brought to his attention in other ways, but the direct and effective way of ridding the streets of the unfit driver is within the scope of police duty.

To the credit of the police departments throughout the State, it must be said that generally speaking they have extended to this department wholehearted cooperation in the enforcement of the motor vehicle laws, and it is my most earnest hope that they will continue to be as vigilant and earnest as they are now.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

By Nancy Hart

CHICKEN FAT

It is not simply a matter of economy to use chicken fat instead of throwing it away. From the point of view of most expert pastry cooks it is much to be preferred. You may put aside the pieces of fat that come in the chicken, or when you have made chicken broth or chicken fricasee you may cool the liquid until the fat rises to the top and can be easily removed.

If you use the whole pieces of fat then they should be put in a pan with water and left in an oven when it is not until the fat has melted from the tissue that contains it. After you have skimmed off the fat if it does not appear to be perfectly clear you may melt it and then pour it through cheese cloth.

Chicken fat may be used instead of butter in any sort of cookery, and is preferred by many for pastry. In any cake having a marked flavor, such as spice cake, or a chocolate loaf cake, it may be used without concern lest the flavor be detected.

Orange Jelly

Two tablespoons powdered gelatine soaked in cold water. One and one-half cups boiling water, juice of one orange and sugar to taste. Heat and strain. Cool half of jelly in cup but don't let it harden. When other half begins to harden beat one egg white stiff, add jelly, beat more. Pour in mould. Put plain jelly in center. Serve with custard made from egg yolk.

Chartreuse of Fruit

Prepare a quart of lemon or orange jelly. Line a mould with a pipe in the center of an angel's food tin with glace fruits cut into neat small pieces, quartered slices of banana, orange sections with the thin connecting skin removed skinned and seeded grapes cut in halves. Pour in a thin layer of jelly. When it has set, put in another layer of fruit. Set that, and continue until the mould is full. An occasional layer of plain jelly may be used, without the fruit. When the mould is full place in a pan of cracked ice until it is solid, or else leave it several hours in the refrigerator. At serving time put the mould, inverted, on a cold plate, hold a warm, damp cloth about the sides, and bottom, until the jelly is loosened, and remove the mould. Fill the space in the center with whipped cream.

Chocolate Custard.

Heat a quart of milk with five tablespoons of grated chocolate rubbed smooth with water. Cook until smooth. Take from fire and add one cup of sugar or less. Cool. Add four well beaten eggs. Mix, turn into custard cups, set in pan and bake. Stir down twice in first ten minutes to keep chocolate distributed.

The use of carbon dioxide in fire-fighting is an interesting new development. This gas is comparatively easy to liquefy and is safe to handle when in a liquid condition. Carbon dioxide reaches a temperature far below zero when under pressure and this causes a great deal of its effectiveness in extinguishing fires.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR



By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

WINTER EPIDEMICS

I claim originality in this saying that, "infections work behind closed doors." I carry the thought with me daily, as I go about my work. The first duty, if you would dislodge the enemy, is, open the door, be it wood, glass, or human tissue; get the unwelcome invader and destroy his works.

The worst epidemics—small-pox, measles, diphtheria, scarlet fever, and infantile paralysis, take place at a season when our houses are tightly fortified against winter inclemencies of weather. One of the worst epidemics of small-pox that I ever experienced, ceased promptly when spring breezes were permitted to enter bedrooms and living-rooms to "air out" residences in every remotest corner.

The worst case of small-pox I ever attended was in a family that kept every crevice of the dwelling plugged for fear outside air would enter. The patient recovered—but it was an accident!

It follows then, that if free ventilation ends the epidemic, it must be valuable as a preventive of disease of infectious nature. I instruct my families to see that the residence from top to bottom, is thoroughly aired at least once a day; if the sun is shining, an hour or two is not too long for the internal air-bath. I do not like to enter a dwelling where the first thing to greet my nostrils is the odor of meat and vegetables cooked at yesterday's dinner. Yes, it's "old stuff" I'm writing, but it's daily experience in this advanced age—and I don't live in the backwoods either—so there!

The family doctor must be just as dead against foetid air indoors, as he is against the deadly stream of night-air, pouring through an open window, over the bed where children and aged folks sleep.

Common-sense is my rule. Keep the house sweet, pure and comfortable. If is not so, if foul with the odor of beef, cabbage and tobacco-smoke.

Dr. Jedge's Josh.

Touzalin—I hear that Dr. Cheatem isn't going to take any more vacations.

Foozello—No, after he got back from his vacation this summer almost all his patients were well.

Marg—Jim said my face was a poem.

Phil—So it is—like one of Browning's.

Marg—How do you mean?

Phil—Some of the lines are so deep.

Angus—What would you do with $1,000 if I was to give it to you?

Sandy—The first thing I would do would be to count it.

"In time of trial," said the lecturer, "what brings us the greatest comfort?"

"An acquittal," responded a heckler in the back row.

The SCRAP BOOK

DIRGE FOR THE YEAR

By Percy Bysshe Shelley

Orphan hours, the year is dead.
Come and sigh, come and weep!
Merry hours, smile instead,
For the year is but asleep.
See, it smiles as it is sleeping,
Mocking your untimely weeping.

As an earthquake rocks a corpse
In its coffin in the clay,
So white Winter, that rough nurse,
Rocks the dead-cold year to-day;
Solemn hours! wail aloud
For your mother in her shroud.

As the wild air stirs and sways
The tree-swung cradle of a child,
So the breath of these days
Rocks the year:—be calm and mild,
Trembling hours; she will arise
With new love within her eyes.

January gray is here,
Like a sexton by her grave;
February bears the bier;
March with grief doth howl and rave,
And April weeps—but, O ye hours,
Follow with May's fairest flowers.

MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY

BY ERNEST CAMP JR.

Visitors who "do" New York under the guidance of their metropolitan friends find the experience most informing—for the friends.

Twice I have skipped out to pilot a pop-eyed delegation through the marvels of Manhattan, only to catch them yawning. They had seen everything I knew of and a lot besides. Before the evening was over they were leading me around.

A party of rubber-neckers, exploring the Big Burg have not only boundless vitality, but consuming curiosity. They will see more "sights" in a week than the local tax-payers do in ten years.

THE WOOLWORTH BUILDING.

The Woolworth building, oddly enough, continues almost invariably the first thing that a visitor demands to see. This despite the fact that its 60 stories are now overshadowed by the 77-story Chrysler building. Also by the Empire State, now under construction, whose 88 stories go sheering up for a quarter of a mile above the sidewalks.

It is the force of habit and tradition. The Woolworth building was for so long the tallest in the world that it has become fixed in national consciousness as such. For many minds it holds a certain glamor that will probably remain for many years.

THE SIGHTSEEING BUSINESS.

A charge of fifty cents is made for the elevator ride to the famous Woolworth observation tower, 751 feet up. For a like sum one may view New York from the spectacular Chrysler tower. Yet it is said that the current popularity of the latter stimulated, rather than checked, the flow of visitors to the Woolworth building.

Other sights that every visitor wants to see are the Aquarium in Battery Park, the Statue of Liberty, the Stock Exchange, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and the American Museum of Natural History.

PARADISE FOR KIDS.

New York's store-windows just now are a dazzling paradise for kids. Since mid-November they have been radiant with toys and other Christmas wares. The annual epidemic of red and green and tinsel and "Do-Your-Christmas-Shopping-Early" seems to get under way sooner here than anywhere else.

Many of this year's toys are designed not for the kids but for—whom do you suppose? The grown-ups! Manufacturers have found Ma and Pa stealing little Willie's electric train and dragging it into a corner to amuse themselves. So toy-makers are "going for" the adults with a vim.

The children don't care—the children of this amazing generation. They'd rather have a roadster, anyway. Or a hip flask. Or a volume of Eugene O'Neill.

GIFTS BY THE QUART.

The swankiest note in Xmas gifts is being featured by a Fifth Avenue ready-to-wear establishment. It consists of a package resembling a bottle of rare liqueur, stuffed with an assortment of gifts.

For a lady you will find "quart bottles" containing stockings, scarfs, and costume jewelry. For a man you will pick a pint of socks and neckties.

A BLOW FOR UNCLE TOM.

A theatrical stock company was touring the states with a performance of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." The show was given in a small town.

Among those present was the editor of the local paper. He performed, among other duties, those of dramatic editor. Throughout the entertainment he sat and fidgeted. Before it was over he left.

Next day his paper appeared with this terse review of the performance:

"The bloodhounds were excellent, but the rest of the cast furnished very poor support."

INDIVIDUAL

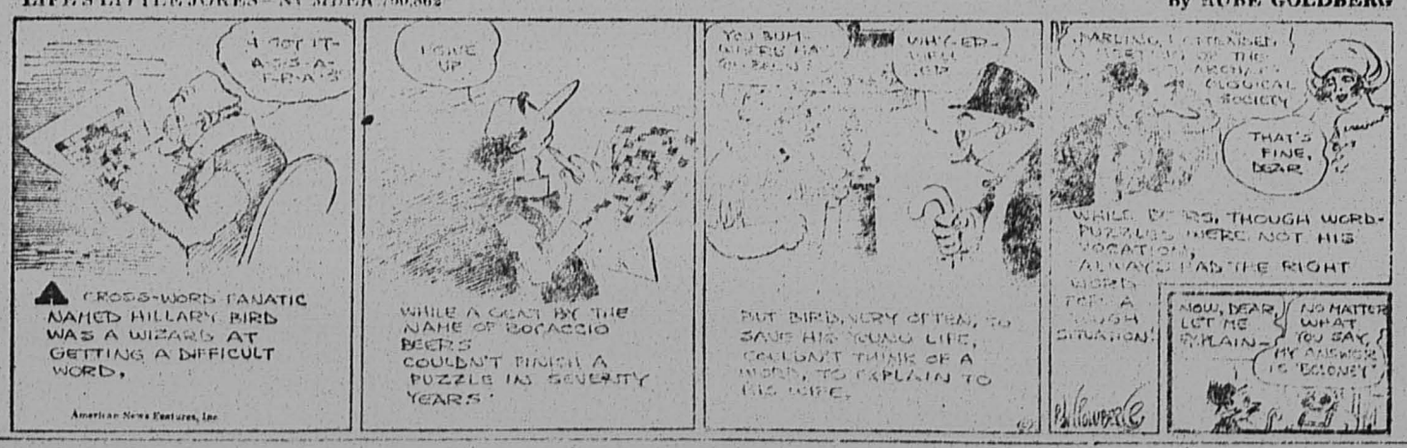
"How can you eat with a knife?"

"It's not so easy as it looks. Look around at the other guest, not one of them can do it."—Lustige Kolner Zeitung, Cologne.

YOU KNOW ME, AL — Opened By Mistake — By RING LARDNER



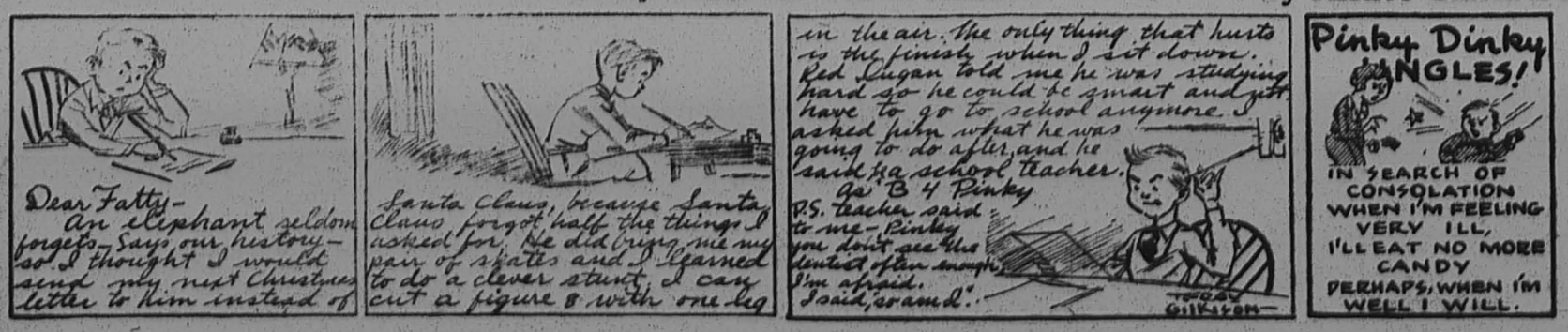
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THE WOWS — Another Good Future Gone Wrong — By ZERE



PINKY DINKY — Pinky Takes His Pen in Hand — By TERRY GILKINSON



The Eyes Have It!

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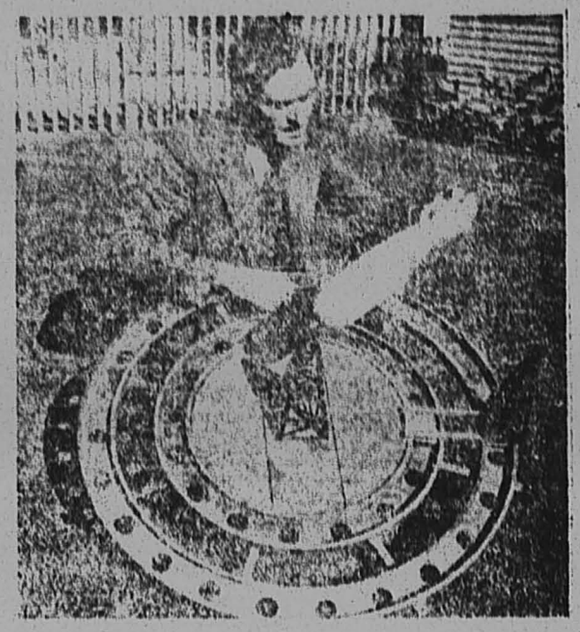


LEWIS SAILS FOR NOBEL PRIZE: Sinclair Lewis, novelist, sailed recently on the Swedish-American liner, Drottningholm, en route to Stockholm to receive this year's Nobel Prize in literature. Photo shows him and Mrs. Lewis aboard ship. Friends teased him when they saw him carrying a textbook entitled "Swedish in Ten Lessons."



Above:
A MOUNTAIN OF CHRISTMAS GIFTS: This vast hill of Bakelite material represents only a small part of the millions of pounds of this commodity about to be moulded into thousands of articles seen in the big stores at Christmas time—radio equipment, table lamps, electrical accessories, smokers' articles, and even the electric candle sockets on the Christmas tree itself.

At right:
NEW AMBASSADOR: J. Reuben Clark, new U. S. Ambassador to Mexico, shown with President Ortiz Rubio at the presidential palace in Mexico City, where he recently presented his credentials as envoy. Mr. Clark succeeded Dwight W. Morrow, who is now U. S. Senator from New Jersey.



NEW MOORING MAST IN MINIATURE: Picture shows a working model of a new rotary automatic mooring mast perfected by Dr. Alfred Lee Wilkes of Los Angeles, Cal. The working model shown here illustrates how the big air liners are moored both fore and aft.



NEW CHILD MUSIC GENIUS: Little Margot Rosa, five-year-old Cuban girl doesn't know a note of music, yet thrilled thousands at a public recital in Havana, playing Chopin, Paderewski, Beethoven, and other celebrated composers. To prove her versatility, she also played popular music. The remarkable fact about her performance, experts say, is that she has never taken a single lesson.



NEW SECRETARY OF LABOR: William N. Doak, just appointed secretary of labor by President Hoover, succeeding James J. Davis, who resigned to take up duties as U. S. Senator from Pennsylvania.



SANTA'S HELPERS: Picture shows one of the many groups of Camp Fire Girls repairing Christmas toys for under-privileged children. The toys are given by those imbued with Christmas spirit. Local movies co-operate by giving benefit performances for children—admission being one toy. The toys are fumigated, sorted, repaired, and distributed through organized charities, hospitals, and children's homes. The 210,000 Camp Fire Girls are busily engaged in toy renovation, working at full speed so that no child may be disappointed in its Christmas. Besides repair work, the girls restore the complexions of dolls with paint and make them new and more fashionable dresses.



AFTERMATH OF CAPITAL RED RIOT: Many innocent spectators suffered from the recent Communist riot on the Capitol grounds at Washington, D. C. Police were unable to discern between reds and ordinary visitors, with the result that both were treated to tear gas bombs. Some of the innocent visitors are shown above.

MOORESTOWN

Mrs. Rebecca Nicholson, of East Second street, entertained as her guests on Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. David R. Taylor, of Fithian avenue, Merchantville. Mrs. Nicholson is Mrs. Taylor's mother.

Mrs. F. W. Grube, of West Central avenue, entertained at a Christmas party in honor of her grandson, Dick Longaker, on Friday afternoon.

Miss Betty Miller entertained at a dinner at her home on East Oak avenue, on Monday evening.

Miss Leah Spear, of South Washington avenue, spent several days last week with Mrs. T. R. Hires, of Rosselle, N. J.

Mrs. William Matlack, Mrs. William Walker and Mrs. J. W. Price, members of the Moorestown Field Club, enjoyed ladies' open guest day at the Merion Cricket Club last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coate, of Medford, will entertain at dinner and bridge on Monday evening. Covers will be laid for thirty-six guests, among whom will be Mr. and Mrs. Albert T. Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Armitt Coate, of Moorestown.

Miss Virginia Haines, Claude Gleason and Theodore Sauselein, of Moorestown; and Miss Helen Rauser, of Medford, will attend the George School invitation dance, to be held at the Walt Whitman Hotel, Camden, on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Wolf, of East Main street, have as their house guests, Mrs. J. Stern, and daughter, Sarah, of New York.

Howard Derlin, of East Third street, is confined to his home with an attack of grippe.

The regular meeting of the Moorestown Home and School Association will be held on Wednesday afternoon, January 7, at 3 o'clock, in the association room in the high school building. The meeting will be in the form of a round table discussion and will be led by a group of the mother members. Tea will be served. All members are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Ralph Hubbard, of South Washington avenue, is visiting relatives in Jersey City.

K. S. Gray, who has been visiting James Erdman, chief pilot of the Burlington County Aero Club, since Thanksgiving, left Monday night, to resume his work in Chicago.

Miss Betty Carson, a student of Goucher College, is spending her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carson, of East Main street.

The Junior-Senior prom of the Moorestown Friends' High School will be held on Friday evening, in the new Friends' school building, Page Lane. Miss Ruth Stratton is in charge of the refreshment committee and Miss Alta Mary Reagan is in charge of the decorations.

Miss Lydia Evans, of Medford, was entertained at dinner as the guest of Miss Mary Whitacre, at her home on East Second street.

Miss Elizabeth Matlack, Miss Ellen Ritchie, Miss Nancy Rhoades and Miss Mary Whitacre, of Moorestown; and the Misses Ruth and Lydia Evans, of Medford, were among the guests at a luncheon given by Miss Esther Taylor at her home in Cheltenham, Pa., on Monday. Covers were laid for twenty guests.

Miss Emma Powell, of East Second street, is spending a week in Philadelphia.

A family reunion at Christmas dinner was held at the home of James H. Atkinson, West Main street. There were fifteen guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Roberts, of Chester avenue, entertained at a family dinner on Christmas Day. Covers were laid for forty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Steelman, of South Washington avenue, entertained at dinner on Christmas Day. Covers were laid for twelve guests.

John Stokes and Joseph Powell, of Moorestown, were among the guests entertained at dinner at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. Lynn Mahaffey, of Haddonfield, preceding the Charity Ball, at Convention Hall, Camden, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Brown entertained at a family Christmas party at their home on Chester avenue, on Christmas Day.

The district deputy and her staff will visit Winona Lodge No. 61, Daughters of Rebekah, on Tuesday evening, January 6, to install the officers for the ensuing year.

Elizabeth and Gertrude Archer, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. F. Morse Archer, Sr., of Haddonfield entertained at dinner at their home on Warwick road, Monday evening, for a party of the younger set, who later attended the Charity Ball, at Convention Hall, Camden. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. F. Morse Archer, Jr., Catherine Kerlin, Beatrice Collins, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Borton, James Stockwell, John Collins, Ward and Gilbert Kerlin, of Moorestown; Adah Fitzwater, E. Chandlee Archer, Richard Fitzwater, Jr., Grant Sandison, of Haddonfield; Marion Biddle, Lyall Welsh, Mary Wolcott, Frances Allen, Wilfred Wolcott, of Riverton; Mr. and Mrs. William D. Sherrerd, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Snyder Longmaid, of Philadelphia; Henry Guthrie, Jr., of New York; Thomas Harvey, Wallace McClenahan, Richard Stevens and Cadmus Z. Gordon, of Philadelphia.

MEDFORD ITEMS

Freeholder J. Lloyd Wright has returned home from Lyman, Nebraska, where he has been visiting with his family for several weeks.

Paul Cosaboon spent last week with his family, arriving on Saturday last week, from La France, South Carolina, where he is employed as a weaver in the La France Tapestry Mills.

Job Braddock, Realtor, announces the sale of the N. A. Lippincott farm, in Lumberton township, consisting of 217 acres, to Joseph Adamski, of Lumberton.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Garwood motored to Cynwyd, Pa., on Wednesday of last week and spent Christmas Day with their daughter, Mrs. George Lincoln and family. This has been their custom for the past twenty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grigg of Rahway, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kirby, Mrs. Elizabeth Kirby, and Mrs. Martha Willitts spent Thursday, Christmas Day, at the home of Mrs. Gale Remington in Boundbrook. Mrs. Remington is the mother of Mrs. Truman Willitts.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warwick and Mr. and Mrs. William Galbraith were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warwick at Freehold.

Mr. and Mrs. Hezekiah Hiles, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bowker and Miss Lillie Hopkins were among the guests on Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hiles, at Haddonfield.

The Junior, Intermediate and Senior department of the M. E. Sunday School gave a pageant Sunday evening in the church. "The Bethlehem Road" was the title and Mrs. Helen Johnson directed.

Mr. and Mrs. Littell Branin and daughter Ledora, and Mrs. Ledora Richardson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Branin at Log Cabin on Christmas Day.

Mrs. Emner Stephenson, teacher of the seventh grade in the school was off duty last week, due to a severe cold, threatening pneumonia. Mrs. Stephenson has been a teacher in Medford school for eleven years and this is the first time she has been unable to attend to her duties in the school. She is now some improved.

NOT SURPRISING

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MARLTON NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. George Middleton and Joseph E. Kain spent Christmas at Ocean City.

Alfred, a prize cat, owned by Mr. Jane Eayre Fryer is in a veterinarian hospital in Camden, being treated for severe injuries including a broken jaw, received when the cat was struck by an automobile.

A most interesting and unique Christmas entertainment was presented in the Marlton Baptist Church on Tuesday evening of last week. The program was in two parts. The first part consisted of recitations, singing and exercises by the young folks and included the visit of Santa Claus. The second part was a Christmas pageant, "The Star Gleam" portraying the birth of Christ. A scene representing the stable and manger was beautifully arranged in the pulpit, and the story of the nativity was told in song, by choir and chorus. Characters represented: The Wanderer foretelling of the coming of Christ the shepherds, the three Kings with gifts, a bride, Mary Magdalene and angels all appeared in costume. It was quite enjoyable and all the participants in the pageant are commended by the large audience that nearly filled the church. Miss Marion Venable arranged and directed the pageant and deserves considerable for the excellent manner in which the scenes were presented.

The Rev. Kenneth P. Steven, of Burlington called on Marlton friends on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Haviland, of Philadelphia, and Miss Bessie Burns of Haddon Heights were Christmas Day guests at the Haviland home.

The Oriental Deer Club, composed of Marlton sportsmen, spent a few days of the deer season at the camp at Oriental, near Tabernacle. The club was three buck and six does were bagged on the last day of the season. The first three days the party found deer, but no bucks, but they kept up their spirits and made a determined effort on the last day that netted results in making the season a success for the club. Two deer were killed by Howard Holcombe Davis and Melvin Beetle. The buck killed by Holtz was a large and fine specimen weighing 140 pounds with a perfect spread of antlers with eight points. The other two were smaller but of nice size.

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DRIVERS ESCAPE INJURY IN THREE AUTO ACCIDENTS

First Crash of New Year Occurs January 1 in West Palmyra

CAR JUMPS CURB, HITS TWO PORCHES

Two Cars Badly Damaged in Broad Street Crash Saturday Night

Three automobile accidents in Palmyra during the past week resulted in badly damaged machines but no personal injuries.

The first of the accidents occurred early New Year's morning when Joseph R. Lavenby 503 Cinnaminson street, Riverton, drove an auto over the curb in West Palmyra, crashed through a fence and finally came to a stop after hitting the porches of John C. Landgraf, 331 West Broad street, and Peter Baiada, 327 West Broad street.

The car, owned by Charles A. Wright, 305 Bank avenue, Riverton, was badly damaged. The wooden supports of the Landgraf porch was caved in and the cement cellar wall of the Baiada residence was cracked by the impact. No arrests were made as the car was insured.

Saturday night a collision on Morgan avenue at the south side of Broad street caused two machines to be badly damaged. Howard W. Alloway, Jr., 213 Elm avenue, Riverton, driving on the south side of the railroad, crashed into the right side of a car operated by J. Wilbur Evans, 735 Morgan avenue, Palmyra.

Spectators who witnessed the accident say that Alloway smashed into the other machine to avoid hitting two children who were in the street and to attempt to avoid ramming a car parked along the curb. No arrests were made, as the drivers of the machines were insured.

A slight crash in West Palmyra occurred Monday morning when Tony Tavani, 400 Arch street, backed out of his driveway into a Breyer's Ice Cream truck driven by John O'Neil, 4914 Woodland avenue, Philadelphia. Neither car was damaged and no arrests were made.

RUSS RE-ELECTED FREEHOLDER HEAD

Department Heads of County Board Remain Same as Last Year

The Burlington County Board of Freeholders organized on Friday, January 2, by re-electing Howard Russ director of the board and returning all the department heads to the same positions they had last year which were as follows:

Charles R. Stout, director of roads; William H. Heisler, Jr., director of finance; James C. McCormick, director of bridges, and J. Lloyd Wright, director of public affairs.

In taking the office of director of the board, Russ thanked his colleagues for again electing him to that position and stated that he hoped his relations with the members of the board would be as pleasant during the present year as they had been in the past.

Member 28 Years

Mr. Russ has been a member of the Board of Freeholders since 1902, with the exception of two years. He was first elected a member of the large board on which he served until 1913, when the small board was given a trial of one year, and he was one of the five members.

Then came two more years of the large board. Mr. Russ ran for a place on this board but was defeated by 29 votes.

In 1922 he was elected to the small board, on which he has served ever since.

Elwood Hollingshead, of Moorestown, was appointed a member of the County Tuberculosis Commission for five years, replacing Dr. Joseph Stokes, of Moorestown, who declined re-appointment.

Miss Budd Re-appointed

Miss Sarah R. Budd, of Mount Holly, was re-appointed a member of the County Free Library Commission for five years. George T. Williams, of Burlington, was appointed a member of the Sinking Fund Commission for three years.

William J. Smith, of Bridgeboro, county fire marshal, was re-appointed for another year, his term of office expiring on January 15.

Freeholders Heisler, Wright and McCormick were appointed a committee to draft rules for the government of the board for the ensuing year. Freeholder Stout was appointed the voting member of the board in the State Association of Freeholders.

State department of municipal accounts, of which Walter R. Darby is head, was selected to audit the books of the county. The board meetings will be held on the second and fourth Friday of each month.

CALENDARS

H. B. Williams has a few very attractive calendars left and will deliver one to those who call Riverton 1100, until the supply is exhausted.

COMPASS CLUB WILL BANQUET TOMORROW

Installation of Officers, Entertainment, And Dance to Feature Evening's Program.

The Compass Club and Ladies' Auxiliary of Palmyra and Riverton will hold its annual banquet tomorrow night in the P. L. & A. hall.

The new officers of the club will be installed at the meeting while the officers of the ladies' organization will take over their duties next month.

The new officers are George Gilfillan, president, A. N. Palmer, vice-president, Maurice F. Gerhard, secretary, and Howard Conover, treasurer. The retiring officers are Fred H. Fitzmaurice, Charles Joia and George M. Harris. Mr. Conover was reelected to his position as treasurer.

The evening's entertainment will consist of a banquet to be served by the ladies of the Junior Philathea Class of the Baptist Church, an entertainment of musical and elocutionary numbers, and finally concluded by a dance which will last until 12 o'clock.

In addition to the members of the Compass Club and its Auxiliary, resident Masons of Palmyra and Riverton have been mailed invitations to attend the banquet. Attendence is expected to reach about 125.

SCOUTS' ROOM NEARLY READY

Scoutmaster's Office and Quartermaster's Room Being Built

Thanks to the generosity of the men who supplied the materials and who laid the floor in Riverton's new Scout headquarters, enough money was saved from this part of the project to enable the Scouts to have the room painted throughout. Bids have therefore been asked by the troop and the work of painting will be started within the next few days. Meanwhile the Scouts have been getting the room ready for the painters.

With the assistance of Mr. Gilbert A. Coe, permanent wooden partitions are being built to enclose a Scout master's office in one end of the room and a quarter-master's supply room at the other end. Mr. Coe has a double interest in the troop, being not only a troop father but also a member of the troop committee. With his generous help the work is advancing very rapidly and the partitions will be ready for the painters by the end of the week.

Meanwhile the ceremonial apparatus is being built under the supervision of another troop father, Mr. Woltschmidt. Just what this apparatus is, is being kept a secret until the time comes to make use of it in the dedication of the headquarters.

Due to the decision to paint the room before its dedication, the dedication ceremonies have been postponed. They will probably take place early in February. During that same month it is expected that the Drexel Hill Players of Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania, will visit Riverton and will put on a benefit performance to assist the troop in lifting the financial obligations incurred in fitting out the new headquarters. The Drexel Hill Players have a very fine reputation and their performance will be of great interest.

A very interesting story is going the rounds in Riverton showing one of the many practical applications of scout craft. It seems that the members of the troop have a secret distress signal which any member may use if he gets in trouble. Some days ago a member of the troop got into a little trouble with an older boy and was in a fair way to get the worst of the argument. He sounded the distress signal and was immediately assisted by a group of scouts who rescued him from his predicament. The value in all this is that scouting teaches friendship and co-operation and it is one of the important parts of scout law that a scout is friendly and a brother to every other scout.

Parents and friends of the troop would be most heartily welcomed at any scout meeting to inspect the work on the new room as far as it has gone. The troop is fast accumulating the necessary furniture but still has use for more chairs and tables.

Engaged

At a bridge party given at their home, 1115 Garfield avenue, Palmyra, last Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Booth announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Gladys Booth to Marshall Wilbraham, son of Mrs. William Wilbraham, also of Palmyra.

Those present were: the Misses Betty Smith, Mary Price, Betty Bowen, Lotta Pinkerton and Dorothy Kruhn; the Messrs. Arthur Hartley, Kenneth Grimminger, Louis Bowen, Henry Wilbraham and Henry Mathers.

Miss Booth is a member of the teaching staff of the local grade school. Both Miss Booth and Mr. Wilbraham are popular members of the younger set of Palmyra and Riverton.

CHIMNEY FIRE

Tuesday afternoon, January 6, the Riverton fire company responded to an alarm from Cinnaminson. A quick dash with both trucks was made to a small house on the Burlington pike, a short distance east of John Bohs' store. The fire was confined to the chimney and originated from a small coal stove in the living room.

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION GOES UP

Palmyra Board Notifies Riverton That Rate Will be $140 Per Year

At the meeting of the Riverton Board of Education Monday night, a communication was received from the Palmyra High School announcing that the tuition for high school pupils had been raised from $125 to $140 per year starting September 1931. The communication was received and filed.

In his report, Mr. Cooper, supervising principal, referred to the annual meeting of the NEA to be held in Detroit during the last week of February. It has been the custom of the Riverton board to send the supervising principal to this convention. A motion to send Mr. Cooper, at the expense of the board, was offered by Ross E. Mattis and seconded by Mrs. Frederick Blum. Mr. Hemphill, district clerk, objected to the presentation of the motion at this time and endeavored to have action deferred until a later meeting, but the vote was called for and the motion was passed.

The visiting nurse committee submitted a half yearly report of its activities in the school covering the number of calls made, and defects found and remedied.

Heating Problem Solved.

The property committee reported that the storm windows and windows that had been closed with wall board, together with the additional janitor service which kept the fires going early and late, were working out satisfactorily in heating the school rooms on the north east corner of the building, and that the children in these rooms were now quite comfortable.

Mrs. C. P. Mayfield, president of the board, gave a brief report on the meeting of the Federated Boards of Education which she attended December 6.

A committee meeting of the members of the board will be held in the school house on Thursday, January 15 to prepare the budget which will come up for public hearing on January 26th at 7:30 p. m.

Bills Are Paid

The following bills were ordered paid:

J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., coal	$306.42
Public Service Elec. & Gas Co.	31.49
The Macmillan Co., books	1.40
Cinna. Bk. & Trust Co., rental safe deposit box and interest on note	24.03
Milton Bradley Co., supplies	34.27
Burlington County School Boards Assn. dues	5.00
Stavely & Ridley, electrical supplies	3.09
Mt. Holly Herald, Printing	30.93
Progressive Education Assn. sub	4.00
American School and University, sub	2.50
The Grade teacher, sub	3.50
Laidlaw Brothers, books	5.31
Robert H. Clelland, hauling ashes	6.25
William B. Lynch, repairing spouting	33.60
Cran and Rice, painting, etc.	28.00
W. F. Becker, supplies	16.61
John H. Matlack & Son, Inc., Manual Training Equipment	324.11
Walton's Express, Moorestown	3.75
Mrs. Mayfield, expenses	6.50
Louis F. Lowden,	56.25
Interest—Bonds	150.00
Morris Steedle—Salary for December	50.05

MAN DIES AFTER 30 FOOT PLUNGE

James Caruso, Palmyra, Falls From Broken Scaffold While Repairing Chimney

A fall from a scaffold proved fatal to James Caruso, 52 years old, 409 West Broad street, Palmyra, last Saturday afternoon.

Caruso, a bricklayer, was employed painting a chimney at the home of Mrs. Helen H. O'Autrechy, 11 New Jersey avenue. The scaffolding on which he was working suddenly collapsed and Caruso plunged about 30 feet, landing on a cement sidewalk.

Police Physician Dean H. LePavor was called and immediately summoned the Palmyra ambulance. Caruso was taken to Cooper Hospital, Camden, where he died about seven o'clock Saturday evening, almost four hours after being admitted.

Hospital authorities gave internal injuries and a possible fractured skull as the causes of death. Coroner Melvin Cain, of Camden county, issued a certificate of accidental death.

Caruso had been a resident of Palmyra for more than eight years, being in business for himself as a bricklayer.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Rose Caruso and five children, Andrew, 15; Josephine, 11; Michael, 8; Mary, 6, and Norma, 4 years old.

Interment was made yesterday in Holy Cross Cemetery, Philadelphia, under the direction of Antonio Mecca, of Camden. The Rev. Father Rigney, of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Riverton, officiated at the services.

CARD PARTY

A mixed card party will be held Tuesday evening, January 13th, in the Riverton fire house. This card party will be sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary. Prizes, refreshments. Tax 25c. Everyone welcome.

ORGANIZATION OF RIVERTON COUNCIL

Charles DeLaney Named President; Walter Carson is Borough Attorney

The Riverton Borough Council organized at noon on New Years day as follows: president of council Charles Delaney, recorder, Cecil A. Bowers, borough attorney, Walter Carson Camden; chief of police William Quigley; marshals, Walter Miller and William Coates; auditors, Griffith, Rockey & Company, Camden; acting board of salvamen, Harry F. Jones, R. H. Starkhouse, H. B. Murray, J. W. Sylvester and H. R. Rutherford; building inspector, George T. Williams; board of health, Dr. Harry I. Rogers and Ogden Mattis. Other members of the board of health are William B. Baker, Jr., Dr. H. B. Mark, Mrs. F. S. Merrill and Mrs. Charles Yost.

Oath of office was administered to Walter R. Woolman and J. Elmer Bahm, who were elected members of council last November, and to James S. Coale, who was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Robert H. Clelland and C. Kenneth Davis as borough collector.

Randall Honored

Mayor Rogers presented a resolution of appreciation passed by the council and a Shaeffer pen and pencil set to Henry L. Randall, retiring member of council. In acknowledging the gift and the remarks of the mayor, Mr. Randall expressed the pleasure he had experienced in his association with his colleagues while serving as a member of council.

Joshua S. Bartley, the other retiring member, was not present.

Mayor Rogers delivered his annual address as follows:

The Mayor's Address

"Another year has passed on, one which has been beset with trials and tribulations for many of us, and we look forward to 1931 as a year in which we shall emerge from these difficulties and return to more prosperous conditions.

"So far as our Borough is concerned, we are more stable than many communities, though even we have our cases of unemployment and troubles, which are being taken care of by public spirited citizens.

"We regret that we are losing three valuable councilmen this year instead of the customary two. I wish to express my thanks to them all for their earnest work. Mr. Bartley, in particular, has served six years, a long record of untiring service.

"It is a pleasure to welcome Messrs. Woolman, Bahm and Coale at this time, and I feel sure that they will prove worthy of the trust that is placed in them.

Memorial Park

"During the year 1930 we have spent some money on improvements to Memorial Park, which should prove of value as time goes on. The program of Organized Play, which was instituted during the past year, has been universally approved and should be carried on in 1931. During this year the Zoning Ordinance was enacted and a Board of Adjustment has been appointed to take up cases where the strict provisions of the ordinance might call for a broader interpretation. Our Police Committee has made many changes in the department, which should result in higher efficiency on the part of our force.

"This coming year is one in which taxpayers are hoping for reductions and we should strive to bring this about. Our financial situation is sound and we have very little indebtedness. Many municipalities have reason to envy us in this particular. Our streets are in good condition now and we hope to be able to keep them so. This cannot be accomplished without money and our Highway Committee will probably require more funds than were used in 1930.

"In closing, I wish to express my appreciation of the support which I received in the past year."

Several citizens were present to witness the inauguration of the new members and J. Carl DeLaCour expressed the thought that Riverton was fortunate in having such a representative body of men to serve as members of council and conduct the business of the borough. He said the administration was conducted on a plan at once progressive and economical.

RIVERTON P. T. A.

The regular January meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association will be held at Riverton School at 3:15 p. m. Thursday, January 15th.

This is "thrift week" and the Reverend J. D. E. Turner will speak on "The Efficient Use of Free Time."

Mrs. Rutherford will be in charge of the study group held before the regular meeting at 2:30.

The county meeting on January 12 will be held in Mansfield school. We should be glad to have a good representation from Riverton. All are welcome and Mrs. Harold Bake will be glad to arrange for your transportation.

PRESS CHAIRMAN.

WELLS B. & L. SPEAKER

Building and Loan Centennial Week in New Jersey formally opened last Saturday night in the Hotel Hildebrandt, Trenton, when the New Jersey League of Building and Loan Associations held a banquet following its semi-annual convention. Judge Harold B. Wells of Burlington County, a member of the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals, was the chief speaker.

Former Official Mourned



WILLIAM B. LYNCH

For many years a prominent plumbing contractor of Riverton and a former borough councilman, who died after a long illness Wednesday morning.

RIVERTON MAN FOR CO. PARKS SYSTEM

Councilman Elwell Sees Need for Action on Unified Plan

A county park system in Burlington county is becoming more and more of a vital necessity in order to the prin a r unified system the various park projects that in the face of a steadily increasing population are developing throughout the county today, according to F. B. Elwell, borough councilman of Riverton and chairman of the committee in charge of the development of the Riverton borough park.

Civic clubs or groups of citizens in practically every municipality in the county are urging that a system of open country parks linking the entire county be begun as soon as possible, Mr. Elwell states.

"In times past there has been sufficient open space for the recreation of the people, because then people could walk along country roads, could play in open fields and could in almost any direction find peace and quiet largely because owners of ground did not object," says a statement from Burlington County Parks Council.

"Today cities are spreading, land values are rising, beautiful country roadsides have become noisy and unsafe with automobiles traveling at speeds that formerly were considered impossible, with the former sources of play being removed and it is now necessary that public action in the reservation of permanent breathing spaces and places to play be made," it continues.

"In Burlington county this does not mean the expensive development of city parks in the open country but rather the acquisition of the creek valleys that are naturally beautiful and which extend throughout the county. Experience in Camden county shows that more than half of this ground can be acquired by gift."

Walter S. Reeve

Walter S. Reeve, seventy-two years old, died at his home, 630 Thomas avenue, Riverton, Friday evening, January 2.

Mr. Reeve suffered a heart attack the week previous, from which he did not recover.

He was born in Greenwich, New Jersey, and resided in Riverton for twenty years. Mr. Reeve was a retired pharmacist.

He is survived by his widow, Adelaide B. Reeve; a son, Joseph Reeve of Trenton and a daughter, Mrs. Alice S. R. Hilman, living at home.

Friends' services were held at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, January 5 at his late residence and interment was made in the cemetery at Medford, N. J.

Emanuel H. Keuser

Funeral services were held Friday morning at the Sacred Heart Church, Riverton, for Emanuel H. Keuser, twenty-five years old, who died suddenly at his home, 307 Delaware avenue, Palmyra, early Monday morning of last week.

Interment was made in St. Peter's Cemetery, Riverside, under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

Keuser is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel H. Keuser, Jr., a son, Emanuel, his widow, Mrs. Hazel Keuser and two sisters.

VISIT AUTO SHOW

Clinton B. Woolston, prominent Riverton garage owner and his head mechanic, Wm. Kortman, Jr. attended the automobile show in New York City this week.

THREE FIRES IN ONE NIGHT

Tenant House, Field Fire and J. S. Collins' Truck Keeps Boys Busy

January 7th will go on record as a three-fire alarm day in Riverton all following in rapid succession.

At 7:30 in the evening a call was received from Cinnaminson that a house was on fire on Branch Pike, Beth Riverton trucks responded and due to indefinite location the firemen were delayed in reaching the fire. The fire was not serious, fortunately, being a chimney fire in the tenant house owned by A. L. Richie, West of Demuelers store on Branch Pike. The fire was a stubborn one however and after a liberal application of water and soda it was necessary to employ a generous dose of chemical to extinguish it.

While the Riverton boys were in Cinnaminson, Clarence N. Hughes, Jr., walking past J. S. Collins' garage on Harrison street noticed a fire in it. He immediately turned in an alarm and several men in the neighborhood broke into the garage and found a truck on fire. They pushed the truck out of the garage and extinguished it with water shortly before the Palmyra Fire Company responded to the call. The damage was slight and the fire is supposed to have originated under the floor boards from a short circuit.

By this time the Riverton trucks had returned and had just been housed when an alarm was turned in from Reed and Rowland streets, East Riverton. This fire was a brisky burning field fire caused by a short circuit of electric wires in a tree. It was soon extinguished and the electric company notified of the short circuit.

While the fires in every case were of minor importance the coincidental happening of them in respect to time prompted Chief Armstrong to appeal to the public of the following facts which are of grave importance.

To persons reporting fire in every case BE ACCURATE IN GIVING THE LOCATION and then wait for the trucks to make their appearance and direct them to the fire. This applies particularly to out of town calls.

This is the second call in as many weeks which has led the firemen on a fruitless chase trying to locate the fire. Failure to do this might possibly result of the loss of life or serious property damage. In places where no fire hydrant service is available, seconds count for a lot.

Secondly, Chief Armstrong wants to assure the citizens of Riverton that a co-operative plan exists between the Riverton and Palmyra fire companies in which it is understood that when Riverton responds to an out of town call the Palmyra company stands in readiness to cover any fire in Riverton during the absence of our men and trucks. This same service to Palmyra is reciprocated when the situation is reversed.

ICE SKATING

During the recent cold spell the local townfolk were afforded the pleasure of ice skating on the Memorial Park pond.

Hundreds of children and adults availed themselves of the excellent skating facilities this location offers.

The close proximity to home added to the safety feature renders the park as an excellent place to skate.

Fires were burning brightly at nights and merriment reigned supreme.

GERTRUDE M. DAVIS

Gertrude M. Davis, 51 years old, sister of Mrs. Wm. Mullen, Harrison and Linden avenue, Riverton, died at the Cooper Hospital, Camden, January 7.

Funeral services will be held from Snover's Funeral Home Saturday at 3 o'clock. Friends may call Friday evening.

WILLIAM B. LYNCH SUCCUMBS AFTER LENGTHY ILLNESS

Plumbing Contractor and Riverton Resident for 29 Years; Councilman Two Terms

PROMINENT IN ALL LOCAL DEVELOPMENTS

Member of Riverton Fire Company and Served as Director; Active in Lodges

William B. Lynch, 53 years old, died at his home at Broad street and Thomas avenue, Riverton, January 7. Death came after an illness of about two years.

Mr. Lynch was an old resident of Riverton and entered into the plumbing business here twenty nine years ago.

He was elected for two terms in Riverton Borough Council, serving from 1923 to 1928. He was chairman of the Borough Property Committee in 1923, chairman of the Sewer Committee in 1924 and chairman of the Highway Department 1925 to 1928. He also served as president of council for the years of 1926 and 1927.

His activities were wide and varied. As a membe of the Riverton Fire Company his work will stand as a monument of public spirit. He joined the company in 1904 and served actively ever since. When the fire company was first motorized with a Mack truck he held the position of chief engineer, and in addition was a member of the board of directors for ten years.

Mr. Lynch was actively interested in sports. He played second base on the old Riverton baseball team, promoted local football for years, took an interest in the Riverton Gun Club, which flourished many years ago, and up until the time of his death was a member of the Riverton Country Club.

Mr. Lynch also was a lodgeman, being a member of the Artisan lodge and F. O. E. of A. in Palmyra. He also was a member of Lions Club and was active in the Riverton Chamber of Commerce. Many of Riverton's successful fourth-of-July celebrations can be traced to his untiring efforts.

The varied local activities in which he participated that brought him into public prominence were supplemented by many little kindnesses and considerations, of which he never boasted.

The passing of William B. Lynch is a loss which will be keenly felt by many.

Mr. Lynch is survived by his widow, Gertrude M. Lynch.

Funeral services will be held from his late residence Saturday at one o'clock, Rev. Chas. T. Bates officiating. Friends may call Friday evening. Interment will be made in Arlington Cemetery with Funeral Director Frank A. Snover in charge.

CINNAMINSON P. T. A.

The county council meeting, to be held at Masonville on the 14th, promises to be full of interest. The State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Raymond Whitmoyer, is expected to speak on "Training for Leadership", and Miss Ruth Bottomley on "The Summer Round-Up".

Transportation will be offered to those who will send word that they wish to attend, and be at the Westfield Public School by 9:30 in the morning.

On Tuesday the third grade told original stories suggested by a picture, showing a handling of English and an exercise of imagination that was remarkable.

The fourth grade was enjoying an English lesson too, judging by the interest and the quickness of the answers, while the first grade exhibited drawings of animals, wonderful zoological specimens, which seemed very satisfactory to the young artists themselves.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE.

PORCH CLUB NOTES

Following a short business meeting, the music committee gave a delightful program, consisting of piano duets and a quartet. Tea was served and the Juniors entertained the club, starting with a monologue on Women's Rights, by Miss Elizabeth Hann. Then T. A. Daly's poems were recited very cleverly in Italian dialect by Miss Mary Rutherford. Next Miss Charlotte Parry sang Bird Song Medley. The program ended with some very charming duets sung by Miss Dora Parry, soprano and Miss Elizabeth Ridley, alto, with a group of Juniors joining in the finale.

January 20th

There will be an International Day luncheon. All members are asked to be present and the Directors will be glad to have anyone come in costume.

Mr. Alden Alley will be the speaker.

IN MEMORIAM

LEACH—In loving remembrance of our daughter, Rose Wiberg Leach, who passed away January 7, 1930.

"Deep in our hearts you are fondly remembered.
Sweet, happy memories cling round your name.
True hearts that loved you with deepest affection.
Always will love you in death just the same."

Sadly missed by Mother and Father

RECKLESS DRIVER WORST OFFENDER

Is Menace to Everyone and Not Amenable to Regulation

By Harold G. Hoffman

Reckless driving is one of the worst offenses with which traffic authorities must deal. And, it is one that concerns not only the public official but the whole of motordom as well.

The reckless driver is a menace to everyone's safety. He is an irresponsible type who is not amenable to regulation, and as such he threatens the well-being of the great majority of motorists who recognize the necessity for regulation if traffic is to be moved smoothly and its dangers reduced to a minimum.

What is motordom to do about the reckless driver? To the enforcement officer falls the duty of curbing him with the authority of the law. Although the motorist cannot exercise that means of restraint, he is not altogether powerless. He can uphold the hands of those who are endeavoring to temper the conduct of the dangerous driver and, through his own good example, assist in the effort to educate all motor car drivers to safer and saner practices.

I do not believe the reckless driver, as a rule, is a malicious criminal. But he might just as well be, and once he is made to realize that fact the educational process is well on its way. We must take him as he is, an individual who is at variance with the body of thinking people. Our endeavor is to bring him around to a different viewpoint.

Fines and other penalties must be imposed, but they alone will not change an attitude of mind, and that is the thing with which we must deal. If this type of driver can be made to understand that he is altogether out of step with the rest of motordom, there is a good chance to improve him.

My belief that the reckless driver is not a criminal is based on my experience in the revocation of driver's permits for this offense. Those whose permits are revoked, for the most part, have never given any thought to the consequence of passing another vehicle at a curve or cutting in ahead of other cars in a manner that threatens safety. The revocation brings home to such a person the gravity of his misconduct and, instead of a potential gunman, one finds himself face to face with the average man who has needed bitter experience to teach him what he sould have learned in a less harrowing fashion.

What is reckless driving? The New Jersey traffic code defines it as driving "carelessly and heedlessly, in wilful or wanton disregard of the rights or safety of others, or without due caution and circumspection, and at a speed or in a manner so as to endanger, or to be likely to endanger, any person or property."

It should be noted that speed in itself is not recklessness, though it is frequently a factor. On the contrary, it is rather a use of speed at the wrong place and time. Some persons want to drive fast under all conditions, and they are the kind who get into trouble. But there are occassions when 10 or 15 miles an hour may be a speed that seriously endangers persons or property.

This is the thought underlying our rule of prima facie speed limits, according to which a motorist must proceed at a pace which is reasonable and proper at all times but which, if it exceeds certain specified limits, constitute a prima facie violation of the law.

Recklessness at the wheel of an automobile largely grows out of lack of thought. Once the reckless driver begins to think what may happen as a result of his thoughtless tactics, he seldom continues to be an unfit member of motordom's ranks.

VETERANS MUST FILE CLAIMS BEFORE JULY

Date Marks Final Time For Obtaining Total and Permanent Disability Payments

July 3, 1931, is an important date for many disabled ex-service men. That date marks the final time limit for filing of claims against the Government to obtain the total and permanent disability payments.

Under war-time insurance policies a veteran, who has not been paid premiums on a Government policy since discharge, may sue to collect disability payments if he can prove that he is suffering from a service disability and it has kept him from working excepting at intervals.

VETERANS UNAWARE OF RIGHTS, BENEFITS

Continuing Need Seen For Campaigns To Keep Ex-Service Men Informed

"From A Hospital Bed," John Palmer Cummings' article in the January issue of the American Legion Monthly, indicates the continuing need for community campaigns by American Legion posts to inform all service men of the rights and benefits to which they are entitled.

It is surprising to be told that in the past year most World War veterans are still unaware that the Government is offering free hospitalization, regardless of whether or not the disability is connected with service.

It is much easier to believe that those who are unaware of their hospitalization rights until overtaken by serious illness are not very closely in touch with every-day activities of their own post and the work of the Legion's National Rehabilitation Committee. Certainly every post has been tremendously instrumental in obtaining hospitalization for its own members or other veterans not suffering from service connected disabilities.

Laughing Around the World
With IRVIN S. COBB

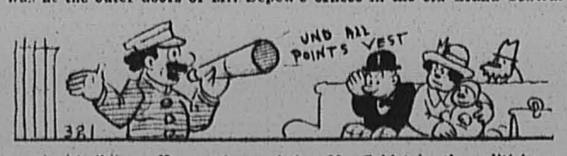
The Annoyed Mr. Goldstein

By IRVIN S. COBB

A GENTLEMAN named Goldstein graduated out of the buttonhole-making line into practical politics. He gave his allegiance to the Republican party.

That year the Republicans carried New York state. They also carried Mr. Goldstein's election district which was an even more notable victory inasmuch as it was in a heavily Democratic section of Harlem. At that time the Hon. Chauncey Depew was U. S. Senator from New York; also head of the New York Central Railroad and likewise, I think, Republican state chairman. At any rate, he had a commanding voice in the organization.

Bright and early on the morning after election day, Mr. Goldstein was at the outer doors of Mr. Depew's offices in the old Grand Central



terminal building. He sent in word that Mr. Goldstein, the politicianer, desired to see the head of the line.

Being admitted, he directed Mr. Depew's attention to the result of the voting in his neighborhood and claimed credit for the showing. Mr. Depew agreed with him that he had done well and that his labors in behalf of the party entitled him to recognition and reward. He desired to know how he personally or the G. O. P. might serve his friend.

At this Mr. Goldstein confessed to an ambition. He straightway desired, he said, to become a dispatcher for the railroad.

Depew was surprised. He directed his caller's attention to the fact that a dispatcher, among other essential qualifications, must have more or less knowledge of telegraphy. It speedily developed, however, that Mr. Goldstein thought a dispatcher was one of those functionaries in blue uniform who, through megaphones, called incoming and outgoing trains in the station.

Behold, then, Mr. Goldstein on a night one week later, arrayed in blue and brass, proudly pacing the main waiting-room, a megaphone under his arm and conspicuous dignity, conscious power, and conscious pomp in his manner. Presently his chance comes. He lifts his voice and this statement comes from him:

"Say, efferbody, listen. It gifs me the outmost bleasure to announce that a lofely train, mit cushioned seats und a conductor und ef'rything pleasant—say you'd like that train—is now about leafing on track Number Fife for Albany, Uticeer, Ro-chester, Suracuse, Buffaler und points on the Vest. Who would like to go in a nice train fur some points on the Vest?"

Plainly pained at the failure of the populace to lean forward in a body and avail itself of this opportunity he is about to repeat the announcement when he feels a tug at his coat tail. He turns impatiently to find a person of lowly aspect, who is burdened with hand baggage.

"Vell," he demands, "vot is idt?"

"When does the last train go to Cleveland?" inquires the stranger. Into Mr. Goldstein's tones comes pity for such ignorance.

"Ven, on the Noo Yawk Central, does the last train go for Cleveland?" he repeats as though he scarcely can believe his ears. "Mine friendt, you should live so long!"

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Home-Loving Manufacturer Responsible For First Building and Loan Association

One Hundredth Anniversary of Movement, Started by Enterprising Citizens of Frankford, Pa., in 1831, Being Celebrated This Week

A manufacturer of calico in Frankford, Pennsylvania dreamed a hundred years ago of the pleasure of owning a frame house without a bathroom or telephone. This was in 1831 when, contrary to popular belief, men in knee breeches figured by the light of oil lamps how to get the down payment together.

The home loving manufacturer, thinking of his townmens as well as himself, consulted several of the other enterprising citizens and they organized America's first building and loan association.

The New Jersey League of Building and Loan Associations celebrated the anniversary with its semi-annual convention dinner at Trenton, Saturday evening in five hundred cities stretching from coast to coast building and loan associations whose assets total millions of dollars gave anniversary dinners to celebrate the centenial of a small town undertaking that has grown into a nine billion dollar business.

The calico manufacturer was English-born Jeremiah Horrocks, and the men who aided in the now famous project were Samuel Pilling, in the dyeing business, a physician named Dr. Henry Taylor, Issac Shallcross, a school teacher, Jesse Caster, an attorney, and Isaac Whitelock, who made carriage wheels, was one of the city fathers, and was elected president of the first building and loan association a hundred years ago.

That first association was named the Oxford Provident Building and Loan Association of Philadelphia County. Set up to provide the first medium for systematic saving that the young country had known, the new organization encouraged thrift and advanced loans to responsible folks who wanted to own their own domiciles. The 12,000 building and loan associations that today have nine billions of dollars of the savings of small wage earners, have not changed these two purposes set down on sheets of parchment by Jesse Castor who drew up the first minutes that are now locked in a vault in the rooms of the Historical Society of Frankford.

The building in which the Oxford Provident met a hundred years ago still stands in Philadelphia. In 1831, Frankford was a stage coach journey from this city, which long ago grew out to encampass it. In 1831 this building was a good old tavern, and the tavern owner, Thomas Sidebotham, lent his back parlor for the event. But this enviorment did not bother Jeremiah Horrocks and Dr. Taylor, both "Bible Christians" und pledged to abstinence from intoxicating drinks. Now, Thomas Sidebotham's tavern, half remodeled, is a shop for automobile supplies.

The house on which the first loan was made also still stands, still occupied, on Orchard Street in Philadelphia, and in 1831 the heart of Comly Rich beat with pride when he took deed to it. He lighted the borough street lamps, and applied and received the first loan made by the Oxford Provident. Since then, in the hundred year period, the building and loan associations have financed more then 8,000,000 American homes.

How the Frankford lamp lighter ever scraped together enough on a lamp lighter's salary to finance the balance of his home owning venture is history that probably will not be revealed, but how Mr. Rich did it might make good reading to issue to some present day renters.

The nation-wide plans for the celebration of the Building and Loan Centennial were in the hands of the United States Building and Loan League. In New Jersey the celebration will be marked by Building and Loan Centennial Week extending from January 3 to 10 under the auspices of the New Jersey League of Building and Loan Associations.

IN CRASH, HAD NO DRIVERS' LICENSE

Moorestown Man to be Given Hearing for Operating Auto Without License

Three arrests have been made by Moorestown police during the past few days.

Edward Harvey, colored, of Schooley street, arrested by Officer Ralph Marks after he had driven a car owned by Albert Ellis into a pole on Mount Laurel road, damaging the machine about the front, is to be given a hearing before Recorder Joseph W. Johnston in Town Hall on January 24. Harvey is charged with operating a motor vehicle without a driver's license.

Two Philadelphia men arrested by Chief John H. Bradshaw on drunk and disorderly charges were fined $10 and costs apiece by the recorder. The men were George Alloway, 1236 Millick street, and Howard Munyan, 5941 Media street.

RIVERSIDE MERCHANT KILLED BY TRAIN

David Stern Becomes Confused While Walking Across Tracks to Collect Installment Account

David Stern, a long established merchant of Riverside, was struck and killed by a passenger train at the Lippincott Avenue crossing in Riverside Monday morning.

The victim, who was 69 years old, had resided in Philadelphia for the past few years and went to Riverside by bus to his store each morning. It had been his custom to alight from the bus at Lippincott Avenue each Monday morning to collect an installment account he had in the neighborhood.

He is believed to have become confused when he saw the train approaching and is said to have stopped on the tracks.

The Lippincott avenue crossing in Riverside has claimed ten lives during the last three years, seven persons having been killed there at one time when a train struck an automobile about two years ago.

GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE

As a part of its service to World war veterans the national rehabilitation committee of the American Legion is conducting an educational campaign to acquaint ex-service men with their right to take out government life insurance at low premium rates.

PTA TO CONVENE IN MASONVILLE

Mrs. Raymond Whitmoyer to Address Burlington Co. Council Meeting

The mid-winter meeting of the Burlington County Council of the Parent and Teacher Association will be held in the Masonville school on January 14. This council is a representative group made up from the 49 associations in the county.

"Training for Leadership," an address by Mrs. Raymond Whitmoyer, parliamentarian of the New Jersey Congress of Parents and Teachers, and "Summer Round-up," and address by Miss Ruth Bottomley, will be the lecture features of the session.

The complete program is as follows:

Morning Session, 10 A. M.
Devotions, Rev. Samuel K. Miller.
Welcome from Masonville-Hartford School, Miss Bertha E. Shea.
Welcome from Masonville-Hartford PTA, Mrs. Jules Melcer, pres.
Music, PTA Song.
Minutes of October Meeting, Mrs. W. Henry Jones, of Moorestown.
Report of Treasurer, Mrs. Aubrey Walton, of Moorestown.
Reports of Vice Chairman
Reports of Standing Committees.
Address: "Training for Leadership," Mrs. Raymond Whitmoyer, N. J. C. P. T. Parliamentarian.
Roll Call of Delegates.
Luncheon—50 cents—Served in the School by Masonville-Hartford PTA.

Afternoon Session
Music, School Children.
Address: "Summer Round Up," Miss Ruth Bottomley.
Mrs. A. T. Hagstoz, Co. Chairman
Mrs. W. Henry Jones, Secretary.

"THE BIG TRAIL" IS BROADWAY FEATURE

Palmyra Theatre Presents Realistic Film of Westward Immigration Next Week

Schools in numerous cities and towns have considered "The Big Trail," the picture showing next Wednesday and Thursday at the Broadway Palace, an immense aid in the instruction of the pupils. The depiction of scenes often enacted in our history has led to the statement that this is the most important picture ever produced.

Featured in the film are live reproductions of Indian attacks and powwows, a trip through a blinding blizzard and the fording of treacherous streams. The picture follows the life of the pioneers from the time of their start westward to the promised land until they reach their destination in the far west.

Their progress westward is by no means easy. Wagons stuck in the mire, lowered over a cliff, and drawn in a circle at night as a protection against Indian attacks, show how cumbersome but how necessary these vehicles were.

There were 500 buffalo used in the filming of the buffalo hunt in the picture, together with 1,400 horses and 1,800 cattle. The all-star cast includes such notables as El Brendel, Marguerite Churchill, Tully Marshall and David Rollins, among the more than 20,000 persons who were used in the production.

Five tribes of Indians are represented and the scenes were filmed in seven different states, causing the company to travel about 4,300 miles. A new star, John Wayne, former University of Southern California football player, makes his debut to the silver screen in this show.

To Be Married

Miss Elinor Watts will become the bride of Raymond E. Wiltshire, Jr., of 23 West Second street, Moorestown, at a quiet wedding on Friday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Watts, of 11½ West Second street. The Rev. Frederick B. Morley, pastor of the Moorestown Methodist Episcopal Church, will officiate.

Both Miss Watts and Mr. Wiltshire are graduate of the Moorestown High School, class of '30.

Joseph French

Joseph French, husband of Helen Leeds French, and son of Belzora and the late Walter S. French, Moorestown, passed away at his home on Kresson Road, near Haddonfield, Tuesday, December 30th.

Funeral services were held at his late residence on Saturday, January 3, under the direction of William Grobler, and interment was made in Colestown Cemetery.

Mr. French is survived by his wife, the former Helen Leeds, well known in Moorestown; two children, Evelyn and Russell; his mother, Mrs. Belzora French, one sister, Mrs. Paul H. Githens and three brothers, William, Edward and Cooper French.

Mr. French had been connected with the Barton Farms, near Haddonfield in the capacity of superintendent for a number of years and was well and favorably known here and in that vicinity. He was a graduate of Rutgers College, class of 1912.

RUTGERS TO TRAIN HOME OWNERS IN FLORICULTURE

Because of the great increase in the number of requests made by suburban residents for information on home gardening and landscaping, the college of agriculture, Rutgers University, plans to repeat its one-week course in flower gardening, Prof. Frank G. Heiyar, director of short courses, announced today. This year's course will begin on February 23. "The need for a wider and more thorough dissemination of information on ornamental horticulture is only one of the new problems facing the college of agriculture as the result of the rapid increase in New Jersey's urban population," Professor Heiyar stated.

NEW CALENDAR IS TO BE DELIVERED

International Conference in October Will Make Definite Arrangements for Its Inaugural

"In October of this year, an international conference will convene under the auspices of the League of Nations, at Geneva, Switzerland, for the purpose of making definite arrangements to inaugurate the new thirteen-month calendar which will probably become effective in 1933 or 1934," reports Ralph C. D. Britton.

"In this new calendar," he continues, each month will contain four even weeks like February of the present year. The new month will probably be inserted between June and July, and there will probably be an extra day at the end of the year dated December 29 and another such day in leap year dated June 29.

"All great nations of the world will be represented at the international calendar reform conference, excepting Soviet Russia which is considering its own plans to reform the calendar on a twelve-month basis with six weeks of fifive days each in every month," Mr. Britton concludes.

TRIP TO PHILA. IS TAKEN BY YMCA

County Groups Enjoy Annual Visit to Places of Interest

The annual holiday trip to Philadelphia and the Central YMCA, for Burlington County YMCA Groups, took place on Tuesday of last week.

Representatives of the various groups visited Abbott's Ice Cream Plant, Independence Hall, Curtis Publishing Company, an exhibit on writing by the N. W. Ayer & Sons Company, and finally, the Central YMCA, where a program of games, swimming, and entertainment was conducted. Groups were present from Mount Holly, Marlton, Moorestown, Riverside, Pemberton and Burlington.

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

A basketball tournament was conducted in the Mount Holly Armory, Wednesday, December 31, for various boys' groups in Mount Holly.

In the morning, the Panthers defeated the Scouts 14-12; the Bok Hi-Y Club defeated the Baptist Sunday School team 11-0; the Speed Boys defeated the All Stars 15-9; in the afternoon the Speed Boys defeated the Scouts 34-19, the Panthers defeated the Bok Hi-Y 15-11. Referees were Joseph Flynn and Ellis Parker.

The tournament was carried on under the direction of Secretary Clifford W. Ergood, with the aid of the Community Boys' Work Council.

BASKETBALL LEAGUE

The YMCA Basketball League will get under way next week with the following teams participating: Willingboro Junior, Moorestown Hi-Y, Riverside Friendly, Pemberton Junior, Mount Holly Edison Hi-Y and Edison Hi-Y, Marlton Junior, Marlton Senior, Jobstown, Cinnaminson, Browns Mills, Delanco, Lumberton, Burlington Ship Shield.

The schedule will be made up so that teams will play in three divisions, namely 18 years and over; 16 to 18; under 16. Referees for the various games are now being lined up.

BRASS QUARTET PLAYS

Wilmer Hoffman, Albert Sleeper, Y. Earl Russell and Guy C. Hendry, composing a brass quartet, played at the Sunday evening service at the Jacksonville Church, January 4.

Trustees of YMCA Camp Ockanickon, coming together from four counties, met at Oliver's Green Loft Tea Room, Burlington, for dinner and a business session, Tuesday evening.

Among items of business, proposals were considered for the completion of the nature study log building, consideration being given to doing this in such a manner that it will also be available for week-end parties the year-round.

George G. Foster, of Pine Grove, Marlton, caretaker of Camp Ockanickon, cut his foot quite severely while working at Camp, January 2, which necessitated hospital treatment, and he will have to keep off it for a period of six or eight weeks.

Secretaries Ergood and Hendry will attend a bi-monthly conference of the town and county secretaries of the state, at the YMCA in Philadelphia, January 8-9. Present on that occasion will be William D. McRae, of Springfield College, the man who, twenty-six years ago, organized Burlington County for YMCA work.

LIST NEW YEAR'S CHORES FOR JERSEY POULTRYMEN

The coming of the new year is a reminder to New Jersey's poultrymen that the work of producing another crop of chicks must soon begin. To these poultry keepers L. M. Black, New Jersey extension service poultryman, suggests that the final selections of high quality birds for the breeding pens should now be made. Any birds revealing color defects since moulting, or which for any other reasons indicate that they will not make suitable breeders, had best be discarded, he advises. The spurs of old male birds should be trimmed, the specialist adds.

Lemons and other citrons fruits are now being preserved from blue-mold decay by a borax treatment and by the use of electric heat. The fruit is sterilized by being passed through a borax solution. It is then exposed to a "fog" of paraffin which invisibly seals the pores of the fruit. It is in this process that electric heat is used. Fruit treated in this way stays fresh and firm. Necessity for refrigeration is thus diminshed.

AUTOIST INDICTED IN SISTERS' DEATHS

County Grand Jury Returns 78 True Bills to Judge Rigg

The Burlington county grand jury at Mount Holly on Monday returned 76 indictments to Judge Charles A. Rigg.

Harry Norman, Southampton, was indicted for manslaughter by automobile as a result of the deaths of Norma and Gladys Cramer.

Sixteen persons were indicted for liquor charges, half of whom are women. Another true bill charges Leslie Harris, Burlington, with breaking and entering the store of Jennie Levin, stealing goods valued at $3437.

The other indictments follows:

Frank Branner, Moorestown, breaking and entering; Frank King, alias Thomas Jones,, alias J. E. Rogers, Burlington, forgery; Ignacz William Kremper, Mansfield, desertion and neglect; Mathew Johnson, Burlington township, larceny from Redding Minerty and George Emery, Mansfield township; Granville Kelvey, Delran, desertion and neglect; Abraham Levin, Mansfield, carrying concealed weapons; William H. Frake, Northampton, desertion and neglect; Steadman Bishop, New Hanover, larceny; Theodore Stevenson, New Hanover, larceny.

Edward Cobb, Delran, statutory charges, five indictments; Joseph Jobes, Northampton, statutory charges; Elsie Jobes and Irving Jobes, Delran, statutory charges, five indictments; George Hueston, Springfield, breaking and entering; Walter L. O'Neal, Bass River, assault and battery; Charles Davidson, Mansfield, desertion and neglect; Leander O'Dell, Burlington, desertion and neglect and statutory charges; Ira Webb, Pemberton, desertion and neglect; Rudolph Grab, Palmyra, lewdness, two indictments; Harry R. Atkinson, Riverside, neglect of family; Joseph O. Moor, Mount Laurel, assault and battery by automobile; Louis Clark, Moorestown, desertion and neglect; Joseph Mullen, Atlantic county, escape from prison farm, Bordentown; Clore Marchellia, Pemberton, atrocious assault and battery; John McNinney, Beverly, desertion and neglect; Dorothy Mathews, Pemberton, taking car without owner's consent; Elizabeth Hayes, Willingboro, keeping disorderly house.

Those indicted for liquor violations follows:

Tillie and Michael Dogaluk, Florence, two indictments; Elizabeth and Patrick Sweeney, Florence, two indictments; Charles and Cassie Baker, Hainesport, two indictments; Joseph A. Burns, Willingboro; Pauline Yozapaitis, Burlington; Elizabeth Hayes, Willingboro, three indictments; Harry and Frances Hall, Medford, two indictments; Helen MacCurdy, Mansfield; Mary and Alex Yuzak, Riverside, two indictments; Mike Britton, Northampton, two indictments; Samuel Fenimore, Northampton.

W. F. OVERMAN TO ADDRESS MEETING

Moorestown Man One of Main Speakers at John Woolman Memorial Service

William F. Overman, of Moorestown, will be one of the main speakers at a John Woolman memorial meeting which will be held in the Baptist Church, Marlton, under the auspices of the Cropwell Friends' Meeting on Thursday evening, January 15.

Sarah Leeds, hostess of the John Woolman House at Mount Holly, will also speak. Her topic will be on the outward life of the famous Quaker preacher while Mr. Overman will give an account of his spiritual message.

John Woolman's Journal is considered one of the great books of all time, and the story of how this Burlington County man found his place in the halls of fame, without seeking it, is very remarkable and will be of interest to anyone, regardless of creed.

FAMILY CONTACTS MARK CHILD THROUGHOUT LIFE

Parents of today need to understand their children as never before, and to know how to cultivate, sometimes by just "leaving them alone", the traits needed for a happy and useful life, said Miss Edith D. Dixon, extension service specialist in child training and parental education for the college of agriculture, Rutgers University, in speaking from WOR last Tuesday. "To the child", she said, "the home offers the first practice in human contacts. How the child gets along with his father and mother, and his brothers and sisters—if he is lucky to have any—will influence his relations with people throughout his life"

Will be Speaker



KARL DE SCHWEINITZ, Secretary of the Community Council of Philadelphia, who will address the annual meeting of the Moorestown Church Federation, next Monday evening, January 12, at eight o'clock, at the Community House. Everybody is welcome.

TOMLINSON AIDS IN BANK PROJECT

Moorestown Man Becomes Director as Camden Institution is Reorganized

Ephraim Tomlinson, of Riverton road, Moorestown, president of Camden Safe Deposit and Trust Company, became a director of Broadway Merchants Trust Company, Camden, Monday morning as a part of the general reorganization of that institution.

Broadway Merchants Trust Company, in the reorganization, was given the backing of the two most powerful financial institutions in Camden—the bank headed by the Moorestown man and First Camden National Bank and Trust Compny, of which F. Morse Archer, who also became a director of the Broadway Merchants bank, is president. Both of the big banks have put their resources in back of the reorganized institution.

Ex-Senator David Baird, Jr., was named president of the reorganized institution.

A statement was issue in which it was declared the bank was solvent, but that it was deemed necessary to bring about a reorganization because of the seepage of deposits that has taken place due to rumors of a connection with the Bankers Trust Company, of Philadelphia, which voluntarily turned its affairs over to the state department about two weeks ago. The Broadway Merchants Trust Company had no funds on deposit with the Bankers Trust Company of Philadelphia and had no connection with it, all Philadelphia directors of the Broadway Merchants Trust Company having resigned last week.

In the statement it was declared that it was felt that a complete reorganization of the affairs of the bank would not only help strengthen the position of the institution but that such a plan would fully restore public confidence.

Wins Essay Prize

Moorestown Man Receives Award in Plymouth Car Contest

Howard Reid, of East Central avenue, Moorestown, was one of the winners in the nation-wide Plymouth essay contest, conducted by Chrysler Motor Corporation.

Announcement that Mr. Reid won a prize has just been made by James Davis, of Shafer-Davis Motor Company, Moorestown Chrysler and Plymouth dealer.

Mr. Davis says that 1011 prizes were awarded by the Chrysler Motor Corporation.

RIVERSIDE WOMAN HELD FOR RUM POSSESSION

Mrs. Josephine Demschowski, of 40 Polk street, Riverside, was held under $1000 bail by Supreme Court Commissioner Howard G. Stackhouse, at Mount Holly, Monday, on a charge of possession of liquor, confiscated in a raid late Sunday night. A large quantity of whisky and wine, together with glasses and containers, were taken by officers, it is charged. The raid was conducted by Deputy Sheriff Charles L. Carslake, Chief William Voshell and Officer Harris, of Riverside, and state troopers from the Delanco barracks.

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AMERICAN LEGION OFFICERS FOR '31 TAKE OVER DUTIES

Palmyra Post Now Headed by Commander George B. Weigand

CITIZENS THANKED FOR GENEROSITY AT XMAS

Annual Ball Will be Held in P. O. S. of A. Hall February 12

The newly elected Commander of Frederick M. Rodgers Post, American Legion, of Palmyra, was accorded a rousing reception at the regular monthly meeting held Tuesday evening.

The meeting was well attended, twenty-four members greeting George Weigand, commander for 1931, in his first appearance in that office. The installation of the Post officers was conducted by County Commander Frank Hallowell, of Maple Shade.

The other officers installed at the meeting were Charles C. Seemuller, senior vice-commander; Albert Rinaldi, junior vice-commander; Ted D'Autrechy, adjutant; Clinton Gibbons, finance officer; Charles King, historian; Walter Hunt, sergeant-at-arms; and Albert Gowell, chaplain.

Trustees, W. Rex McCrossen, Frank Mathews, Harry Stuck, Carl Thomas, Warren Nethercott, George Luce, George Durgin, E. L. Wolfschmidt, A. H. Lippincott and Harold Marshall.

Delegates to the county committee, Ted D'Autrechy, Carl Thomas, George Weigand; alternates, A. H. Lippincott, Charles King and Charles C. Seemuller.

Outlines Plans

Commander Weigand, at his installation, outlined his plans for the year. He particularly stressed membership, what it means to the legionnaire and to the post. He expressed a desire that the work of the Legion in community welfare work might be enlarged to cover an even larger field than was covered this year. Hospitality was cited by the new commander as the greatest link of service that can be rendered by the veterans. It is a mark of honor for legion members to assist in any way the widows and orphans of their departed "buddies."

The Palmyra Post extends the most hearty thanks to the citizens and merchants of Palmyra for their wonderful co-operation and generosity in the drive conducted by the Legion for toys, clothing, foodstuffs and money. The response to this campaign aided greatly in bringing joy and comfort to many homes during the holiday season.

Mrs. James Weart, chairman of the Rehabilitation committee, audified the wonderful work done by this committee during the month of December and those present when the report was read were surprised to learn to what length this group goes to aid the needy and distressed.

Sound Financially

Clinton Gibbons, finance officer, reported a sound financial standing, with a considerable growth over last year.

An invitation from the Rev. Harold L. Creager, pastor of the Lutheran Church, to attend services Sunday, February 22, was received by the Legion and accepted. The bugle and drum corps will attend the service in full uniform.

The Post members and the corps also plan to attend the South Jersey rally and reception in honor of National Commander Dike O'Neil, to be held in Atlantic City Friday evening, March 6.

A feature discussed at this meeting was the issuing of a four-page monthly bulletin, full of facts and information concerning the doings of the Legion both national and local. This paper is expected to fill a much-needed want among the Legionnaires and will possibly make its first appearance at the next meeting.

Chevrolet Campaign

The Chevrolet campaign is announced by the Palmyra Post to be in full swing with the free tickets going rapidly. The move made to increase home town buying has succeeded in its purpose.

The next event sponsored by the Legion, will be a card party given by the Ladies' Auxiliary and the Bugle and Drum next Wednesday. Bridge, five-hundred and pinochle will be played.

With the success of last year's ball still a pleasant memory to the Legionnaires, they have planned another to be held February 12 in the P. O. S. of A. Hall.

The committee in charge of preparations for the event have promise of several new features in the way of entertainment, while several acts of vaudeville will also be included in the evening's program.

Dancing will follow the entertainment, with the music furnished by Morton's Kentuckians, the same orchestra which found so much favor last year.

BOY SCOUT ADVISERS WILL MEET TUESDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Palmyra Boy Scout Counsellors' Association will be held next Tuesday evening, 8.00 p. m. in the clubroom of Troop No. 1 in the gymnasium of the Methodist Church.

Plans are being laid for celebration of Boy Scout Week to take place in the early part of February, and announcement of further details will be made at a later date.

Important subjects are to be brought to the attention of the association, and all members are urged to be present.

This association has attained a position wherein it is rendering valuable assistance to the scout movement in Palmyra, and fathers of the scouts, as well as others who would be interested, are invited to come to these meetings.

Talented Singer



MISS ALMA H. STACK of Riverside, formerly of Palmyra, who won the Sunshine Girl Contest recently held at the Fox Theatre, Riverside. She took third prize in the competition held at the Fox Theatre, Mount Holly, and received honorable mention in the finals held at the Mastbaum Theatre, Philadelphia

MISS STACK WINS THEATRE CONTEST

Former Palmyra Girl Receives Honorable Mention at Mastbaum Theatre, Phila.

Miss Alma Helen Stack, of Stewarts avenue, Riverside, formerly of Palmyra, was the winner of the Sunshine Contest held at the Fox Theatre, Riverside, recently.

Miss Stack won a lovely cedar chest at the competition held in the Fox Theatre, Mount Holly, and was the winner of a $200 Electric Grandfather's clock at the finals held at the Mastbaum Theatre, Philadelphia, December 22. Out of sixty-two Jersey girls, Miss Stack was the only one to compete in the finals.

Alma made her first appearance in the P. O. S. of A Hall, Palmyra, at the Sons of Italy Ball, six years ago. She has appeared in many amateur productions in this vicinity, including Riverside Kiwanis productions.

Miss Stack was the guest artist at the joint meeting of the Riverside and Burlington Kiwanis Clubs held at Log Cabin Lodge, Medford Lakes, Tuesday evening.

She has sung over radio station WCAU with Teddy Joyce, Master of Ceremonies at the Mastbaum Theatre, several times. She will go on the road with the "Jolly Joyce" club in the near future. Alma has received offers of several contracts since her appearance at the Mastbaum.

Miss Stack was born in Palmyra and lived there until moving to Riverside about six years ago. She has three brothers making their homes in Palmyra: Joseph Stack, chief of the Palmyra fire department; Officer William Stack and Harry Stack, who makes his home on Legion avenue. She also has another brother, Francis Stack, who makes his home in Camden.

COLUMBUS MAN HURT AS HORSE STEPS ON KNEE

George Dantz, a farmer of near Columbus, is said to be recovering satisfactorily from injuries sustained when a horse stepped on his leg last Saturday. He was leading the horse through a narrow passage near his barns and stumbled as he was walking backwards to see that the horse got through all right.

He held his grip on the bridle of the horse, but the animal kept on walking and stepped on the farmer's leg, badly injuring his knee. Dantz yelled and the horse stopped. Workmen on the farm came to his rescue. He was treated by a Columbus physician.

Carrier pigeons are being eliminated by the United States navy as carriers of government messages. This is a result of advanced development in aircraft radio. During the World War pigeons distinguished themselves by carrying messages through all kinds of danger. They are capable of flying distances of five to six hundred miles in one day.

SPAHR SUCCEEDS FRANK A. SNOVER

New Palmyra Councilman Prominent in Activities; Resident 12 Years

At the organization meeting of the Palmyra Borough Council held New Year's Day Floyd W. Spahr, of 826 Morgan avenue was appointed a member of council to succeed Frank A. Snover, whose resignation was effective midnight of December 31, 1930.

Mr. Spahr will fill Mr. Snover's place on the council as chairman of the Highways Committee and also as chairman of the Parks and Public Property Committee. In addition to these posts he is acting chairman of the Garbage and Ashes committee in the absence of Councilman A. B. Crane.

The selection of Mr. Spahr came after much consideration on the part of Mayor George N. Wimer, who made the appointment. His choice in the appointment of the new councilman met with the approval of the members of council, all of whom voted in favor of Mr. Spahr.

Active in Organizations

Mr. Spahr has been active in several organizations of Palmyra and Riverton. He served as secretary of the Palmyra-Riverton Men's Club, which recently disbanded, and was chosen secretary of the Boy Scout Counsellor's association of Palmyra.

He has resided in Palmyra for almost twelve years, moving to the town from West Chester, Pa. Mr. Spahr has been employed as an engineer for more than twenty years by the United Engineering and Construction Company, of Philadelphia.

Mayor Wimer, speaking at an adjourned meeting of Borough Council Tuesday night, stressed the necessity of co-operation. Not only did he urge the councilmen to work together on their various programs for the new year, but also emphasized the necessity of regularly attending the meetings of the council. His urgent appeal for regular and punctual attendance on the part of council members was backed by Councilman Julius R. Fisher.

Both Mr. Fisher and Councilman A. R. Bradley are beginning new terms as members of council, having been sworn into the office New Year's Day by Borough Clerk George A. Spencer.

Appointments Made

In the organization of Borough offices for 1931, Mayor Wimer made the following appointments: Solicitor, Joseph S. Low; overseer of the poor, Harry J. Saar; building inspector, John A. Eichner, Jr.; engineers, Remington, Vosbury and Goff; physician, Dr. Dean H. LeFavor; superintendent of disposal plant, R. Strickenbein; recorder, William L. Fichter; auditor, William H. Welcker; superintendent of highways, Harry Kain; keeper of lock-up, Thomas Schwink; chief of police, C. Morris Peck; delinquent tax collector, Lawrence Betty; pound keeper, Thomas Schwink; shade tree commission—Walter Tees, chairman, William R. Gerkins and George Corneal; board of health, Walter Shappell and Mrs. Mary P. King.

Mayor Wimer pointed out to the appointees the necessity of working with those members of council under whose management the departments of those appointees came. Only close contact between members of council and the heads of the several departments could bring about the harmony which is necessary for the successful management of borough affairs.

Policemen Assigned.

In assigning police positions to the present force C. Morris Peck retained his position as Chief of Police, while Nelson Wallace, Joseph Rodgers, Lawrence Betty, Charles Lutz and William Stack were commissioned as marshalls. Four of the Palmyra police force, Beck, Rodgers, Wallace and Betty, also are commissioned as constables by county and borough officials.

The following appointments of councilmen to serve on the various committees are as follows: (chairmen are listed first) Finance, C. Nevin Buchholz, Alfred R. Bradley, Arthur B. Cramer; parks and public property, Floyd W. Spahr, Joseph A. Davis, Buchholz; highways, Spahr, Cramer, Fisher; Garbage and Ashes, Spahr, Cramer, Fisher; sewers and disposal plant, Fisher, Davis, Cramer; building inspection, Bradley, Davis, Buchholz; Bradley, Fisher; water and lights, Buchholz, Bradley, Fisher; ordinances, Buchholz, Bradley, Fisher; water and lighting, Davis, Spahr, Bradley; police and fire, Mayor George N. Wimer.

The new and re-elected members of council, together with the heads of the various departments were sworn into office by the borough clerk.

Special officers who have taken the oath of office and been deputized for 1931 are, Joseph L. Stack, James Hartley, Edward Roberts, Thomas Schwink, John Bellerjeau, Jr., Henry Roben, Harry Wenger, Richard P. Furman, R. Strickenbein, Harry Karn, Edward Bennett, Branson Cook, Samuel Capone, Edward Stiles, Walter Horner, Harry Kemmerle, Sr., Capt. Sidney Albertson.

BANK BURGLAR ALARM CAUSES BANDIT SCARE

Workmen Accidentally Set Off Gong At Palmyra National Bank Monday Afternoon

Ringing of the burglar alarm of the Palmyra National Bank caused quite a lot of excitement in the center of the town early Monday afternoon.

Workmen installing a new ventilator at the bank building had severed several wires during their operations, among them being those which carried current for the burglar alarm. When the wires were touched the alarm sounded, sending police hurrying to the building on a false bandit chase, while people within hearing of the alarm wondered what the excitement was all about.

All haste was made to allay rumors which circulated about a bank robbery. Some apprehension was felt, since a robbery had been planned last year by a gang from Philadelphia.

Palmyra Boy on Way to Panama to Finish Course in Aerial Photography

John Scherer, Son of Mrs. D. M. Waas, Transferred From Army Air Field at Rantoul, Ill., to Complete Training in Canal Zone

John Scherer, a former Palmyra boy, and until recently a student aerial photographer at the United States Army air field at Rantoul, Ill., is now on his way to France Field, Panama, where he will continue in the service for another two years.

"Jack" paid a hurried visit to his mother, Mrs. D. M. Waas, 600 Washington avenue, Palmyra, last week, en route from Chanute Field to New York. He left Palmyra Friday afternoon and sailed from New York Tuesday.

During his time at Rantoul he completed the preliminary course of training in aerial photography and as he remained for a time to play with the football team he enrolled for a special course in parachute jumping. In addition to studying the theory of this work he also got in some real experience in the most thrilling of aerial work. On two occasions he made jumps from a plane at a height of 2,500 feet, landing safely each time.

While "Jack" expects to be away for two years he said it was possible he would be transferred to a New Jersey National Guard unit which is soon to be organized. In this event he would return to New Jersey after about a year's experience in Panama to act as instructor in aerial photography work.

Another Palmyra boy to take a course in the Army school at Rantoul is Meachem Willis, of Columbia avenue. Willis enlisted a year before Scherer and is now assigned to Bolling Air Field, Washington, D. C. Willis started as a photographer but later transferred to the mechanical department. He received his early training at the Burlington County Aero Club, Moorestown.

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New Jersey's place in the world of aviation is on a par with her leadership in many other activities. It is impossible to travel many miles in any direction in the state without finding a well-kept, efficiently equipped airport. Whether it be government, municipal or private, almost every one of these bases has the facilities to handle any plane which may drop in.

The municipal airport at Newark is one of the leading fields in the East. The United States government has designated it as a port of entry for the collection of customs, and also as the official base of all mail operations for the New York metropolitan district and Middle Atlantic States. In addition to these highly important functions, it also serves as a base for a number of companies giving passenger service to all parts of the country.

Then there is the U. S. Naval Air Station just outside of Lakehurst. Home of the Los Angeles, America's pride of the air, this base boasts the largest single building in the world—the hangar which houses the Los Angeles and was host to the Graf Zeppelin.

Just to mention a few others of the thirty airports listed by the Department of Commerce: There is Hadley Field, with its United States Weather Bureau and radio station; Central Airport, at Camden, rapidly rising to national prominence; Mercer Airport, at Trenton; the airport at Teterboro, and Atlantic City's new field. According to a bulletin issued by the Department of Commerce, the establishment of thirty-one more airports has been proposed and will be ready for service within the next year or two.

It has become a truism to say that without the telephone most modern progress would have been impossible. The development of aviation is no exception, and the telephone and airplane are closely linked together. Telephone typewriters, such as are now used by New Jersey State Police for broadcasting alarms, are also coming in for their share of duty in the fostering of safety for flying. Some of our largest commercial air transport companies depend upon these instruments to bring all stations along their airways into instant communication.

Colonial Airways has a terminal at Newark Airport, from which planes leave daily for Boston and Montreal. In the early days of aviation, the proper procedure would have been for the officer in charge to take a look at the "sock" atop the hangar, peek at the barometer, squint at the sky, then tell the pilot to shove off.

But not today. In the office of Colonial Airways at Newark Airport is a battery of three telephone typewriters, two for receiving, and one which sends and receives. All along the route of this company's airway are other machines, and long before the giant tri-motored cabin planes take off for Boston or Montreal the officer in charge knows exactly what kind of weather his pilot may expect over Hartford or Albany, whether it will be necessary to fly high or low, or whether the safest course is to call off the trip altogether.

Eastern Air Transport, Inc., also depends upon the telephone typewriter to establish contact between the various units along the line of its New York-to-Florida mail service. The stations on the circuit are located at Brooklyn, Newark, Hadley Field, Camden, Baltimore, Washington, Richmond, Greensboro, N. C., and Spartanburg, S. C.

Before a plane leaves Hadley Field for the South, full information is sent out over the circuit regarding the time of departure, the number of pouches, weight of the mail, the name of the pilot, direction of the flight, designation for the particular division it is flying and the number of the plane.

At the Camden Aircraft Show, held recently, the Eastern Air Transport Company asked the American Telephone and Telegraph Company to install a telephone typewriter in the Convention Hall during the week of the show. The set was bridged in on the New York-Atlanta circuit.

A United States Weather Bureau Station is located at Newark Airport, and is in touch with points west by telephone typewriter. The information is sent over wire from Cleveland to Hadley Field and thence to Newark. A complete record of the weather is kept constantly on file.

Hadley Field, incidentally, is not only on the teletype circuit, but also possesses a short-wave radio station, over which it broadcasts the weather reports it receives.

The majority of New Jersey's airports do not, of course, have telephone typewriter equipment, but do, nevertheless, depend upon the telephone to secure weather information.

WHAT WELL-DRESSED 'CENTRAL' WORE IN 1886



Bone-ribbed coats, busties, wrist-length sleeves, and dresses that were really long, and none of your skimpy things up around the knee, were "de rigeur" for women's wear at a telephone switchboard of 1886. This photograph shows the difficulties that those early "hello girls" labored under, in cumbersome clothing and at a switchboard that, while the best of its day, contrasts unfavorably with 1930 ideas and methods in telephone central office operation.

Kopweh—Do you think the dead can communicate with us?

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PASSION PLAY IN PHILADELPHIA

Sacred Drama Presented by Fassnachts of Freiburg at Metropolitan Opera

The magnificent presentation of the Freiburg Passion Play, coming to the Metropolitan Opera House for 2 weeks only beginning Jan. 19th. In a short time the transformation of the vast theatre into a medieval temple, and mounted the sacred drama from the Black Forest with a reverential splendor which will win the awesome admiration of the Philadelphia audiences.

Whatever one's religious belief, or whether one has any or not, if one has imagination or appreciation of the sublime, he must be impressed by the setting forth on the stage of the world's greatest drama as done by the earnest and simple folk of Freiburg. Necessarily theatricalized somewhat for indoor performance with a panoply of costume and the radiance of artificial lights, nevertheless the version of the tragedy which has influenced the lives of more human beings than any other either lived or enacted, is a moving, stirring spectacle. Unless the audience be entirely callous, and impervious to the beauty in the idea of personal sacrifice for the good of humanity, it cannot fail to respond to the spiritual appeal of the setting forth of the final days and the agony of the Man of Galilee.

This Freiburg version of "The Passion Play" was first acted in 1264, when the liturgical mysteries were common everywhere on the Continent. Through various interesting transformations it has developed into the full story of Christ's entrance into Jerusalem, the expulsion of the money changers from the temple, the Last Supper, His betrayal, the faltering judgment of Pilate, the grim march to the hill, the rude gaming of the rufflians at the cross, the claiming of the body, the resurrection and the ascension. Such mystery plays the monks of old acted in the cathedrals to teach the laity, and in the course of time the plays came out of the cathedrals to the squares, where the village craftsmen acted them. At Freiburg, at Oberammergau, for that matter, and in other places they are still kept in existence, chiefly for out-of-doors playing.

So they come down to us burdened with the long history of the common people—relics of common aspiration; they are bursting and stained with humanity. Since 1760 the Freiburg "Passion Play" has been not only a tradition of that Black Forest town, but of the Fassnacht family, one of whom now plays the Christ, another Judas, and four others play minor parts. Every three years they perform it in Freiburg. Since August the company has been mounting the "Passion Play" throughout the Middle West, augmenting the Freiburg troupe everywhere with great bodies of the local people, and training the local choirs. Inasmuch as the modern theatre has developed consistently from the life of the common people, this relic of 700 years ago—as sacred as the blessed relics of the church—should move us, if only by its picture of the common aspirations of mankind.

Staged in the tremendous spaces of the Metropolitan Opera House with a lavish hand. On the platforms running out from either end of the stage the courts of the High Priests and of Pontius Pilate hold their ceremonies. Across the stage trudge endless processions of centurions, priests and Pharisees, and huge crowds follow at the heels of the apostles and the soldiers; camels, sheep and asses stride through the mobs.

Wrought as spectacles, the great scenes are tremendously impressive. After the dumb show on the steps of the temple, the entrance of Christ, heralded by the cries of the mob and the waving of palms, is a scene of great force, reaching a beautiful climax with the arrival of Adolph Fassnacht as the Christ seated upon a lowly ass. The Tableaux of the Last Supper, following closely the Cenacalo of Da Vinci; the scene in the Sanhedrin, in which Judas repents of his betrayal; the spacious skyline scene, in which Pilate lets the howling mob choose between Barabbas and Christ; that in which Christ moves off wearily with His cross, and the crucifixion scene, are deliberately wrought and finely impressive. Well staged, well lighted, they have visualized enduring moments without over-elaboration.

Adolf Fassnacht plays with simple conviction the Man of Sorrows, even though he seems to fall into the attitudes of some of the great paintings, as in the Last Supper of Da Vinci and the well-known representation of Christ in Gethsemane, of Hoffman. The crucifixion is impressively handled and also the descent from the cross. Willi Ehrhardt Fassnacht as Judas acts with more histrionism than any of his fellows, being particularly effective in the betrayer's remorse before the Sanhedrin. Pontius Pilate Caiaphas, the High Priest, are authoritative and convincing.

Pecan oil, which is made from the waste at the pecan-shelling plants, has been found to have a mild and agreeable flavor. It is said in Scientific American that the oil is of good quality and can be used for making salad dressings and other much used edible products.

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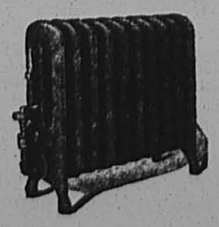
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HOFFMAN "MAKES GOOD" AS COMMISSIONER

When Dill retired from the office of motor vehicle commissioner, everybody bewailed the loss of the man who had rigidly enforced the laws in this important state department. It was said by Republicans and Democrats alike that the department could not possibly operate on the same high plane with a new man in charge.

That theory has now changed. Commissioner Hoffman has "made good", so far as the conduct of the department is concerned, and he won public confidence with his frank discussion of the affairs of the agency.

According to reports that filter out of Trenton, the new commissioner is just as fearless as was Dill. Wire pulling for persons who have lost their licenses is no more effective than it was in the days when a politician attempting such a feat was the target for some scathing remarks from the widely known and unapproachable Mr. Dill.

While the denounciation of "go-betweens" may not be so loud and spectacular, police say refusals to pay attention to appeals of friends are equally firm.

Drunken driving, the greatest menace of the road, is looked upon by Commissioner Hoffman as "the most unforgivable of all motoring crimes." During 1930 he set a new mark for New Jersey, revoking 2,069 license for this offense.

While the commissioner has also gone on record as favoring a fair trial for the accused drunken driver by demanding that the physician who issues a certificate of intoxication appear in court to back up his decision, Hoffman nevertheless intends to force the issue if the driver is proven guilty and has announced that he will insist that police and judicial officials "stand up" fearlessly in the prosecution of drunken drivers despite frequent attempts to quash the charges because the operator, by social or political standing, happens to have influence in the community.

Hoffman is taking his job seriously. He has attacked the present liability laws as inadequate and abandoned the annual inspection of motor vehicles because there are no laws making the inspection mandatory and the department has no authority to act in event that the inspection reveals an automobile is not fit to run on the streets.

It is hoped that legislature will see fit to pass laws that will give Hoffman's department the required authority to handle the motor vehicle situation in the state in the most efficient manner possible.

WHAT KIND OF A YEAR WILL 1931 BE?

Nineteen thirty-one is here!

It is here to stay and we will have 365 days of it.

The kind of year that it will be is to be decided by the people. If they continue to cry hard times, it will be a typically "hard times" year. If they look upon it more optimistically, it will be much brighter than 1930.

The fact of the matter is that 1930 was probably not nearly so bad as it was painted. Much of the pessimistic talk came from the gloom spreaders who seem to delight in broadcasting bad news. They are chronic kickers. When business conditions improve, you will find them complaining about something else. It is always the same story.

A striking example of this thought may be found in men who have had steady work for years. Their type of employment is such that they are reasonably sure that they will continue in the work, should they desire, until they reach the age of retirement and will be given a pension. Everyone knows of many of such men and everyone knows that in many cases their salary has not been reduced.

But what are they doing today? Spreading cheer with optimistic talk? Indeed not! Instead of thanking Providence for their good fortune, many of them have been crying "hard times" the loudest. Their conduct has been unpatriotic, to say the least.

What has caused the closing of the numerous banks? Generally, malicious talk. Naturally the institutions have "frozen assets", but, if given a sporting chance, they would have come out on top. Instead, whispering campaigns were started, with "runs" on the banks resulting.

Times are generally what we make them and if we want more bank failures, more hard times, all we need to do is to allow the calamity howlers to have a free hand.

Ambassador Edge, in a statement to the press just before returning to France, struck an important note when he said:

"I think the present economic trouble is largely a state of mind. If the people would begin talking optimistically, the recovery would be hastened. The people must stop blaming the other fellow and put their shoulders to the wheel. There are no magicians to do it for them."

Former Governor Stokes has expressed similar ideas, declaring:

"Economic statesmanship seems to be at low ebb. With our inexhaustible resources, not over five per cent. of our workers out of employment, a payroll as great as the rest of the world combined, with an income from abroad of about $1,200,000,000, interest and installments on debts owed us by other nations, it would seem that this hysteria about hard times was unwarranted. If the same pessimism prevailed in hospitals that does economically throughout the country, the death rate would certainly be 100 per cent."

Let us, in a good old American fashion, knock this "hard times" hysteria "for a goal" and all do our bit to make 1931 a better year.

Thru the Eye of a Needle

By JAM URRAY

The Old Year, she has gone and went,
On Christmas we have gone and spent
Our goodly shekels, every cent.
We start the New Year broke and bent.

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Rubber roads are being experimented with in England. Now we are looking forward to long stretches of them in this country.

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"New York Clearing House to Quit Giving Numbers"—headline. What's this, a merger with the phone company?

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So far, we have received no request for our New Year's turkey wishbone; but, owing to the extraordinary congestion of the mails around Christmas this year, we are waiting a few days before concluding that our popularity is on the wane.

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Out-of-state columnists are continually knocking the color of our New Jersey license plates, and we can't say that we blame them; for every time we look at them we see red.

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Things are getting bad, bad, bad—and if something isn't done soon for we unemployed, we are very much afraid we will have to go to work.

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Buy Now!

Pity the poor failures when it's tight like this.

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At first we wondered who started deporting alien criminals, but we find out "it's just an old banish custom."

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They ran out of bread while stuffing our turkey, so they had to use "hot dog covers."—"Thar's rolls in them thar fills."

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It is said that when Miss Helen L. E. Doherty made her bow to society, the bill was $1,000,000. At those prices we prefer our own society; we wouldn't even nod.

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Someone told us that a paragrapher has just so many ideas, and no more, and when those ideas are used up his writings become mere drivel; we are still wondering when we are going to receive our share of ideas.

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According to a newspaper account, when two hunters appeared before him to settle a dispute over the ownership of a deer, "Recorder Lockman, with full dignity and formality of the law, ordered the meat to be equally divided; and the hide and head to be given to the one who won the toss of a coin." We wonder if they were brought before him for gambling, would he sentence them with an equal amount of "dignity and formality"?

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"Will Bequeaths Washington's Hair"—headline. Making someone heir to the hair, no doubt.

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Why Tailors Go Mad—

Many a stunning suit develops into a dunning suit before it's settled to suit.

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We had commenced to think we were getting old, but after a thorough examination of our Christmas booty, we are forced to change our opinion; for, believe it or not, there wasn't a single pair of suspenders nor a solitary couple of carpet slippers in the lot.

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Prince George was thrown from his horse while hunting with the Prince of Wales, according to a news dispatch.—Well, we asked the Prince to start riding again, through this column, and here is the proof that he reads it, no doubt. Perhaps he was too busy to fall, so his brother is "filling in" for him—sort of pinch sitting. It's the same thing, but with a little variation. We don't care who does the falling off, just as long as it isn't this column.

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Professor Haberlandt, a German physician, claims to have discovered a method of injecting intelligence into the human brain. The fluid which he uses is a heavily concentrated extract of the brains of oxen and calves. He calls it "gerebrotat." The blamed stuff may be all right, but, personally, we don't see what use we have for any more calves' brains.

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The next thing you know, M.D.'s will be giving an injection to their patients, so that the sick, lame, and lazy will be able to figure out a way to pay them.

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But some patients will just use the added intelligence to dope out ways and means to beat the medicos; in that case the Docs would have to take two shots to outsmart them: but that would eat up all the profits.

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We think it would be much better to let the people go on eating fish; it is easier to pronounce than "gerebrotat" anyhow.

WAY OF LIFE

BY

BRUCE BARTON

Killing With Kindness

Recently a young couple were subjected to the ordeal of a fashionable church wedding, and started joyously on their honeymoon.

They were a nice boy and girl. His only idea was to find a job at the bottom of some good business where he could carve out a career for himself. She had dreams of making a little home, keeping him happily, listening in the evening to the story of his day's adventures, and helping him by her love and enthusiasm to be a real success.

They had only one drawback, or rather six drawbacks; two sets of wealthy parents and two very rich old aunts.

While they were away the two aunts had an inspiration. They looked around secretly in the most expensive part of the city and picked out a swell apartment. They employed the highest priced interior decorators, and gave generous orders at the leading furniture stores.

When the couple came back to town they were met by all four parents and the two doting old maids. In a big limousine they were whisked up to the apartment. The lights were switched on. The old people waited expectantly for the exclamations of joy that would greet the splendid layout.

Too astonished to say anything, the poor little rich children gazed about them. Then suddenly the bride covered her face with her hands and burst into a flood of tears.

The older people thought that they were tears of joy. In clumsy fashion they began to comfort her, to tell her that what they had given her was nothing in comparison with what they would like to do.

Being a well bred young lady, the bride did not disillusion them. She mumbled some conventional words of thanks and held herself under control until they had gone.

She could not tell them—and they would not have understood—that they had done the cruelest thing imaginable; that they had destroyed her dream and robbed her of one of life's sweetest pleasures. They had tried to be so very kind, and they succeeded only in taking from her the joyful right of every girl to fix up her own little home for herself.

Most of us run no danger of hurting our children in the same degree. We are, fortunately, too poor to rob them very much.

Yet all parents need to be on guard a bit in this prosperous land. Let us have the good sense not to kill with kindness.

Let us give our kids a chance to enjoy the same grand pleasures which we enjoyed—the pleasure of selecting their own mates, making their own homes, and fighting their way up by themselves.

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TODAY and TOMORROW

SLANG

There is nothing new under the sun. A smart scholar has been digging into the classics of literature and finds that many expressions which are generally regarded as strictly modern slang are hundreds of years old. Alexander Pope, for example, the English poet who died in 1744, originated the expression "nobody home", to signify an empty-minded person. Dean Swift, famed as the author of "Gulliver's Travels", described a middle-aged woman as "no chicken."

The phrase "twenty-three", in the sense of "it's your turn to disappear", comes from Charles Dickens. In "A Tale of Two Cities" Sydney Carton, the hero, is awaiting his turn to go to the guillotine, in the French Revolution. The old women, knitting, call off the numbers as the executioner's victims pass. "Twenty-three", they call, and Carton is led to his death.

About the only "modern" slang that is really modern is derived from modern inventions. Shakespeare could never have one of his characters advising another to "to step on the gas", nor Dickens refer to an individual as a "flat tire".

FLYING

Col. Lindbergh the other day pointed out that the improvement in airplanes since he made his New York to Paris flight has been so great that it is only a question of a short time, in his opinion, before the public takes to flying as it has taken to motoring.

Planes are safer, faster and carry larger loads than a few years ago. What is needed most is landing fields closer to the centers of towns, says Col. Lindbergh. "Where 90 miles an hour was a good cruising speed in 1927, now the same type of plane makes 140 miles an hour easily, and carries 1,200 pounds as against 400 pounds then. With increased safety, flying becomes a matter of routine like driving a car.

Col Lindbergh's opinions are entitled to respect. He probably knows more about both the science and the art of flying than anyone else living, and has proved himself a conservative and accurate prophet in the past.

WAKEFIELD

Nearly two hundred years ago George Washington's father planted two thousand cedar trees on the family estate, "Wakefield", near Fredericksburg, Va. Today that cedar forest is the scene of the greatest activity since the birth of the first President, for workmen are engaged in restoring the old house, which was burned on Christmas Day 150 years ago. The stone foundations and chimneys still stand, and a brick-kiln has been constructed to make bricks from the local clay, just like those of which the original house was built.

The restoration and preservation of the homes and birthplaces of the Fathers of our Nation is a splendid and patriotic undertaking. We paid too little attention in the early days to these historic sites, with the result that many of them have disappeared, never to be replaced.

WOOD

Nothing has ever replaced wood satisfactorily for the interior "trim" of buildings. With wood, effects can be obtained which are impossible with metal or composition. But the use of wood in large buildings in the cities has been discouraged because of the fire risk.

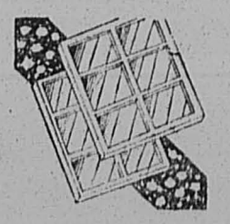
New York authorities are now experimenting with a new fireproofing method which seems likely to be adopted. It consists in soaking the wood in a chemical solution which, when heated, gives off a fire-extinguishing vapor and at the same time covers the surface of the wood with a protective coating.

In New York now wooden shelves, paneling, doors and trim are not permitted in tall office buildings and hotels and wooden floors are allowed only when laid over solid concrete.

GLUCOSE

"Corn sugar" is the fashionable word now for what used to be called glucose. As glucose it was violently attacked a quarter of a century ago by the cane sugar and beet sugar interests, with the result that the Department of Agriculture made a ruling that all food products containing glucose should be so marked on the label.

The effort to discredit glucose—or corn sugar—as an article of food, failed because it had no sound foundation. Now the Secretray of Agriculture has removed the restrictions on its use in prepared foods; the label does not need to tell whether corn sugar, cane sugar or beet sugar is used for sweetening. As Mr. Hyde says, corn sugar is about three-quarters as sweet as cane sugar and contains nothing detrimental to health. He estimates that the potential market for corn for the manufacture of sugar may be as high as 100,000,000 bushels a year, or nearly 4 per cent. of the nation's corn crop.



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This Week in WASHINGTON

BY RADFORD MOBLEY
AUTOCASTER WASHINGTON BUREAU

Out of the welter of conflicting policies, opinions and proposals which turned the first fortnight of the congressional session into confusion, three concrete steps were taken towards federal aid in combating depression.

These were the enactment of the $45,000,000 drought relief bill and the $116,000,000 emergency public works' bill, and the completion of committee work on the treasury-post office departments' annual appropriation bill.

To the latter, the first of the annual supply measures, should be added a general speeding up by the federal departments, at the instance of President Hoover, of a number of routine expenditures which would have been delayed for several years but for the unemployment situation.

The $45,000,000 which Congress authorized to be spent for drought stricken areas will form the backbone of the government's attempt to restore to many rural areas a measure of the prosperity taken away by last summer's prolonged dry spell.

The manner in which this money, which is simply and solely a loan fund, is to be distributed is in the hands of the President. Machinery for determining what security will be necessary, what proportion of it may be advanced, where the agencies will be set up, and the innumerable other details are all in the hands of the chief executive.

In view of his past experience and methods, the general view at this writing is that the President will utilize existing facilities where that is at all possible. This will mean the cooperation, probably, of the farm board, extension service and intermediate credit bank local agents in the areas which were hurt by the drought.

The fund as provided by Congress relies exclusively upon the President to decide upon what terms, for how long and in what amount loans will be made. The primary purpose of the loans will be to enable farmers to buy seed, feed and fertilizer, but on occasion loans for purposes related to raising crops may be made.

Supplementing this loan fund is the additional $116,000,000 of direct federal expenditure which has been made available for immediate use. The largest part of this money, $80,000,000 will go for road work. This will furnish rural areas with more direct new money in circulation than any other legislation thus far enacted by Congress.

To enable the states which do not now have funds available with which to match the federal money, part of the $80,000,000 may be advanced as a loan. Under the law the states must expend the same amount as the federal government, or more, before federal-aid road money is available.

The amount each state will spend varies, depending on population, geography and other factors. Each state's allotment is turned over to the governor for expenditure at his discretion. Some states will be placing this money in circulations before this is printed.

Of the rest of the $116,000,000 bill, about $25,000,000 will go for rivers and harbors work. This will free a considerable sum of money and afford new work in widely separated sections. The Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio river valleys and tributaries; the Atlantic coastal system; and the Great Lakes are probably the principal beneficiaries. Still other sums for flood control construction, forest trail improvements in the national forests and for miscellaneous purposes will also assist recovery.

The federal public building program has been speeded up, meanwhile, to a point where it will be completed in seven years instead of ten, as contemplated when it was initiated in 1928.

The treasury-postoffice appropriation bill which will be passed in a few days makes $60,000,000 immediately available to assist in this work. All of this money, as well as the strictly federal work in the emergency fund bill, is expended by the various federal departments, direct without requirements of state cooperation.

As to the question of how these increased expenditures are to be met, a serious question arises which will probably lead to a prolonged battle before the session is over. The present outlook is distinctly against an increase in income taxes this year.

Although there is prospect of a treasury deficit, in fact a virtual certainty of one, President Hoover feels that wise spending, with elimination of the 1 per cent. income tax reduction granted last year, can avoid the need for increased taxes.

The Democrats in both houses agree with him thoroughly on this, but differ with him sharply on what is to be done if it becomes necessary to raise more money. They seek to tap the sinking fund of the national debt. Payments on the debt are now far ahead of schedule and could be completely stopped, temporarily, President Hoover has already declared himself opposed to this procedure.

The Judge's Josh.

Boarder—Come quick; two rats are fighting in my room.

Landlady—What do you expect for 50 cents, a bull fight?

Miss Gush—I just adore caviar, don't you?

Mr. Flush—I seldom listen over the radio and care little for those foreign singers.

Dusty Ike—Please, sir, I've a sick wife—could you help me out?

Business Man—I can give you a job next week.

Dusty Ike—Too late! She'll be able to go to work herself by then.

Fake—Lucinda paints and powders a good deal, doesn't she?

Bosch—Yes, when you kiss her it's just like eating a marshmallow.

Minnie—Do you buy shoes that pinch?

Tonka—You should hear my husband holler when he gets the bills for them.



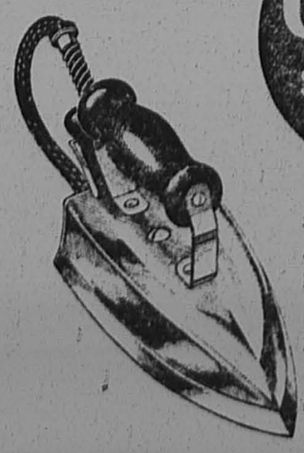
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PUBLIC SERVICE

RIVERTON ITEMS

Harry Giberson has moved from Cinnaminson to a farm near New Egypt.

Mrs. Robert Bertschy and daughter, Betty Lou, of Riverhead, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Burns.

Miss Virginia Good returned to Swarthmore Monday, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents.

The C. D. C. was entertained by Mrs. Rush Stevens, Washington avenue, Monday evening.

Jack Denneler, Jr., was a weekend guest of Woodrow Giberson on the Claymore Farm near New Egypt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chew entertained relatives over New Year's and the weekend. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woolley and sons, of Irvington; Mr. and Mrs. David Guber, of Cape May; Mrs. Robert Symington, of Pleasantville.

Miss Marion Hirst returned to Swarthmore College Monday, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents.

James Flynn has improved the front of his house on Thomas avenue by the addition of an enclosed porch.

Miss Louise Smith entertained the Alpha Phi Lamba at her home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Melvin Burr entertained at bridge Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Steedle and Mrs. Mike Faunce will leave Riverton Saturday for a motor trip to Florida where they will stay for several months.

James Burr has returned to Patchogue, Long Island, where he will resume his teaching duties after enjoying the holidays with his father, Paul C. Burr.

Miss Beatrice Stewart spent last week visiting friends in Glen Ridge, N. J., Brooklyn and Albany, N. Y.

Drs. Marshall Kerry, of the Episcopal Hospital and Ralph N. Johnson, of the Lankenau Hospital were guests of Dr. Henry Fox, Friday evening.

Gordon Black, of Portland, Oregon, and Miss Burns, of Philadelphia, were dinner guests, New Year's Day of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker.

Mrs. Howard Johnson, of Lincoln avenue, Palmyra, entertained the regular Tuesday afternoon card party at her home.

Mrs. H. E. Stewart enjoyed several days last week as the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Preston Hood, of Glen Ridge.

Don't forget the sauer kraut supper given by the ladies of the Golden Hour Circle of Calvary Presbyterian Church, Friday, January 16.

Miss Ernestine Stewart was the weekend guest of friends in Pottsville, Pa.

The many friends of Mrs. Robert Hullings will be glad to know she is around again after a very serious sickness.

Mrs. John Steelman, Mrs. William Hoffman and Mrs. Burton Wilson, of Leesburg, N. J., Mrs. Walton Steelman, of Dorchester and Mrs. Leslie Blackman, of Port Norris, were guests of Mrs. Laura B. Davis, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nesbitt entertained Dr. and Mrs. Clem Lynch, of Boston, Mass., and Mrs. and Mrs. John Kelly, of Merchantville, to dinner, Friday.

Miss Alys Ziegler, of New Brunswick, enjoyed a few days recently with her grandmother, Mrs. Alice Weigel.

The Odd Fellows of Palmyra, will give an initiatory degree in their hall Friday evening.

Miss Paula Woidill was a Sunday visitor in Egg Harbor.

The meeting of the candidates of the G. F. S will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30. The candidates will be addressed by their extension secretary, Miss Arnold, of New York. All girls are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nesbitt entertained at dinner Saturday evening, Jack Letts, of Mount Holly; Samuel Smith, Camden; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rogers, Burlington, and Miss Elizabeth Bloodgood, of South Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Delaney entertained Mr. and Mrs. Avin Christianson, of Merchantville, Sunday.

Miss Paula Woidill entertained friends from Philadelphia at dinner Saturday evening.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the I. O. O. F. will hold their meeting at the home of Mrs. Everett Wiggins, 604 Washington avenue, Palmyra, Tuesday, January 13.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Marcy, of East Orange, were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yost.

Mrs. H. M. Davidson is entertaining her sister, Mrs. H. H. Cope, of Madison, Indiana.

PALMYRA NOTES

Mr. and Mr. Harry Kenny, of Pear street, entertained at cards Saturday evening.

The Community Welfare assbciation is asking for contributions of boys' clothing. They need boys' trousers, size 14 and boys shirts, size 13. The association is also desirous of obtaining all kinds of clothing for children, boys or girls, all sizes.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rivel entertained several friends at cards last Saturday evening.

The American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps and Legion Auxiliary will hold another one of their regular monthly card parties in the Legion Home next Wednesday evening. All members and their friends are cordially invited to be present. The usual assortment of lovely prizes will be awarded the lucky players.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kemmerle, Sr., of West Broad street, are enjoying a week with relatives in Ventnor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Carroll, of West Broad street, enjoyed the weekend with relatives in Atlantic City.

Miss Louise Fisher, of Berkley avenue, spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Ferris in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. E. I. Powell, of Memorial avenue, is confined to her home with an attack of tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Longfield and children, Ruth and Buddy, spent Sunday with Mrs. A. B. Powell, of West Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, of West Sixth street, entertained relatives from Philadelphia Sunday.

Wesley Hallowell and family have moved into the Thomas Wells property on West Broad street.

The Community Welfare Association gratefully acknowledges receipt of the following contributions: George C. Baker, $25.00; Cash, $5.00; Epworth League of Epworth M. E. Church, $2.00 and the Needlework Guild of Palmyra, $9.95.

Miss Anna Rohland, who is a student at Bucknell University, returned to her studies Monday after enjoying the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Rohland, of Cinnaminson avenue.

The Palmyra Branch of the Needlework Guild of America will hold its first sewing meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. B. H. Erickson, 224 Morgan avenue, next Tuesday morning at ten o'clock. Box luncheon. Everyone is cordially invited to attend and make this a most successful meeting, as it is the first one of the new year.

Miss Kathryn Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Johnson, of Morgan avenue, who has been spending the holidays here, returned to her studies at Juniata College last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bowen, of Pear street, enjoyed several days last week with relatives in Newark.

J. Horace Finney, Jr., who is a student at Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., returned to his studies this week, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Horace Finney, Sr., of Morgan avenue.

Miss Janet Keenan, who is a student at the State Teachers' College, Harrisonburg, Va., returned home last week, after enjoying the holidays with her aunt, Mrs. George W. Long, of Cinnaminson avenue.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Christ Church, Palmyra, will hold a card party in the parish house, Wednesday evening, January 28. The usual number of lovely prizes will be awarded to the lucky players and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Maynard Lancaster and son, Maynard, of Richmond, Va., enjoyed several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Torbett, of Morgan avenue.

Mrs. Harry Kenny, of Pear street, entertained her aunt, Mrs. A. M. Jenks, of Long Island, over the weekend.

Mrs. Frank A. Snover spent the weekend with her parents in Stroudsburg, Pa. Mrs. Snover's son, Robert, who has been spending the holidays with his grandparents, returned home with his mother.

Mrs. William Randall and daughter, Miss Anna Randall, and Miss Sara Garron were the guests of friends in New Egypt, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Lamon, of Cleveland avenue, entertained Mrs. Lamon's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. March and Henry G., Jr., Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Schildhous, of Leconey avenue, dramatic reader, entertained the Camden Section of Jewish Women at a meeting in Beth-El auditorium, Park Boulevard and Belleview avenue, yesterday afternoon at two o'clock. A short musical program was presented by Mrs. A. Berul and her pupils, of the Parkside School of Music. Tea was served by the refreshment committee.

The Friendship Circle of the Epworth M. E. Church will hold its meeting in the church parlor next Monday evening. All members are cordially invited to attend.

The Misses Jeannette D'Autrechy and Agnes McDermott, local telephone operators were transferred to the Camden exchange this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Beadle and Mrs. William T. Payne, motored to Summit, N. J., Friday of last week.

Bobby Nash, of Philadelphia, who has been spending the holidays with Shelby Torbett, of Morgan avenue, returned home Sunday.

The Philathea Class of the Central Baptist Sunday School will celebrate its 21st birthday Sunday. The evening church service will be in honor of this event and the pastor will deliver a special sermon. All members of the class are cordially invited to attend.

The Philathea Class of the Central Baptist Sunday School will hold a food sale at the church Friday and Saturday, January 16 and 17. The specials on Friday will be fish cakes and vegetable soup and on Saturday, cruilers. Orders may be phoned to Mrs. M. M. Klotz, phone, Riverton 629.

Gorden Long, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Mallory, of Burlolme, enjoyed New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mallory, of Highland avenue.

The Women's Guild of the Epworth M. E. Church will hold its regular meeting in the Guild room next Thursday evening. The hostesses of the evening will be: Mrs. Nathan Beckley and Mrs. J. C. Mallory. A very interesting program has been planned by these ladies and a large attendance is hoped for.

The regular business meeting and social of the In-As-Much Bible Class of the Epworth M. E. Church was held at the home of Mrs. W. R. Harmon, of Morgan avenue, Tuesday evening.

Miss Myrtle Long, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Long, of Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. John Miesse, of West Philadelphia were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mallory, of Highland avenue, Sunday.

A meeting of the troop committee of the Riverton Girl Scouts will be held at the home of Mrs. Horace Ross, 913 Washington avenue, Palmyra, Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

There will be a meeting of the troop committee for the Riverton Girl Scouts, Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Horace Ross, 913 Washington avenue, Palmyra.

MEDFORD ITEMS

Mrs. Thomas Hayes, of Alexandria, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. George Appelgate, of Arlington, N. J., and Mrs. Sarah Lofton of Paulsboro, were New Year's Day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence G. Mingin.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church held its meeting in the Sunday School room on Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. This was the annual meeting and election of officers was part of the business program.

The Good Samaritan Class of the M. E. Sunday School will hold their next business meeting and social at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Atkinson, Thursday evening. Mrs. Eva Braddock will act as one of the hostesses.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist Church held its meeting of January at the home of Mrs. Annie Phifer, South Main street, on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. William Dyer and Mrs. Fred Branin were guests of Mrs. Harry Derrickson in Philadelphia on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Derrickson is a sister of Mrs. Branin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son on Sunday, December 28, at the Burlington County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert F. Branin spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hollingshead at Green Creek.

Letters and cards are being received daily by Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Consalo from their three sons and son-in-law, Frank, William, Anthony, and Louis Miraglia. The party left Medford on Tuesday, December 16, and after traveling through some miserable weather and several inches of snow at certain points, they are now enjoying a vacation at Miami, Florida.

William Malseed, of Medford, followed his usual custom on New Year's day and joined Silver Crown Club in the Philadelphia New Year's Shooters parade. Mr. Malseed has been a member of this organization for many years.

GATHER CLOTHES FOR NEEDY

The Milwaukee county council of the American Legion has established a clothes depot where veterans and their families in needy circumstances may secure needed articles of clothing. The Auxiliary county council is in charge of the distribution.

BACK PARK MOVEMENT

Several posts of the American Legion have voted to support a movement to convert the Des Moines city dump into a park and recreation grounds. The city dump is on the site of the original Fort Des Moines, from which the city of Des Moines has grown.

LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

EPWORTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

J. William Lee, Minister

Sunday, January 11th, Rev. Kenneth Cornell of Wisconsin will be in charge both at the morning service at eleven and in the evening at 7:45.

Musical program for Sunday:

Morning: Prelude: "The Swan," San-Laus.

Processional—"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord."

Anthem—"How Lovely Are Thy Counsels."

Offeratory—"A Dream"—Ballett.

Postlude—"Postule in G"—Rink.

Evening:

Prelude, "Largo,"—Dusrack.

Processional—"Wonderful Words of Life."

Anthem—"Voice in the Wilderness"—Scott.

Offertory—"Intemezzo"—MacBeth.

Postlude—"Variations," Lord.

Epworth League at 7:00 o'clock Sunday evening.

Boy Scouts meet every Tuesday evening at seven o'clock. On February 12th the Scouts will hold then annual Father and Scout banquet.

The fourth quarterly conference will be held Tuesday, January 13th, at eight o'clock.

It is a joy to report that the pastor is rapidly improving and all are hoping he will be able to return shortly.

EPISCOPAL

Rev. G. J. McCormack Rector.

Composition is a great secret. In fact it is the secret of life. No one has more than the twenty-six letters of the alphabet, or the eighty-eight notes of the piano.

From the same alphabet the gangster writes a blackhand letter and the author a thrilling tale, and the scientist some life-giving discovery. On the same piano a child can toot out a nursery rhyme and Wagner creates an opera. Take what is close at hand and do your best! Do you know these lines by Edwin Markham?

"Here on the paths of every day—
Here on the common human way—
Is all the busy gods would take
To build a Heaven, to mold and make
New Edens. Ours the task sublime
To build Eternity in time!

A very delightful covered dish supper preceded the annual meeting of the St. Agnes Guild on Monday last. The report of the year's work was considered very excellent and much credit given to all the officers and members.

The election resulted as follows: President, Mrs. George Reber; vice-president, Mrs. Alfred Brunson; secretary, Mrs. William J. Zeller; treasurer, Mrs. William Branson. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Richard V. Hunter.

We are very glad to report our Missionary quota paid in full and know that all who helped will be gratified.

The annual meeting of the New Jersey branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held Thursday, January 15, in Christ Church, Trenton. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 10:30 a. m. The speaker will be Mr. Wallace, field secretary of the American Institute for Negroes. He will talk on the Voorhees School, for which we are raising our Corporate Gift.

Services Sunday after Epiphany:

10:00 Church School.

10:45 Morning Prayer and Sermon. "Man is born to trouble, as the sparks fly Upward."

8.00 Evening Sermon. "The Place of Faith."

The New Year Resolutions were fine—How is your courage?

BAPTIST

Rev. George Lockett, B. D., Pastor

The Grenfell B. Y. P. U will hold its weekly meeting on Friday evening at 7.30.

The B. Y. P. U. will have a supper and conference in the dining hall on Saturday evening next at which time they will discuss plans for work under the commission plan which they recently adopted.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Society will be held in the church on Wednesday of next week with the usual morning and afternoon sessions.

Services next Sunday as usual. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching service at 11:15 a. m., sermon subject, "The Glory of the Lord." Children's Church service in the primary department at 11:15 a. m. B. Y. P. U. service at 6:45 p. m. Evening worship at 7:45 p. m. Special sermon. The Philathea Class, celebrating its 21st anniversary will attend the evening service in a body.

Calvary Presbyterian

Calvary Presbyterian Church will hold its morning service of worship at 11 o'clock. The forty-five minute evening service, at 8 o'clock. All departments of the church school will meet at 10 a. m. The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 7 o'clock. All the young people of the congregation are cordially invited to meet with them in the Church School auditorium.

The Church School Workers' Conference will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mid-week service, Wednesday at 8 p. m.

The Semper Fidelis Bible Class will meet Friday evening, January 16th at the home of Mrs. Barnes.

The Golden Hour Circle will hold a sauer kraut supper Friday evening, January 16th, from 5 to 8 o'clock. Tickets 50 cents.

The Week of Prayer services will close with the service tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock.

FIRST LUTHERAN

The gospel of Jesus Christ is the good news of God's love and the way of salvation through faith. This is the punctual message of the church and of every Christian.

We seek to inspire a closer fellowship with the Savior and to call every soul to the only One who can give life.

The sermon theme next Sunday morning will be "Jesus Christ the Only Savior," and in the evening, "Bought With a Price."

Other activities of the week include the play, "Let's All Get Married." This sketch will be presented by the Dramatic Club in the church basement Saturday evening. The Luther League will meet next Tuesday.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"SACRAMENT" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 11, 1931.

The Golden Text is: "The bread of God is he which cometh down from heaven, and giveth life unto the world." (John 6:33).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God" (Matthew 5:8).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "One's aim, a point beyond faith, should be to find the footsteps of Truth, the way to health and holiness. We should strive to reach the Horeb height where God is revealed; and the cornerstone of all spiritual building is purity" (p. 241).

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH
Riverton
Rev. Arthur S. Lewis

Holy Communion, 7.30 a. m.
Church School, 10.00 a. m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11.30.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8.00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
First Church of Christ, Scientist
Thomas Ave. and Seventh St.
Riverton

Sunday School 9.30 a. m.
Sunday services, 11 a. m.
Subject, "Sacrament."
Wednesday 8 p. m.
Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2.30 to 4.30 p. m. All are welcome.

Epworth M. E. Church
J. William Lee, Minister

10.00 a. m. Church School.
11.15 a. m. Morning Service.
6.45 p. m. Epworth League.
7.45 p. m. Evening Worship.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8.00.
Wed., 8 p. m., Mid-Week Service.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Craeger, Pastor

10.00 a. m. Sunday School.
11.15 a. m. "The Stewardship of Money. 3. "Giving and paying in the Kingdom of God."
7.00 p. m. Luther League.
8.00 p. m. Thank Offering Service.

Calvary Presbyterian Church
Riverton, N. J.
Charles T. Bates, B. D.

Church School, 10 a. m.
Morning Service, 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock.
Evening Service, 8.00 p. m.

MORAVIAN CHURCH
Albert J. Harke, B.D., Pastor

Sunday School, 9.30 a. m.
Morning Service, 10.40 a. m.
Evening Service, 7.30 p. m.
Evening Service, 8.00 p. m.

PARADE MARKS SEATING OF PEMBERTON'S MAYOR

Pemberton borough celebrated the induction of a new mayor into office last Thursday with a street parade of 200 gaily decorated automobiles and two bands. The new chief executive is William H. Hartman. Placards celebrating Hartman's victory over a ticket supported by Freeholder William H. Heisler and Willard Wells, borough Republican leaders, and a hearse drawn by two mules were in the procession.

Panama Canal Post 1 of the American Legion has an active employment committee. Chairman Edward E. Tatelman recently reported that he has been able to place about fifty per cent of the applicants for employment.

St. Louis, Mo.—William Freeman, a Negro, believing he had shot his wife to death, drove his car on a bridge over the Mississippi river, and leaped to death. His wife was only slightly wounded.

MARLTON NOTES

Miss Margaret and Dorothy Ivins, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ivins, spent last week with their aunt at Haddon Heights.

A covered dish luncheon will be held by Marlton W. C. T. U. on Friday, January 16, 1931, at the home of Mrs. Walter B. Winner at 12:30 o'clock, in celebration of the anniversary of the adoption of the 18th Amendment to the Constitution of the U. S. All members and any interested friends are cordially invitted to come.

Marlton Grange held a "safety" meeting on Tuesday evening, at which an address was made by a member of the New Jersey State Police. The entire lecturer's program was in keeping on the topic of safety.

Dr. and Mrs. Flave Corpening, of Marlton, attended the charity ball for Cooper Hospital benefit, held in Camden last week.

The regular meeting of the Marlton Branch of the American Red Cross will be held at the home of Mrs. George Wright on Thursday evening, January 8, at eight o'clock.

BROTHERS ARE HELD ON ASSAULT CHARGE

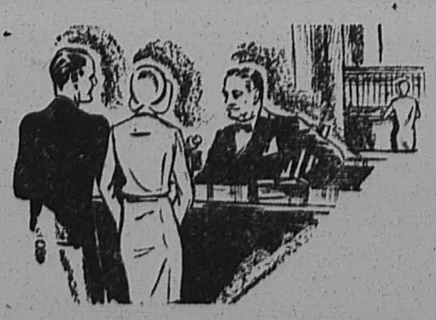
Twe Burlington Men in Mount Holly Jail In Default of Fine

Harry Sypeck, of Burlington, b under $5,000 bail, and his brother, Stanley Sypeck, under $300 bail, on a charge of assault and battery on Stella Yuzak, of Riverside, by Justice of the Peace Enoch Johnson, of Delanco township. Both are in the county jail at Mount Holly in default of the bail.

Sunday night of last week the property of Alex Yuzak, husband of the woman in the complaint, was raided by the sheriff and his raiding crew. The man and his wife were held under bail on liquor charges. Now following the raid hearing the Yuzaks say they will bring charges against the Sypeck boys, who they claim were responsible for the raid. The Sypeck brothers have retained G. Howard Stackhouse to defend them.

CUB SCOUTS ORGANIZED

Greenville Post 3 of the American Legion is organizing a troop of Cub Scouts. Rev. J. Edgar Stockman is to be Scoutmaster. Cub Scouting is for the boys too young for the regular scouting and is to prepare them to become a regular Scout.



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State's Largest Toll Center Taking Over Entire Building

Increasing desires of New Jersey people to talk to the far as well as near corners of the earth are being met by telephone engineers who recently have completed a large addition to long distance telephone equipment in New Jersey's largest voice gateway to the world, located in the nine-story telephone building at 281 Washington street, Newark.

Through the narrow passageway provided by switchboards in this great long distance center voices converge from all parts of the state and from nearly all parts of the civilized world in their almost instantaneous journeys about the globe.

Here specially trained operators sit as highly specialized guides and direct the way for the thousands of voices from far and near which pulse through the hundreds of feet of switchboards daily.

Here, also, skilled engineers are stationed, equipped with the most delicate of testing apparatus. They are the watchdogs of the long distance service with duties to keep a constant vigil on the vast net-work of wires in order that mechanical or line troubles shall not obstruct the voice pathways which are being provided in ever increasing numbers.

Largest Office in State

This building now contains the largest long distance center in New Jersey and one of the most important in the nation although ten years ago there was not a separate long distance switchboard in it or anywhere else in Newark.

It was that long ago when the first long distance board, a small affair occupying a minimum of space, was installed among many larger switchboards which were providing local telephone service for Newark. Since that time telephone engineers have been busy making additions to equipment and the long distance service has grown so rapidly that each addition, no matter how generously conceived, has never been adequate to care for growth for as long as the estimates planned.

Like the old fable of the camel that stuck its head in the Arab's tent and then went right on in and took the place over, long distance switchboards are relentlessly pushing local telephone boards out of their home in the Washington street building. The long distance equipment now occupies approximately four floors of the building and within the next two years all of the local equipment will be moved into a new building which is to be erected in Newark by the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company to make all nine floors of the present structure available for long distance expansion.

From the very beginning, New Jersey has occupied an important place in the development of the telephone. It was a New Jersey man, Edward J. Hall, Jr., of Elizabeth, who was one of the four founders of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, back in 1885, when the telephone was still considered pretty much of a fad and when probably the longest telephone circuit in existence ran between New York and Boston.

Early Purpose Is Realized

But the possibilities of expansion, even then, were apparent to these men as the original charter granted to the Bell System will testify. The purpose of the company, as outlined in that early document, was to connect by telephone lines each and every city and town in the United States with each other and with Canada and Mexico, and "by cable and other appropriate means with the rest of the known world as may hereafter become necessary or desirable in conducting the business of this association."

New Jersey's greatest long distance center, in Newark, may be considered a concrete realization of that early expression of purpose. From it direct lines run to distant cities, as far north as Montreal, Canada, as far south as Charlotte, N. C., and as far west as St. Louis, Mo. Calls are made from these switchboards to practically everywhere in the United States and to Canada, and by connection with the Long Lines long distance office at 24 Walker street, New York, the talking range for New Jersey folk is extended to include Mexico and that part of the world reached by transatlantic service, as well as ocean liners which are being equipped to provide ship-to-shore telephone service in gradually increasing numbers. In 1929 the average speed of long distance connections between Newark and all distant points was lowered to 2.2 minutes and recently a connection between San Francisco, Cal., and Newark was established in one minute. With additions and improvements which are being made to equipment almost continuously it appears that the elements of time and space are rapidly disappearing in transmission of the spoken word.

Install New Equipment

Within the last few weeks the installation of 64 new positions of long distance switchboard has been completed; a new system of pneumatic tubes for the rapid distribution of tickets has been installed, and other additions and changes to the long distance equipment have been made. Installation of this apparatus has required nine months of work.

Newark long distance operators at "outward" boards now handle directly all long distance calls originating in New Jersey communities bounded roughly by Passaic on the north, Westfield on the south, Summit on the west and east as far as the Hudson river. This office serves a far wider area as a switching center since calls to distant places from practically all points in New Jersey may be routed through the "through" boards at the Newark office. Because of this state wide service, equipment additions at Newark are made with a view toward improving the long distance service throughout the state.

Speed and accuracy are the watchwords in this wide provision of service and in the interest of the former, a pneumatic tube system has been placed in service to facilitate the handling of tickets covering long distance calls. These tubes run to all positions of the switchboards and connect with a central distributing and sorting desk, which in turn is connected by tubes so that tickets may be whisked away to a service observing desk or to the desk where tests are made for possible line trouble. These tubes are kept under two inches of vacuum and when operators place tickets in them the small amount of air entering with the ticket carries it to the desired destination. In this manner tickets are distributed in two or three seconds, whereas in the past such work has been done by the much slower medium of special messengers.

The story of the development of this long distance center to its present position as the fastest growing telephone office in New Jersey is another interesting chapter in the record of unprecedented growth which has taken place in New Jersey during the past decade. Records of the office provide a striking picture of the quickening of business and social life in the state as well as the substantial increases which have been made in population. The amount of long distance calling in August of last year was 31 per cent greater than in August of 1928, and the increase at that time as compared to August of 1927 was 30 per cent.

NEW IDEAS IN HOME MAKING



By ADA BESSIE SWANN
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Home Economics Department

NEW YEAR

I WISH you a New Year of peace, happiness, contentment and success in your home.

Father Time has ticked off another of his very full years of activity. As we sit in retrospect we wonder at the many and varied accomplishments of the year. With our remembrance comes also the thought of many things undone, many little jobs we had intended to do. Somehow the big jobs always get done. It's the little things that we let slip and those little things amount, over a period of time, to as much as some one big thing that we did for ourselves or our home.

As a man said to me recently, "in the big things of life, whether joy, sorrow, failure or success, a man and woman are as loyal as can be—but, oh, the little things!"

So after giving the mind its annual housecleaning and starting on a brand new year, let's resolve to make "the little things" the big things and get them done. Maybe it's the making over of last year's curtains to give them a more up-to-date style. Maybe it's the repairing of an old garment or a piece of furniture or equipment of which someone is very fond and the use of which he or she is missing, but doesn't tell us.

Let's make our New Year's resolutions for a better home and a happier family. It's a big job, but it's worth doing well. New Year's Day in Old England is a festive day indeed. The goose hangs high and standing rib roast of beef is included in the traditional meal.

New Year Dinner

Clam Juice Cocktail (Individual Portions)
Roast Beef
Yorkshire Pudding
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Spinach Souffle
Orange and Nut Salad on Lettuce
French Dressing
Pumpkin Orange Tarts

Roast Beef

5 lbs. rib roast of beef
Salt
Pepper
Flour
Drippings

Trim and wipe the beef with a damp cloth, rub with salt, pepper, flour, and tie into shape. The butcher will tie it in shape for you if you desire. Place roast on rack in roasting pan and set in a hot oven, 500 degrees to sear quickly. When meat is lightly crusted reduce to moderate, 350 degrees, and continue roasting, allowing 12 minutes to each pound of meat for a medium roast. Make a gravy from the drippings by using four tablespoons of drippings and four tablespoons of flour, cooked together, then add two cups of boiling water, pepper and salt.

Yorkshire Pudding

1 cup milk
1 cup flour
2 eggs
¼ tsp. salt

Mix salt and flour and add milk gradually to form a smooth paste, then add eggs beaten until very light. Cover bottom of hot pan with some of beef fat fried out from roast, pour mixture in pan one-half inch deep. Bake 20 minutes in hot oven, 425 degrees, basting after well risen with some of the fat from pan in which meat is roasting. Cut in squares for serving. Bake, if preferred, in greased, hissing hot iron gem pans.

Baked Onions

12 or 18 medium sized white onions
½ cup of shortening
Boil the onions in salted water for about 15 minutes. Drain off all the water. Arrange them in small baking pan, pour over ½ cup of shortening and bake for one hour, basting every few minutes.

Candied Sweet Potatoes

6 sweet potatoes
Butter
1 cup maple or brown sugar
¼ cup water

Pare the potatoes and boil until about half done. Drain and cut in lengthwise slices and lay in a shallow greased pan. Spread generously with butter and pour over them a syrup made of crushed maple or brown sugar and water. Bake in a moderate oven, 375 degrees, basting frequently with the syrup until the potatoes are transparent.

Spinach Souffle

2 cups cooked spinach
½ tsp. salt
⅛ tsp. pepper
2 tbsp. butter
3 eggs
1 cup top milk
1 tsp. baking powder

Chop cooked spinach, add salt, pepper and butter with unbeaten egg yolks and mix well. Add milk. Beat egg whites until frothy, add baking powder and beat until stiff; then fold into first mixture. Turn into greased casserole or baking dish and bake in a moderate oven, 350 degrees, 50 minutes.

Orange and Nut Salad on Lettuce

On nests of lettuce lay sections of oranges, sprinkle with chopped pecans. Serve with French Dressing.

French Dressing

¾ cup of oil
¼ cup vinegar
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. sugar
½ tsp. mustard
Paprika

Put all ingredients into a bottle and shake well.

Pumpkin Orange Tarts

1½ cups cooked pumpkin
1 cup brown sugar
½ tsp. salt
¾ tsp. cinnamon
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup rich milk
2 eggs (beaten)
¼ tsp. mace
¼ cup chopped cocoanut
½ cup orange juice
1 tsp. grated orange rind.

Mix the ingredients in the suggested order and bake in one crust in a hot oven, 425 degrees, ten minutes. Reduce heat to 300 degrees for about twenty minutes more until set.

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MOORESTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Stiles entertained at a New Year's Eve party at their home on East Main street. There were eighteen guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brick, of Marlton, entertained at a dance at the Walt Whitman Hotel, Camden, on Friday evening. There were nearly 150 guests present from Moorestown, Mount Holly and Marlton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stephenson, of Germantown, spent the New Year's holidays as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacAllister, of West Second street.

Miss Ruth McCrudden, a student at Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, returned on Sunday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick R. McCrudden, of Lincoln Terrace.

Mrs. Lillie Hamilton, of Washington avenue, will entertain the members of her bridge club this (Wednesday) evening. There will be two tables.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Freeman entertained at dinner and bridge at their home on Chester avenue, on New Year's Eve.

Miss Marie Johnson left on Monday to return to Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill., after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Johnson, of West Third street.

Edward Adams, of Lenola, is driving a new Essex car.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cheston Stokes, of East Oak avenue, entertained at dinner on Saturday evening. Covers were laid for twelve guests from Moorestown and Edgewater Park.

Miss Kathryn Paulsen entertained at a card party at her home on Chester avenue, on Friday evening. Guests included the Misses Edna White, Mary Haas, Ruth Baker, Ruth McCrudden, Dorothy Mullowney, and Verona Waldis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan W. Powell, and children, of Valley View Terrace, spent Sunday in Atlantic City.

Joseph Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Wolf, of East Main street, who has been spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, returned to New York University on Sunday.

Judge and Mrs. Joseph H. Gaskill, of Chestnut street, left on Friday to enjoy a winter's vacation in Florida.

Speeders on New Streets Warned

It has been brought to the attention of the authorities that there is considerable speeding on the streets of Palmyra, particularly on the streets newly paved.

This speeding is largely by young men who are acting thoughtlessly, and fail to realize the danger to the children crossing the streets or playing around the streets.

Persons on these thoroughfares, who are making complaints of this speeding, will oblige the authorities greatly if they will take the numbers of the cars so that the offenders will be apprehended and punished.

Mrs. Allen Tucker, of East Central avenue, entertained at a New Year's Eve card party. There were three tables of bridge.

Mrs. Percy B. Lovell, of "Shadow Lawn," East Second street, is spending two weeks with her mother in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. William J. McCahan, of New Albany Road, entertained at a dinner in honor of the visiting nurses and their guests on Monday evening of last week at the Community House.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Jackson, of Schooley street, Ruth Jean, was baptized in the Trinity Episcopal Church on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Street, Miss Helen Street and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Morgan and young son enjoyed a pleasant trip to Appleton, Md., on Sunday.

PHI NU CLASS

The lesson for next Sunday deals with the childhood of Jesus—how simple and commonplace it was; his obedience to his parents being one of the high points. How closely should parents keep track of their children? Which is the best rule—tyranny or fellowship? Your opinions and experiences will be of interest to us. Come out and join us.

The date of the regular monthly meeting has been changed to the second Monday of the month. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. P. B. Caldwell, 426 Linden avenue, Riverton, Monday, January 12th, at which time the yearly calendar will be distributed.

Publicity Committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Datis Reed are enjoying the winter months in St. Petersburg, Florida.

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BOYS THROW BLOCKS OVER SIDE OF BRIDGE

Philadelphia Youths Nabbed by Palmyra Police After Destroying Building Material

Four Philadelphia youths were arrested by Palmyra police Sunday night on disorderly conduct and malicious mischief charges preferred by officials of the Tacony-Palmyra bridge.

They were charged with throwing 54 concrete blocks, to be used for the construction of a new pump house on the bridge, over the side of the span.

The four gave their names as Joseph Greco, 16 years old, and Tony Greco, 20 years old, of 1218 Federal street; Henry Enasco, 16 years old, 1222 Federal street, and Fred Liegt, 20 years old, 1209 Federal street.

The first three were sentenced to pay a fine of $5 and costs each, while Leigh had a fine of $10 and costs imposed upon him, as this was his third arrest by Palmyra police.

LEGION AUXILIARY

The regular monthly Bugle Corps and American Legion Auxiliary card party will be held in the Legion Home next Wednesday evening. Playing will start promptly at 8:30 o'clock. New playing cards will be an attractive feature of this card party.

The Auxiliary and Post Rodgers wish to thank the Sigma Rho Tau for its very generous donation toward the Christmas baskets which were distributed by the auxiliary and the Legion.

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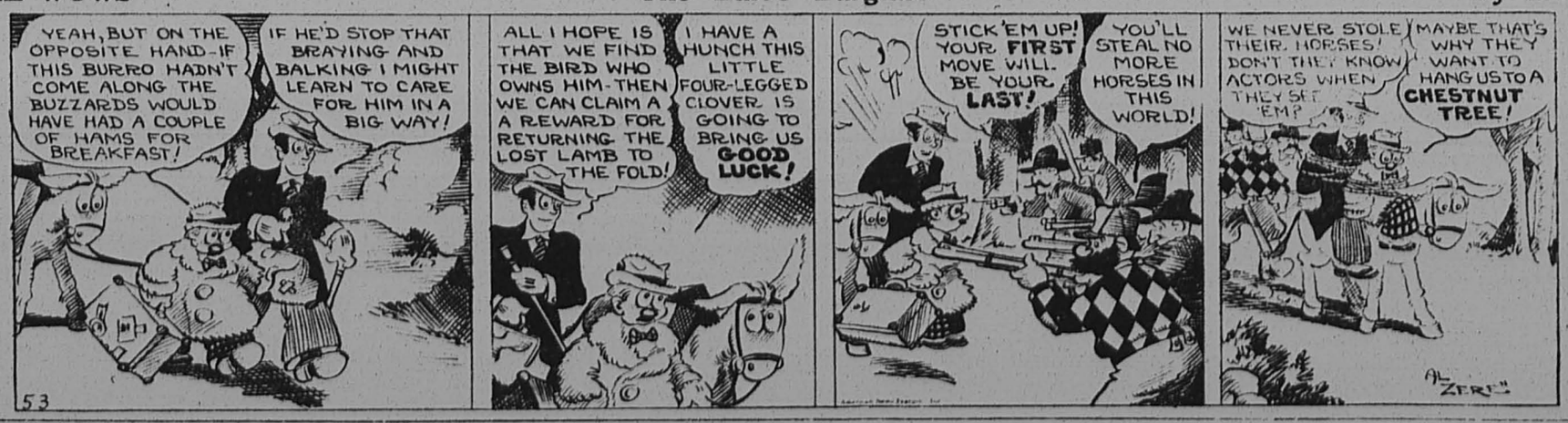
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ED LIPPINCOTT'S TEAM WINS EASILY

Captures Fall Bowling Tournament at Riverton Country Club

Ed Lippincott's team of young bowlers walked away with the Fall Bowling Tournament at the Riverton Country Club in a rather easy fashion. The only team that managed to take two out of three games from them was Leon Guest's team. Lippincott trimmed all other teams either two out of three, or took all three games.

Second place in the tournament ended in a tie with Bob Coale's and Bob Ayres' team deadlocked. In the "roll off" Bob Ayres' team won 2 out of 3 games and cinched second place.

There are about 100 members of the Club enjoying the tournament and considering the fact that the members bowl only once a week, some very creditable scores were made.

J. D. Clark has proven once again that he is the best bowler in the club by averaging 189 for the tournament, in addition to bowling the highest three games of 638.

M. R. Smith, of Beverly, turned in the best game of the tournament, with a score of 252. Smith had the hard luck to have a wide open "split" in the tenth frame which robbed him of a much higher game.

All the teams started over again on January 5th and the usual good fight for the final honors is expected.

Standing of Teams

	Won	Lost	Per.
Lippincott	28	8	.777
Ayres	22	14	.611
Coale	22	14	.611
Miller	21	15	.583
Clark	21	15	.583
Coe	19	17	.527
Dr. Brown	19	17	.527
Guest	17	19	.472
Dr. Lewis	16	20	.444
Yost	16	20	.444
Orlemann	16	20	.444
R. Graff	15	21	.416
Porter	15	21	.416
Evans	14	22	.388
F. Graff	14	22	.388
Bonsall	13	23	.361

NEW WATER POLO LEAGUE TO BEGIN

Tilts Scheduled at Moorestown Community House on Tuesday Evening

The first games in the newly formed Camden Suburban Water Polo League will be played at the Moorestown Community House on Tuesday evening, January 13. The first game will start at 7:30 o'clock.

Moorestown Community House will meet the Berlin team and the same evening Camden Y. M. C. A. will tangle with Riverside.

This is the first season for Moorestown in this kind of league and although the team may be new and inexperienced the boys who will swim for the local organization are sure to give a good account of themselves.

Charles Juliand, who is coaching the community team, has gotten together a group of boys who really want to play the game, and with this spirit they will make at least a creditable showing.

Among those who will see action on Tuesday night are McCourt, Convery, Griffith, Carr, Potts, Pooley, Showell, Zradshaw, Ritchie and Smith.

This water polo game, which was introduced in South Jersey last summer, is as exciting as football.

'SOX' SEIBOLD FINISHES 7TH IN EARNED RUNS

Riverside Hurler One of Most Improved Pitchers in National League; Finished 22 in 1929

Harry "Sox" Seibold, Riverside's representative in the major leagues, who pitches for the Boston Braves, finished seventh among the National League hurlers in earned runs per game, according to the final records published recently.

Seibold, who twirled independent ball around Philadelphia during the 1927 season, went to the Reading team of the International League in 1928 and finished the season as one of the league's leading pitchers and was sold to the Chicago Cubs for a reported sum of $50,000, but was traded to Boston before the 1929 campaign opened and that year he won 12 games and lost 17, finishing 22 in the earned run ranks.

Last year he was the Braves' aces, winning 15 and losing 16 and jumped to seventh place with an average of 4.12 runs per game, showing a vast improvement over his previous years record.

N. J. VEGETABLE GROWERS STUDY TRENCH IRRIGATION

An aftermath of the severe drouth of 1930 finds a number of New Jersey's vegetable growers studying the possibilities of the trench system of irrigation as a means of protecting their crops in dry weather. So states C. H. Nissley, extension service horticulturist of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station, who reports that the results obtained last summer by Angelo Quarella, of Landisville, have focused the attention of other growers on this method of irrigation. While his neighbors' crops were being burned by the dry weather last summer, Mr. Quarella's fields, watered by irrigation trenches, were producing 500 bushels of cumubers to the acre as well as bumper yields of tomatoes, California wonder peppers, and other vegetables. Cash returns obtained for last summer's crops more than paid for the installation of the entire irrigation system.



GROWING THE POINSETTIA

By A. C. M'LEAN,
N. J. Agricultural Extension Service.

Poinsettias are essentially Christmas plants, and many of them have been distributed as gifts during the holiday season. Many persons who receive poinsettias for Christmas will wonder what to do with them after the flowers fade.

Instead of throwing the plant away, as is so frequently done, let it remain dormant in the cellar until spring. Keep the poinsettia dry, but not dust dry. If the plant is brought up from the cellar in May, and repotted, it will begin to grow once more. Sink the pot in the ground cuidoors and keep the plant pinched back to keep it from becoming "leggy."

The poinsettia is essentially a short-day plant, which means it does not normally bloom until the short days of late November and December. The cuttings of the poinsettia root easily in the summer and the exact time for rooting cuttings depends upon the size of the plant desired. Even cuttings rooted as late as August will bloom along with the larger plants. The florist normally roots his cuttings in late July and early August.

If you wish to grow the poinsettia in the home next year be sure to give it plenty of heat, since this is essentially a tropical plant. Bring the plant indoors in early September and keep them in a sunny window in a warm room. It should do well as a house plant and bloom in time for Christmas. Being a native of the dry regions of Mexico, the poinsettia thrives in the dry, warm atmosphere common to many homes.

WINTER GARDENING

Those of you who wish to do some outdoor gardening during periods of moderate winter weather can prepare certain garden spots for the broadcast sowing of the hardy winter annuals. Bare spots in the garden may now be sown with the seed of California poppies, Godetias, Clarkias, and corn flowers. These hardy annuals will germinate in early spring, and they will need only thinning out to make a brave show. Other hardy annuals may also be sown now.

Merely clean off the vegetation that is now on the bare spots of the border or corner of the garden, level the ground, and sow the seed broadcast. It makes no difference if the ground is frozen.

It is advisable to lightly mulch the spots where these seeds are sown. This will prevent soil washing and excessive heaving. Be sure to remove the mulch in the early spring, as most of the hardy annuals start during the first few warm days and they will be smothered if the mulch is left on.

Spring sowing gives good results, but because it is necessary to wait until the soil dries sufficiently for planting, valuable time is lost. Fall or winter sowing saves time, and hardier plants are obtained. Moreover, it is one less task to perform when the spring rush is on.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for January 11

THE CHILDHOOD OF JESUS

Luke 2:40-52

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

Just a few weeks ago we had the fascinating details about the birth of Jesus at Bethlehem. We followed the Shepherds from the fields near Bethlehem to the manger cradle and worshipped with the Wise Men as they brought their gifts. Herod wanted to kill the Child who in time would become a King but this was prevented when Joseph obeyed the command from God to flee to Egypt with the Babe and Mary the mother. When all was safe another message told the carpenter to go back to Nazareth, their home.

At the age of thirteen the Jewish boy became BAR MIZVAH, a Son of Commandment. Then he was of age to take his place before the law and to have part in the various Hebrew feasts. When the next Passover came Jesus was taken to Jerusalem with the family. During those twelve years He had been taught as other Hebrew children. Parts of the Old Testament Scripture rolls had been His study books.

People usually traveled in groups in caravan fashion in those days and it was supposed that the lad Jesus was somewhere in the company until bed time came, the first night out from Jerusalem on the way back to Nazareth. Then there was consternation because of this Boy for the first time in His life. Haste was made to return to Jerusalem and the parents searched everywhere. At last they found Him in the Temple asking questions of the learned priests. He showed surprise that any search should have been made for Him for they should have really known that He would be in just one place—in the house of His father. The Golden Text describes the next 18 years: "Jesus advanced in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man", Luke 2:52.

PHS FIVE SCHEDULES 2 WEEKEND GAMES

Courtmen Will Travel to Trenton Tomorrow; Meet Alumni Saturday

The Palmyra High School court team will attempt to add to its list of victims when it travels to Trenton tomorrow night to meet the Capitol City five. Saturday night the Alumni team will be met on the Palmyra High School floor.

Trenton, a class "A" institution, has always been a strong contender for championship honors in South Jersey and again presents a powerful court squad this year. "Mickey" McNiff, flashy courtman now playing at the University of Pennsylvania is a Trenton High School product, while Jack Eisley, of Temple, and Leon Sloan, of Dickinson, are representatives of the Palmyra institution. All three players are of the same type as those which still attend their old schools, and as a result both teams will probably be about evenly matched.

The Alumni team will be without the services of some of the former outstanding players who are now attending college, but will present a strong combination nevertheless. Neither team has a decided edge. The High School basketeers have become accustomed to playing together, while the Alumni have added experience to that which they gained while in school. The game will probably be anybody's tussle, with the result in doubt until the final whistle.

BIG INITIATIONS HELD

Initiation ceremonies for two big American Legion classes were recently held in Detroit. Charles A. Learned Post had a class of 125 new members and Faust Post had a class of 108 new members.



PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER
Founder, Burlington County Aero Club

Do you know that every week-day, thirty-eight regularly scheduled passenger planes stop at Central Airport, Camden, to discharge and take on passengers? On the day before Christmas, the New York, Philadelphia and Washington Airway carried 266 passengers.

In spite of the driving rain Monday afternoon, the X-O-K, a new type plane built by the Keystone Aircraft Corporation of Bristol, for the United States Navy, was test-flown for the first time and very successfully, too.

And now news reaches us of the forming of the new Century Air Lines, Inc., to operate tri-motored Stinson planes on an hourly basis and at low fares between Chicago, Detroit, Toledo and Cleveland and Chicago, Springfield and St. Louis. Service will start March 9th and eventually will cover twenty states.

Wilmington is trying to secure an airport closer to the center of the city than the Bellanca Field which is six miles from town. If a field is secured, planes on the New York, Philadelphia and Washington line will stop on signal.

Did you say private flying was too costly? Former Senator Emmor Roberts of the Burlington Country Aero Club just had his ship overhauled and new parts necessary to put his engine in first class condition cost only $15. Can you drive your automobile over 200,000 miles and show us a new parts bill of fifteen dollars?

LENOLA

Mr. and Mrs. William Buggeln, and daughters, Louise, Ruth and Martha, of Revere avenue, spent the holidays with Mr. Buggeln's parents at Washington Place, Rutherford, N. Y. Mr. Buggeln's parents celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary last week.

A. W. Prichard, of New Albany Road, spent the New Year's holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Prichard, of Shamokin, Pa.

Mrs. Edward Bobb, of Revere avenue, entertained the members of her card club on Tuesday evening of last week.

Miss. Catherine Brown, of New York City, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Buggeln, of Revere avenue.

Bob Reed, of Bloomfield, Pa., spent part of the Chrisimas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Prichard, of New Albany Road.

Engaged

Miss Anne Follmer, of Valley View Terrace, announces the engagement of her niece, Miss Elizabeth H. Burr, to Raymond A. Karr, of Columbus, Ohio.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Burr is a graduate of the Moorestown High School, and Mr. Karr finished at Lehigh University, in Pennsylvania.

PALMYRA GIRL IS WED IN NEW YORK

"Little Church Around the Corner" is Scene of Hawkinson —Galloway Ceremony

The Little Church Around the Corner, New York City, was the scene of a lovely wedding on Wednesday of last week, when Miss Elizabeth W. R. Galloway became the bride of Alfred T. Hawkinson.

Miss Galloway is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Galloway, Jr., of 402 Cleveland avenue, Palmyra, and Mr. Hawkinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hawkinson, of Devon street, Kearney, N. J.

Miss Helen Galloway, sister of the bride, and Arthur Hawkinson, brother of the bridegroom, were the couple's only attendants.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the Hotel Pennsylvania, New York City.

The happy young couple are now enjoying a short honeymoon and will be at home to their many friends after January 15 at "The Gables", Apartment 8-B, 20 Claire avenue, Woodbridge, N. J.

Mr. Hawkinson is a graduate of Rutgers University and was also a teacher there for a short time. He took special medical course at the University of Munich, Germany. Mrs. Hawkinson attended Palmyra High School and is very well known in this vicinity.

P. T. A. DISCUSSION GROUP WILL MEET

A child discussion group of the Palmyra Parent-Teachers Association will meet in the study hall of the high school next Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. All persons and teachers who are interested are urged to attend this meeting. During the morning and afternoon of the same day, the Palmyra P. T. A. will be represented by its executive committee at the sessions of the Burlington County Council of the P. T. A. to be held in Masonville.

Report of Condition of the CINNAMINSON BANK AND TRUST COMPANY of Riverton

in the County of Burlington, at the close of business on December 31, 1930.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$ 466,187.43
Overdrafts	12.08
U. S. Government securities owned	80.88
Other bonds, stocks & securities owned	337,137.50
Investment in bonds & Mortgages	137,600.00
Banking House $12,000.00	
Furn. & Fix. $11,153.43	23,153.43
Real Estate owned other than Bank house	2,477.27
Title Plant	NONE
Cash and due from banks	81,781.19
Outside checks & other cash items	1,167.51
Other Assets	2,966.31
TOTAL	$1,125,581.20

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$ 100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits—net	63,293.00
Reserves for dividends, contingencies &c.	6,287.76
Re-bills payable, rediscounts & other obligations representing money borrowed & amounts due to banks, including certified & cashiers' checks outstanding	NONE
Demand deposits	1,169.94
Time deposits	525,010.13
Bills Payable & rediscounts	329,287.37
Other liabilities	NONE
TOTAL	NONE
	$1,125,581.20

State of New Jersey, County of Burlington, ss.

I, President E. L. Williams and Treasurer Howard B. Conover, of the above named institution, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. L. WILLIAMS,
President.
HOWARD B. CONOVER,
Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1931.

KARL W. LATCH,
Notary Public.

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Mrs. Elizabeth P. Dietz

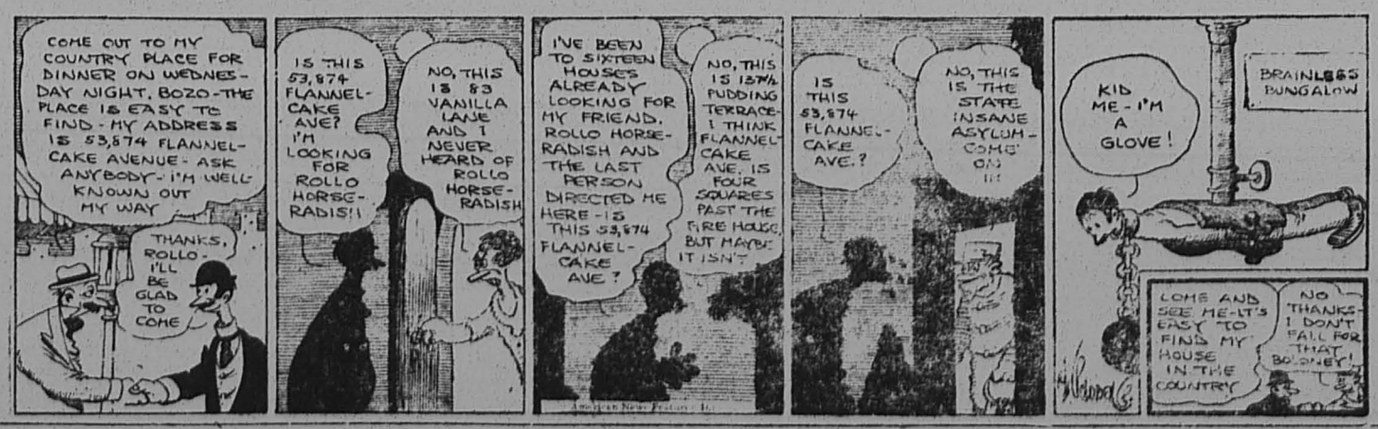
Mrs. Elizabeth P. Dietz, ninety-one years old, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas L. Morton, 700 Garfield avenue, Palmyra, Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Dietz was the widow of the late Charles M. Dietz. She is also survived by another daughter, Miss Carrie R. Deitz.

Funeral services will be private Interment will be made in Morgan cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

BOZO BUTTS—THEY DRIVE HIM NUTS

By RUBE GOLDBERG



YOU KNOW ME, AL — They Cleaned Him Out — By RING LARDNER



SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on:

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (to wit, at 2 o'clock) at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey:

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Township of Cinnaminson in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 93, known as Lots 54 and 55, Section B, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly line of Zeisner Street which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street two hundred forty-seven and ninety-one one-hundredths feet from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which said beginning point is also the northeasterly corner of Lot No. 56, Section B, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) at right angles to Zeisner Street south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lots 12 and 13, Section B, north twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west fifty feet to a point; which is the southwest corner of Lot 53, Section B; thence (3) northeasterly along the southerly line of said Lot 53, Section B, north sixty degrees, eighteen minutes and forty seconds east, one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zeisner Street; thence (4) southerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, south twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east, fifty feet to a point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 91, known as Lots 48 and 49, Section B, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, three hundred ninety-seven and ninety-one one-hundredths feet from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which said beginning point is also the northeasterly corner of Lot 50, Section B, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) at right angles to Zeisner Street, south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lots 18 and 19, Section B, north twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west fifty feet to a point, which is the southwest corner of Lot No. 50, Section B, on Plan of Bellevue; thence (3) northeasterly along the southerly line of said Lot 50, Section B, north sixty degrees, eighteen minutes and forty seconds east, one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zeisner Street; thence (4) southerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, south twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east, fifty feet to a point or place of beginning.

Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 93, known as Lot No. 7, Section B, on plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the southerly side line of Broad Street, distant two hundred feet on a course south seventy degrees forty seconds west twenty seconds west from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which beginning point is also the southeast corner of Lot No. 8, Section B, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) southerly along the westerly line of said Lot No. 8, Section B, north nineteen degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) at right angles to Broad Street, south seventy degrees forty seconds west twenty seconds west one hundred twenty-five feet to the northerly line of Broad Street; thence (3) easterly along the northerly side line of Broad Street, north seventy degrees forty seconds east twenty-five feet to the point or place of beginning.

Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 89, known as Lot No. 8, Section B, on plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the southerly side line of Broad Street, distant two hundred feet on a course south seventy degrees forty seconds west twenty seconds west from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which beginning point is also the southeast corner of Lot No. 9, Section B, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) southerly along the westerly line of said Lot No. 9, Section B, north nineteen degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) at right angles to Broad Street, south seventy degrees forty seconds west twenty seconds west one hundred twenty-five feet to the northerly side line of Broad Street; thence (3) easterly along the northerly side line of Broad Street, north seventy degrees forty seconds east twenty-five feet to the point or place of beginning.

Being approximately $16,014.52 to be satisfied with costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Dale Realty Company, a corporation, of, etc., defendant, and taken in execution at the suit of Mortgage Title and Mortgage Guaranty Company, complainant, and to be sold by

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated December 26, 1930.
Cook and Stout, Solrs.
12-11-18-25-1-8-22

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on

Thursday, January 22, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the said day (to wit, at 2 o'clock) at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey:

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Township of Cinnaminson in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey.

BEGINNING in the Easterly line of Cinnaminson Avenue at the Northwest corner of the William T. Heart Tract, as the same is intersected North and South along the Easterly line of said Cinnaminson Avenue, One Foot in front of or East from the Curb as laid by Riddell, Inc., engineers for the Township of Cinnaminson, and running thence (1) from said beginning point and parallel with the Northerly line of said Heart Tract, North eighty-nine degrees, twelve minutes and forty seconds East passing through the center line of a certain Drain Ditch at Two Hundred and Eighty-Six and Seventy-Five One-Hundredths feet to a point in the Southerly side line of Broad Street; thence (2) Easterly along the said Southerly side line of Broad Street, north seventy degrees, forty minutes and twenty seconds East, distance of Twenty-Five feet to a point or place of beginning.

Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 88, known as Lot No. 7, Section B, on plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the Southerly side line of Broad Street, distant Two Hundred feet on a course South seventy degrees forty seconds West twenty seconds West from the Northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which beginning point is also the southeast corner of Lot No. 6, Section B, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) southerly along the easterly line of said Lot No. 6, Section B, South nineteen degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds West one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) at right angles to Broad Street, South seventy degrees forty seconds West twenty seconds West twenty-five feet to the Northerly side line of Broad Street; thence (3) Easterly along the Northerly side line of Broad Street, North seventy degrees forty seconds East twenty-five feet to the point or place of beginning.

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ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated December 17, A. D., 1930.
Wm. D. Lippincott, Solr.
12-18-25-1-8-15

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on:

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (to wit, at 2 o'clock) at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey:

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Township of Cinnaminson in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 93, known as Lots 54 and 55, Section B, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly line of Zeisner Street which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street two hundred forty-seven and ninety-one one-hundredths feet from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which said beginning point is also the northeasterly corner of Lot No. 56, Section B, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) at right angles to Zeisner Street south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lots 12 and 13, Section B, north twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west fifty feet to a point; which is the southwest corner of Lot 53, Section B; thence (3) northeasterly along the southerly line of said Lot 53, Section B, north sixty degrees, eighteen minutes and forty seconds east, one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zeisner Street; thence (4) southerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, south twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east, fifty feet to a point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 91, known as Lots 48 and 49, Section B, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, three hundred ninety-seven and ninety-one one-hundredths feet from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which said beginning point is also the northeasterly corner of Lot 50, Section B, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) at right angles to Zeisner Street, south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lots 18 and 19, Section B, north twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west fifty feet to a point, which is the southwest corner of Lot No. 50, Section B, on Plan of Bellevue; thence (3) northeasterly along the southerly line of said Lot 50, Section B, north sixty degrees, eighteen minutes and forty seconds east, one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zeisner Street; thence (4) southerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, south twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east, fifty feet to a point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 216, page 89, known as Lot No. 8, Section B, on plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the southerly side line of Broad Street, distant two hundred feet on a course south seventy degrees forty seconds west twenty seconds west from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which beginning point is also the southeast corner of Lot No. 8, Section B, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) southerly along the westerly line of said Lot No. 8, Section B, north nineteen degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) at right angles to Broad Street, south seventy degrees forty seconds west twenty seconds west one hundred twenty-five feet to the northerly side line of Broad Street; thence (3) easterly along the northerly side line of Broad Street, north seventy degrees forty seconds east twenty-five feet to the point or place of beginning.

Being approximately $16,014.52 to be satisfied with costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Dale Realty Company, a corporation, of, etc., defendant, and taken in execution at the suit of Cinnaminson Building and Loan Association of Riverton, New Jersey, complainant, and to be sold by

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Sheriff.

Dated December 17, A. D., 1930.
Wm. D. Lippincott, Solr.
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YOU, YOUR CAR AND THE MOTOR LAWS





By Harold G Hoffman
Commissioner of Motor Vehicles

EDITOR'S NOTE: The twenty-eighth of a series of articles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles is presented by this paper as its part in the campaign of education to familiarize motorists with the regulations which govern their conduct on the road.

XXCIII. POLICE AND TRAFFIC.

The serious violator of the traffic laws falls into various categories. He may be a good driver insofar as the ordinary operations of the car is concerned, but when it comes to obeying the regulations, he is a far more dangerous person than the man who may not be so skillful in handling the controls. He is the man who runs past "Stop" signs, who ignores the rights of pedestrians, speeds through school zones or crowded thoroughfares, crosses an intersection on the wrong traffic light, and drives while under the influence of liquor.

In other words, this type of driver is so abominably selfish and scornful of the law that any persuasive means are of little use.

It is self-evident that we cannot countenance conduct of that sort for a moment. "Stop" signs are useless, in fact they become actually dangerous if only four-fifths of the drivers really obey them. The remaining one-fifth can absolutely nullify them, for under such conditions traffic cannot move as expeditiously as it might if every driver proceeding on a boulevard protected by those signs could expect everyone to obey them.

Lights Must Be Watched.

The same statement goes for intersections controlled by automatic signal lights. The traffic light has relieved the policeman from doing duty in the center of the street, but they still call for an alertness on his part to their violation. And it is a fact that must be considered that a "stop" sign or traffic light will only add to confusion and danger if automobile drivers are permitted to disregard it at will.

Reckless driving is another evil with which the police authorities must cope. The law defines the reckless driver, and once apprehended he can be convicted. There appears to be a trend upward in speed limits on the open road, but in our residential and business districts safe driving must be held within restricted limits.

I have referred to a few of the more flagrant violations of the traffic laws which can be traced directly to the driver's state of mind. There are other problems that can be credited to conditions which tend to increase the hazard of driving.

There is the problem of congestion. Eliminating congestion by street widening is possible only to a limited degree. We must take conditions much as they are and adapt them to the increasing volume of traffic. This may be done by designating certain thoroughfares as through, boulevard streets, making others one-way streets restricting or prohibiting parking. These methods will be effective only if strictly enforced.

Condition Contributing Cause

Investigation has shown that few accidents may be credited chiefly to mechanical defects of an automobile. But one survey showed that in nearly half the number of mishaps studies, the condition of the car was a contributing cause. A continuous effort must be made to rid the streets of unfit cars.

Some cities have found it beneficial to maintain public stations where headlights may be adjusted without cost to the owner. Improperly focused headlamps are not difficult to detect. To focus them is another matter, but when the beam is tipped above the horizontal it is sufficiently apparent to the policeman on traffic duty and it is a comparatively simple matter to detect this very annoying feature of motoring.

I do not believe in wholesale arrests. The policeman on traffic duty is dealing not with hardened criminals, but with the well-meaning citizen who, for the most part, wants to do the right thing and occasionally fails. I believe that a sympathetic attitude on the part of the policeman, rather than an antagonistic state of mind will be far more productive of good.

BOY LOSES PART OF HAND IN DYNAMITE BLAST

When a dynamite cap exploded in the hand of Irvin Broy, 9, late last Friday, the thumb and index finger of the right hand were blown off. The boy is the son of Charles Broy, who lives with his wife and nine children in a tenant house on the farm of Harold C. Joyce, Bayrestown road near Medford. He said he found a box of the caps in a field.

CHILDREN TO COMPETE IN IN FARM PRODUCTS SHOW

New Jersey school children, many of them engaged in boys' and girls' 4-H club work or studying vocational agriculture, will participate in the activities of Agricultural Week, January 27 to 30, in Trenton. For the first time in the history of the event, which was inaugurated 16 years ago, a special class in the Farm Products and Equipment Show has been arranged for boys and girls who own and manage poultry flocks. The class is for entries of one dozen eggs, either white or brown, and is open also to children studying vocational agriculture or engaged in 4-H club work. Suitable prizes will be awarded to winning exhibitors.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

By Nancy Hart

CREAM DRESSING

Two and a half tablespoons of mustard.
Eighth of a tablespoon of white pepper.
One saltspoon of salt.
Two tablespoons of tarragon vinegar.
Three-quarters cup of cream.

Method:—

Mix and sift the mustard, white pepper and salt. Moisten them with the vinegar and add two tablespoons of the cream. Beat the rest of the cream until it begins to stiffen; fold in the first mixture until ingredients are thoroughly blended, and continue beating till the mixture is stiff.

This is a rich dressing.

Lemon Jelly

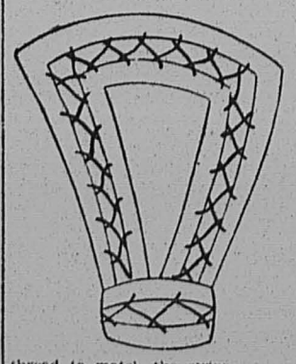
One box gelatine soaked in one pint of cold water. Add juice of three lemons and one orange, an inch of stick cinnamon and one pint of hot water. Bring to a boil, strain and mould. Serve with custard and whipped cream.

VERY LATESTS

By MARY MARSHALL

Fagoting may be done with ribbon, flat braid or bias strips of material, or with ready-made seam binding. If you use the strip of material, cut them on a true bias wide enough so that after they have been turned in about an eighth of an inch at the edge the strip is of the required width. Having got the ribbon braid or strips of the desired width trace off on heavy paper the butterfly design shown in the sketch. Baste the strips in place, turning sharply at the corners. Next sew the corners down with fine overhanding done with





thread to match the strips.

Simple fagot stitch is used here. To do this, thread a needle with buttonhole twist or twisted embroidery cotton, begin at the left side of two rows of strips and work from left to right, then from right to left, recrossing at even intervals along the edge of the bands of ribbon. The twist in the thread is obtained by passing the thread of each stitch under that of the preceding stitch. If you have never done fagoting before, you had best experiment a little on scraps of material to perfect yourself in the technique of the stitch, which is not at all difficult.

Where a row of fagoting is to be done between a strip of material and a solid piece of material, the latter should be finished with a narrow hem which should be hemmed by hand before the fagoting is begun. After the work has been completed you should spread a slightly dampened piece of muslin over the work and press well before pulling out the bastings and taking from the paper.

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MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY

BY ERNEST CAMP JR

Farewell to Broadway:

Good-by, you gaudy circus
Of splendor, lies, and lights
A merry mask for heartbreak—
Of gin and jazz and nights . . .
Farewell, you Painted Lady,
You and your hurrying pack
I'll think of you occasionally—
And wish that I were back!

IF ONLY—

George Bell (that wasn't his name) had been arrested on a criminal charge. After several months at liberty on bail, the grand jury heard his case. Bell went home to await their decision.

That was on a Friday.

He waited—an eternity of mental agony—through a sleepless Friday night. Through a long, long Saturday. And the maddening, slow hours of Saturday night. When Sunday dawned he told himself he could stand the ordeal no longer. He shot himself. That night, in a hospital he died.

Meanwhile, down at the postoffice, a letter waited for him. It was just a brief note, signed by the prosecuting attorney. It informed—or was intended to inform—the accused man that the jury had failed to indict him.

RELATIVELY SPEAKING

In this town of incurable wisecrackers, Professor Einstein, during his recent visit, showed that he is no back number himself.

Harassed for a concise explanation of his Relativity Theory, he finally broke down as follows:

"If a man holds a good-looking girl in his lap for an hour it seems like a minute, but if he sits on a red hot stove for a minutes it seems like an hour. That's relativity."

GOING TOO FAR

Notwithstanding, there was no excuse for an incident that happened a few nights ago.

A friend, dropping in at my pea-green apartment, spied a humorous college magazine on a table.

"The Yellow Jackets," I said chestily. "Swell little mag. My brother is one of the editors."

"Hip-horray!" the smartest exclaimed. "At last—a writer in the family!"

HELP!

A little group of Serious Drinkers were in argument. The conversation turned philisophical.

"All right," hiccuped one of the stews, addressing a newspaper man next to him,—"all right, what have YOU done for the world?"

"Me?" came the instant rejoiner. "Why, I sold advertising for The World."

THE HEIGHT OF SOMETHING

Every small boy, at some stage of his career, has a consuming ambition to become a cowboy. Later, his ambition is to be a railroad engineer. But my great, Suppressed Desire was different. I wanted to ride through the streets of Monroe, Ga., in clown costume playing "Sweet Rosie O'Grady" on a steam calliope.

Maybe I missed my calling. All who agree with me please signify by—no, never mind.

LIONS 'N' TAGGERS

New York recently witnessed for the first time a complete circus presented on a theatrical stage. The Jolson theatre, on 7th avenue, was remodeled for the event, the stage being enlarged and the floor braced to support the weight of elephants, et cetera.

But something was lacking. There was no big, mysterious tent pitched on the vacant lot down by the water works . . . No exciting street parade, headed by a bellowing calliope . . . No rumble of red-and-gilt cages seething with ferocious lions and wildcats . . . No sawdust, balloons, red lemonade . . . No "Stella—She Eats 'Em Alive"

The SCRAP BOOK

DAYBREAK

By Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

A wind came up out of the sea
And said, "O mists, make room for me!"

It hailed the ships, and cried, "Sail on
Ye mariners, the night is gone!"

And hurried landward far away,
Crying, "Awake! it is the day!"

It said unto the forest, "Shout!
Hang all your leafy banners out!"

It touched the wood-bird's folded wing,
And said, "O bird, awake and sing!"

And o'er the farms, "O chanticleer,
Your clarion blow; the day is near!"

It whispered to the fields of corn,
"Bow down, and hail the coming morn!"

It shouted through the belfry-tower
"Awake, O bell! proclaim the hour."

It crossed the churchyard with a sigh,
And said, "Not yet! in quiet lie."

OFFERS SHORT COURSE IN THE TESTING OF MILK

The one-week course in milk testing, which is offered annually by the College of Agriculture, Rutgers University, will be held this year from February 16 to 21, Prof. Frank G. Helyar, director of short courses, announced today. This course is intended primarily for dairymen, creamery operator and herdsman, but anyone interested in this phase of dairying will find the instruction interesting and profitable, according to Prof. Helyar. The morning periods will be largely devoted to the theory of milking testing. The afternoons will be given over to intensive laboratory practice so that by the end of the week the students should be sufficiently trained to take the examination for the state license to operate a Babcock test. There is no tuition charge to residents of New Jersey, but all applicants must be at least 16 years of age, be able to read, write, and speak English, and have a knowledge of arithmetic.

BRIDGE TOURNAMENTS POPULAR

Bridge tournaments conducted by Glenville, Ohio, and East Cleveland posts of the American Legion have met with such success that it has been decided to hold future tournaments at the Legion headquarters and invite all Cuyahoga county members to participate.

CONSTITUTION IN SCHOOLS

A preferred activity for American Legion posts throughout the country in the coming year will be to place copies of the Constitution of the United States in all schools, both public and private.

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THE FAMILY DOCTOR



By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

SEASONABLE HINTS

The crisp, invigorating days of autumn somehow inspires one with renewed courage and faith in the things about us. The appetite becomes keener, the breathing deeper; the morning walk in the open drives away the fatigue of mid-summer. The machinery of digestion takes on a new hum; in short, we "feel better all over."

The rural housewife finds much for her capable hands to do. Think of the canning of pears, the preserving of late plums, the pickling, canning, catsuping of the luscious fall tomato! Such substantials for the winter day dining table! How we anticipate, as we carry out autumn details!

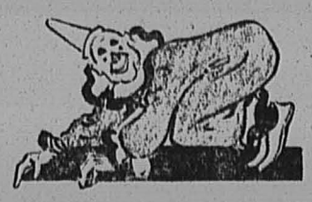
I am in direct touch with the National Canners Association of America, and with great benefit to myself as an advisor to the public in the interests of more and better health, I find the great canning industry striving, with every improved facility known, to give our people the best in sealed provisions, employing the most skilled scientists in laboratory tests, in order to provide nutriment of unparalelled flavor and purity for our people. The winter fruit can holds the juices, "vitamines, proteins, so acceptable to right living. Our canned products reach outward to the four corners of the earth.

In time, the housewife will escape the exacting duties of canning fruits; they can be put up fresh by the great and expert technicians, cheaper, more convenient to handle, and can be obtained ready to use with little outlay, compared with the drudgery of home canning.

We are well past the age when copper was used to color to glass jar of commercial pickles. Poisons are no longer used as bleaches or preservatives. The tin can is used where such employment is scientifically appropriate. I hear of little or no illness caused by the impure canning of fruits and vegetables. The summer, with its host of invaders of the partially-eaten canned food is gone. The "culture season" is over. But I am horribly afraid of the partly-used, hot weather can of pigs' knuckles and other potted meats!

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RIVERTON COUNCIL PREPARES BUDGET

Appropriation of $9,000 From Surplus Revenue Helps to Keep Rate Down

The Riverton Borough Council met last Thursday night to take the final steps in the preparation of the budget for 1931. Mr. Welker, of Griffith, Rockey & Company, borough auditors, was present to assist in the work.

Mr. Welker said that the financial condition of Riverton was the best of any municipality of which he knew.

$9,000 From Surplus

The total amount to be raised for borough purposes this year is $54,234.78—$999.71 less than last year.

Of this amount $31,433.78 is to be raised by taxation as against $43,133.49 last year. This is brought about by appropriating $9,000 from the surplus revenue fund, and a gasoline tax refund which will amount to about $1,700.

The highway appropriation was increased from $8,500 last year to $9,100 and provides for an extensive oiling program. Another $900 was added for a new truck for this department.

The Fourth of July celebration was cut from $1,200 to $1,100.

The police department was reduced from $7,000 to $6,700, but an additional $500 was provided for a new police car.

The borough property committee cut its appropriation from $2,700 to $1,900.

The proposed budget will come up for a public hearing on February 5.

Public Service Explains

At the last meeting of council the clerk was instructed to request the Public Service to send a representative to council to discuss a resolution pertaining to the abandonment of trolley service between Trenton and Camden. In response to this request William Worth, representing the Public Service Coordinated Transport was present and outlined the situation. Mr. Worth said that as long as the tracks remained in position the Public Service would pay the franchise tax, and also a 5% gross receipt tax which would amount to as much or more than the franchise tax.

In the agreement, which was submitted later in the evening, the Public Service definitely retained their franchise and the right to resume operation of trolley cars at any time should it be deemed advisable to do so. Mr. Worth explained that this was necessary in order to protect the bond holders of the Riverside Traction Company which owned the line from Trenton to Camden.

Mr. Worth further said that there was good prospects of the Public Service securing permission to do an interstate business, which would further increase the amount of gross receipts tax paid to municipalities.

Service Would Be Improved

In reply to a question from Council-

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LONE STAR Y. M. C. A.

Last week it was printed that the Lone Star Y. M. C. A. of Cinnaminson, was going to hold a party on Saturday, January 10th. This party is to be postponed until Saturday, January 17th.

On January the 1 our group was invited to go to "Camp Ockanickon for a day or so by another "Y" group led by Mr. Plank. There was skating, hockey and all declared they had a very good time.

CLUB REPORTER.

K. of C. NOTES

Don't forget the regular Wednesday evening dances given in the K. of C. Hall, music by the Original Commanders, of Riverton and Palmyra.

The young people who are sponsoring these dances promise some novelties during the season.

Another boys club has been formed by the K. of C. for boys between the ages of 16 and 18 years. Captain Pfaff and Joseph D'Autchrey are the leaders.

PHI NU CLASS

Next Sunday the class will discuss the Ministry of John the Baptist—one of the most remarkable men in history. He was the link between the Old and the New Testament. Scorning Salome, he was persecuted and beheaded by Herod Antipas. He stands out as an indomitable figure in Biblical history. Come join us and find out how very interesting your Bible is.

Owing to the illness of several of the members, the regular monthly meeting will be postponed until Monday, January 19th.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

D. A. R. HOLDS MEETING

The January meeting of the Annis Stockton Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution was held at the home of Mrs. R. Selby Williams, of Elm Terrace, Riverton, Monday afternoon. Articles were collected at that time for the box which the chapter sends to Ellis Island each year to keep the immigrants busy while they are being detained.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my appreciation to all those who extended their sympathies and kindnesses during the last illness of my sister, and to those who sent cars and flowers to the funeral.

MRS. MULLEN.

Author Dies



"FARMER SMITH"

Former Riverton resident and writer of children's stories died Jan. 8.

"FARMER SMITH" DIED JANUARY 8

Famous Writer of Children's Stories Succumbs to Heart Trouble

George Henry Smith, widely known for his quaint nature essays and children's stories, which he wrote under the pen name of "Farmer Smith", died at his home in Maplewood, N. J., Thursday, January 8, from heart trouble, from which he had suffered since last May. He was 57 years old.

Mr. Smith and family were residents of Riverton several years ago, at which time they occupied the property at 410 Main street.

Funeral services were held in St. Thomas' Episcopal Church, New Haven, at 2:30 p. m. Monday, January 12. Burial was also made in New Haven.

Mr. Smith was born in Knoxville, Tenn., and was graduated from Yale University in 1899. Shortly after leaving college he entered the advertising department of the New York Times, where he remained for three or four years.

He began writing in 1909 and his efforts appeared in the New York Evening World, the Globe, the Evening Mail and the Philadelphia Ledger. His stories at that time dealt with strange incidents in a mythical New Jersey town. In 1912 he founded the Farmer Smith Corporation, a printing establishment, and in 1917 he organized the National Children's Committee.

At his death he was connected with the Brooklyn Standard Union, where he was known as Uncle Harry. He was in charge of the Farmer Smith Rainbow Club, with 50,000 children members in Philadelphia and 100,000 in other cities.

During the world war he organized the Junior Red Cross and spoke throughout the South in a drive for children's memberships.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Harriet Sanford Smith; two daughters, the Misses Margaret S. and Katherine R. Smith, and a son, Sanford Clark Smith, all of Maplewood.

CINNAMINSON P. T. A.

The Cinnaminson P. T. A. regular meeting Wednesday, the 21st, at 3:00 p. m. in the school lunch room.

The guest speaker, Dr. Charlotte Easby Crave will talk upon "Habit Forming".

This will be followed by a discussion over the teacups.

Anyone interested is most cordially invited. It will be a pleasure to welcome members of other arent-Teacher Associations.

Notice, please, that the hour is 3:00 p. m. Buses will leave the usual stopping places about 2.30.

Publicity Committee.

To Be Married

Announcement has just been made that Miss Frances O'Donnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Donnell, of Maple Shade, will become the bride of James O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Brien, of North Church street, Moorestown, on Thursday, January 22, in the Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Health, Maple Shade.

The Rev. Father Farrell will officiate.

Miss O'Donnell is a graduate from Palmyra High School and is well-known in Palmyra and Riverton. Mr. O'Brien finished at Moorestown High School.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to those who extended their kindly services in the death of our friend, William Quigley, and to those who sent flowers and cars to the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gnang.

Boost your town and American Legion. Buy at home and get a free chance on the new Chevrolet Sedan for every dollar spent here. Patronize your local merchants—Ask them for tickets.

FREEHOLDERS CUT COUNTY TAX RATE

Reduction of Four to Five Cents Promised for Year of 1931

The amount of money to be raised by taxation in 1931 for county purposes was decreased by $18,000 by the Board of Freeholders when it met to consider the budget last Friday.

This reduction is made possible through receipt of funds which were not available at the time of making the budget and could not be figured on. Last year's county tax rate was $1.23. This year it is expected that it will be brought down to about $1.18 or $1.19, according to Director of Finances William Heisler, Jr.

A resolution by Heisler announced the following changes in the 1931 budget: Surplus revenue appropriated, $117,946.01 instead of $77,946.01; total anticipated revenue, $640,180.83, instead of $600,180.83; amount to be raised by taxation, $881,001.53, instead of $914,001.53; total revenue, $1,521,182.36, instead of $1,514,182.36; unpaid bills for 1929 and 1930, $6,000; support of patients in charitable institutions, $3,000, instead of $2,000; total appropriations, $1,521,182.36, instead of $1,514,182.36.

The clerk of the board was authorized to advertise these changes according to law.

Asks Appropriation Increase

The increase of $1,000 in the appropriation for the support of patients in charitable institutions was made at the request of Richard B. Eckman, speaking for the board of Managers of the Burlington County Children's Home, and asking that the appropriation be made $3,000, the same as in 1930 instead of being cut to $2,000.

Eckman said there are at present 48 children at the Home, 30 of whom are dependent on the county, the other 18 being provided for by their parents or other relatives who have placed them there. The appropriation of $3,000 of last year gave the Home about $100 a year for the care of these 48 children. The Home has not, during the past year become any better off financially, and the managers did not feel that they could get along with the proposed decrease in their appropriation, he said.

Miss Margaret Semple, president of the board of managers of the Home and Mrs. Horace K. McIlvain, member of the board, appeared before the freeholders with Eckman.

Prepared To Audit Books

A communication from Miss Sarah E. Budd, of Mount Holly thanked the freeholders for re-appointing her a member of the County Free Library Commission for five years. The annual report of the County Library was also submitted to the board, and was received and filed. Walter R. Darby, of the State Department of Municipal Accounts, which will again this year audit the books of the county, thanked the board for the appointment.

A. Lee Grovers, of the State Highway Commission, informed the Board by letter that the commission has authorized the final payment of the state's share of the cost of widening the Mount Holly-Moorestown road.

The Camden County Board of Freeholders notified the Burlington County of confirmation of the awarding of the contract for the reconstruction of the River Road bridge to Charles S. Moses, of Edgewater Park and that Camden County is ready to pay its share of the cost. Moses contracted to do the work at a cost of $7,765, or $3,882.50 to each county.

Want Bridge Raised

Eastampton township asked that a bridge known as Powell's Bridge, on Route 39, be raised about seven inches to the level of the roadway, to remove the steep incline now existing there. The matter was referred to Director of Bridges McCormick, who said that at the time Route 39 was built the state engineers would not raise the bridge, and that to do so at this time would necessitate a great amount of fill, which is not easily available and which was right on hand at the time the matter was discussed before.

Announcement was made that the annual organization meeting of the State Association of Chosen Freeholders will be held in the Court House, in Trenton, at 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon, January 19.

Washington Township Committee notified the board that it has withdrawn its proposal for the county to take over 1.5 miles of the lower Bank road, near Batsto and has agreed to the county's proposal for vacation of the road.

To Get Road Materials

Suggestion was made that the county advertise as soon as possible for its road materials, in order to secure the low prices now obtaining.

A bill was ordered sent to the Public Service Corporation for $11,309.83, that amount representing the corporation's share for the cost operation of the drawbridge at Delanco during 1930.

All the bids received for the digging of a well with a power pump at the county buildings at New Lisbon were rejected because of technicalities. Bids were received from Frank J. Geleck, of Philadelphia; Sprague & Henwood, Inc., of Scranton, Pa.; Layne-New York Company, of New York City, and Andrew J. Nicholas and Company, of Philadelphia.

Departmental bills were presented and ordered paid as follows: Finance, $2,231.87; roads, $4,103.42; bridges, $3,976.79; public buildings, $5,486.60; public affairs, $3,962.81; total, $18,761.49.

School Children Honor Chief Quigley



The children of the Riverton grammar school are shown standing at Fifth and Main streets as the funeral cortege of Chief Quigley passed. This was their last token of respect for their friend and able protector and presented a scene that touched the hearts of many.

RIVERTON TO HEAR HARMONICA BAND

Riverton Scouts Sponsoring Concert in Parish House on February 6

On Friday night, February 6, Riverton is to have an opportunity to hear the famous Philadelphia Harmonica Band under the direction of Albert M. Hoxie. Everyone who has a radio has probably heard of this organization which plays over the radio every Sunday morning from Station WCAU.

The Philadelphia Harmonica Band is famous all over the United States. There will be forty boys in the band which comes to Riverton, all of them wizard harmonicists, ranging in age from twelve to seventeen years. This famous organization has travelled over 75,000 miles to enlist the interest of young people in music.

Their musical training has not been confined to study of the harmonica, because special studies in music in the Combs Conservatory of Music in Philadelphia have included theory, piano, conducting, choral, as well as instruments of the band and orchestra. Perhaps their outstanding achievement is their ability to memorize the intricate scores of the music they render so delightfully on the harmonica. These include over two hundred well known classics.

As played by this organization, the harmonica is a real musical instrument and not a toy. The band plays all types of music from spirited military marches to the finest classical music.

The band is being brought to Riverton by the Riverton Scouts as part of the campaign to raise money to pay for the splendid new scout headquarters which is now nearing completion. Rivertonians who attend the concert on February 6 will not only have the opportunity of spending a most delightful evening but also going to aid in the great work of training Riverton boys to be better citizens as members of the Boy Scouts of America.

The concert will be held in the auditorium of the parish house of Christ Church. An opportunity will be given all who are interested to inspect the new scout headquarters. Tickets will be sold by members of the troop, the ticket sale commencing on Friday of this week.

This concert is one which will appeal both to lovers of music and to people who are interested in boys. It is one which no one can afford to miss.

DRUM CORPS MILITARY BALL ON FEBRUARY 12

Plans Well Under Way for Big Annual Event at Palmyra P. O. S. of A. Hall

The Palmyra Bugle and Drum Corps will hold its second annual Military Ball Thursday evening, February 12, at the P. O. S. of A. Hall, Palmyra. Ed Morton's famous Kentuckians will provide the music.

The hall is to be decorated in the corps colors and those who attended last year know the decorations were a "knockout." No expense is being spared to give the public one big night of entertainment. The corps expect to have a bigger and better ball this year than last, something impossible, those of last year say. But there is a surprise in store at this year's ball.

Tickets have been sent to different posts of the county and can be had for $1.00 per couple.

Come out and help the Palmyra boys bring home all the prizes this coming year.

Additional tickets may be had by getting in touch with J. F. Rhemstrom, of Riverside.

Engaged

Mrs. Joseph DeVaul, of 302 Chewalla Drive, Trenton, has announced the engagement of her sister, Miss Mae E. Kenny, of the same address, to Maurice B. McCrosson, of 319 Garfield avenue, Palmyra. Miss Kenney is a graduate of Rider College. Mr. McCrosson attended Villa Nova College. Both are employed in the Legal Division of the State Highway Department at Trenton. No date has been set for the wedding.



WILLIAM M. QUIGLEY

SERVICES HELD FOR W. B. LYNCH

Plumbing Contractor and Riverton Resident for 29 Years; Councilman Two Terms

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for William B. Lynch, 53 years old, from his late residence, Broad street and Thomas avenue, Riverton. Mr. Lynch died Wednesday morning of last week after a long illness.

The Rev. Charles T. Bates, pastor of the Calvary Presbyterian Church, officiated and interment was made in Arlington Cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

RIVERTON BANK ELECTS OFFICERS

Previous Officers and Directors Re-Elected Without Opposition—Bank Had Good Year

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company was held Tuesday afternoon.

The board of directors were re-elected as follows: Leonard R. Baker, Howard B. Conover, George C. Frank, Collins H. Haines, Fred P. Hemphill, Edmund S. Holmes, J. Lawrence Lippincott, Charles C. Miller, Charles S. Mills, H. H. Murray, Joseph L. Thomas, John S. Warner, James T. Weart, Earl L. Williams, and Edward S. Wood.

At the organization meeting the following officers were re-elected: president, Earl L. Williams; vice-president, Edward S. Wood; vice-president and trust officer, Joseph L. Thomas; secretary and treasurer, Howard B. Conover; assistant treasurer, Herbert J. Kemmerle; and assistant secretary, Morris H. DeCoursey.

The statement published in this issue shows the excellent condition of this institution.

APPRECIATION

To those who rendered sympathy and assistance in the last illness and death of our father, William Quigley, and to those whose friendship brightened his hours of suffering during the last two years, we extend our thanks and gratitude.

HIS CHILDREN.

LEGION AUXILIARY NOTES

The county meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held in the Beverly Legion Home Saturday evening, January 16.

The regular monthly business meeting of Post Rodgers Auxiliary will be held in the Legion Home next Wednesday evening.

Boost your town and American Legion. Buy at home and get a free chance on the new Chevrolet Sedan for every dollar spent here. Patronize your local merchants—Ask them for tickets.

CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE FAVORS PALMYRIAN

Dismisses Suit of Fortnum Employee; Riverton Man Loses Legal Battle

A suit against William Sherman, Palmyra, a service manager for the Lester Fortnum Ford agency was dismissed Monday by Judge Charles A. Rigg, of Mount Holly.

The suit against Sherman was brought by Warren W. and Leota Wanes, of Philadelphia after an accident on Joffe Hill, Baltimore Pike, Maryland, May 11, 1930.

Judge Rigg, presiding at the court in place of Judge Henry L. Eldridge, decided there was no cause for action in the suit, and dismissed it in favor of the defendant.

Sherman was defended by Palmer and Powell, Mount Holly attorneys, and the complainants were represented by Norman W. Harker, of Philadelphia.

One of three decisions in automobile suits decided in Circuit Court, Camden, Monday vitally concerned a Riverton motorist.

Joseph Walroth, 6 years old was awarded $1,000, and his mother, Mrs. Alice Ellenhurst of Second and Erie streets, Barrington, $500 after the boy had received injuries when he was struck by an automobile driven by A. Russell Gausler of Riverton, April 8, 1930 at Twenty-fourth and River avenue, Camden. The plaintiff and the defendant were represented respectively by Carl Kisselman and Samuel Orlando, Camden attorneys.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lindley Gardiner, of Moorestown announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances Minnie Gardiner to Maurice Conrow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Conrow, of Riverton.

No date has been set for the wedding.

RECORD OF VITAL STATISTICS

The Registrar of Vital Statistics of the Borough of Riverton, reports for the year 1930 thirty three births—11 from Riverton, 14 Palmyra, 2 Riverside, 4 Moorestown, 1 Bridgeboro, 1 Olney, Pa. Also 15 marriages and 10 deaths.

(Note—Of the 33 births, 28 occurred in Mrs. Rieger's Maternity Home).

APPRECIATION

I desire to extend thanks for the many expressions of sympathy in the death of our late Chief of Police, William Quigley, and to those who sent flowers and cars to the funeral.

CHARLES DeLANEY,
Director of Public Safety.

FIREMEN'S CARD PARTY

The Riverton Fire Company will give a Stag Card party, Friday evening at the Fire House.

Admission 35c. Cash prizes.

Turn out and give the boys a lift.

CHIEF QUIGLEY SUCCUMBS AFTER HEART ATTACK

Served on Riverton Force for 28 Consecutive Years With Good Service Record

DIED SATURDAY MORNING WHILE DONNING UNIFORM

Appointed in March by Borough Council as Riverton's First Chief of Police

William M. Quigley, Riverton's Chief of Police, died suddenly at his home, 610 Thomas Avenue, last Saturday morning.

He had nearly finished dressing for duty when he was seized with a heart attack and died within three minutes. Mrs. Jacob Gnang, who was in the house at the time he was stricken, immediately called Dr. Rogers who stated that "Bill" had died of heart attack, brought about by his former illness.

Quigley owns a house at 612 Thomas avenue but for the past sixteen years has been living with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gnang at 610 Thomas avenue.

Twenty-eight years ago he was appointed as a policeman for the Borough of Riverton and was then twenty-two years old. At that time the job of marshal included the maintenance and lighting of the oil street lamps. He had an uninterrupted service on the Riverton police force, and last March was appointed by Mayor and Council to the newly created position of Chief of Police. "Bill" was appointed marshal when Fred G. Brown was mayor of Riverton and he leaves behind him a colorful and blameless record.

Saves Child From Death

One of the high lights in "Bill's" service to his community dates back several years ago when he saved from death one of the little school children entrusted to his care at the main street crossing. A little girl at this point caught her foot in the tracks just as the noon flier came thundering down the tracks. "Bill," ever alert to the safety of "his children," was quick to her rescue and in a flash had unlaced her shoe and pulled her to safety just as the train roared past. All the time that Bill protected the school children at this crossing, not a single accident marred his record.

Captured Many Culprits

Quigley's record for capturing burglars was not without incident, for in 1921, when two men robbed Joseph M. Roberts' store, he chased them to Hylton's Sand Hill, shot one of them in the arm and brought him back to jail. The other returned the next day and was also arrested. In 1922 Harry Gilbert robbed the home of F. S. Groves, Jr., of several hundred dollars worth of clothing. Two weeks after the robbery Bill nabbed Gilbert walking the streets late at night. He was sentenced to two years in State prison while the two men who robbed Roberts' store each received a four-year sentence. Alfred Brown, a colored youth, was also caught by Bill as he attempted to steal automobile tires from the office of Joseph T. Evans.

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PORCH CLUB NOTES

Be sure to remember the International Relations luncheon at the Porch Club, Tuesday, January 20 at one o'clock. The speaker, Mr. Alden G. Alley, is a well known lecturer and authority on the League of Nations, where assembly he regularly attends. Unusual aspects of foreign nations will be presented as part of the program. If you wish to be present your reservations must be made by Saturday, January 17, to Mrs. Howard Coe, telephone 221. The luncheon is only to members of the Porch Club and is without charge.

Tuesday morning, January 13th, the club held its Current Events class. Mrs. Merrill had many interesting notes about the event of the day. Mrs. Porter gave quite a long list of outstanding books of the past month, and Miss Helen Lippincott talked to the class of her trip to the Holy Land and showed a number of very interesting relics she brought home.

A TRIBUTE TO OFFICER QUIGLEY

Because he spoke the helpful word
While on his duty bent,
His praises now can well be heard,
Be spoken of and meant.

Because his care for tender youth
Was shining to the end,
Each knowing heart can say in truth,
"He was the children's friend."

Because his thot for feeble age
Is something to recall
We'll write to him in memoir's page:
"He was a friend to all."

Because his cheerful smile is gone
From off the policeman's list,
And for the good esteem he won,
He will be sadly missed.

But blest is he whose life can soothe
The old as well as young,
For with the one, his worth is proved,
The other—'tis begun!

E. M. F.

COUNTY LIBRARY ANNUAL REPORT

Remarkable Growth in Ten Years Shown by Librarian's Statement

The Burlington County Free Library was organized in 1920 and after ten years of service has 124 stations located in the county, from which books are distributed to readers. It serves directly from the office or by mail over 400 borrowers who live too far away from any of these stations to use them conveniently.

It places books in all the school buildings in the county, where they are used under the direction and supervision of the teachers. It cooperates with the teacher in selecting the books for school use in order that the titles placed in the class room will follow the course of study prepared by the State Department of Education.

From a small beginning in 1920 the Burlington County Free Library now includes a collection of about 35,000 books, over 28,000 of which are in circulation from the various library centers. This year the number of county owned books taken from these libraries into homes amounts to about 250,000. However the past year has shown that the Burlington County Library has not yet reached its full growth.

New stations were established in eight locations, summer service was given in several localities where heretofore the library was only available during the school year. Stations were established in two summer colonies, and were extensively used while they were open, and in two instances stations that had been inactive for some time were opened again under more auspicious conditions. While our service now covers the entire county, changing conditions, growth of towns or the loss of population which some towns are experiencing, cause the constant changes which are made in the size and number of stations. Some towns no longer need the large collections which they had been receiving, others need many more books.

Business Affects Reading

Any condition affecting the leisure of the people is quickly reflected in library circulation. When everyone has a job and money is plentiful the reading of books is bound to suffer, but when the opposite conditions prevail, as at the present, we find that there is a great demand for books. Almost every station in the county has reported an increased circulation and we are taxed to the limit to supply their demand for more books. A library is much more necessary during periods of economic depression than in times of prosperity.

Selecting and buying books is becoming increasingly difficult. Various changes in the policy of publishers this last year has decreased the cost of many worthwhile books, but it has also encouraged mass production on the part of some authors, until the value of their output has suffered. Consequently neither author nor publishers can be trusted, and it sometimes seems as if the standard of excellence which we have tried to maintain is tottering. However the readers can be trusted to sift the wheat from the chaff, and some of our most popular books this year have been: Story of San Michele, by Munthe; Angel Pavement, by Priestley; Cimarron, by Ferber, and Byron, by Maurois. While we always have a group of readers who are rightfully seeking relief from humdrum existence in the highly romantic or thrilling story, the books for which we have actually had the most requests are of the type mentioned.

Work Better Organized

We feel that this year our work with the schools is better organized and working more smoothly than ever before. We now have four trained high school librarians in the county, and in many of the consolidated schools one teacher is given time to have charge of the books in that school. Several of the consolidated schools have library rooms in which their collection is grouped, and stored during the whole year, and this latter fact relieves the crowding of shelves in the headquarters during the vacation period. More and more the teachers are selecting the books that fit into the subject that they are teaching and drawing on the county library for pictures and Victrola records as further aids. Groups of animated children greeting the book truck on its visits to the schools, give proof of the regard with which the children hold the library.

Talks were made at various groups and clubs on subjects relating to libraries. A selected group of children's books were taken during November and December to Parent-Teacher meetings, as suggestions for the child's Christmas book.

The work is heavy and the demands constant, but the staff with quiet perseverance and attention to duty "carry on" without complaint always hoping that the next year will bring the opportunity to more nearly accomplish the many things which are now impossible.

STATISTICS

Circulation	31,234
Books placed in Circulating Stations	15,713
Books placed in Schools	9,442
Books mailed	868
Books Circulated from office	5,211
Total	31,234
Magazines	136
Brayco films	32
Pamphlets	47
Victrola Records	242
Pictures	502
Posters	11
Total number of books sent from office 1930	31,234
Total number of books sent from office 1929	30,169
Increase over last year	1,065
Number of Circulating Stations	55
Number of School Deposits	69
Total number of stations	124
Books borrowed from New Jersey Library Commission	614

Book Collection	
Books in Library, January 1, 1930	33,055
Added during 1930:	
Adult	3,571
Juvenile	1,476
Total	5,028
Withdrawn during 1930	
Adult	1,906
Juvenile	1,414
Total	3,320
Gained during year	1,718
Total	1,718
Books in Library January 1, 1931	34,773

Newsboys Bring Christmas Gift to President



The newsboys of the United States concluded their recent three-day pilgrimage to Washington by marching to the White House on Christmas afternoon and presenting President Hoover and Mrs. Hoover with a miniature Napoleonic coach. The gift coach is exactly like those which thousands of American boys are building in the competition for four university scholarships and 980 other awards. It was built at the newsboys' request, by the experts of the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild, which also sponsors the nationwide coach-building competition.

AMERICAN LEGION SEEKS MEMBERS

Palmyra Post Conducts Membership Drive Under New Commander

Members of American Legion Post Frederick M. Rodgers, Palmyra, anxious to increase their already large membership, are conducting a drive for additional "Buddies" to join the organization.

This move came as one of the first activities of 1931 under the new commander, George Weigand. Reports of the membership committee, under the leadership of Harry Stack have been made and found to be most favorable.

The Palmyra Post is anxious to do its share in the national membership drive which is conducted annually. The American Legion is one of the fastest growing organizations in the country according to information gathered last year reporting the increase in the number of members. Ex-service men are rapidly learning what benefits can be derived from participating in the activities of the war veterans.

Last year in Pennsylvania alone, the American Legion posts gained 26,000 new members. The figure set for the New Jersey expected increase is also large and the Palmyra veterans are anxious to put Post Rodgers in the front ranks of member producers.

The second campaign being conducted by the Legionnaires is a free Chevrolet drive which has been under way for several weeks. A certain lack of interest among the merchants and townspeople has led the Legion members to canvass Palmyra and Riverton in order to stimulate the fading enthusiasm. They urge the townspeople to buy from local merchants, thus promoting home buying and increasing to some extent local prosperity.

Of chief interest in the campaign is the grand prize, a new Chevrolet car which will be given away free to the person holding the ticket with the lucky number. Purchasers may obtain these numbered coupons from any of the dealers who are advertising in the large display advertisement which is appearing weekly in this paper. A purchase of one dollar or more entitles the buyer to a ticket.

While no definite date has been set for the drawing of the lucky number, the car will not be awarded until a sufficient number of the tickets have been sold to make the contest interesting.

PALMYRA BANK HOLDS ITS ANNUAL ELECTION

All Officers and Directors Re-Elected At Meeting of Stockholders Tuesday Afternoon

No changes were made in the directorate of the Palmyra National Bank at the annual meeting of stockholders held Tuesday afternoon.

The re-elected directors are: George M. Becker, Frank L. Durgin, J. Horace Finney, John C. Hoepfner, William A. McCamy, A. Harry Rudduck, George W. Shaner, H. Lester Steele, Albert N. Stewart, Herbert B. Trout, Harry B. Williams and George N. Wimer.

All officers were re-elected as follows: Albert N. Stewart, president; Herbert B. Trout, first vice-president; J. Horace Finney, second vice-president; W. A. McCamy, cashier; and Charles B. Marple, assistant cashier.

Mrs. Gertrude Davis

Funeral services were held Saturday from the Snover Funeral Home for Mrs. Gertrude M. Davis, 51 years old, of 826 Beiderman avenue, Camden.

Mrs. Davis died Wednesday morning of last week in the Cooper Hospital, Camden.

Interment was made in Morgan Cemetery. She is survived by her husband, E. T. Davis and a sister, Mrs. William Mullen, of Riverton.

SAYS PARK DELAY WILL BE COSTLY

Realty Man Warns of Danger of Waiting Until Crowding Demands Action

Other counties in the United States that have waited for the population to become congested before they have begun development of county park systems, have done so at tremendous cost, according to J. William Pennell, chairman of the County Parks Committee of the Burlington County Real Estate Board and member of the steering committee of the Burlington County Parks Council.

As the result of studies made by the Real Estate Board Committee, our members are convinced that the time to begin the development of a park system is before the rise of the population tide becomes so great that land values increase to such an extent that the acquisition of the necessary land becomes almost prohibitive in price. The beautiful creek valleys of Burlington county, Mr. Pennell points out, are already undergoing an advance in value and these are the best lands and the cheapest for park development.

The studies of the Real Estate Board committee have shown that other counties have found it necessary to buy at tremendous costs creek valley areas that previously could have been acquired for only a fraction of the cost and frequently by gift.

Burlington county cannot put off indefinitely the solution to the problem, the committee states, because as has been the history in other metropolitan areas the creeks become dumping places, the site of unsanitary housing conditions and the streams themselves develop into open sewers to the point that they endanger the health of entire communities abutting them. This, they say, can be avoided in Burlington county by taking action now.

FREE CHEVROLET MUST WAIT FOR SALE OF TICKETS

The "Buy Now Campaign" sponsored by Post Frederick M. Rodgers, No. 156, American Legion, Palmyra, managed in conjunction with the advertising campaign of the merchants of Palmyra and Riverton, has not brought the results expected before the merchandising drive opened in December.

This campaign, in which a new Chevrolet coach will be given away absolutely free to some lucky person, seems likely to fail in its purpose of promoting business because of the failure of some of the merchants to give away the numbered tickets. Every customer who buys merchandise is entitled to receive one of these tickets for each purchase of one dollar.

When a sufficient number of the numbered coupons have been distributed a public drawing will decide the winner of the new automobile. The reluctance of the business establishments in giving out the tickets has resulted in the enthusiasm over the campaign dying, with a resultant diminishing of business conducted by local dealers.

Emil Escheman, Palmyra Chevrolet dealer who is supplying the automobile, reports the sale of tickets far below expectations, thus prolonging the time when the automobile will be given away.

Mrs. Mary G. Harrison

Mrs. Mary G. Harrison, 35 years old, died in the Zurbrugg Hospital, Riverside, Saturday morning after a short illness.

Mrs. Harrison, who lived at 220 Cleveland avenue, Riverside, was the wife of William F. Harrison, owner and proprietor of Harrison's Battery Shop, Palmyra.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at eight o'clock from the late residence and nine o'clock from St. Peter's Church, Riverside. Interment was made in Morgan Cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover, of Palmyra.

Mrs. Harrison is survived by her husband and three children. Her mother, Mrs. Anna V. Wallace, of Riverside, also survives her.

SENATOR POWELL ILL

State Senator Clifford R. Powell, of Delanco, was ill with the grippe this week and was unable to attend the opening sessions of the Legislature at Trenton Tuesday.

ROBBER TRICKS MT. HOLLY BANK

Man Posing as Clerk Gets Away With Store's Bag Containing $610

Shortly after Union National Bank and Trust Company, Mount Holly, opened Monday morning a man wearing a white coat and apron with the name of the American Stores on it stepped up to a cashier window.

"Give me the money bag left here by Store 809 Saturday night," he said. "The manager made a mistake in counting the money."

Charles V. Woolston, a veteran teller, gave the man the bag of money and he walked toward Mill and White streets, where the store is located.

That the man was posing as a clerk and had robbed the bank was not discovered until 10 a. m., when the store manager, Thomas M. Clevenger went to the bank with the key for the bag he had placed in the bank for safe keeping over the weekend. Woolston told him a clerk had called for the bag an hour before.

Trick is Discovered

Clevenger denied sending a clerk to the bank and Police Lieut. Harry Goldy and Ellis H. Parker, chief of county detectives, were notified. They hurried to the bank for a conference with Walter I. Dill, cashier, and the teller.

Obtaining a description of the man Parker summoned the clerks and managers of all American stores here. They were questioned closely in his office but no information was obtained as to the indentity of the robber. Woolston was unable to identify the man among the clerks.

Parker notified all banks in the county to belief the thief would attempt the same tricks in another town.

All American store clerks and managers in the county were notified of the robbery and the company began an immediate checkup.

May Be Former Employe

Parker said he was satisfied the man was either a clerk of an American store in another town or a former employee at the Mount Holly place. He pointed out that the man knew the money had been left in the bank Saturday night and the store number.

It was late in the afternoon before details of the robbery became known. The bank had refused to confirm rumors. Confronted with the facts, Parker admitted the theft.

Woolston, who is 58, has been a teller at the bank a number of years. The store manager announced there was $438 in cash and the balance in checks.

1931 SCHOOL BUDGET DECREASES TAX RATE

Saving of 22 Cents Per Hundred Expected As Result of Palmyra Board's Efficiency

A school tax rate of $1.98, a reduction of 22 cents, is the estimate made for 1931 as the result of the figures shown in the Palmyra school board's budget which is published this week.

The budget calls for slightly less than $90,000 to be raised by taxation, as compared with $97,000 last year.

The town's ratables this year are estimated at $4,555,000 as against $4,000,000 in 1930.

The board was able to effect a reduction despite the fact it was necessary to over-expend last year's item for repairs and replacements by $4,700 in the construction of two new class rooms in the Delaware Avenue building.

Various improvements have been made throughout the system, putting all the children on full time, adding to their comfort and increasing the efficiency of the educational plant in general.

The annual school election will be held in February. Terms of three board members expire this year. They are William A. Donaghy, Charles W. Davison and Mrs. Marian Mallory. It is understood that Mr. Davison, who has been president of the board during the past year, will not be a candidate to succeed himself.

P. T. A. PLANS CHILD WELFARE PROGRAM

Regular Meeting of Organization Will Be Held Tuesday in High School

The Palmyra P. T. A. has planned a very interesting program for its next meeting, which will be held next Tuesday afternoon, at 3:15 p. m., in the High School auditorium.

The meeting will be preceded by a child study group discussion which will be held from 2:30 to 3:15.

This meeting has been designated as Child Welfare Afternoon, and will include short talks by Miss Eleanor Thompson, visiting teacher from Philadelphia High School for Girls, and Miss Rebecca R. Townsend, clinical supervisor of the Department of Special Education in Philadelphia.

Also on the program for the afternoon are Mrs. Stanley S. Lippincott, contralto soloist, and Mrs. William Miller, soprano soloist, who will be accompanied by Mrs. George M. Becker.

On Friday evening, January 23, the P. T. A. will present "Richard" in an evening of magic, mirth, and mystery. The program will be full of novelty, uncanny effects, and laugh-providing situations. Tickets will be sold at a nominal price by the school children. Don't forget the date.

WHOSE MILLION?

Albany, N. Y.—Some bank depositors in New York state have overlooked an aggregate balance of $1,000,000 according to Secretary of State Edward J. Flynn. In announcing the banks of the state have that amount on deposit with no claimants. Secretary Flynn said many clubs, societies and similar organizations often deposit money and then forget about it.

Associations Mark Valued Herd Series

An example of how the dairy herd improvement associations of New Jersey are identifying bulls of great merit is found in the records kept on the farm of Hansell Lippincott, of Moorestown, reports the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station.

Mr. Lippincott did not realize the true worth of his Guernsey bull, Gem's Peerless of Bellview, until a study was made of the milk production records of the bull's first nine daughters. Then it was revealed that the average annual record of these daughters was 8,960 pounds of milk, and 449.2 pounds of butterfat. This represented an increase over their dams' records of 38 per cent in milk and 54 per cent in butterfat. All animals were milked twice a day while these mature or mature equivalent records were being made.

Especially gratifying to Mr. Lippincott is the fact that the herd sire, whose value has been proved by his daughters' records, is still living.

COMPASS CLUB ENJOYS DINNER

First Annual Banquet Proves Popular as 150 Persons Attend

The first annual banquet of the Palmyra and Riverton Compass Club and Auxiliary was held in the P. O. S. of A. Hall last Friday evening. The banquet also marked the retiring of the 1930 club officers and the installation of the leaders for 1931.

The banquet itself was served by ladies of the Baptist Church. A full turkey dinner, an evening's entertainment and a dance completed the program for the night.

Joseph S. Low was master of ceremonies as he filled the role of toastmaster. Announcements and introductions alike came in the same vein of wit which the mode Mr. Low popular. The invocation, pronounced by the Rev. George Lockett, was followed by an address of welcome by Fred H. Fitzmaurice, retiring president of the organization. Short speeches by James T. Weart, James H. Hartley and Leslie W. Reeves, were received with rounds of applause by the assembled club members and guests.

The features of the entertainment included violin solos by William Heavner, who was accompanied at the piano by Miss Hester Heavner, and piano accordion selections by the celebrated Philadelphia artist, Johnny Petro, who returned several times by popular acclaim after he had finished his numbers. Readings of a humorous type were rendered in very capable manner by Mrs. Madeline Zeller, while additional humor was supplied by State Senator Joseph Morse, who was the principal speaker of the evening. Mr. Morse kept his audience in a continual uproar from the beginning of his talk until he had taken his seat.

The final number of the program was a short sketch, "Gentlemen Prefer Bonds," given by Mrs. Mildred Liming and Mrs. Helen Davies. George Steedle made an excellent job of leading the singing between courses of the meal and Mrs. Albert Seither supplied the piano accompaniment.

Dancing from ten o'clock until midnight brought the evening's program to a close. Music for the dancing was provided by Gus Schweizer's orchestra of Philadelphia.

The new officers of the Compass Club are George Gilfillan, president; Arthur N. Palmer, vice-president; Howard Conover, treasurer; and Maurice E. Gerhard, secretary.

Former Resident Dies After Short Illness

Mrs. A. L. Urban, Well-Known Singer, Succumbs at Her Home In Trenton

Funeral services were held Friday morning at eleven o'clock for Mrs. Jeannette Wells Urban, of 922 Edgewood avenue, Trenton, formerly of Palmyra. Interment was made in St. Thomas Cemetery, Whitemarsh, Pa. She died January 6, after a short illness.

Mrs. Urban, who was the wife of Abram L. Urban, was a nationally known singer in former years. Her musical career had its inception upon her graduation from the State Model School. She reached the peak in the title role of Balfe's "Bohemian Girl," with the Aborn Opera Company. Mrs. Urban has sung many times before large audiences in the Trent Theatre, Trenton, scoring a splendid success as a soprano in "The Flying Dutchman."

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Urban is survived by one daughter, Jeanne Louise, and three sons, David Philip and Abram, 3rd, and her mother, Mrs. Joseph M. Wells.

YW WORKERS AT RURAL SEMINAR

Miss Schafer, Chairman of Group Dealing in Vocational Guidance

Miss Sidonie Schafer and Miss Beatrice Shipley, of the county Y. W. C. A., spent January 1 to 7 in New York attending the seminar of rural Y. W. C. A. secretaries from the eastern part of the United States.

Miss Schafer was the chairman of the seminar, which dealt with the place of the Y. W. C. A. in the field of vocational guidance. This was of special interest to the Burlington County Y. W. C. A. as one committee of the association is studying the field of vocational guidance and is making a survey of the girls in the county who are leaving school at the end of the eighth grade.

Some interesting facts that were brought out at the meeting were that no organization except the Southern Women's Educational Alliance has made any study of the problem from the rural point of view, so that the work which the county Y. W. C. A.'s are doing is of great importance. The fact, revealed by the 1930 census, that half of the employed women are in industry and half in all other occupations, including agriculture, homemaking, business and all the professions, indicates that there is need of helping girls adjust themselves to such work.

COUNTY BOARD MEETS

The Burlington Board of the Y. W. C. A. met at the club house in Burlington on Monday evening, January 12, at eight o'clock. Mrs. George Rigg, the new president succeeding Mrs. R. G. Dunn, Jr., who has resigned, was in the chair.

Plans were made for a summer program for girls at the Burlington building and for a church service in the Spring.

Mrs. Rigg appointed the following committees to serve for the year: finance, Mrs. R. G. Dunn and Cora French; membership, Caroline McClure, Alice Sutton, Mrs. I. Snowden Haines, Jr., and Mrs. George Smith; Girl Reserve, Mrs. Lawrence Parsons, Mrs. Harry H. Williams and Mrs. Ruth Bolden; community relationships, Lydia Rogers, Margaret Haines and Mrs. Charles Gilbert; publicity, Flora Cassady; devotions, Mrs. John Price; program, Dorothy Sholl and Caroline McClure; house, Jennie Richardson and Mrs. W. E. Schermerhorn; and ways and means, Mrs. George Rigg, Mrs. Frank Rodman, Mrs. Arthur Lowden, and Miss Ina Davis.

DINNER MEETING

Over forty business girls in Mount Holly met in the Y. W. C. A. dining room for dinner on Monday evening, January 12. Mrs. Sherwood Eddy, of New York, who spoke at the Y. W. C. A. membership meeting at the club house at eight o'clock, was a guest at the dinner.

During the business session, at which Mary Stockton presided, great interest was expressed regarding the classes which the Y. W. C. A. has been having. A committee was authorized to organize new classes meeting the interests which the girls expressed. The girls then adjourned to the club house to hear Mrs. Eddy.

ADVISERS TO MEET

Next Monday evening, January 19, at the home of Mrs. Edwin A. Russell, Moorestown, the advisers of Girl Reserve clubs throughout the county will hold the first of a series of monthly meetings which are being planned as a training course during 1931. Miss Louise Holmquist, of the Holmquist School, New Hope, Pa. will speak on the growth of the Y. W. C. A. and how it can meet the needs of adolescent girls. Miss Holmquist has been active in the Y. W. C. A. for many years. During November she was the chief speaker at the Burlington membership banquet.

The Girl Reserves of Lenola are to entertain the county Junior Council of Girl Reserves at its third regular meeting of the season next Saturday afternoon, January 17, at two o'clock at the Lenola Community House. The program will include a talk, and a short play by the Girl Reserves of the William Allen School, in Burlington, besides music, devotions and business.

Girl Reserve clubs have already resumed activities since Christmas. The girls at the Progress street school in Riverside have been holding discussions on peace, studying especially the Peace Pact. The Beverly club has a new adviser, Miss Lavina Kipp. In Browns Mills, the club is planning to make draperies for a room in the school.

The Y. W. C. A. camp committee, with representatives of Burlington, Camden, Gloucester and Monmouth counties, met at the Y. W. C. A. in Burlington on Tuesday, January 13. Miss Mildred Wilcox, National Y. W. C. A. Secretary, was present. Plans were made for the camp for the coming season.



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PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER
Founder, Burlington County Aero Club

Victor R. Fritz, field director of the PMAA and a member of the Burlington County Aero Club, made his initial solo flight on Sunday at the Moorestown Airport. You know, Fritz is the chap who teaches the youngsters how to build and fly models.

Eastern Air Transport, operators of the New York, Atlanta and Miami line, have just installed hostesses on their planes. Thus another line of endeavor has been opened up for the girls. To qualify the girls must play bridge, be able to converse intelligently, likewise know the language of the air and must be beautiful.

Henry Mather, of Riverside, and a member of the Burlington County Aero Club, ventured into the sky alone last week on his solo flight. Many happy landings, Henry.

We really believe we will solo one of our Lady Birds in the near future now. Mrs. Florence R. Myers, of Moore, Pa., is taking instruction at the Moorestown Airport every flying day and is progressing very nicely.

We are hoping for a decided pick-up in business for the commercial aircraft factories throughout the country after the show at Detroit in April. Quite a few new models will be exhibited.

The annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Burlington County Aero Club will be held at the Moorestown Community House on Monday evening, January 19, at seven o'clock sharp.

GLIDER AGAIN CRASHES

Bordentown Man Suffers Fracture of Leg in 50-Foot Plunge

Joseph Kratina, 25 years old, of 58 Mary street, Bordentown, was taken to the St. Francis Hospital, in Trenton, Monday, under treatment for a broken leg suffered Sunday when a glider he was piloting went into a nose dive and crashed to the ground from a height of 50 feet.

Sunday's trial was the second since the plane several months ago was damaged by striking a telephone pole with William Murphy at the controls. Murphy was painfully injured.

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SCOUTS FINISH HEADQUARTERS

Riverton Troop Has About Completed Work of Remodeling

The meeting of the Riverton Scouts Friday night was the last regular meeting at which work will be done on the new troop headquarters in the basement of the parish house, Christ Church. The scoutmaster announced that beginning next week regular troop meetings will be resumed and the regular program of scouting will start.

Beginning next Friday the meetings will start promptly at 7:45 and every scout in the troop must be present in uniform at that hour. The scouts who are late will have this fact entered on the records and will later be deprived of certain privileges and pleasures which the rest of the troop enjoy.

Mr. Garwood made a talk to ten recruits in which he stressed important points of scoutcraft. He also discussed with these new recruits the importance of having a uniform if this uniform can be obtained. Ways and means can usually be arranged for scouts to earn the necessary money for the purchase of a uniform. Of course a scout is a scout whether in uniform or not, but the uniform helps.

At the meeting Friday, the framework for partitions was completed and the partitions themselves were practically finished on Saturday afternoon. A few remaining details of the construction remain to be completed. This will be accomplished on weekday evenings and Saturday afternoons. No definite date has yet been set for the dedication, but a program is being arranged and the dedication will be held just as soon as the room is completely ready.

After the dismissal of the older scouts, several of the recruits were given opportunities of passing tenderfoot tests. The meeting then adjourned until next Friday, at which time the regular formal scout meetings will be resumed as was stated above.

The plan of the troop headquarters is shown elsewhere in this issue. Of the work that was to be done, the following has been completed:

The stairways and the doorways are in; electric lights are installed; the ceremonial platform is built and the partitions are practically finished.

All that remains to be done is to paint the room (this is to be done by professional painters) and to build the railings. These will be completed gradually as the winter advances. patrol totem poles referred to on the plan will be gradually carved by the patrols as their scoutcraft progresses and will show in symbolic form the history of the patrol.

SALARY INCREASE ASKED FOR COPS AT MT. HOLLY

A petition asking a general increase in salary for Mount Holly policemen was presented to Northampton township committee at its meeting last week. Action was deferred. The petition asked no specific increase, but stressed the contention the force was underpaid. A report from Recorder Joseph C. Kingdom showed revenues collected by him in 1930 of $588.60 or only $11.40 short of enough to pay his $600 salary. Albert C. Worrell, tax assessor, reported interest collections of $3900 or enough to pay the salaries of himself and the township's clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on

Thursday, February 12, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (to-wit, at 2 o'clock) at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey.

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Riverton, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey.

BEGINNING at the intersection of the Southerly line of Seventh Street with the Westerly line of Lippincott Avenue, and extends thence Westwardly along the Southerly line of Seventh Street sixty feet, in front or width, to a point, thence Southwardly, between parallel lines of that width or frontage, one of which is the Westerly line of Lippincott Avenue, one hundred and twenty-five feet, in length or depth to the Northerly line of Late fronting on Midway. Containing within said bounds a lot sixty feet in front by one hundred and twenty-five feet in depth, on the Southwesterly corner of Seventh Street and Lippincott Avenue.

Decree approximately $3124.75 besides interest, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Louis F. Lowden, et als, Defendant and taken in execution at the suit of Fannie E. Rogers, Complainant, and to be sold by:

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated January 8, 1931.
Joseph R. Low, Sol'r.
Ers. 1-15-2-5.

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BEGINNING in the Easterly line of Howard Street one hundred feet Southwardly from the Southerly line of Second Street; thence (1) Southwardly along the Easterly line of Howard Street one hundred feet to a corner; thence (2) Eastwardly at right angles to Howard Street one hundred fifty feet to a corner; thence (3) Northwardly and parallel with Howard Street one hundred feet to a corner; thence (4) Westwardly at right angles to Howard Street one hundred fifty feet to the place of beginning.

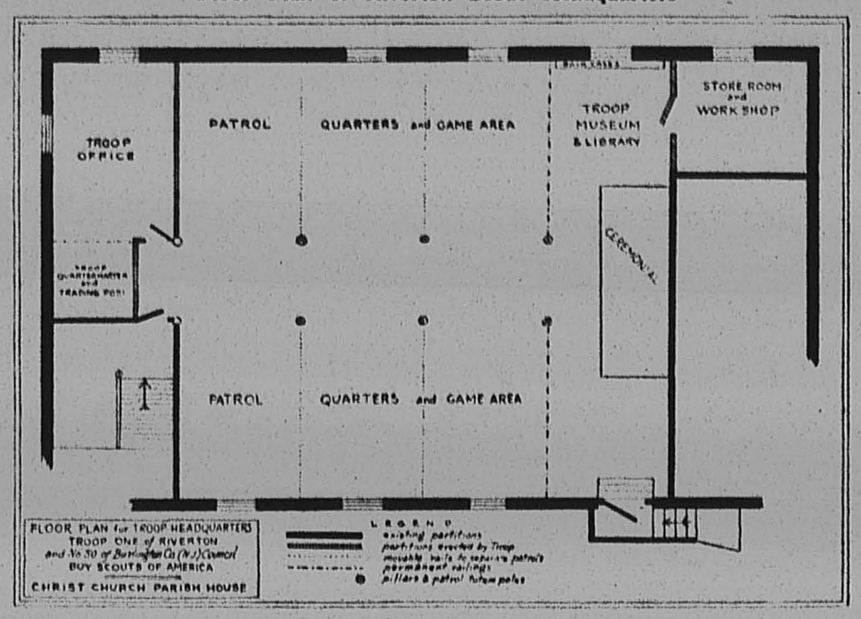
Decree approximately $5174.17 besides interest, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Reuben F. Corry, et als, Defendant, and taken in execution at the suit of Pauline H. Eichfeld, Complainant, and to be sold by:

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated January 10, 1931.
Carr and Carroll, Sol'rs.
Ers—1-15—2-5

Floor Plan of Riverton Scout Headquarters



Remodeled headquarters in Riverton Parish House nearing completion, and which was made possible by the generosity of a number of business men.

Larger Governmental Units A Means To Economy, Efficiency, States Commission

Survey Group Expected To Make Recommendations For Correction of State Decentralization of Local Ruling Following Report

Emphasizing the importance of larger governmental units in New Jersey as a means to economy and efficiency and the control of taxation, the tax survey commission in its first report, now being published, presents a vivid picture of the length to which the state has gone in decentralizing local government. It is expected to make correction of this fault the first principle of the recommendations to be presented following the survey of local governmental problems on which the report is based.

Although New Jersey covers only 8,224 square miles, it is divided into twenty-one counties, varying in area from 42.5 to 815.0 square miles. Within the counties are 562 definite municipalities, and also "an indefinite number of other administrative districts." Not only have legislative policy and local sentiment fostered the multiplication of local units, but the terms "city," "town," and "township" carry no suggestion of "a certain degree of urban development," as in most other states, and are in fact well-fitted to mislead the uninformed, for New Jersey has 21 "cities" with a population of less than 10,000 each, and 28 "towns" and "townships" in each of which the population exceeds that number. The largest town, Irvington, adjoining Newark, has 56,733 populations, and North Bergen, the largest township, has 40,714, while the cities legally qualified to bear that designation include among the number in which less than 10,000 people dwell no less than five with populations under 1,000 and four of these have less than 500 population each, the palm going to Corbin, in Atlantic County, which numbers only 256 souls.

The municipalities act of 1917, the commission points out, "contributed to the obliteration of the distinction between cities, towns and other local units, by authorizing the exercise of the same broad powers by all municipalities, regardless of their size or their distinctive type. This act did not touch the question of governmental structure, that is, the administrative framework by means of which these powers were to be exercised, and a bewildering variety of structural types is available for the choice of the electorate."

Heavy Price

Small communities often pay "a heavy price," the commission finds from detailed analysis of expenditure in various classes of municipalities, "for the privilege of maintaining a separate local government which does but little for them." It discovers that in 1928 there were 120 townships and six boroughs in which tabulated expenditure was negligible except for general government, roads, schools and "undistributable items," and investigation showed that the "undistributable items" costs were largely salaries. "This means," the commission comments, "that these governmental units, namely the rural townships and boroughs having usually a considerable area and small population, are performing no services for their residents and taxpayers of any consequence other than roads and schools. It means that the overhead cost of providing these two services is far greater, in comparison, than the overhead costs of city government." Such figures, the commission concludes, "give rise inevitably to the query whether it is worth while to pay this price for independent local operation of these services," and forecasting more detailed consideration of these factors in a report to come later, declares that they "constitute a prima facie case for the disorganization of these local governments.

The purpose of the commission is to recommend the disintegration of sparsely populated municipalities and their return to a rural status as well as the integration, by consolidation or otherwise, of urban communities which maintain separate governmental entities although actually constituting parts of a single metropolitan area. In both cases, governed by opposite conditions which lead alike to high costs, the purpose is to demonstrate that by taking the indicated course governmental costs can be controlled and taxation's rise halted.

Under modern conditions and requirements the commission believes that New Jersey's former emphasis upon local pride, home rule for small units and duplication of agencies and activities in separate communities divided only by imaginary lines has become anomalous and must go. It recognizes that this is not the work of a moment, but insists that if efficiency, economy and progress are to be secured a more modern viewpoint must be developed which will lead to an increasing co-ordination of related activities, enabling the larger and more costly undertakings of government to be spread over a larger unit of population and a greater section of taxable valuations. With this must come, it is asserted, greater simplification of governmental machinery, involving the abolition of many agencies created in the past to meet conditions which a modern system would avoid.

Expenditures Increased

In the ten years, 1918 to 1928, county and municipal expenditure increased 203.5 per cent, from $92,230,446 to $279,934,666. County and municipal debt, less sinking fund payments thereon, in the same period increased 304.1 per cent, from $199,939,582 to $808,954,429. During the same ten years net taxable valuation of property rose from $3,030,926,000 to $5,970,088,000, increasing only 97 per cent. Each dollar of taxable valuation in the state therefore supported in 1928 one and a half times as much local governmental expenditure and twice as much local public debt as in 1918, despite the practical doubling of the taxable valuation of all property in the state.

In considering these changes the commission finds that the state is at fault in two respects. One can be corrected, it is indicated, by revising and in great degree repealing "inconsistent and conflicting" state laws relating to municipal governments. The other fault, to which the report devotes considerable attention, is mandatory legislation, whereby the state, the commission finds, imposes local burdens out of proportion to local resources, instead of recognizing the principle that the responsibilities imposed should be matched by financial ability to meet them. The commission insists that small communities should not be required "to assume burdens with respect to highways, education, protection or sanitation which more properly belong to wider jurisdictions." In consequence it asserts the need of "a complete review of the allocation of responsibilities" to determine the services which are today purely municipal or local and those which should be assumed by other jurisdictions, such as the county, the region or the state.

It finds in "the steady expansion of mandatory legislation" without such reallocation an unquestionable contribution "to the high cost of local government."

On the part of the local governments themselves the commission finds contributions to high costs through duplication of facilities. An instance of importance is found in police and fire departments, as to which "the smallness of jurisdiction is a positive hindrance to efficiency, since neither the criminal nor the conflagration is a respector of municipal boundaries."

Metropolitan Region

The New York metropolitan region, defined to include Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Union and Passaic Counties, and containing 140 municipalities, contains also, it is pointed out, 137 school districts, five county governments and a large number of special district governments. Among the functions there are several that cannot be exercised effectively, in the commission's judgment, otherwise than by unified administration over the whole area, or at least over large sections of it. These include police, fire, justice, corrections, sewage disposal, main highway planning and construction, transit, water supply, and the like. As an example, it is shown that the 140 local governments in this region, all trying individually to prevent crime in their sections of the metropolitan area, have an average area of only 5 square miles each, whereas the area of the territory over which the criminal can operate within their combined jurisdictions is 706 square miles.

In such a situation, the commission finds, political barriers serve to protect the criminal as well as to make futile and needlessly expensive the safeguarding of the communities. The commission expresses the conviction that consolidation of police administration "in the metropolitan regions, particularly in the New York area, is the only practicable means to attack the city crime problem, and at the same time is the best single proposal that can be made to encourage economy of police administration." It takes a like view of other problems of administration and expenditure the effective handling of which requires regional scope for best results at least cost.

Whether in the interest of such handling of these functions "resort shall be had to municipal consolidation, or to local federation, or to the elevation of the county to a more exalted administrative importance, or to the establishment of new districts larger than the county for the control of certain services," the commission considers must depend on circumstances. It prefers to suggest that all these methods be considered, and believes that all may prove useful to some extent. Special emphasis is laid upon the necessity of avoiding rigidity and the value of providing a flexibility which will permit varying local and regional conditions to be met in providing the corrective for the outstanding ailment of small-unit administration of major problems of government.

HEADS OF CO. SCHOOLS PLAN DINNER MEETING

Skeykill to Address Gathering of Members of Local Boards at Burlington

Members of the school boards of all towns of Burlington county will convene at a dinner-meeting of the Association of Burlington County School Boards, to be held in the Plaza Park fire house, Friday night, January 23.

More than 300 persons are expected to attend the meeting, at which Thomas Skeykill, noted dramatist and reputed to be the outstanding hero of the World War, will be the principal speaker.

Robert C. B. Parker, supervising principal of the public schools of Mount Holly, and vice-president of the Burlington County School Supervisors Association, will report the winter activities of the association at the dinner-meeting.

KINSEY N. MERRITT TO ADDRESS ROTARY

Palmyra-Riverton Rotary Will Hear Prominent Speaker at Porch Club Tonight

Kinsey N. Merritt, connected with the managerial offices of the Railway Express Agency in the Allegheny region, will come from his headquarters in Philadelphia on Thursday, January 15, to address the meeting of the Rotary Club at its meeting to be held at the Riverton Porch Club at 6:15 o'clock.

Mr. Merritt has been in the express business for twenty-two years and has in recent years devoted his attention to express traffic matters.

Mr. Merritt will take as his subject "The American Way in Transportation."

BRIGANTINE REFINANCED

Announcement was made last Friday by Congressman Isaac Bacharach, president of the Island Development Company, of the reorganization and stabilization of Brigantine, the leading real estate beach development adjacent to Atlantic City and one of the largest enterprises of its kind in the East. Under the leadership of strong banking interests $3,250,000 of refinancing has been effected. Creditors co-operation has made possible the elimination of practically all of the factors which have halted the activities of the Island Development Company during the past year. Through the medium of a new corporation known as Brigantine, Inc., activities will be immediately renewed on a conservative but aggressive basis, according to the announcement.

LEGION CLUB WINS

Chillicothe, Ohio—The local Legion Rifle Club defeated the Portsmouth Y. M. C. A. team in a return match recently. The Legion lost to the visitors in a previous match.

FISHING SEASON CHANGE

St. Paul, Minn.—The Minnesota department of the American Legion is asking a change in the opening of the fishing season from May 30 to June 1 in order "that Memorial Day may be kept the day that the veterans of the G. A. R. intended it should be."

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This is the time of skating, of fun, and of sports. After Christmas we have new sleds and skates and are just anxious to find some chance to use them. We know it is dangerous but it is real fun just the same. Here are some pointers for skaters. Don't fasten skates on your shoes; always use boots or high shoes, which support your ankles. Don't be discouraged if your ankles get frightfully tired during your first attempts. Rest a few minutes and go on again. An hour's practice will strengthen them.

If you happen to get a tumble don't struggle to regain your balance and go down with all muscles taut for it will hurt you. Simply relax and flop down like a piece of rag.

In passing other skaters, keep to the right. This is the generally accepted rule of the ice.

Don't rush toward a hole if someone has fallen through. Slide a pole or ladder across to him or make a human chain, and with your weight spread over a large surface, wriggle toward the one in danger.

If you fall in run home quickly or go to some shelter where you can get warm and dry after you get out of the water.

When you go skating, dress warmly, but have your limbs free.

Assemblies Enjoyed by Children

On December 22nd the 7-B class gave a play in assembly called "The Night Before Christmas." The boy, Hans, was played by Harry Turner and the girl, his sister, by Eleanor Sordon. The traveller who needed food and clothing on that stormy night was played by Gladys Bishop. Addie Glud and Elsa Showell were two others in need of help. Olive Jones took the part of the angel who appeared before the brother and sister after they had helped and comforted the travellers who came to their door.

On January 5th, the assembly was opened by the reading of the Bible by Robert Guest. Mary Patterson, Elizabeth Woolston and Jack Criss sang a three part song, "Allegiance." Mr. Cooper then talked to the students about the work of the New Year. The Fourth-A sang a song for us.

Eighth Grade Pleased With Pins

At a Civics meeting of the eighth grade on November 12th, someone brought up a subject which has not been considered for at least ten years. The graduating class wanted a class pin. Mary Patterson collected the money from those who wished to buy them. Then the secretary of the class, Philip Mathews, sent for the pins. They were silver pins containing the school colors, blue and gold, with an R. P. S. engraved on them. The guard was a small thirty-one. The eighth grade received their pins Wednesday morning and are very much pleased with them.

Miss Cunningham Ill

Miss Cunningham's class was very thoughtful and each of them decided to write a letter to her so that she could read them while she is ill. They expressed a desire for her to return soon, told her about their school work, happenings of their vacation and wished her a happy New Year.

Children Miss Mr. Quigley

Mr. Quigley's death was felt very deeply by the children. They miss his coming to school each morning to care for non-attendance. Most of all, however, they miss his pleasant face and thoughtfulness of them as they cross the street at the corner.

School Thinks of Needy

The school did its annual job of filling baskets for less fortunate people of this community. If I tell you the lower hall was filled with baskets containing food and toys you can realize how much was collected.

We hope that all the people who received baskets will enjoy the contents as long as they last.

Alligator in School

John Knudsen from Miss Gardiner's room was at Florida and his father caught a baby alligator which John brought to school. He gave a talk for the class one day for nature study.

The grade has also a Class Organization. The president, Allan Ransom, has charge of morning exercises. Afterwards the class gives talks on experiences which they have had.

PEDESTRIANS TO OBEY STOP LIGHTS

Unlawful to Cross Streets Against Traffic Control Signals

In view of numerous accidents involving pedestrians, the Keystone Automobile Club of New Jersey deems it pertinent to call attention to Article V of the Traffic Act, which definitely describes the rights of both pedestrians and motorists at street intersections.

Under this act, the club points out, it is unlawful for pedestrians to cross streets at controlled intersections when the "stop" signal is set against them. The law also provides that at intersections where traffic is controlled by a police officer or traffic signal "it shall be unlawful for any pedestrian or pedestrians to enter upon or to cross a highway at any point other than a designated crosswalk." At uncontrolled intersections, pedestrians are forbidden to cross the highway other than at right angles to the curb, and when crossing at any other point they are required to yield the right of way to motor and other vehicles.

In all business and residential sections, pedestrians are given the right of way over vehicles uncontrolled intersections. Similarly, they have the right of way when crossing streets on the "go" signal, the law specifically providing that "it shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to fail to give the right of way to a pedestrian or pedestrians where such pedestrian or pedestrians having started to cross with the proper signal finds himself still within the intersection when the signal changes."

"With pedestrians rights thus adequately guarded," the club statement concludes, "it is asking but little of them to cross streets only at crossings and then in accordance with the law's provisions."

PRODUCTION DOUBLED

Chevrolet Shows Big Gain Over December of 1929

December production of the Chevrolet Motor Company was 64,018 cars and trucks, more than twice the 26,000 units built last December and by a wide margin the biggest twelfth-month in the company's history, W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager, has announced.

Employment of the company, which has registered consistent gains since the introduction of the 1931 models in November, stood at 32,101 for the week ended December 27, a gain of 347 over the previous week, Mr. Knudsen stated. During the current month the employment figure is expected to climb to 40,000 men, Chevrolet's normal operating force.

CAMDEN DRIVER GIVEN 60 DAYS AS 'TIPSY'

Charles Johnson, 705 Sycamore street, Camden, was sentenced Sunday to 60 days in the Burlington county jail for drunken driving. Johnson was arrested by Patrolman Bowen at Mount Holly, on complaint of Richard Eldridge, Lumberton, who charged the man was forcing other motorists off the road by zigzagging and reckless driving. Recorder Joseph C. Kingdon, Jr., imposed fine and costs totaling $221 on Johnson and he was committed to jail in default.

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BOY, 7, IS CRITICALLY HURT NEAR MARLTON

Daniel Hughes Struck by Automobile When Racing Across Road Near Springdale

Running into the side of an automobile on Marlton pike near Springdale road, Marlton, on Sunday, Daniel Hughes, Jr., 7, of Barton Brothers farm, Greentree road, suffered critical injuries and is now near death in Cooper Hospital, Camden.

The boy received a compound fracture of the skull and other injuries when he raced across the road with a companion, Cornelius Sharp, 7. The Sharp boy avoided the car of William Allison, 43, of Payson avenue, Audubon, but the Hughes boy was unable to stop. He ran into the car and was thrown to the roadside, according to Delaware township police. The Sharp boy said that they had "made a bet" to see who could reach a store across the road first.

Allison took the boy to police headquarters and from there young Hughes was taken to the hospital by Patrolman Harry Hasher. The father of the boy is a farmhand on the Barton farm. Allison ws ordered to appear for a hearing this (Wednesday) evening.

HIT-RUN ACCIDENT LEADS TO $50 FINE

Merrill Johns, Palmyra, Apprehended After Crash Monday Night In Pensauken

Merrill Johns, Palmyra, was fined $50 and costs Monday night as a hit-run motorist by Recorder George E. Yost, Pensauken township.

Johns' automobile is said to have collided with another driven by William J. Horner, Delanco, at Burlington pike and Union avenue. Johns said he left the scene of the accident without stopping to get his children home safely.

VETERAN AWARDED $5,481

Texarkana, Ark.—After ten years of effort to establish his claim, a Texarkana veteran has been awarded a total of $5,481.45 back pay and compensation of $70 a month for a war-incurred disability through efforts of the American Legion-Red Cross service office in Texarkana.

M. E. PULPIT FILLED

Kansas Minister Will Preach During Absence of the Rev. J. William Lee

The Epworth Methodist Episcopal Church, Palmyra, has made arrangements during the absence of their pastor, the Rev. William J. Lee, on account of illness, to have the pulpit filled each Sunday until his return by the Rev. Kenneth Cornwell, who is a young, capable preacher and member of the Northwest Kansas Methodist Episcopal Conference and a graduate of the Kansas University.

He is at present in the East completing a post-graduate course in order to secure a doctor's degree of S. T. D. He will preach Sunday morning, January 18, on the subject "Goals of the Soul"; Sunday evening, January 18, on the subject "Flat Tires," and Sunday evening, February 1, he will preach on the subject "Dead Broke, Down and Out, and Homesick."



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WHY NOT A PLAN FOR COUNTY PARKS?

"Burlington County cannot put off indefinitely the solution of the problem," says a recent statement issued by the County Parks Committee, "because as has been the history in other metropolitan areas the creeks become dumping places, the site of unsanitary housing conditions and the streams themselves develop into open sewers to the point they endanger the health of entire communities."

Statements similar to this one have been issued quite frequently, and for some time, by the parks committee. In each instance good reasons for developing a park system have been given and immediate action has been advocated.

No doubt the statements are valuable in arousing interest in a park program for Burlington county. Building up an "acceptance state of mind" is wise and will save the sponsors much criticism when the project is brought out into the open. All of this is fine. But what else is the committee doing?

While there is no desire to criticize the group of public spirited citizens who are members of the committee, it is thought that if immediate action is advisable, now is the time to start work on a tentative plan.

Land along streams and other ground that would be used for parks in the county is undoubtedly as cheap today as it ever will be. It may be even possible to acquire a large portion of the land needed without any great expense.

Right now, if we are ever to develop a parkway system, is the time to acquire the lands, even though no work would be done immediately on the improvement of them. Before lands can be acquired, a plan must be made, showing what ground will be needed. That is where action is needed today.

THE NEXT GOVERNOR OF NEW JERSEY

May18 is not so far away and yet that is the date when the members of the two important political parties of this state are to go to the polls and nominate candidates for governor. At least that is the theory behind the Spring Primary Election.

In so far as the Democrats are concerned, there is no need for the primary. Frank Hague years ago developed the habit of holding one-man primaries and he is adhering to old practices, for his gubernatorial candidate has already been named.

A. Harry Moore, whose conduct in the state executive's mansion must have pleased the distinguished Mr. Hague, is slated to run for the governorship next fall. Mr. Hague has said so.

Everything is not so cut and dried with the Republicans. If reports from Trenton are to be considered reliable, the G. O. P. leaders of the state apparently have not settled upon the name or names to appear on the primary ticket for the Republican nomination.

Of course Duffield and a few other prominent men of the state have been mentioned, but they appear to fade out of the picture just a quickly as they pop up. Judge Robert Carey has friends among the voters, but it is said that he is lacking in political strength, so on the face of it cannot seriously be considered as a candidate.

Then, there is Ex-Senator David Baird, of Camden. He is frequently mentioned, although it is hardly thought that he has aspirations for the post and some political minds are of the opinion that he is merely biding his time, allowing his name to be used just as it was when he trotted out Ambassador Morrow as Edge's successor.

All-in-all, speculation seems to be running rife, but there is little definite information at this time when one would think that concrete plans leading to a victory next fall should be in the making.

Jersey's political complexion will not be improved for the 1932 Presidential fight with a Democratic victory for the governorship next Fall and it is about time the political forces of the state should unite to triumph at the polls next November.

"POLICE BULLETIN AD" RACKETEERS

District Attorney Monaghan, who last week ordered the Magistrates, Constables, Justices and Officials Association, Inc., to close its offices in Philadelphia, took action that has long been needed and it is hoped will be lasting.

Monaghan's investigation, which led to the closing of the offices, disclosed that professional and business men were invited to purchase advertising space in a "police bulletin" at the rate of $100 a page. In return, although it was reported the organization had no actual connection with Philadelphia magistrates or constables, the purchaser of advertising was promised immunity from prosecution for motor violations.

It was further revealed that if the prospect appeared "cold" to the proposition, he was given the hint that it would "go hard with him" should he be arrested.

Philadelphia people are not the only ones who have been victims of this or similar "associations". Men in every community in South Jersey have been preyed upon in this same manner and there is likelihood that the operations may be resumed in this section, for the letterhead of the association gave the names of two South Jersey Justices of the Peace as chairmen of two of its "committees", thus indicating a connection, or at least, an interest in South Jersey.

Persons in this locality, if approached to "take an ad" will act wisely if they obtain the name and address of the solicitor and then turn the information over to the authorities for investigation.

In the event the operators of this "racket", as District Attorney Monaghan so well termed it, are ever caught here, the treatment they receive should correspond with that meted out by Philadelphia.

Thru the Eye of a Needle

By JAM URRAY

New Year's Aftermath

We resolve to go the straight and narrow way,
We decided sowing wild oats doesn't pay;
But, at mischief's tempting call,
Good intentions we let fall—
For we're only poor weak mortals after all.

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We have just finished reading an analysis of Will Rogers' routine. We have made one of our own in comparison—allez-oop:

Among his pastimes is golf; but he never plays golf in public, only on his private course. Golf is one of our pastimes, too, but we never play it anywhere, no doubt.

He never smokes. Neither did we—that is, up to about 20 or 30 years ago.

He has few intimates, moving in a small circle of friends. Check—except that we do not have enough friends to form a circle.

He is married and has a family. We are not married and are perfectly respectable.

He is 51 years old. Oh, no, you don't trap us that way!

He does not own a dress suit and refuses to wear one. We borrow ours, too, and have been told we don't know how to wear it.

He wears the same costume that he wears at home around town. We, too, have one suit.

He refuses to have a telephone in his home. The same thing happened to ours—phone cos are like that.

His trousers generally need pressing, and his shoes look as though they had never been shined. Strike out the word "generally."

He writes for 600 or more newspapers and his copy has never been late. We write for 600 newspapers (595 have failed to accept our offerings) and our copy is never the latest.

"Perhaps we shouldn't mention it.
But this is what we think:
To print this column every week
Is a waste of printer's ink.

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Fourth Dimension, No Doubt!

"The fire was in a small shanty on a vacant lot."—Phila. Inquirer. Probably that is what Einstein came over to explain.

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One thing about those new New Jersey license plates is the fact that they are the most thoroughly red in existence and they cover the county.

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Now, if we had anything to say about the unemployment "saturation" in this municipality, we would give those "unemployeders" work planting fast-growing tulip poplars, which can be had for the asking, around the old town. But, shucks, if we were in a position like that we suppose we would be too busy turning down foolish suggestions to bother with anything sensible as that.

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Guess we will have to get ready to "pan" Al. Smith; he is slated to start writing a column this week. There are so many presidents, queens, baseball players, almost-presidents and whatnots writing columns that there is hardly a chance for honest-to-goodness columnists like we are. They say Al. lost his chance to become president by mispronouncing "radio." We venture to say he won't write anything on that subject. It takes lots of nerve for a man to try to spell a word he can't even pronounce.

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"Salvation Army Warns of Fake Collectors."—news item. Well, they are welcome to all of ours, including a fountain pen and a trick cig lighter.

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It has always been our aim to keep this column "clean," but a lot of other newspaper boys are getting plenty dough for stuff like this, allez-oop:

A sentence using the word—

"Soldier"—It's the same kind I soldier old man.

"Harmony"—Who'd harmony hair of her gray head dies like a dog. March on," he said.

"Apparent": You'd better give me another one, apparent enough.

"Erections": You could tell by erections that she was mad.

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"Lady Stanley, who came here from England to see that no serious breaches of etiquette slip into a picture being produced in Hollywood, says that she doesn't like 'America or anything American', and that 'American pictures are perfectly terrible'." And that, we think, would be bad enough for anyone to say who didn't know anything about etiquette; and, besides that, we don't give a tinker's obstruction for what anyone says who uses the phrase "perfectly terrible."

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We used to wonder why the Scots are so tight. But, Eureka, it's just an old clannish custom.

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"Ring Lardner," we read, "is a versatile musician, but he never can play in key." "And just what, we would like to ask, is a 'versatile musician' who can't carry a tune," inquires Morgan Cook. Inasmuch as we are musically inclined and have, on numerous occasions, been paid for our musical services, we feel qualified to set you right on that, Morgan. It has been our experience that a musician who can't play in key or carry a tune is invariably a fiddle player.

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We read an editorial, the other day, which stated that "Mussolini's address over the radio was pacific in tone." But we bet it was plenty Adriatic in motive. Anyway, we consider it all wet.

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"Shore Cops Censured for Failing to be Courteous." "Thar scoldin' them thar heels."

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Epicfaffy

Here lie the remains of Sadie McGurk,
She got married one day just to get out of work.

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There oughtta be a law no doubt.

HO, HUM—ANOTHER!

Tiffin, O.—Four boys here are engaged in a chewing gum endurance contest. Honors will finally go to the fellow who can keep the original gum in his mouth longest.

This Week in WASHINGTON

BY RADFORD MOBLEY
AUTOCASTER WASHINGTON BUREAU

The average reader outside of Washington would probably be surprised, in the midst of current discussion of political affairs, if he were told that there is not even an outside chance that there will be a third party movement in 1932.

Yet that is precisely true. This was definitely indicated in the statement by Sen. Norris, Nebraska, in declining an offer to head such a movement. Yet the Lucas-Norris controversy has equal importance in indicating that there will be a serious battle for the Republican nomination in that party's next national convention.

The western progressives are sure to unite in a vigorous attempt to nominate one of their number. They will have many more senators and congressmen with them in an effort to gain control within the party than they would if they tried to oppose the eventual nominee with a third ticket.

Few experienced political observers in Washington, however, feel that there is any danger of President Hoover not being renominated by his party. For one thing the tradition of giving a president a second term is almost as strong as that which prohibits a third term.

For another, the president is in control of the party machinery and the 1912 Taft-Roosevelt convention battle showed that it is next to impossible to secure enough votes to defeat a presidential bid.

Finally, most of those prominent here think that general conditions will be considerably better by the time the convention are held, and that this will consequently rebound to Mr. Hoover's favor, just as the depression caused a swing away from him.

This being the case, the attention of the majority here is turned toward the possible democratic nominees. Upon the man that party nominates depends the attitude of the insurgent republicans. Only three democrats have been very prominently suggested. Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York, Owen D. Young of that state and Gov. Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland.

Each of these, it is conceded by everyone, is a real possibility for the nomination, and outside of them there are few who are even suggested. Roosevelt would undoubtedly carry more weight with the west than either of the others; on the other hand both Young and Ritchie have large popular followings.

In any event, the convention year promises to be far livelier than any since World War days, and with the outcome far more uncertain than in the 1928 election.

Of six states out of 48 which showed an increased rural population in 1930, as compared with 1920, there were of the New England group, census bureau final figures show. Even Massachusetts' urban population dropped from 94.8 to 90.2 while New Hampshire's declined to 58.7 per cent from 63.1 and Rhode Island's from 97.5 to 92.4.

Of the other states, two, Delaware and Maryland, were in the South Atlantic section, and one, Arizona, in the mountain section. The Delaware urban decline was from 54.2 to 51.7, that of Maryland, 60 to 59.8, and that of Arizona, 35.2 to 34.4.

American wheat production will be on a domestic basis in five years, provided there are no radical changes in conditions, Chairman Alexander Legge of the farm board, said in a press conference here the other day.

Feeding 12 pounds of grain a day to more material influence on their cows before calving time had little dition than feeding four pounds a day to similar cows had, it was found in an experiment at the agriculture department's Beltsville farm near here.

In another experiment it was discovered that apportioned feeding of 31 Holsteins for 83 cow-months and 40 Jerseys for 163 cow-months resulted in an average daily production by the former of 35 pounds a day and by the latter of 21 pounds daily. The Holsteins declined in milk 8.2 per cent a month and the Jerseys 9.3 per cent. The system therefore appeared to provide sufficient nutrition, judging from weight gains and milk declines.

TODAY and TOMORROW

EDUCATION

The National Education Association, composed of school-teachers of the entire country, has started a vigorous campaign for the improvement of country schools. The first and most important step to be taken in this direction is to find some way of paying better salaries to country school teachers.

On the question whether country schools, especially rural high schools, ought to give more attention to so-called "vocational" education, there is room for a sharp difference of opinion. Most of the teachers think that farming, carpentering, sewing, cooking and the like should be taught in the schools. A few maintain that the place to learn any trade is "on the job," that the elements of education do not consist in acquiring skill, but in acquiring knowledge and understanding.

It must be admitted that the old-fashioned country schools which were limited, almost, to the Three R's laid a pretty sound foundation of culture among those pupils who were able to absorb it.

PROHIBITION

Stanley High, the editor of the Christian Herald, says it is time that the leadership of those who wish to retain Prohibition in the Constitution and the law of the land was taken over by somebody besides the church people and ministers.

Mr. High is right. One of the reasons why so many people who regard themselves as moral Christians are opposed to prohibition is that they do not believe that it is a question of morals or religion. They resent the effort to make it appear that drinking is sinful.

So far as our government and the law are concerned, the question of whether it is sinful to drink does not enter into the question at all. Prohibition is an economic movement, not a moral one. If it is to have anything like whole-hearted support from the people of the United States, that support must be sought on economic and social grounds and not on grounds with which probably the majority of truly religious people cannot agree.

ORGANIZATION

Newcomb Carlton, president of the Western Union Telegraph Company, thinks that our whole system of government needs reorganizing. The country has become too big, its problems too complex, to admit of efficient administration by a single President and a Congress as now organized.

Mr. Carlton is himself probably the nation's greatest organizer. There is less lost motion in the management of the Western Union than in any other concern of which I have any knowledge. Whatever Mr. Carlton has to say about organization, therefore, must be listened to respectfully.

There is certainly food for thought in what he says about the inadequacy of our present Constitutional set-up of government. The difficulty would be in changing it effectively. Authority must be centered somewhere, and most people would rather have one individual in the White House on whom to lay the blame whenever anything goes wrong, than to have to divide their ammunition among several heads of government.

CREATION

Professor Robert Millikan, one of the three or four greatest scientists of our time, declares that the deeper he delves into the secrets of nature, the more convincing is the evidence of a Creator continually on the job.

Creation is not finished, Dr. Millikan believes. The universe is constantly being rebuilt. Evolution is going on as it has gone on for tens of millions of years. Both in animal life and in the case of the inert elements, growth and development continue.

Dogmatic religionists, who believe that everything was finished when, as the Book of Genesis tells us, God rested on the Seventh Day, will disagree with Dr. Millikan. He believes in a God who works through methods of which science has gained a few glimpses and is steadily learning more.

In a time and place where men were burned at the stake for holding beliefs not taught by the priests of religion, Millikan would have risked his life by such utterances. That cannot happen in America today, but if the Bolshevists of Russia had their way he would be condemned for believing in any sort of a God or religion at all.

MOVIES

Two hundred million dollars, or very close to it, was spent in the manufacture of motion pictures last year, according to the Census Bureau.

There were 2,543 different motion pictures produced, of which 1,510 were "silent" films, and 689 were "talkies," the others being silent pictures with sound accompaniments.

One great advantage of living in a small town is that it is still possible to go to the movies without having to listen. In the big cities no theatre is regarded as any good unless it is equipped to produce "talkies," which instead of being an improvement on the silent drama are mostly rather inferior stage productions.

The Way of Life
by BRUCE BARTON

"See How Wrong You've Been"

In England I talked with some celebrated economists, who were very gloomy. They said the fundamental trouble with the world goes deeper than war debts or unemployment. It is the shortage of gold.

Gold is the measure of all values. When the gold dollars are few each dollar buys more wheat and copper and cotton and labor. So the price of all these commodities goes down, ruining the producers in the process. If the shortage becomes much more acute, so these wise men argued, it will overturn all wage scales and debt settlements, and result in economic chaos.

As I know nothing about economics (and, between ourselves, I often wonder whether the economists know very much), this scared me.

The next day I was talking with Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow, who was in London as one of the delegates to the Naval Conference. I told him what I had heard.

Instead of replying directly, he took down from the mantlepiece a copy of the autobiography of Lord Comer, and turned to a passage which read something like this:

"When I was a young man I proposed to keep a diary, but wise old uncle advised against it. Instead of recording what had happened, he said, I could employ my time more profitably by writing down on a piece of paper what I felt sure was going to happen. Then, he said, 'Put those notes away, and a year or five years later get them out and read them over, and see how wrong you have been. This will teach you to be cautious.'"

What shrewd advice that is! All of us could profit by it. I know that if I had written down my own private forecast at the beginning of each year and filed it away it would have saved me from making a number of costly mistakes.

Also, the record would make rather encouraging reading. It would show that a considerable amount of unanticipated good luck has come into my life.

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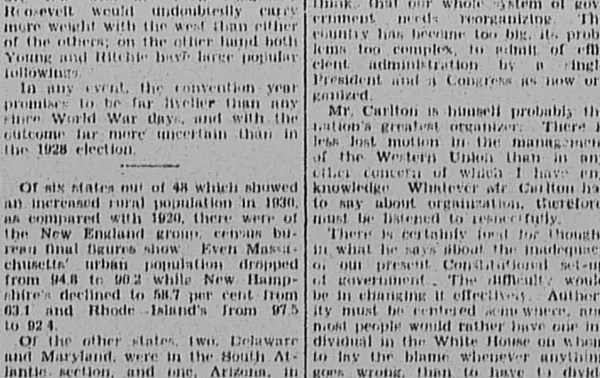
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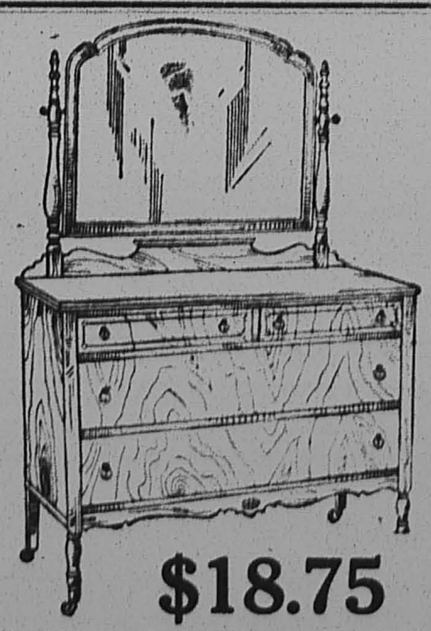
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RIVERTON ITEMS

Mrs. Earle Perkins was the guest of Mrs. William Vicentin, of Philadelphia, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Chew spent the week-end at Irvington as guests of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woolley.

Miss Edna Adams, of Philadelphia, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ada Brown, last week. Over Sunday Miss Gretha Reiter and Miss Mabel Adams, also of Philadelphia, visited Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Walter A. Armstrong entertained the Afgats Thursday evening. It was the twelfth anniversary of the club and all the members were present.

Mrs. William Hendrickson, of 208 Lippincott avenue, Riverton, entertained at luncheon and bridge on Wednesday in honor of her sister-in-law, La Marquise Molinart de Incisa, of Paris, France, the former Amanda Hendrickson.

Miss Elva A. Hughes, of New Lisbon, spent several days this week with Dr. F. S. Janney Stoddart.

Trooper Russell Miller, Pompton Lakes Station, was in Riverton to attend the funeral of Chief of Police Quigley.

Last Friday Paul Burr left Hampton Roads, Virginia, where he was stationed with the Naval Reserve Corps, for the Panama Canal Zone.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Stewart were among Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Johnatson, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family moved to Point Pleasant Wednesday.

The many friends of Mrs. C. Kenneth Davis will be sorry to learn that she is confined to her bed with grippe.

Miss Gertrude Burr, who is attending Glassboro Normal School spent the weekend at her home in Riverton.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard H. Adams, of Trenton, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Garwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Landers enjoyed Sunday in Ocean City.

Miss Emily Fox, who has been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Fox, returned to Massachusetts, Sunday, where she is attending Wellesley College.

Among the guests attending the banquet given by the Compass Club in P. O. S. of A. Hall, Palmyra, last Friday evening, were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Evans and Dr. and Mrs. Henry Fox, of Riverton and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Buck, of Palmyra.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Gerson, of 609 Elm avenue, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Carolyn Phyllis, January 6, at the Delaware County Hospital, Upper Darby, Pa.

SAFETY SIGNS ERECTED

Brandon, Miss.—About 700 safety signs urging motorists to drive carefully and protect children, have been erected by American Legion posts in Mississippi as a part of the Legion's state-wide safety campaign. The signs were delivered in one day, the various posts ordering from four to twenty-five signs each.

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CHIEF QUIGLEY SUCCUMBS AFTER HEART ATTACK

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As overseer of the poor, "Bill" administered the duties of this office with rare tact and judgment in Riverton. During his twenty-eight years of service he has found five deserted children and secured homes for each of them.

Saved Property in Wreck

While the World War was in progress a large provision train was wrecked in East Riverton and his quick response and vigilance saved the government a heavy loss in foodstuffs.

These are but a few high lights in a long service and devotion to duty which established a record that any officer might well envy, and the fact that he never received a reprimand from his superiors is eloquent testimony of the character of service he rendered.

In his younger days, "Bill" was an enthusiastic sportsman, playing center on the old Riverton football team and catcher on the baseball team. He also engaged in the once popular sport of bicycle riding on the old Riverton race track located then in the vicinity of the present freight station.

As a fireman "Bill" served on active duty for many years, and up until his retirement several years ago, he never missed a fire.

Operation Two Years Ago

In May 1929 "Bill" was stricken with an illness that necessitated an operation. He was confined to the Burlington County Hospital, at Mount Holly, for two weeks and during that time he lost 85 pounds and at the time of his death he weighed 265 pounds.

The deceased is survived by a daughter, Helen, who is a student nurse at the West Jersey Homeopathic Hospital, Camden, two sons, John and Alexander, both employed in St. Joseph's Hospital, in Patterson, N. J. and a son, William, Jr., in the United States Army stationed at Fort Totten, N. Y.

The Funeral

Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock the funeral cortege formed in front of the Shover Funeral Home. Two New Jersey State Troopers, Turnbull and Rohner, and an officer from Burlington headed the column on motorcycles, followed by the honorary pallbearers consisting of twenty-two policemen: Palmyra, 4; Riverside, 1; Haddon Township, 1; Burlington, 6; Maple Shade, 4; Moorestown, 5; Pensauken, Township, 1, and twenty-two members of the Riverton Fire Company in uniform.

Two large touring cars, with tops down, carried the floral pieces.

The pallbearers, consisting of Officers Walter G. Miller and William Goodre, of Riverton; Chief Bradshaw, Moorestown; Chief Stevenson, Beverly; Chief Lindh, Delanco; Chief Ward, Maple Shade; Chief Beck, Palmyra, and Chief Voshell, Riverside were next in line, followed by the funeral coach.

The family car came next, followed by cars of friends. At the end of the cortege rode Policeman Charles Erickson, of Moorestown, on a motorcycle.

All the policemen in attendance wore miniature georgette crepes over their badges as a token of respect for the deceased.

The procession was half a mile long and presented a most impressive appearance as it wound its way slowly through the town.

Avenue of Honor

The honorary pallbearers, standing at attention with heads bared, the firemen on one side and the policemen on the other, formed an avenue of honor from the funeral home to the sidewalk, through which the casket was reverently borne to the waiting hearse.

The procession then moved slowly up Broad street to Linden avenue, thence to the Sacred Heart Church at Fourth and Linden where the services were held.

Officials Attend Services

Mayor Howard M. Rogers, Councilmen Charles DeLaney, Francis B. Elwell, J. Elmer Hahn and William H. Albertson, of Riverton, and Mayor George N. Wimer, of Palmyra, attended the services.

Requiem High Mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock, following which the rector, the Rev. Joseph A. Rigney, spoke of the kindly and sympathetic nature of the deceased, which had won for him so many friends. Never said Father Rigney, had Officer Quigley misused the power of his office through long years of service to the borough, and his recent elevation to the position of chief of police by the borough council was a just and fitting recognition of his loyalty and efficiency.

Many Friends Attest His Worth

Father Rigney further said that God had placed each of us on this earth to fulfill a given duty, and that the deceased had filled his mission faithfully and well was evidenced by the large number of friends who assembled to pay their last tribute of respect and esteem.

At the close of the services the funeral procession moved slowly up Fourth street to Main, thence to Ninth street, where the honorary pallbearers entered cars and the cortege proceeded to Moorestown.

School Children Pay Tribute

The entire student body and faculty of the Riverton public school stood quietly at attention at Fifth and Main streets as the line moved slowly by. The expressions on the faces of the children told a story of love and respect which any man in any station of life might well envy.

Interment was made in Mount Carmel Cemetery, Moorestown. Short services were held at the open grave by Father Rigney, assisted by Father Thompson, of Riverside.

The arrangements of the details of one of the largest funerals ever held in Riverton were largely conducted by Officer Walter Miller, to whose untiring efforts were due the orderliness and impressiveness with which it was conducted.

Director of Public Safety DeLaney arranged to have two State Troopers, Settle and Forkin and Special Officer John Robinson on duty in Riverton while the borough police force attended the funeral.

MOORESTOWN

The regular meeting of the World Wide Guild of the Baptist Church was held Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Betty Luce on Newbold avenue.

The Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday evening of last week for the regular monthly meeting and dinner. "Matrimony Preferred," a charming one act play, was presented by the Women's Club. The cast included Mrs. E. L. Sanford, Mrs. A. B. Pancoast, Mrs. H. F. Stose and Mrs. Emmor Roberts.

Tap dancing classes for women will begin in the Moorestown Community House on Thursday morning. Beginners will meet from 10 to 11 o'clock and advanced pupils between 11 and 12 o'clock. Mrs. Alexine Tomes is instructress.

Earl Bowen, of Delanco, who formerly resided in Moorestown for more than 20 years, has joined the sales organization of Lester S. Fortnum, the Ford dealer at Bridgeboro, in the sale of new and used cars and accessories.

Walter Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Russell, of Chester avenue, returned to his home on Monday from Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly, where he had been confined for more than two weeks suffering with appendicitis. He is reported as convalescing.

A business meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held in the Sunday school room on Sunday afternoon, January 18, at 3 o'clock.

Earl C. Kuhns, of North Washington avenue, motored to New York last week where he attended the automobile show there on Thursday and Friday, and the Whillys-Overland banquet at the Commodore Hotel on Thursday evening.

The fourth annual banquet of the Burlington County Real Estate Board will be held on Thursday evening, January 15, at 6:30 o'clock, at the Green Tree Restaurant, Moorestown.

A musical, under the auspices of the Moorestown Music Club, will be given in the women's club room of the Moorestown Community House on Tuesday evening, January 20, at 8:15 o'clock. Mrs. Howard C. Curtis, soprano, and G. Edward McComsey, baritone, will be the artists. Mrs. Robert Sim, of Riverton, pianist will accompany the singers. A cordial welcome is extended to everyone who wishes to attend.

The American Legion Auxiliary card party, which was held at the home of Mrs. William E. Ward, of West Third street on Saturday evening, was very successful. There were about twenty-four guests present.

Hugh Wallace, of East Second street, returned to Moorestown on Sunday after enjoying a six weeks' stay in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Kelly, of New York, are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. James E. Kelly, of East Main street.

Mrs. Mary Sheldon Roberts, of East Central avenue, and Dr. and Mrs. Flave Corpenning, of Marlton, spent Sunday in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Marion Campbell left on Saturday evening to return to her home in Arizona, Conn., after a three weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Middleton, of Mill street, and Mrs. Annie Bichler, of North Church street.

Mrs. James Davis, and daughter, Betsy Ann, of East Second street, Mr. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Davis and Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. Bertha Potter, left on Monday on a motor trip to Florida, where they will spend the month.

Mrs. Joseph T. Sullivan, of Chester avenue, who has been confined to her bed for the past week is still reported on the sick list.

Mrs. Hannah H. Evans, of East Main street, is reported as improving after having been seriously ill for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carter and young son, of Valley Terrace, returned Monday morning from a pleasant trip to Newark, where they were guests of the manager of the Hotel Douglas. They also enjoyed a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred LeConey, formerly of Moorestown, now of Nutley, and entertained them at dinner at the Hotel Douglas on Saturday. On the trip home, they stopped to visit Mrs. Carter's sister in Paterson for a day.

The next meeting of the Burlington County Junior Republican Club will be held at the home of Mrs. John W. Thacher, Warren street, Edgewater Park, on Tuesday, January 20, at two-thirty o'clock. As this is the first meeting in two months it is hoped that everyone will try and be present.

Mrs. William DeR. Prence, of West Main street, who has been visiting near Wilkes Barre, is reported having an enjoyable visit and expects to return home about the end of this week.

Mrs. Fred H. Swift left on Friday to return to her home in Marathon, N. Y., after being entertained as the guest of her niece, Mrs. Mary Sheldon Roberts, of East Central avenue, for the past three weeks.

RIVERTON COUNCIL PREPARES BUDGET

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man Walter K. Woolman as to how the proposed change in transportation methods would affect the service. Mr. Worth said that buses would be run on a half hour schedule, with a headway of 15 minutes or better during peak hours. The trip from Trenton to the Camden ferry or the bridge plaza would be made in 55 minutes.

Councilman Charles DeLaney said that the abandonment of trolley service and the removal of tracks would hasten the widening of the bridge over Pompeston Creek, East Riverton, for which he had been working with the Board of Freeholders for some time, as it is understood that the county will widen the road and the bridge as well as soon as the trolley tracks can be removed.

This improvement is badly needed between Riverton and Riverside and between Delanco and Beverly.

Twelve Have Passed Resolutions

Mr. Worth stated that twelve out of the nineteen municipalities between Trenton and Camden had already passed the resolution now pending before the Riverton council, and that Camden and Trenton had signed the agreement.

On motion of Mr. DeLaney, seconded by Mr. Woolman, the resolution presented by Public Service granting permission to abandon trolley service through Riverton was unanimously passed. The contract will be submitted to the new borough attorney, Walter Carson, for consideration or recommendation.

The finance committee passed a resolution that bills must be in the hands of the committee not later than the Monday previous to the meeting at which they are to be paid. Mr. Woolman, chairman of the finance committee, said that this ruling will be strictly adhered to in order to avoid the confusion and additional work entailed by bills which are not presented in time to be checked up and properly classified.

Highway Plans For Year

Councilman William H. Albertson, chairman of the highway committee, reported that he had inspected the streets and decided upon an extensive program of oiling during the coming summer in order to keep up highways in good condition. He said that the streets have been cleaned since the last storm, and four truck loads of debris carted away. As soon as the weather is suitable, Mr. Albertson said, the streets will be prepared for oiling. Mr. Albertson also reported the sewers to be in good condition.

James S. Coale, one of the new councilmen, raised an objection to dumping combustible materials in the cove at Memorial Park. He said that a year or so ago a bad fire had broken out in the dump which had destroyed one magnificent tree nearly 100 years old and that another fire might occur at any time as such dumps are subject to spontaneous combustion.

Director of Public Safety Delaney presented the report of the police department as follows:

Police Report

On December 25 a Stutz sedan, painted green, and owned by James Cunningham, was stolen from the Steedle garage, Broad street and Lippincott avenue. The car collided with a trolley between Taylors Lane and Hoffman's corner, near Riverside. It was also seen on Chester avenue, Riverside. Later it was found abandoned at Highland avenue and Burlington Pike by Chief of Police Beck of Palmyra. The insurance company and the local police department are investigating.

Five "tourists" were given lodging over night.

A man wearing a leather coat was reported hanging about in the neighborhood of Fourth street and Lippincott avenue, attempting to induce little girls to talk to him.

On January 3 Thomas E. Plunkett, 5936 North Third street, Philadelphia was arrested for driving a car while intoxicated. He was fined $221 and costs by Recorder C. C. Bowers. Plunkett drove a Buick sedan and collided with a Hudson sedan driven by Albert J. Habner, of Stevens Station, N. J.

Special Officers

The Mayor appointed James Goodwin, James McFadden, Edson Carhart and John Robinson, special officers, subject to call by the Department of Public Safety.

Director DeLaney said that he contemplated roping off Main street between Second and Fourth streets, two hours every afternoon for roller skating and hockey, as had been done last year and asked for the approval of council. No objection was made.

The building inspector's report showed building operations amounted to $350 and $2.50 in fees.

Mayor Rogers spoke of the death of William B. Lynch and the valuable work he had done as a member of council for many years, and Councilman Elwell presented the following resolution which was unanimously passed:

Resolution

"Whereas, we have learned of the death of a former member of council, William B. Lynch, whose death occurred January 7, 1931, and

"Whereas, the relation existing between the deceased and the members of Council render it proper that we should give expression to the sorrow which we feel in his parting from us, therefore be it

Resolved, that in the death of William B. Lynch the Council has lost an esteemed and valued friend, and that we tender our heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved family and that in token of our respect, this resolution shall be spread upon our minutes and a copy thereof presented to his afflicted family, signed by the Mayor and attested by the clerk."

The following bills were ordered paid:

CASH ON HAND:
D. M. Clifton, Clerk $500.00

GARBAGE:
Jas. L. Fisher, salary to 1-31 ..... 166.66

HIGHWAY:
John W. Carhart, work on streets 140.00

POLICE:
William Quigley, salary to 1-31 ..... 145.00
Walter G. Miller, salary to 1-31 ..... 140.0
William Goodtee, salary to 1-31 ..... 130.00

WIDOW OF AUTO VICTIM GETS $8000

County Circuit Court Jury Verdict Favors Maple Shade Woman

Josephine Sacco, of Maple Shade, was awarded a verdict of $8,000 by a jury in the Burlington county circuit court at Mount Holly, Monday, in a case heard before Judge Charles A. Rigg, who presided in place of Judge Henry L. Eldridge.

The suit was brought against Ida B. Antrim in the death of her husband, Antonio Sacco, the latter being killed in an automobile accident, when the car driven by Ida Antrim struck the man while he walked across the street in Maple Shade.

Another suit was heard which resulted in a verdict being rendered against Ruth T. Fischer and Edwin Ellis, of Burlington, who figured in an auto accident, in which Henry Kunkavitz sustained a fractured skull. Kunkavitz was awarded $300 for the injuries, and his sister, Angelica Kunand doctor bills. Howard Eastwood kavitz, was awarded $300 for nurse represented Kunkavitz and his sister, and Herbert W. Backer and Harry Rowland the defendants.

A verdict of no cause for action was rendered in the suit against William Sherman, of Palmyra, who is a service manager for Lester Fortum, brought by Warren W. and Leola Waner, of Philadelphia, who were injured in an automobile accident on Joffe Hill, Baltimore pike, in Maryland, on May 11, 1930. Norman W. Harker represented the complainants and Palmer & Powell the defendants.

In a suit brought by Elizabeth Gianascoli, administratrix of the Estate of Luigi Perione, of Philadelphia, against Alfred J. Mullen, of Mount Holly, a verdict was rendered no cause for action. Harold T. Parker represented Mr. Mullen.

DROUGHT RELIEF

A telegram has been received by the Burlington County Red Cross office from Hon. John Barton Payne, chairman of the National Red Cross, relative to the collection of $10,000,000 to assist in the drought disaster in the middle west. Burlington County's quota is $14,000.

A committee has been appointed consisting of Mrs. James F. Marfarlane, Palmyra, chairman; Mrs. A. C. Hirsch, Palmyra, and Miss A. Campbell, Riverton, to make plans for the collection of the above sum in a week or ten days.

This amount can only be raised by the hearty co-operation of all citizens of the county.

TO GIVE SHORT COURSE FOR ICE CREAM MAKERS

The annual two-week short course in ice cream making offered by the college of agriculture, Rutgers University, will begin this year on February 23, according to the announcement of Prof. F. O. Helyar, director of short courses. Persons who are experienced in ice cream making will find this course "especially valuable," according to Professor Helyar, who points out that the training to be given will also provide an excellent preparation for beginners in the industry.

Two 14,000-ton halves of steel were lowered into place recently to complete the structural work on the largest arch bridge in the world. It is located at Sydney, Australia.

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I. O. O. F. NOTES

Tomorrow evening Cinnaminson lodge will add to its membership when it conducts the initiatory ceremonies for two new members. This event promises to be most interesting and every member of the lodge is expected to be present. Those on the degree team are especially urged to attend.

Saturday the bowlers of Cinnaminson lodge will hold a tournament at the Palmyra bowling alleys. The winner of this contest will receive a handsome silver cup for his proficiency. All those who are interested are requested to be at the bowling alleys at 1:15 Saturday afternoon to register. The tournament will start promptly at 1:30. Those who are not bowlers are invited to come out and cheer their favorites.

PRESS COMMITTEE.

Borough of Riverton Budget — 1931
NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the following local Budget and Tax Ordinance was approved by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton, County of Burlington, on January 8, 1931.

A hearing on the Budget and Tax Ordinance will be held in the Council Chamber in the Firehouse on Thursday, February 5, 1931, at eight (8:00) o'clock p. m., at which time and place objection to the said Budget and Tax Ordinance of the Borough of Riverton may be presented by any taxpayer of the said Borough.

LOCAL BUDGET OF THE BOROUGH OF RIVERTON
COUNTY OF BURLINGTON
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1931

This Budget shall also constitute the Tax Ordinance.

An Ordinance relating to taxes for the year 1931.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton, County of Burlington, that there shall be assessed, raised by taxation and collected for the fiscal year 1931, the sum of Thirty One Thousand, Four Hundred Thirty-Three and 78-100 Dollars ($31,433.78) for the purpose of meeting the appropriations set forth in the following statement of resources and appropriations for the fiscal year 1931.

Amount of Surplus Revenue—$21,470.73

RESOURCES	1931	1930
Surplus Revenue Appropriated	$ 9,000.00	
Miscellaneous Revenues Anticipated		
Franchise Tax	8,000.00	8,000.00
Gross Receipts Tax	2,000.00	2,000.00
Interest on Taxes	1,000.00	800.00
Interest on Bank Balances	75.00	75.00
Poll Tax	500.00	500.00
Fees and Permits	200.00	250.00
Searches	50.00	100.00
Dog Licenses	40.00	35.00
Refund of Gasoline Tax	1,700.00	
Ordinance Taxes	201.00	201.00
Sewer Rentals	35.00	50.00
Local Purpose Tax	31,433.78	43,133.49
	$54,234.78	$55,234.49
APPROPRIATIONS		
General Government		
Borough Organization	$ 4,000.00	$ 4,000.00
Interest on Current Loans	425.00	350.00
Printing	500.00	500.00
Preservation of Life and Property		
Police	6,700.00	7,000.00
Police Car	500.00	
Fire and Water	4,400.00	4,500.00
Dog Regulation	100.00	
Public Works:		
Highways	9,100.00	8,500.00
Highway Truck	900.00	
Sewer Maintenance	500.00	500.00
Lighting	6,250.00	6,500.00
Garbage	2,000.00	2,000.00
Trees (Shade Tree Commission)	1,000.00	1,500.00
Health and Charities		
Health	400.00	400.00
Visiting Nurse	300.00	300.00
Ambulance	150.00	150.00
Education		
Riverton Free Library	400.00	300.00
Fourth of July Celebration	1,100.00	1,200.00
Elections	250.00	200.00
Borough Property	1,900.00	2,700.00
Contingent	500.00	500.00
Debt Service:		
Payment of General Improvement Bonds	8,000.00	8,000.00
Payment of General Improvement Notes—Fire Truck		3,620.00
Payment of General Improvement Notes—Memorial Park	3,000.00	
Interest on General Improvement Bonds	1,282.50	1,662.50
Interest on General Improvement Notes—Memorial Park	346.25	181.00
Interest on Assessment Improvement Notes	81.03	100.00
Unpaid Bills	150.00	
Deficit—Tax Revenue—1929		570.99
	$54,234.78	$55,234.49

This Ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

DANIEL M. CLIFTON,
Borough Clerk.

Dated: Riverton, N. J., January 6, 1931.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the following local budget and tax ordinance was approved by the Township Committee of the Township of Cinnaminson, County of Burlington, on January 13, 1931.

A hearing on the budget and tax ordinance will be held at Cinnaminson, N. J., on Saturday, 31st, January, 1931 at two (2:00) o'clock p. m., at which time and place objections to said budget and tax ordinance of the Township of Cinnaminson for the year 1931 may be presented by any taxpayer of said Township.

LOCAL BUDGET OF TOWNSHIP OF CINNAMINSON
COUNTY OF BURLINGTON
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1931

This Budget shall also constitute the Tax Ordinance.

An Ordinance relating to taxes for the year 1931.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Cinnaminson, County of Burlington, that there shall be assessed, raised by taxation, and collected for the year 1931, the sum of Twenty-three Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty 00-100 Dollars ($23,750.00) for the purpose of meeting and appropriations set forth in the following statement of resources and appropriations for the fiscal year 1931.

Amount of Surplus Revenue—$15,664.39 (Estimated)

RESOURCES	1931	1930
ANTICIPATED REVENUES		
Surplus Revenue Appropriated	$ 6,000.00	$ 6,000.00
Miscellaneous Revenues Anticipated		
Interest and Costs	1,100.00	800.00
Franchise Tax	12,000.00	10,000.00
Gross Receipts Tax	1,200.00	1,200.00
Poll Taxes	400.00	400.00
Total Miscellaneous Revenues Anticipated	$20,700.00	$18,400.00
Amount to be raised by taxation	3,050.00	5,276.10
Total Resources	$23,750.00	$23,676.10
APPROPRIATIONS		
General Government		
Administrative and Executive	$ 1,000.00	$ 800.00
Election Expenses	250.00	200.00
Assessment and Collection of Taxes	1,700.00	1,700.00
Department of Finance	450.00	450.00
Interest on Current Loans	150.00	50.00
Preservation of Life and Property		
Police	1,200.00	800.00
Donation, Fire Companies	2,000.00	2,000.00
Health and Charities		
Health	400.00	400.00
Charities	300.00	300.00
Poor	300.00	200.00
Streets, Highways, Sewers		
Roads	6,500.00	7,000.00
Lighting of Streets	5,600.00	5,400.00
Contingent	200.00	200.00
Deficit in Local School—1927		357.50
Return of Taxes Collected in Error		118.50
Anticipated from Dog Tax	200.00	
Appropriated for Dog Damage	200.00	
Total Appropriations	$23,750.00	$23,676.10

Approved January 13, 1931.

Adopted.

GEORGE C. FRANK,
Clerk.

This Ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

CHARLES EVANS,
Chairman.

PALMYRA NOTES

The Palmyra Woman's Club will serve a charter luncheon in the Lion's Den, Society Hall, Monday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock. Mrs. George Rivel will be the chairman of the luncheon committee. Mrs. M. Casewell Heine, president of the State Federation of Woman's Clubs, will be the guest speaker.

F. M. Royce, of 809 Washington avenue, is confined to his home with an attack of grippe this week.

Mrs. F. L. Durgin, of Leconey avenue, who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks is much improved

Mrs. Nathan Beckley, of Highland avenue, entertained her bridge club last Thursday afternoon.

The Friendship Circle of the Epworth M. E. Church held its regular meeting in the Guild room of the church Monday evening. A very delightful program was enjoyed by the ladies of the circle.

The Choral of the Palmyra Woman's Club will present an evening of music in the Lion's Den, Society Hall, Monday evening, January 26, at 8:15 o'clock. All club members are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Elias Toy, Mrs. A. C. Giberson, Mrs. J. C. Mallory and Mrs. Elva Seeber attended the P. T. A. quarterly conference held in Masonville yesterday.

Miss Sara Garron, of Morgan avenue, was on the sick list two days this week.

Mrs. George W. Long, of Cinnaminson avenue, was a visitor in Washington, D. C., last week.

Covenant Chapter, O. E. S. will hold a card party at the home of the Misses Ada and Emma Price, 416 Lippincott avenue, next Thursday afternoon. All members are cordially invited to attend.

Harry Kemmerle, Jr., of West Broad street, is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Raymond Ferris, of Brooklyn, N. Y., Mrs. Betty Longfield, of Bridgeboro, Mrs. Julius Fisher and daughter, Miss Louise Fisher, of Palmyra, were the guests of Mrs. A. B. Powell, of West Broad street, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Long, of Cinnaminson avenue, will attend the reunion banquet to be held at the 29th and York streets, Philadelphia, M. E. Church, this evening. Mr. Long is an old member of that parish.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McGonigal and family, of Teaneck, have moved into the property at 213 Morgan avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Lamon and family were the guests of friends in Fernrock, Pa., Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Ferris, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Fisher, of Berkley avenue, Sunday.

Harry Kemmerle, Sr., of West Broad street, who has been spending some time with relatives in Ventnor, returned home Sunday. Mrs. Kemmerle returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Charles Jobe, of Morgan avenue, is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Hebeler and son, of Buffalo, N. Y., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mallory, of Highland avenue, Sunday.

Miss Alice Wright entertained the Alpha Phi Lambda Sorority at bridge Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Louise Smith.

Mrs. A. Lester Brewer, of Morgan avenue, is on the sick list this week.

Mayor George N. Wimer was a dinner guest at the Hotel Walt Whitman, Camden, Friday evening.

Mrs. Florence Bywater, of Milton, Pa., is visiting Mrs. Charles K. Mervine, of Leconey avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hawkinson, of Woodbridge, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hawkinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Galloway, Jr., of Cleveland avenue.

John Kerrigan, of Charles street, who has been ill at his home for the past three weeks, is much improved and able to be about again.

The Philathea Class of the Central Baptist Sunday School will hold a food sale at the church Friday and Saturday of this week, January 16 and 17. There will be a choice of good things to eat. The specials on Friday will be vegetable soup and fish cakes, and on Saturday—crullers. Phone orders to Mrs. A. C. Hirsch, Riverton 552-W, or Mrs. Clarence T. Yerkes, Riverton 1049-W.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wells, of Bridgeboro, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Friday, of Highland avenue, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Shaw, of Cleveland avenue, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Chris VanMeter, of Collingswood, Sunday.

Floyd W. Spahr, of Morgan avenue, has returned home from a business trip to Troy, N. Y.

Mayor George N. Wimer attended the opening of the State Legislature in Trenton on Tuesday.

Miss Isabel Sager, a member of the faculty of Swedesboro High School, will spend the weekend with Miss Marjorie Spahr, of Morgan avenue.

Mrs. Sarah Hutchinson was taken to the Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly, yesterday morning. Mrs. Hutchinson, who is now making her home with her son Harold R. West, of Morgan avenue, is a resident of Ocean Grove.

Covenant Chapter, O. E. S. will give a minstrel show and dance in the P. O. S. of A. Hall Saturday evening, February 21. Admission, fifty cents.

Camp No. 3, P. O. of A. will hold a card party in Society Hall Thursday evening, January 29. All members and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Sara Garron, of Morgan avenue, and Miss Anna Randall, of Public road, enjoyed Sunday with Miss Garron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Garron, of Indian Mills.

William A. McCamy, of Highland avenue, has been confined to his home with an attack of grippe for the past few days.

Max Borgenski, of Leconey avenue, was taken to the West Jersey Hospital in the Palmyra Ambulance, Saturday morning.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Lutheran Church will sell bean soup and pepper pot in the basement of the church Saturday morning. Thirty cents per quart.

The Community Welfare Association gratefully acknowledges receipt of $70.25 from the movie benefit held at the Broadway Palace Theatre, December 17 and 18.

Joseph G. Seel, of Cinnaminson avenue, is able to be about again after being confined to his home with an attack of grippe for the past few days.

Mrs. William A. McCamy, of Highland avenue, was confined to her home with an attack of grippe several days during the past week.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Lutheran Church will hold a sauer kraut supper in the basement of the church on Saturday evening, February 14.

The Women's Guild of the Epworth M. E. Church will hold its regular meeting in the guild room of the church this evening. The hostesses of the occasion will be Mrs. Nathan Beckley and Mrs. J. C. Mallory. A very interesting program has been arranged by the ladies and a large attendance is hoped for.

The Philathea Class of the Central Baptist Sunday School will hold a food sale at the church, Friday and Saturday, January 16 nd 17. The specials tomorrow will be fish cakes and vegetable soup and on Saturday, crullers. Orders may be phoned to Mrs. M. M. Klotz, Riverton 629.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Christ Church, Palmyra, will hold a card party in the parish house, Wednesday evening, January 28. The usual number of lovely prizes will be awarded the lucky players. Everyone is welcome.

COUNTY SCOUTS PLAN BIG EVENT

The Boy Scouts of America plan to celebrate their "coming of age" on February 8, at which time the organization in America becomes 21 years old.

There will be a nation-wide radio program and scouts throughout the country are planning various ways of celebrating this important event in their own communities.

Burlington County Council is planning a big program and Carleton Tillinghast, chairman of the anniversary week committee, held a meeting of his committee at the county scout office, Monday night.

Already a number of communities have begun their preparations for the birthday week. From present indications, Palmyra will stage the most complete celebration of any place in the county. Plans are complete for running full scout programs of various activities each day during the week.

A number of communities have never put on much of a program and the purpose of Tillinghast's committee is to gather ideas used in the several towns and aid other communities to put over similar activities. It is expected that within a few days the members of this committee will have conferred with their local scoutmasters and will have arranged a program suited to these communities.

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LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

EPWORTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

J. William Lee, Minister

The ability to work with their people is not as prevalent as it might be. When one considers how tremendously important it is, we could wish for an increase in this commodity. People who sometimes comment on the troubles they hear of in churches—should ask how much of the seeming ease of work in business circles depends on a law of compulsion whereby a worker just has to play the game—or be fired. Bishop Paget late of Oxford, in speaking of good workmanship says "Among the first and greatest conditions of good work are these:—

"A high standard of accuracy.

"A chivalrous loyalty to exact truth.

"Generosity to fellow workers.

"Indifference to personal results.

"Distrust of all that is showy.

"Self discipline and undiscouraged patience through all difficulties."

These are among the first and greatest conditions of good work; and they ought not to seem hard for us if we remember what we owe to the work of bygone days." At least church members can check up on the list to find where they stand.

Monday the 26th of January is the date set for our annual vestry meeting and election of officers. It is expected that all qualified members will attend. The date has been set in accordance with the Diocesan financial fear, which starts January 1.

Contracts for over two million dollars have been let for the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York, and the Washington Cathedral. The interest in these two wonderful buildings shows no abatement. Personal visits and signatures in the books of these places register over half a million in the year just ended.

Services 2nd Sunday after Epiphany.

8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.

10:00 a. m. Church School.

10:45 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

8:00 p. m. Evening Sermon.

A Saint is an artist in holiness, one who is good for the joy he feels in goodness; without ulterior aim, who forgets his own soul in his love for the souls of others. He is, if you like, a spiritual genius, the owner of inaccessible secrets of sanctity, of which he is unconscious, by which he lives. Above all he loves good more than he hates evil.—N. Y. Times Literary Supplement.

FIRST LUTHERAN

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed next Sunday. Preparatory service will be held Friday evening at eight o'clock, with sermon on the theme, "The Assurance of a Healed Soul."

The annual congregational meeting, will be held next Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. Supper will be served by the men.

The Missionary Society will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Schopp, 711 Lincoln avenue.

The Light Brigade meets tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock.

The Men's Brotherhood will meet Monday evening. An interesting discussion is being planned.

Calvary Presbyterian

Charles T. Bates, Minister

Calvary Presbyterian Church will hold its morning service of worship Sunday at 11 o'clock. All departments of the Church School will meet at 1 p. m. There will be no evening service, a Vesper Service will be held at 5 o'clock. Christian Endeavor Society will meet at 7 p. m.

The Golden Hour Circle will hold its sauer kraut dinner tomorrow, Friday evening from 6 to 8 in the social Hall. Tickets, 5 cents.

Midweek Service on Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

BAPTIST

Rev. George Lockett, B. D., Pastor

The Philathea Class celebrated its 21st birthday in the church last Monday evening which was very well attended and everyone had a delightful time. Refreshments were served.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Society was held on Wednesday with morning and afternoon sessions.

The meeting of the Grenfell B. Y. P. U. at 7:30 p. m., Friday will be in charge of the Fellowship Commission. All children of the Intermediate age are invited to attend as these meetings are very helpful.

The services on Sunday—Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching service at 11:15 a. m. Sermon subject, "The Cords of Love." Children's church service in Primary department at 11:15 a. m. B. Y. P. U. service at 6:45 p. m., subject, "My Idea of What a Young Woman Ought to Be." Preaching service at 7:45 p. m. Sermon subject, "What Do We Need Today?"

Moravian Church

The newly elected elder and trustees of the congregation will be installed at the morning service next Sunday. The pastor will preach a challenging sermon from the question "Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?" Encouraged by the splendid spirit of co-operation shown in the past year, let us prepare to go forward with enthusiasm to the tasks the Lord calls us to do.

Make it a real loyalty to the church Sunday!

Evening service of praise at 7:30. We continue to study the "Kingdom" parables of St. Matthew. The parable of the laborers in the vineyard will be the theme this evening.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. All records for continued large attendance are being broken. The newly elected officers will begin their year's service at next Sunday morning's session.

The Christian Endeavor prayer meetings on Sunday evenings at 6:45, have been well attended of late. The subject: "My idea of what a young man ought to be," last Sunday evening called forth a spirited and helpful discussion. Next Sunday's topic: "My idea of what a young woman ought to be," promises a lively interest.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Services: Sunday 11 a. m.; Sunday School, 11 a. m.

Wednesday evening, Testimonial Meeting, 8 p. m.

"LIFE" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 18, 1931.

The Golden Text is: "If thou will enter into life, keep the commandments" (Matthew 19:17).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And this is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. He that hath the Son hath life; and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life" (I John 5:11, 12).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "This is life eternal,' says Jesus,—is, not shall be; and then he defines everlasting life as a present knowledge of his Father and of himself,—the knowledge of Love, Truth, and Life" (p. 410).

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH
Riverton
Rev. Arthur S. Lewis

Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.
Church School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11:30.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00 p. m.

Epworth M. E. Church
J. William Lee, Minister

10:00 a. m. Church School.
11:15 a. m. Morning Service.
6:45 p. m. Epworth League.
7:45 p. m. Evening Worship. Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00. Wed., 8 p. m., Mid-Week Service.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Craeger, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:15 a. m. "The Stewardship of Money. 3. "Giving and paying in the Kingdom of God."
7:00 p. m. Luther League.
8:00 p. m. Thank Offering Service.

Calvary Presbyterian Church
Riverton, N. J.
Charles T. Bates, B. D.

Church School, 10 a. m.
Morning Service, 11 a. m.
Midweek Service Wednesday 8:00 p. m.
Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock.
Vesper Service 5:00 p. m.

MORAVIAN CHURCH
Albert J. Harke, B.D., Pastor

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Morning Service, 10:40 a. m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p. m.
Evening Service, 8:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
First Church of Christ, Scientist
Thomas Ave. and Seventh St.
Riverton

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Sunday services, 11 a. m.
Subject, "Life."
Wednesday 8 p. m.
Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. All are welcome.

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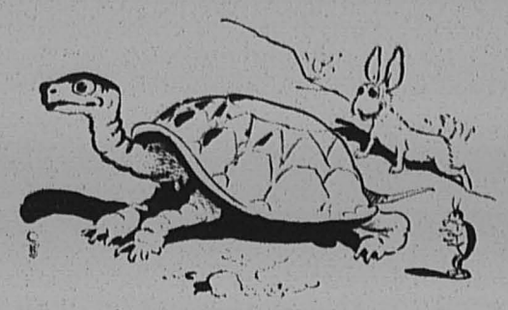
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RESOURCES

Cash	$ 88,036 43
This includes cash on hand and money on deposit in Reserve Banks	
Bonds and Stocks	337,524 53
Of Railroads and other Corporations	
First Mortgages on Properties Located in This Vicinity	157,600 00
Taken at conservative valuations	
Collateral Loans and Notes Discounted	666,187 45
Payable, on the average, in less than 3 months	
Banking House, Vaults, Furniture and Fixtures	123,746 28
Carried on our books at only	
Other Real Estate	52,473 27
Includes Post Office Building and former Banking House	
TOTAL RESOURCES	$1,425,567.96

LIABILITIES

Amount Due Depositors	$1,150,954.30
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	$1,156,954.30
Leaving Capital Funds	269,513.66
This is stockholders' money in the business as added security to our depositors	
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"GRADS" DIVIDE TWIN BILL WITH H. S. BASKETEERS

School Girls Make Late Rally to Eke Out 18-16 Victory

ALUMNI FIVE DEFEATS BOYS HANDILY, 47-23

Jack Eisley and Bill Baker Lead Attack of Former Stars

Court representatives of the Palmyra High School divided two games with Alumni teams last Saturday night in the high school gymnasium. The girls won their game in the last minute, when two foul goals by Catherine Hinke broke a 16-16 deadlock. The boys' team was not so fortunate and were swamped under a 47-23 score.

Kitty Burr was the high scoring ace for the Alumnae sextette, while Catherine Hinke was the heroine of the high school team when she scored a penalty toss to even the count at 16-all and then a moment later tallied her two fouls tosses which won the game. Myrtle Harmon was also a potent factor in the girls' win, while Grace Bauer and Helen Enskat played well for the grads.

In the boys' contest, the veteran five which finished the 1928 court season by capturing the South Jersey Class "B" championship, opposed Coach Dimond's warriors. Jack Eisly and Bill Baker, ashy forwards and past captains of PHS court teams, scored enough points between them to win the game. "Spike" Hennessey, elongated center of the team, "Chick" Foulke and Elwood Branson, completed the starting lineup.

Outclassed from the start, but fighting until the end, the schoolboys led at only one part of the game. This was in the first few minutes, when a foul goal by Jack Kelly gave the Pals a 1-0 advantage. At the end of the first quarter neither team showed any advantage, the count being knotted, 4-4. In the second period, the fast passing game of the grads enabled them to pull away from the schoolboys, and gave them a lead of 18-7 at half time.

The Alumni quintet increased their lead with ease during the second half, scoring almost at will. The Pals made a strong finish, piling up 18 of their points in the final 20 minutes. Kelly led the schoolboys in scoring with three field tosses and an equal number of fouls, while Howard Davidson and Howard Miner each garnered a brace of twin deckers. Eisly and Baker shared seven and five field goals respectively, while Hennessey was close behind them with four twin-pointers to his credit.

The summaries:

PALMYRA H. S. (Boys)

	Fld	Fl	FT	P
Davidson, f	2	0	1	4
Kelly, f	3	3	8	9
Parsons, c	0	2	3	2
Moffett, g	0	0	4	0
Green, g	0	0	0	0
Miner, g	2	0	3	4
Finney, f	1	2	3	4
Totals	8	9	22	23

ALUMNI

	Fld	Fl	FT	P
Foulke, f	3	2	2	8
Branson, f	2	0	0	4
Henessey, c	4	0	1	8
Baker, g	5	0	2	10
Eisley, g	7	0	2	14
Long, g	1	1	1	3
Siddall, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	3	8	47

Score, first half—Alumni, 18; High School, 7. Referee—Wooley. Temple.

Pos.	Palmyra High	Alumnae
Forward	Shea	K. Burr
Forward	Baker	Enskat
Center	Butler	Randall
Side Center	Young	Bauer
Guard	Hinke	Bates
Guard	Hassell	Jenkins

Substitutions—High School: Harmon. Alumnae—G. Burr, Kersey, Wright.

ARTISANS LOSE IN 2ND HALF OPENER

Meet 30-22 Defeat at Hans of Germantown Five, First Half Winners

The Palmyra Artisans court five went to defeat at the hands of Germantown Friday night in a fast game played at the Nicetown Boys' Club floor, Philadelphia. The final tabulation was Germantown 30, Palmyra 22.

The game marked the opening fuss for Palmyra in the second half of the Artisans League schedule. Germantown, winners of the first half title, by virtue of six wins and no defeats, displayed a fast passing attack that the Palmyra defense was unable to stop in the first half. In this period the Pennsylvanians managed to run up a 19-7 lead.

The second half saw the lead dwindle. The Palmyra defense tightened while the snappy passes of the Pals repeatedly put the ball in scoring position. "Chick" Foulke, who registered 11 points during the evening's fracas, featured this second half attack when he scored three field goals and two fouls. Campion and Ward were the big guns of the Germantown offense when they scored four field goals each. McCaffery added seven points to his team's total by three field tosses and a penalty toss.

The score:

Pos.	Palmyra	Germantown
Forward	Burke	McCaffery
Forward	Foulke	West
Center	Long	Campion
Guard	Boettger	Paramore
Guard	Lloyd	Ward

Field goals—Burke; Foulke, 4; Lloyd; McCaffery, 3; West; Campion, 4; Ward, 4. Foul goals—Burke, 5; Foulke, 3; Lloyd, 2; McCaffery; Roblen; West; Campion; Ward. Substitutions—Siddall for Palmyra; Roblen, Bennett for Germantown. Time of periods—20 minutes. Score at half time, Germantown, 19; Palmyra, 7.

YOU KNOW ME, AL

He's Sure To Know Her

By RING LARDNER

Friend Al,

You remember this girl Hazel Black who used to live at the Boarding House with Dugan. Well, she wrote me a note the other day and said she would like to see me because I guess she probably read where I was standing these here tooth pick swingers in the National League on their heads. I suppose I'd better see her, but I'll have to tell her I'm married and I know now how these movie actors feel when they get mash notes.

Bush is sore at me because I got suspended again, but Kid Dugan has promised me a piece of his purse so I guess I don't care whether I play baseball or not and when the Pirates begin to fall out of the league without me, maybe Bush'll tear up my old contract which calls for a salary that is hardly worth the price of the paper. You know me, Al.

Your friend,
Jack Keefe.



PHS WINS FIRST BURLINGTON CO. LEAGUE CONTEST

Opening Game With Pemberton Tuesday Easy for Ken Dimond's Charges

HOLD OPPONENTS TO 3 FIELD GOALS IN 19-8 WIN

Howard Davidson and Jack Kelly Are Big Guns in Savage Attack of Winners

BURLINGTON COUNTY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pc
Moorestown	2	0	1.000
Bordentown	1	0	1.000
Palmyra	1	0	1.000
Burlington	1	1	.500
Mt. Holly	1	1	.500
Riverside	0	2	.000
Pemberton	0	2	.000

Tuesday's Scores
Mt. Holly, 20; Burlington, 19.
Palmyra, 49; Pemberton, 3.
Moorestown, 36; Riverside, 31.

This Week's Schedule
Friday—Mt. Holly at Palmyra; Bordentown at Riverside; Pemberton at Burlington.

The boys' basketball team of Pemberton was swamped under an avalanche of field goals Tuesday when Palmyra, runners-up for last year's Burlington County League title, won by an overwhelming score of 49-8, at Pemberton.

In winning the game the Pals completely outplayed the "Farmers," keeping possession of the ball for at least three-fourths of the time. Twenty field goals and nine fouls amassed the huge Palmyra score. Their defensive work was on a par with their offensive tactics, as the Pemberton lads were able to register but three field goals, all of these coming in the last half as the result of Lou Haines' efforts.

The Palmyra scoring was done chiefly by Captain Howard Davidson and Jack Kelly, flashy forwards. Davidson registered six goals from the floor and Kelly tallied four. Each who scored a brace of fouls. Herb Parsons and Bob Roach each scored three field goals in the contest.

With the score 36-1 at the end of the first half, Coach Ken Dimond used a substitute team during a large part of the second half. It was during the final two periods that the Pemberton team scored seven of its eight points and held the Pals to 13 markers.

The win puts Palmyra in a tie for first place in the league as Mt. Holly handed Burlington a surprise defeat while Moorestown delivered a setback to Riverside. The Riversiders' defeat was their second straight while Burlington and Mt. Holly have divided their contests. Moorestown, with two wins, leads the league while Bordentown and Palmyra, with one victory each also have a perfect average.

PEMBERTON HIGH

	Fld	Fl	FT	P.
Haines, f	3	0	1	6
Assay, f	0	0	0	0
Kerby, c	0	1	1	1
Oakley, g	0	0	0	0
Norcross, g	0	1	5	1
Martin, g	0	0	0	0
Greer, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	2	7	8

PALMYRA HIGH

	Fld.	Fl.	FT.	P.
Davidson, f	6	2	2	14
Kelly, f	4	2	3	10
Parsons, c	3	0	0	6
Moffett, g	1	0	1	2
Green, g	1	2	2	4
W. Price, f	0	2	5	2
Bottelli, f	0	0	1	0
Roach, f	3	0	0	6
Furman, f	0	0	0	0
Finney, f	0	1	1	1
Terrell, f	1	0	0	2
T. Price, c	1	0	0	2
Totals	20	9	15	49

Score, first half—Palmyra High, 36; Pemberton, 1. Referee—Adams.

TWO GET 364-DAY TERMS FOR BREAKING WINDOWS

Paul Felandes, charged with breaking windows in cranberry houses on the Budd cranberry bogs, near Retreat, was arrested by State Trooper Speed and sent to the county jail at Mount Holly for 364 days by Justice of the Peace Frank M. Lockman, of Columbus. Frank Lavis, a companion of Felandes, was also arrested, charged with loitering about the same place and being disorderly, and he received a similar sentence.

PHS GIRLS GAIN WIN IN LEAGUE OPENER

Smother Gloucester on Foes Floor Last Thursday Under 37-11 Score

WEST JERSEY GIRLS' LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pc
Palmyra High	1	0	1.000
Merchantville High	1	0	1.000
Woodstown High	1	0	1.000
Gloucester High	0	1	.000
Audubon High	0	1	.000
Swedesboro High	0	1	.000

The Palmyra Girls' Basketball Team won its opening game of the West Jersey Girls' Basketball League last Thursday afternoon when it traveled to Gloucester to administer a 37-11 defeat.

The bulk of the Palmyra attack was carried by Dot Shea, who with six field goals and four fouls scored enough points to win the game.

Pos.	Gloucester	Palmyra
Forward	Tussler	Shea
Forward	Lyle	Harmon
Center	Bailey	Butler
Side Center	Bobo	Young
Guard	Stern	Hassell
Guard	Wilson	Hinke

Field goals—Shea, 6; Harmon, 4; Hinke, 3; Meitzner, 2; Tussler; Burkett, 2; Hunter. Fouls—Shea, 4; Harmon, Hinke, Meitzner; Burkett. Substitutions: Meitzner, Zayotti, Baker, for Palmyra; Kuitz, Hunter, Burkett for Gloucester.

A triple tie for first place resulted when Woodstown trimmed Swedesboro and Merchantville swamped Audubon in the other league games.

PALMYRA H. S. FIVE BOWS TO TRENTON

Game at Capitol City Friday Ends in 49-20 Defeat for Pals

The boys' basketball team of Palmyra High School failed in its attempt to hand Trenton High its second reverse of the season and went to defeat before a large crowd at the Trenton institution by a 49-20 score.

Trenton, last year's Class A championship team in South Jersey, displayed a fast passing attack that had the Pals bewildered. The capital city lads swept through the Palmyra defense repeatedly during the game while the Red and Black defense allowed the Palmyra courtmen only ten field goals.

Jack Kelly, forward of the Pals, led his team in scoring with four field goals, while Howard Davison and Norman Moffitt each tallied twice from the floor. The other twin pointers were made by Tom Price and Howard Miner. The Red and White failed to register a single foul toss throughout the contest.

"Mule" Haas, pivot man for the Trenton aggregation, led both teams in scoring when he swished the ball through the cords eight times from the floor and made good five of his ten tries from the fifteen foot line. Baraclaw scored eight points by virtue of a quartet of field tosses while Travinar equalled the record with three double-deckers and two fouls. The penalty shooting of the capital city boys was remarkable, eleven of the 16 free shots being converted into counters.

The score:

TRENTON HIGH

	Fld	Fl	F.T.	P.
Barclaw, f	4	0	0	8
Travnar, f	3	2	2	8
Haas, c	8	5	10	21
Pharo, g	1	2	2	4
Rossi, g	2	2	2	6
Ross, g	0	0	0	0
Goldberg, f	1	0	0	2
Totals	19	11	16	49

PALMYRA HIGH

	Fld	Fl	F.T.	P.
Davidson, f	2	0	0	4
Kelly, f	4	0	0	8
Parrins, g	0	0	0	0
Green, g	0	0	0	0
Moffett, g	2	0	0	4
Price, c	1	0	0	2
Miner, g	1	0	0	2
Furman, c	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	0	0	20

Score, first half—Trenton High 21; Palmyra High, 10. Referee—Yohn.

HADDONFIELD POLICE GET NEW AUTOMOBILES

The new year brought a belated Christmas present to Haddonfield police. Chief George Baxter, Lieut. William Start, and Sergeants William Padget and Earl Hinchman appeared on their regular patrols last week in new automobiles. Santa presented Baxter with a four-passenger coupe while Start and the sergeants received the regulation business coupe. The machines were provided from the 1931 police budget to be adopted this month and replaced cars worn from usage for several years.

PEMBERTON BOWS TO MOORESTOWN

Local Cagers Show Formidable Strength in Burlco League Game

Burlington County League

	W.	L.	Pc
Moorestown	1	0	1.000
Burlington	1	0	1.000
Bordentown	1	0	1.000
Palmyra	0	0	.000
Pemberton	0	1	.000
Riverside	0	1	.000
Mt. Holly	0	1	.000

FRIDAY'S SCORES
Moorestown 39; Pemberton 16.
Bordentown 30; Mt. Holly 21.
Burlington 33; Riverside 15.

Coach Paul Isenberg's Moorestown High School basketball team launched its offensive attack for the Burlington County High School League championship here, Friday, in a decided manner by crushing Pemberton High under a 39 to 16 score.

In the two other games played on "opening night" in the circuit Friday night, Burlington High trounced Riverside by a 33 to 15 score and Bordentown whipped Mount Holly, 30 to 21. Palmyra, the seventh member of the loop, played a game at Trenton and was defeated by the Class A champs, 49 to 20.

Pemberton had no chance against the formidable Moorestown High team. At the end of the first half, the home team held a 15 to 8 edge and it could afford to take things easy in the closing sessions, Coach Isenberg sending in a string of substitutes.

Bill Cromley, veteran guard of the "Quakers," had a banner night for the local team with 7 field goals and 2 out of 7 fouls for a total of 16 points. Captain Bolton also sparkled for the winners, while Kerby and Haines led the scoring for the losers with four points apiece.

The Moorestown High Reserves were whipped by the Lenola Juniors, Johnny Tworzydlo led the attack for the Juniors with 8 field goals and 2 fouls for total of 18 points, while Howard White starred for the losers.

MOORESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL

	Pos.	Fl.	F.T.	P.
E. Bolton, rf	4	0	2	8
A. Moore, lf	2	2	4	6
C. Lockwood, c	1	1	2	3
W. Cromley, lg	7	2	7	16
W. Holliger, rg	3	0	0	6
V. Conroy, rf	0	0	0	0
H. White, lf	0	0	0	0
W. Sill, c	0	0	0	0
J. Leary, rg	0	0	0	0
L. Juhlman, lg	0	0	0	0
Totals	17	5	15	39

PEMBERTON HIGH SCHOOL

	Pos.	Fl.	F.T.	P.
T. Assay, rf	1	1	2	3
H. Assay, lf	1	1	2	3
Kerby, c	2	0	0	4
Cox, rg	1	0	1	2
Haines, lg	1	2	5	4
Martin, rf	0	0	0	0
Norcross, lf	0	0	0	0
Totals	6	4	10	16

Score first half—Moorestown 15; Pemberton, 8. Referee—Clancy.

MOORESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL
Second Team

	Pos.	Fl.	F.T.	P.
C. Koch, rf	1	1	1	3
H. White, lf	2	0	0	4
W. Sill, c	1	1	1	3
J. Leary, rg	0	0	1	0
W. Swigart, lg	1	0	2	2
V. Conroy, rf	1	0	1	2
G. Boyd, lf	0	1	3	1
J. Bartello, rg	0	0	0	0
L. Juhlman, c	0	1	1	1
J. Hesser, lg	0	1	1	1
J. Sattazahn, rg	0	0	0	0
B. Wright, lg	0	2	2	2
Totals	6	7	13	19

LENOLA JUNIORS

	Pos.	Fl.	F.T.	P.
J. Tworzydlo, rf	8	2	6	18
J. Barber, lf	0	1	4	1
M. Ransom, c	0	0	1	0
R. Voerth, rg	1	1	1	3
C. Wilson, lg	1	2	2	4
F. Tworzydlo, rf	1	1	1	5
Totals	12	7	15	31

Score first half—Moorestown 7; Lenola 4. Referee—C. Juliano.

FIND OLD SKELETON

Binghampton, N. Y.—Archaeologists from the Rochester Museum of Art and Science have begun extensive excavation on the farm of Roger P. Clark at Willow Point, near here, following the discovery of a 1,500 year old skeleton believed to be that of an Indian of the third Algonkian period. In addition to the skeleton, a large pot with impressed designs and fragearthed, leading to the belief that further excavation might reveal relics ranking with the most important archaeological finds in the state.

GRANGERS' QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY AGENT

Henry C. Herr Gives Report of Meeting of National Farm Bureau Association

At the meeting of the Grange on Thursday evening, January 8, Mr. Hieberger, agent for the Cyanamid Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of high powered fertilizers, was present and answered many questions relative to his products.

Henry C. Herr gave and excellent report of the meeting in Boston of the National Farm Bureau Association.

An attendance and roll call contest had begun between the sisters and the brothers. On the roll call of this meeting the score was even although there were more brothers than sisters.

Standing committees for the year were appointed.

At the next meeting of the organization, Thursday, January 15, William Hookstra, of Beverly, will report on the tomato meeting held in Washington, D. C.

WILMINGTON WINS SWIMMING MEET

Moorestown Aquatic Stars Lose After Taking Two Successive Contests

After winning two successive swimming meets the Moorestown Community swimming team lost its first meet this season to the strong Wilmington Y. M. C. A. outfit in the Moorestown pool last week by the score of 53 to 27.

The score does not indicate the closeness of the contest for at no time were the winners so far ahead that there was not a chance for the local "Seals" to catch them. But the Delaware lads proved a little bit faster and more experienced than the "Quaker" and in the final count came out on top.

"Tom" Pooley, of the local organization, proved to the large crowd of spectators that he is one of the best swimmers ever developed in the Community House pool.

"Tom" was the only "double winner" of the night and one of his victories came in the 100-yard free style race in which he defeated Stumpf, from Wilmington, who was considered the best 100 yard man in this part of the country. Pooley's other victory was in the 40-yard breast stroke, in which he almost equaled his last year's record of 26 seconds. His time was three-fifths of a second short of the record time.

Alden was the other winner for the losers, taking the diving event. He amassed a total of 62.6 points to take the diving event from Beeson of Wilmington who was second with 60.6 points.

Wilson, from Wilmington, was the winners' star with a first place in the 20-yard swim and a second place in the 40-yard free style.

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MILLION DOLLARS RECEIPT INCREASE

Commissioner Hoffman Reports mount Received From Issuance of Plates

Commissioner of Motor Vehicles Harold G. Hoffman, stated today that at the close of business, December 31st, the total receipts of his department in the issuance of plates for the current year, exceeded by $1,324,389.92, the receipts at the close of business December 31st, 1929.

The amounts received for 1931 automobile registrations and drivers licenses is $10,461,707.07.

"Throughout the state," said Commissioner Hoffman, "the business was generally handled by agents in a way that seems to have been satisfactory to the public. Through the efforts of the agents, motorists were encouraged to take out their registrations at an early date, and there was, in most sections, an absence of the chaotic conditions usually found in the rush period during the last few days of the year.

"I have had many letters of commendation upon the fine service rendered by the agents, throughout the state, with very few complaints. Most of the complaints resulted from a lack of understanding of the requirements under the New Jersey laws. An investigation showed that the agents in most of these cases were simply complying with the legislation."

STATE WILL AID IN REPAVING OF ROAD

Burlington Township to Receive $10,300 for Improvement of Highway to Rancocas

That Burlington township will receive state aid in resurfacing the Burlington-Rancocas road was revealed Monday by John D. Marter, chairman of the township committee. The application for state aid in covering the cost of the improvement was applied for several weeks ago, according to Marter, and has just been received.

Township officials plan to resurface the road, about two miles long and 20 feet wide, with two applications of gravel, penetrated by oil. The cost of the improvement is approximated at $14,000 and the State of New Jersey has agreed to pay 75 per cent of the estimated cost, about $10,300. The township will pay the balance of $3,700.

Work on the road will be started about March 1, according to Marter. Bids will be advertised for soon and the work will be done under the supervision of the county engineer.

SKATING POND FOR CHILDREN

Boone, Ia.—Arthur D. Lantz Post 56 of the American Legion here has turned over one of its lots for use as a skating pond for children. The lot has been graded into an oval shaped basin to receive water when the temperature drops.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on:

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (to wit, at 2 o'clock) at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey.

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Township of Cinnaminson in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 218, page 93, known as Lots 54 and 55, Section H, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point on the westerly line of Zeisner Street which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street two hundred forty-seven and thirty-one one-hundredths feet from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which said beginning point is also the northeasterly corner of Lot No. 56, Section H, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) at right angles to Zeisner Street south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lots 12 and 13, Section H, north twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west fifty feet to a point which is the southwest corner of Lot 53, Section H; thence (3) northeasterly along the southerly line of said Lot 53, Section H, north sixty degrees, eighteen minutes and forty seconds east one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zeisner Street; thence (4) southerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, south twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east fifty feet to a point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 218, page 93, known as Lots 54 and 55, Section H, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point in the northerly side line of Broad Street, distant twenty-five feet on a course south sixty degrees, forty-seven minutes and forty seconds west from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which beginning point is also the southeast corner of Lot No. 4, Section H, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) southerly along the western line of said Lot No. 5, Section H, north nineteen degrees, twenty minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zeisner Street; thence (2) along the southerly line of said Lot 5, Section H, south seventy degrees, forty-seven minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (3) southerly along the western line of Lot No. 6, Section H, south nineteen degrees, twenty minutes and forty seconds east one hundred feet to a point in the northerly line of Broad Street; thence (4) along the northerly side line of Broad Street, north seventy degrees, forty-seven minutes and forty seconds east fifty feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated December 26, 1930.
Clark and Rizzi, Solrs.
1-1 12-18-1-22-31

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on:

Thursday, January 22, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (to wit, at 2 o'clock) at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey.

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Riverton, in the County of Burlington, and State of New Jersey, viz:

BEGINNING at the Eastern line of Cinnaminson Street, at the Northwest corner of William T. Hetzel's Lot No. 1, thence extending Northwardly along the Eastern line of said Cinnaminson Street 50 feet, to the line in front of 6 Mill St., now or late in the occupancy of Sonna E. Rudderow, thence extending Eastwardly at right angles between parallel lines 1 eight inch to said last named unopen street thirty-five feet to the beginning on the Eastern line of a further distance of one hundred and four feet more or less to the Western line of H. A. Lee's land, CONTAINING within said bounds the greater part of Lot No. 26 on the plan of Riverton South of the Railroad.

BEING the same land and premises which Franklin Pearson Speer, Jr., and Isabella Speer, his wife, by their deed of conveyance bearing date November 27, 1926, and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Burlington County, in Book No. of Deeds page granted and conveyed unto the said John Wilson and Anna Wilson, his wife, in fee.

SUBJECT, NEVERTHELESS, to the covenants, conditions and restrictions in said deed mentioned.

There are approximately $1,775.99, besides interest, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Isabella Speer, et vir, et als, defendants, and taken in execution at the suit of Cinnaminson Building and Loan Association of Riverton, New Jersey, complainant and to be sold by

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated December 17, A. D. 1930.
Wm. H. Lapp, Solr.
1-2 12-18-1-22-31

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on:

Thursday, January 29, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, (to wit, at 2 o'clock) at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey.

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Township of Cinnaminson in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 218, page 93, known as Lots 54 and 55, Section H, on Plan of Bellevue.

BEGINNING at a point on the westerly line of Zeisner Street which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street two hundred forty-seven and thirty-one one-hundredths feet from the northwest corner of Broad and Zeisner Streets, which said beginning point is also the northeasterly corner of Lot No. 56, Section H, on said Plan of Bellevue; thence running (1) at right angles to Zeisner Street south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lots 12 and 13, Section H, north twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west fifty feet to a point which is the southwest corner of Lot 53, Section H; thence (3) northeasterly along the southerly line of said Lot 53, Section H, north sixty degrees, eighteen minutes and forty seconds east one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zeisner Street; thence (4) southerly along the westerly side line of Zeisner Street, south twenty-nine degrees, forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east fifty feet to a point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 218, page 93, known as Lots 54 and 55, Section H, on Plan of Bellevue.

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There are approximately $10,011.51 besides interest, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Isabella Speer, et vir, et als, defendants, and taken in execution at the suit of Cinnaminson Building and Loan Association of Riverton, New Jersey, complainant and to be sold by

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
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PLEAS ENTERED AT COUNTY COURT

Few Admit Guilt When They Appear Before Judge Rigg

Persons against whom indictments were found by the December Grand Jury appeared last Friday before Judge Charles A. Rigg to plead as follows:

Harry Norman, Trenton, manslaughter, not guilty.

Frank Branner, no address, breaking and entering, guilty, will be sentenced later.

Leslie Harris, Philadelphia, breaking and entering, not guilty.

Ignacz W. Kremper, Mansfield township, desertion and neglect of family, not guilty.

Grenville Kelvey, Delran township, desertion and neglect of family, not guilty.

William H. Franke, Mount Holly, desertion and neglect of family. Through his counsel, Franke made an offer to pay his wife $15 a week for the support of herself and children. Franke will be on probation for one year.

Steadman Bishop, New Hanover township, larceny, not guilty.

Theodore Stevenson, New Hanover township, larceny, not guilty.

Edward Cobb, Delran township, five statutory indictments, guilty.

Leander O'Dell, Burlington, desertion and neglect of family and statutory charges, not guilty.

Ira Webb, Pemberton township, desertion and neglect of wife and two children. Webb agreed to pay his wife $6 a week for the support of the children, and was placed on probation for two years.

Rudolph Grab, Palmyra, two statutory indictments, not guilty.

Harry R. Atkinson, Riverside, neglect of family, not guilty.

Joseph O. Moore, Laurel Township, assault by automobile on Budd Harmon, of Mount Holly, not guilty.

Louis Clark, Moorestown, desertion and neglect of family, not guilty.

Joseph Mullen, Atlantic county, escaping from state prison farm near Bordentown. Mullen entered a plea of not guilty. According to evidence in Prosecutor Eastwood's office, Mullen is serving a seven-year term for breaking and entering in Atlantic county, and he has already served two other sentences in the state prison.

Clore Marchella, Pemberton township, atrocious assault and battery on Emilio Costello, not guilty.

John McNinney, Beverly, desertion and neglect of family. McNinney was ordered to pay his wife $3 a week for the support of his child. The couple were divorced recently. McNinney also was placed on probation for one year and must furnish bond in the amount of $500.

Elizabeth Hayes, Willingboro township, keeping a disorderly house; three indictments charging liquor law violations, not guilty.

Joseph A. Burns, of Burlington, was the only liquor law violator to plead guilty, and he was sentenced to pay a $75 fine.

Those who pleaded not guilty to liquor indictments were as follows: Tillie and Michael Dogaluk, Florence, two indictments; Patrick and Elizabeth Sweeney, Florence, two; Pauline Yozopaitis, Burlington; Harry and Francis Hall, Lake Cotoxen, two; Helen McCurdy, Mansgeld; Alex and Mary Yuzak, Riverside, two; Michael Britton, Mount Holly, two; Samuel Fenimore, Mount Holly.

Charles and Cassie Baker, of Hainesport, were indicted on two charges of liquor law violations, but failed to appear.

SAY BORDENTOWN MAN SOLD PUPILS LIQUOR

On a complaint made by Bordentown school officials that pupils were buying liquor and that they had attended classes while intoxicated, the store of Henry Black, Sr., on Burlington street, Bordentown, was raided.

The school authorities, it was revealed, had received many complaints that pupils were obtaining liquor from some mysterious source. A member of the State Board of Education went to Mount Holly last week where he conferred with Deputy Sheriff Charles Carslake.

Given definite information, gathered in a quiet investigation by school officials here, Carslake ordered a raid at once. At the store of Black, which is a remodeled dwelling, alleged liquor was found in bottles, jars, jelly glasses and other containers placed openly on the shelves with other commodities.

The liquor so displayed all but fooled the raiders. They thought at first that the liquor was vinegar. They confiscated quantities of the liquor, some beer, an alleged gambling device, beer coils, wine glasses and two half-barrels of supposed moonshine.

Black was not on the premises when the raiders arrived. After rounding up all the seized material, the officials met him at the door.

Carslake told Black of the complaint that had been made and that the store had been raided.

"Are you kidding me?" Black asked.

"Take a look," Carslake told the man. "See if you can find your liquor."

Black then was ordered to appear at Mount Holly for a hearing before Supreme Court Commissioner Howard G. Stackhouse in Mount Holly, where he was held in $500 bail on the liquor charges.

Sophomore Hi-Y

The Sophomore Hi-Y held its regular weekly meeting in the "Y" building last Thursday. The highest point of interest in the meeting was a hot discussion about the student council. It was during this meeting that our president, Stanley Lippincott, displayed his ability to argue.

After the meeting, our Hi-Y basketball team played Clover's All Stars, and after a hot battle emerged victorious, the score being 31-13.

CARL McALLISTER,
Reporter.

'BOZO BUTTS—THEY DRIVE HIM NUTS' By RUBE GOLDBERG



GARDEN SCIENCE IN PLAIN LANGUAGE

From NEW JERSEY COLLEGE of AGRICULTURE and EXPERIMENT STATION

OFFERS FLOWER GARDENING COURSE

Flower enthusiasts are offered the opportunity to obtain scientific training in floriculture through a short course in flower gardening which the New Jersey College of Agriculture will give this year for one week, beginning February 23.

The work in the course is given at the college of agriculture and experiment station at New Brunswick, and it is planned primarily for the benefit of persons seeking information on the cultivation of small home gardens. Others will be welcomed, however, according to an announcement from the college, including persons who specialize in the growing of certain flowers, and gardeners who are seeking expert advice on various phases of their work.

The information is presented to the students by means of lectures and discussions in the classroom, and demonstrations and practical work in the greenhouses and laboratories.

Among the subjects to be studied are soils and fertilizers, seed sowing, lawns, transplanting and repotting, propagation by division, pruning shrubs, ornamental plantings, garden plants, house plants, shrubs, annuals, perennials, plant diseases, and insects.

There is no tuition charge to residents of New Jersey and both men and women are admitted to the course. The only requirements for admission are that the applicant be at least 16 years old and able to read and write English.

The teaching staff includes Dr. J. G. Lipman, dean of the agricultural college and director of the state agricultural experiment station; M. A. Blake, professor of horticulture; C. H. Connors, associate professor of floriculture; Dr. J. W. Shive, professor of plant physiology; Dr. R. P. White, specialist in diseases of ornamentals; C. C. Hamilton, associate professor of entomology; and R. B. Farnham and H. M. Biekart, instructors in floriculture.

THE RED-HOT POKER PLANT

One of the perennials that will bloom the first year, provided it is started early in the house, is the red-hot poker plant, or torch lily. The botanical name for this plant is "Kniphofia" but by trade it is called "Tritoma." This plant, with its flowers in shades of red and yellow, is a choice garden subject for late summer bloom and for cutting.

In raising torch lilies from seed, start with a good strain of some of the early flowering kinds such as the Express, Mirabilis, or Gracilis. These are all hybrid strains of the torch lily. Plants started in March should bloom fairly well in August and September of the same year, and much better the second year. They may be propagated by division.

The cultural requirements of the plants are simple, since their soil requirements are not difficult to meet. They will grow well in any good garden soil that is slightly acid and not too heavy.

Do not make the mistake of considering these plants as hardy perennials. They are not hardy in our climate, except in the mildest of winters. Dig them up in late fall, pack in sand or peat moss, and store them in the cellar as you would dahlias. Be sure, however, to slightly moisten the sand or peat moss, and keep it slightly moist during the winter. The plants may be wintered in a cold-frame if one is available.

You will find the torch lily one of the odd and really showy plants of the lily family. Although easily grown, it is not yet common in America.

TWO SUFFER BROKEN BONES FROM FALLS

Two Mount Holly residents suffered falls Sunday which resulted in broken bones. Mrs. Helen Fowler, of Water street, janitress at the Holly Club on Main street, fell down stairs at the club house and suffered a broken wrist. Allen Watson, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watson, of Madison avenue, fell while trying his new roller skates and broke his right arm. He had been allowed to use but one skate at a time, but yesterday got both on without his mother's notice.

NEW IDEAS IN HOME MAKING

By ADA BESSIE SWANN
Public Service Electric and Gas Company
Home Economics Department

CHICKEN FRICASSEE

TODAY I will try to answer two requests which have been made.

First question: "How do you fricassee a chicken? Do you cut the chicken up before or after cooking?"

One of the best ways to fricassee a chicken was taught me by two maiden ladies in whose home I was once a paying guest. The general directions I will give you are those usually followed, but the actual method of cooking the chicken was taught me by my hostesses.

If you buy your chicken fresh from the farm or have one of your own fresh killed chickens, after chicken is thoroughly cleaned, cut it at the joints into eleven pieces, then cut the breast and back into two pieces, making thirteen pieces of chicken in all. If the skin of the chicken is clean and not too tough, allow it to remain on the chicken, but if it appears a dirty grey and full of pin feathers, remove it.

My friends used an old-fashioned iron pot (four-quart capacity). Into this about one-quarter pound of salt pork cut in cubes was placed and cooked enough to render out sufficient fat to slightly brown the pieces of chicken. This took about 20 or 30 minutes and the pieces of chicken were turned occasionally. When chicken is slightly browned add three cups of hot water, one medium sized onion, one-half teaspoon salt, a few grains of pepper and allow to cook slowly for one and one-half hours.

Sometimes my friends made dumplings and dropped them into the pot on top of the chicken the last 15 minutes of the cooking. After the chicken had been removed from the pot the gravy was made by mixing two tablespoons of flour with a little cold water and stirring it into the chicken stock. Allow this to boil and thicken.

Some of you know my regard for the iron skillet or frying pan and will readily understand that the following recipe is one of my favorites:

Brown Fricassee of Chicken

1 chicken	2 tbsp. flour
2 or 3 small slices salt pork	1 pt. boiling water
1 onion	Salt and pepper

Cook in pieces as directed for fricasseed chicken. Place salt pork in a frying pan and when hot put in the chicken, leaving plenty of room to turn the meat; cook until each piece is rich brown. Remove the chicken and keep it warm. Add the flour to the fat in the pan, stir well and when it has cooked two minutes add the boiling water. When the gravy is smooth and boiling, replace the chicken, add the onion, season with salt and pepper, cover the pan and simmer gently until the chicken is tender. Serve at once. The gravy will be thick enough and if the pan has a tight cover it will not be diminished even after long cooking.

Here also is a recipe for a fricasseed chicken in which the chicken is less brown and this method is preferred by many who think of fricasseed chicken being light colored.

Fricasseed Chicken

1 chicken	2 cups chicken stock
2 tbsp. butter	Salt and pepper
2 tbsp. flour	Herbs
1 cup milk or cream	Rice or dumplings
1 egg yolk	

Singe, clean and cut up the chicken. Brown in a pan with the butter, drippings or chicken fat. Cover with boiling water, add salt, pepper, herbs and a few slices of salt pork. Simmer until tender (about an hour), strain and thicken one pint of the liquor with the flour mixed to a smooth paste with a little cold water; add the milk or cream beaten with the yolk of the egg. Heat again until slightly thickened, pour over the chicken and serve with rice or dumplings.

VERY LATESTS

By MARY MARSHALL

Slowly but surely we are getting back to the more elaborately trimmed hat. Most women still protest that they will never, never wear hats trimmed with artificial flowers and feathers and large ribbon bows. But then they protested not so long ago that they would never wear long skirts even for evening dresses and that they would continue to wear straight-line frocks no matter what fashion decreed. Despite their protests they have accepted the longer skirts and the defined waistlines, and the next thing on the program apparently is more ornate hats.



Even now one sees suggestions of more elaborate millinery trimming. Two small quills appear on the side of the trim little hat that a year or so ago would have been worn quite plain, and sweeping plumes have been seen on some of the smartest hats for formal afternoon and restaurant wear.

Narrow ribbon is used on many of the hats for street and sports wear. For the benefit of the woman who wants to do a bit of millinery work at home we are showing four of the smartest of these ribbon-trimmed hats. Grosgrain ribbon should be chosen in matching or contrasting color. Black on black, tan on brown, brown on tan, black on green, dark green on light green, dark blue on lighter blue—these are combinations that prove effective.

If you have a last season hat or this season's hat of which you have grown tired you will find this narrow ribbon trimming most helpful. An out-of-date felt hat, short at the back with brim wide at the front, may be cleaned and turned about so that the back of the hat as worn before comes to the front. By cutting the felt here and there and making a few tucks or puckers you can bring the shape up-to-date and the ribbon may be used to hide the cuts and piecings in the felt.

Of Judge's Josh.

An American farmer was interviewing a Negro who applied for work.

"Are you familiar with mules?" the Negro was asked.

"No, sah," was the reply. "Neb hab been. Ah knows too much about dem to be familiar wid dem."

A keen angler took a friend for a day's sport. The friend knew nothing of fishing, but decided to try his luck. After a long silence by the banks of a stream the novice said, "I say, how much do those little red things cost?"

"You mean the floats? Oh, they're cheap. Why?"

"I owe you for one. Mine's just sunk."

"What is your brother in college?"
"A halfback."
"I mean in studies."
"Oh, in studies, he's away back."

Mrs. Vere de Vere: "I'm inviting a professor of romance languages to our dance this evening."

Her daughter: "That's wonderful of you, mother. Is he going to croon for us?"

YOU, YOUR CAR AND THE MOTOR LAWS



By Harold G. Hoffman
Commissioner of Motor Vehicles

EDITOR'S NOTE: The twenty-ninth of a series of articles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles is presenttd by this paper as its part in the campaign of education to familiarize motorists with the regulations which govern their conduct on the road.

XXIX. REPORTING ACCIDENTS

It seems important to call to the attention of New Jersey motorists the inadvisability of withholding criminal complaints in accident cases as part of a bargain in which the person responsible for the accident agrees to pay for damages inflicted.

After an accident occurs arrangements frequently are made to settle, conditioned on promises not to enter a complaint for violation of the motor vehicle or traffic law. As the law allows only thirty days in which to bring a complaint, it not infrequently develops that before a money settlement is made, the limit has expired and the innocent party to the accident has no redress except to bring a civil suit for damages.

These civil suits entail the outlay of considerable expense for legal fees, consume a great amount of the complainant's time and give him much worry. Often, too, it is useless to bring such suits, for the defendant proves to have no assets. It is necessary for the complainant to ascertain whether the defendant is able to pay a judgment entered against him.

Compulsory Insurance

It was to cover cases of this kind that the passage of a compulsory insurance law was urged for several years.

In Trenton, and in various other cities throughout the state, when an accident occurs a police officer is immediately summoned to the scene. The officer examines the positions of both cars and later, at the informal hearing held before the police judge, he is able to give the benefit of his observations. If the judge on hearing the case decides that either party to the accident has been reckless, a summons is issued for a formal hearing, at which the defendant, if the evidence warrants, is adjudged guilty of reckless driving, or of failure to obey traffic signals, or of any other violation which may have been the contributing cause to the accident.

If the defendant happens to be insured, this preliminary hearing is of benefit to his insurance company and assists it in its endeavor to fix blame for the accident.

Immediate Charges

Let it not be understood, however, that I am advocating a hearing on a charge of violation of the motor vehicle law as a preliminary step in the adjustment of a claim for damages. The department has absolutely no jurisdiction in questions involving the recovery of claims and a civil action is the only recourse if a friendly settlement cannot be arranged. The point I should like to stress, however, is that a complaint should not delay making a charge for a violation of the motor vehicle and traffic law before the local magistrate having jurisdiction where the violation occurs.

If he does not make such a complaint, and if the person responsible for the accident flatly refuses to settle, the innocent party has cause to regret not having at least made the guilty party pay the penalty for his reckless driving, in the police court.

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CARRYING ON 'FOR A PRINCIPLE



Respect for the flag means respect for law and government. The Legion believes it is serving good citizenship to teach children the history of the flag, and what it represents. Therefore, the 10,000 posts of the organization are sponsoring a regular course of study on the flag in their schools, training the children the proper ways of saluting and using the symbol of American freedom, justice and democracy. The above picture was taken at Breckenridge, Texas, where the Legion post furnished each school room with a flag.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

By Nancy Hart

PRUNE WHIP

There are several ways of making prune whip—all of them good.

The simplest way is simply to beat prune pulp and juice into the stiffly beaten whites of eggs, and sweeten to taste. In the old days, sherry was sometimes added to this simple whip for added flavor, but it is sufficiently good as it is.

Another prune whip is this: Make a soft boiled custard, melt fill glass dessert dishes with it, and on top of it put a big island of the prune whip described above.

Still other variations consist of adding shredded blanched almonds to the whip or adding diced orange pulp to it or crumbling macaroons over it or adding shredded cocoanut to it.

Then there is a baked whip, or soufflé. To make it remove the pits from half a pound of prunes, cooked soft, and then put the pulp through a vegetable press. Beat until stiff the whites of five eggs, add half a cup of sugar, beat again, then add the prune pulp. Pour it a buttered dish and bake half an hour. Serve hot with whipped cream.

A good prune pudding is this: Cook until soft in very little water half a pound of prunes, take out pits, and chop. Add the yolks of six eggs, a cup of crumbled lady fingers or macaroons, the whites of the eggs beaten stiff, and sugar to taste. Bake for fifteen minutes and serve cold with cream.

FUDGE

When the fudge comes from the fire have ready, for an ordinary batch, a scant teaspoon of gelatine dissolved in a little hot water. Add it to the fudge—and see if the result is not a smooth, creamy mass. The gelatine is supposed to prevent granulating.

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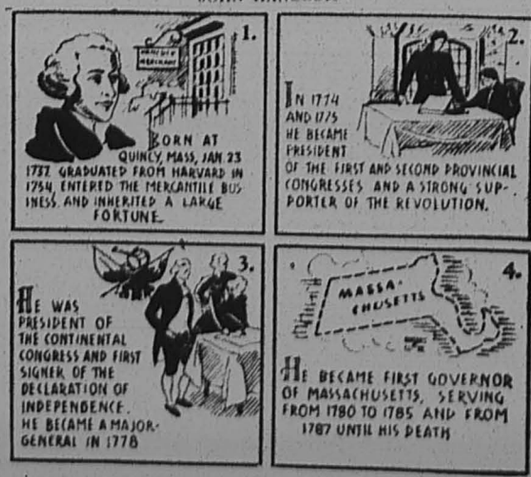
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"REMOTE CONTROL"
Mack Sennett Comedy Paramount Act

MONDAY and TUESDAY—
MAURICE CHEVALIER in
"PLAYBOY OF PARIS"
Lloyd Hamilton Comedy News

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—
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FULL PROGRAM BY HARMONICA BAND

Surprising Range of Musical Compositions Will be Rendered by Boys

Tickets are now on sale for the big concert of the Philadelphia Harmonica Band, which is to be held on February 6th for the benefit of the Riverton Scouts, Troop 50.

Everybody who is interested should see the nearest Scout.

Everybody in Riverton should be interested because the Philadelphia Harmonica Band is fast becoming as famous in its way as is that other great Philadelphia institution, the orchestra. Mr. Albert N. Roxie, the director, has proven that that humble instrument, the harmonica, can be a real musical instrument when played by a talented musician, and he has brought music into the lives of many boys.

The band will be assisted in its Riverton concert by John Pugliese and Raymond Kraus, soloists, and Leslie S. Jones, accompanist. The complete program is as follows: March Lorraine, Ganne; Souvenir, Drdla; Chanson de Jole, Bowen; Ballet Egyptian, Luigini; Allegro non troppo; Allegretto; Andante Sostenuto; Adoration, Borowski, John Pugliese, Harmonica Wizard March, Sousa; dedicated to the Philadelphia Harmonica Band and the Harmonica movement; In a Persian Market, Ketelbey; March of the Musketeers, Friml; Melodie, Tschaikowsky, Raymond Kraus; Procession of the Sardar, from "Caucasian Sketches," Ippolitow-Iwanow; Prelude in C Sharp Minor, Rachmaninoff; Poet and Peasant Overture, Von Suppe; Stars and Stripes Forever, Sousa.

The above program is a most varied and difficult one ranging from fine classical compositions to spirited marches. Music lovers will be thrilled at the way it is rendered by the boy musicians of the band.

As was stated last week, those who attend the concert will have the opportunity of visiting the new headquarters for which the money taken in at the concert will partly pay.

See the nearest Scout and get your ticket as soon as possible. The cost is only fifty cents.

FINAL REPORT OF COMMUNITY CHEST

Financial Statement Showing Funds Collected and Distributed

The results of the Community Chest drive for Riverton and Cinnaminson township, conducted last November, are given below:

Dis	Captains	No. Con.	Tot. Am.
1	H. M. Morris	65	$889.00
2	Edith S. Coale	67	557.75
3	Mar. M. I. Biddle	54	561.00
4	Hilton Smith	52	250.75
5	W. H. Baker, Jr.	10	90.00
6	Victor Ritschard	76	658.50
7	Howard D. Sordon	76	353.50
		400	$3360.50
CINNAMINSON			
	L. C. Robbins	119	1121.50
		519	$4482.00
	Expenses Printing		29.00
			$4453.00

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Nurse	$116.00	
Hospital	10.00	
Home	45.00	
		$ 171.00
		$4282.00
NURSE		
42% of $4282.00		$1,798.44
Special		116.00
		$1,914.44
HOME		
18% of $4,282.00		$ 770.76
Special		45.00
		$ 815.76
HOSPITAL		
40% of $4282.00		$1,712.80
Special		10.00
		$1,722.80
TOTAL		$4,453.00

KANSAN WILL PREACH

The pulpit at the Epworth M. E. Church, Palmyra, will be filled again January 25th by the Rev. Kenneth Cornwell of the Northwest Kansas Conference who is filling the pulpit in the absence of the regular pastor, Rev. J. Wm. Lee.

Rev. Lee is expected home any day and is very much improved, and the congregation is fortunate in being able to have the pulpit filled by the Rev. Cornwell until the Rev. Lee returns. The morning church service will be held at 11 a. m., and the subject of Rev. Cornwell's sermon will be "Pillars of Salt."

The church school is held at 10 a. m., and has been very well attended recently, the attendance having been over four hundred each Sunday. The regular Epworth League service of the church is held at 6:45 p. m., and at 7:45 p. m. Rev. Cornwell will have charge of the evening service, and will preach on the subject, "Down and Out, Dead Broke, and Homesick."

Sportsman Dead



F. STANLEY GROVES, JR.
Who shot himself through the heart at his Riverton estate Sunday evening.

F. S. GROVES, JR., TAKES OWN LIFE

Wealthy Riverton Sportsman Thought Deranged Because of Stomach Disorders

F. Stanley Groves, Jr., wealthy Riverton sportsman, ended his life in the trophy room of his home, "The Evergreens," on Riverton Road, Sunday evening about nine o'clock. He was 49 years old.

Mr. Groves had been suffering from a serious abdominal ailment. The illness, it is believed, caused him to become mentally deranged for a moment.

His wife, the former Theresa Dorrance, sister of Dr. John T. Dorrance, late president of the Campbell Soup Company, was sitting in the study of their home, reading a book, when she heard a shot. She found her husband unconscious on the floor. A 32-calibre bullet had pierced his heart.

Dr. Charles Voorhis was summoned, and he notified Coroner William P. Young, of Burlington.

Mr. Groves was a member of the Union League, of Philadelphia, the Philadelphia Country Club, and the Racquet Club. His hobby was hunting wild game in North America with rifle, rod, and camera. Mr. Groves had made many trips into the wilds of this continent, to parts where it is thought no other white man had traveled before.

The ranch of the famous William F. (Buffalo Bill) Cody, in Wyoming, was purchased about ten years ago by Mr. Groves. The Groves family usually spent their summers there. The members of his family were all enthusiasts for the out-of-doors life.

For the past few years Mr. Groves has not been taking active part in his insurance business which he maintained in Philadelphia.

Mr. Groves is survived by his widow and three children, Mrs. Heberton Williams, of Moorestown, May Theresa, and Constance.

The funeral was held from his home in Riverton, "The Evergreens," on Wednesday, with the Reverend Arthur S. Lewis, pastor of Christ Church, officiating.

The honorary pallbearers were E. H. Fitler, W. C. Wright, Dr. George M. Dorrance, Arthur C. Dorrance, E. S. Parry, F. Wallis Armstrong, E. B. Broadway, P. F. Nieukirk, O. G. Willits, E. T. Gill, John Keating and John D. Johnson, Jr.

Interment was made in West Laurel Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia.

Pierre O. Swenson

Pierre O. Swanson, 72 years old, died at his late residence, 2342 Forty-sixth street, Pensauken, Thursday morning, January 15.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon from the late residence. Interment was made in Morgan Cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

Mr. Swenson is survived by his widow, Mrs. Augusta Swenson and two sons.

Mrs. Sarah Stewart

Mrs. Sarah Stewart, colored, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James O. Singer, of Wrightsville, Sunday afternoon. Funeral services will be held today at two o'clock from the Wrightsville Church. Interment will be made in the Wrightsville Cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

PHI NU CLASS

The fact that the greatest man of all times was tempted, so that He might better understanding us and help us, shows us the very human side of Jesus. The lesson, "Jesus Tempted" is one of great faith. He shows us how to overcome temptation.

The regular monthly business meeting was held Monday evening at which time the menu for the annual dinner to be given February 9 was selected.

Yearly programs were distributed.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. P. B. Caldewll, after which the meeting adjourned.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE.

RIVERTON P. T. A. MEETING SUCCESS

Mothers See Demonstration of School Work and Hear "Happy Parentage"

The January meeting of the Riverton P. T. A. was an extremely successful one. Mrs. Rutherford, in charge of the study group, had typewritten slips to distribute, giving problems and topics for discussion, on the general subject of "Happy Parentage." Mrs. Blair presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Baker.

The exhibition of school procedure followed. Mr. Cooper had had a part of the assembly room arranged with desks and bookcases so that Mrs. Bush's 6th grade children and Miss Stamen's geography and history classes could demonsttrate the inethod of student activity under the modern project work system. It seems quite remarkable to see the teacher sit back ready to give help to any stage of the work any child may have reached, instead of trying to keep the whole class together, and holding the ambitious ones back till the slowest are sure of every step.

The speaker for the day, J. D. E. Turner, who spoke on the efficient use of time, was enthusiastically heard. He mentioned worry and depression as thieves of time in that they produced unfitness. He gave as a constructive thought the value of associating with a cause greater than self as a spur to ambition and the profitable use of time and energy.

BLINDING LIGHTS CAUSE ACCIDENT

Driver Was Unable To See Pedestrian His Auto Struck

Russell Nicholas, Italian, of Texas, small settlement near Moorestown, suffered lacerations of the head and minor bruises about the body when he was struck by an automobile driven by John W. Jordan at the intersection of the Evesboro-Moorestown and Elbow Lane roads early last Friday evening.

Jordan told Moorestown police, who investigated the accident, that he was blinded by lights of an approaching machine and had been unable to see Nicholas, who was walking along the edge of the road.

Nicholas was taken to the office of Dr. Howard C. Curtis for treatment and then removed to his home.

Jordan said the machine which was responsible for the accident sped away and he was unable to obtain its license number.

A coupe and a small truck were damaged in a collision on East Main street early Friday evening. The coupe, driven by Emily W. Collins, East Central avenue, making a left turn off of Main street into the driveway at Mrs. B. C. Reeves' home, was struck by the truck which was driven by William Kephart, Pemberton.

Kephart told police he thought the coupe was stopping on the right side of Main street instead of making a left turn into the driveway.

Both machines were considerably damaged. No arrests were made, as both drivers are insured.

A small truck, owned by Mrs. A. J. Collins, Pleasant Valley avenue, and driven by Summer Walters, colored, struck a sedan driven by Mrs. Marie Hutchinson, Haddonfield, on Main street near Dolly's garage Monday morning. The left side of the sedan was considerably damaged and the front of the truck suffered. No arrests were made.

PORCH CLUB NEWS

The International Relations luncheon on January 20 was served to ninety women and was followed by interesting foreign musical numbers and by a talk on the World Court and the League of Nations by Professor Alden G. Alley of the New Jersey Law School.

Mr. Alley has been a regular attendant at the league sessions and could therefore give us an extremely lively, as well as enlightening survey of the work and value of the league. He wished it well understood that he was now advocating the entrance of the United States into the league at this time, as he felt some strong arguments had been advanced in opposition, but he does feel that the League of Nations, imperfect as it unquestionably is, does constitute a first step toward that concord of nations for which civilization must strive in order to survive.

Mr. Alley emphasized the fact that every President of the United States who has seen the World Court has recommended that we join it, and he reminded us that joining did not bind us to use the Court, but merely to help select the judges and support it financially.

There was also an extensive display of curios from many other countries and all the aides and hostesses were in attractive foreign costumes.

1931 CALENDARS

The Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company is again glad to be able to supply the people of Riverton and vicinity with calendars for 1931. Just go in and ask for one of these attractive little desk calendars.

RED CROSS DRIVE TO START MONDAY

Riverton's Quota For Relief of Drought Sufferers is $1500

In response to the call from National Red Cross headquarters to aid in raising $10,000,000 to feed and clothe the drought sufferers, Riverton will start Monday, January 26 to raise its quota of $1500. A short intensive campaign for one week will suffice, we hope, to bring in the amount.

A booth for the receipt of subscriptions will be open from 7:15 to 10:30 a. m. at Broad and Main streets, in charge of Mrs. W. W. Smith, Mrs. W. Cross Mingle, Mrs. Bradford Stetson, Mrs. Harry L. Rogers, Mrs. Walter Blyler and Miss Charlotte Parry.

Subscriptions may also be sent to the following: W. W. Smith, Walter L. Rogers, Harry F. Jones, J. C. DeLaCour, Mrs. Nathan Lane, Mrs. Murray Boyer, Mrs. Victor Ritschard, Mrs. J. C. DeLaCour, Mrs. Harold Sheble, Mrs. Joseph Morgan, Mrs. Richard Barclay, Mrs. J. W. Atlee, Miss Emily Rider, Mrs. Clifton Mayfield, Mrs. Frederick Blair, Clarence W. Rodman, Evan W. Stover, Harold J. Fink, Mrs. Frances Elwell, Mrs. Henry Lippincott, Mrs. Roy Heisler and Mrs. J. D. Clark.

Subscriptions will also be taken at the Riverton free library from 4 until 6 and from 7 until 9 every day.

MRS. WILLIAM G. PORTER,
Chairman.

HOLLINGSHEAD IS DRY LEADER AGAIN

Moorestown Man Reelected President of State Anti-Saloon League

Elwood Hollingshead, of Moorestown, was re-elected president of the Anti-Saloon League of New Jersey, at its meeting on Friday afternoon, at Trenton.

The Rev. James K. Shields was re-elected superintendent of the league and all other officers were also re-elected. They are: Elwood Hollingshead, Moorestown, president; Frank C. Van Dyke, Orange, vice president; Clarence C. Woodruff, East Orange, secretary, and Dr. R. F. Van der Hoof, Short Hills, treasurer.

The league urged Governor Larson to call a conference of law enforcement agencies of the state to discuss better enforcement of the state and national prohibition laws and opposed the resolutions introduced in the Legislature calling for repeal of the eighteenth amendment and the Hobart state enforcement act.

Mrs. A. Haines Lippincott, of Camden, was elected temporary chairman of a young people's federation organized Friday night by the Anti-Saloon League of New Jersey.

The federation, which will be operated separately from the league, has been created in order to revive temperance activities among young men and women throughout the state.

Kerr — Wilson

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Anna Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, of Palmyra, to Albert Kerr, also of Palmyra.

The ceremony was performed New Year's day at the rectory of the Sacred Heart Church, Riverton, with the Rev. Father Joseph A. Rigney officiating.

The couple's only attendants were William D'Autrechy and Miss Marie Eck, also of Palmyra.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr are now making their home in Tacony.

MRS. MARY C. HARRIS

Mrs. Mary C., aged 80, widow of the late William H. Harris, died last Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George M. Harris. Funeral services were held Sunday at 2 o'clock at the Asbury M. E. Church, conducted by the Rev. J. R. Mason. Interment in the churchyard under the direction of Frank A. Snover, funeral director.

Candidates for Re-Election

The terms of three members of the Riverton Board of Education will expire in February—Mrs. C. P. Mayfield, Fred P. Hemphill and George D. Steedle. They will all be candidates for re-election.

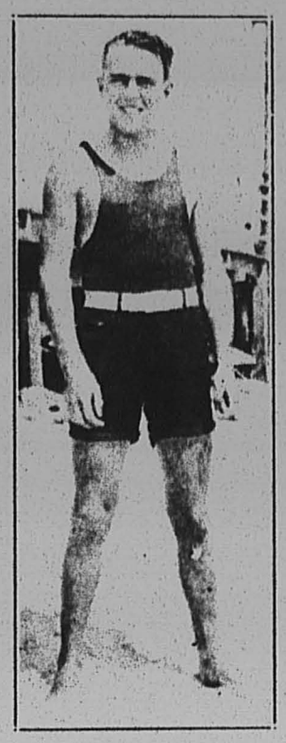
FIREMEN'S ANNUAL MEETING

Monday evening, January 26th, the members of the Riverton Fire Company will hold their annual meeting at 8:00 o'clock. Following the meeting there will be a sauer kraut supper served to members only by the Ladies' Auxiliary at 35c a plate.

ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wanger, of Golf road, Riverton, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Wanger, to William Reed Kinzie, of Charleston, S. C. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mystery Victim



HARRY BURNS
Popular Riverton youth who was found dead in his garage, and is believed to have been robbed and murdered. This picture was taken at the shore last summer.

WHAT WILL BRING WORLD PEACE?

Bahai Revelation Farming Study Classes to Probe World-Wide Problems

A nation-wide movement embodying ideals of moral regeneration and religious fellowship in conformity with present day needs, which is receiving the co-operation of an organized group in Philadelphia, is described in the plans of the National Baha'i Teaching Committee, recently brought to the attention of the Philadelphia Baha'i community, according to Miss Jessie Revell, secretary, representing the Spiritual Assembly.

"The significance of the national Baha'i Temple now under construction on the highway leading northward from Chicago along Lake Michigan," said the statement, "is directing the serious attention of religious-minded people of all denominations, as exemplified in the article published in a late issue of the Literary Digest, toward the universal principles of spiritual civilization associated with the founder of the Baha'i Movement, Baha'u'llah, and Abdu'l-Baha, his son, who made a tour of the United States in 1912. These principles lie outside the province of any existing creed, since their purpose is not to create another sect but to lay foundations for a world civilization fulfilling the aspirations of every established religion. The Baha'i teachings are, in reality, an urgently needed education in the divine art of living which renews faith in immortality and upholds a standard of moral conduct and social co-operation showing the possibility of eliminating the influence of prejudice and fear in human affairs.

"The great gift of Baha'u'llah to the modern world is the quickening of faith in God and the enrichment of personality through contact with spiritual forces making for world order. Every Baha'i is a student of a program of world regeneration. Every Baha'i, in addition to his previous creed or philosophy, has come to realize that the problems revealed by the European war and succeeding economic and social difficulties are a challenge to the profoundest powers of the human soul.

"The national activities with which the Philadelphia Baha'i Assembly is co-operating include a series of regional conferences linking together and co-ordinating the efforts of the Baha'is in about seventy-five cities of the United States and Canada, preparing the way for public meetings by which the new teachings given by Baha'u'llah can be brought to the attention of all who appreciate the extent of the moral and intellectual crisis of this age. As rapidly as possible, study classes will be formed where, without cost or obligation, the Baha'i principles in relation to the problems of religious unity, international peace, immortality, race prejudice, economic stability and other current issues can be explained."

Several Riverton believers are members of the Philadelphia Assembly and information can be obtained through Miss Jessie Revell, 2531 N. 19th street, Philadelphia, or Miss Elizabeth Bowen, 5th and Howard, Riverton.

NOTICE

A mixed card party on Tuesday evening, January 27 at 8:30 for the benefit of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Riverton Fire Company, to be held at the fire house. Everyone welcome. Tax 25c. Prizes, refreshments.

LOCAL POLICE ARE BAFFLED BY MYSTERIOUS MURDER OF POPULAR RIVERTON ATHLETE

Harry Burns Robbed and Left To Die From Motor Exhaust

POST MORTEM BRINGS NO FOUL PLAY VERDICT

Ellis Parker Says, "Accidental"; Riverton Police Cling To Murder Theory

The death of Harry C. Burns, 24-year-old nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sim, of Thomas avenue, Riverton, early Sunday morning, still remains a mystery to officials investigating the tragedy.

So far circumstances, as found during the investigation being carried on by Acting Chief of Police Walter G. Miller with the aid of Director of Public Safety Charles DeLaney and County Detective Ellis Parker, who was assisted by Borough Recorder Cecil A. Bowers, have pointed to the murder theory.

Chief of County Detectives Parker states, however, that the death was accidental. His theory, nevertheless, is not adhered to by the local authorities.

The tragedy occurred about 1:45 Sunday morning as Harry was putting his car in his uncle's garage.

The young man was the brother of Mr. Thomas McChesney, of Moorestown.

Had Been Bowling

Harry had been bowling at the Palmyra alleys Saturday evening with his cousin, Curtis Flynn, and several other boys with whom he associated, and was last seen by them at 1:30 Sunday morning, when he left for home.

The fact that he had gone directly home, is verified by Charles W. Coward, who was putting his own car in his father's garage on Maple Lane, nearly opposite the Sim garage, and saw Burns drive into the lane about 1:40.

Had Mr. Coward been a few moments later he might possibly have apprehended the murderers.

Harry had run his car into the garage and apparently closed the big doors and started to walk around his uncle's Cadillac sedan, which stood on the right side of the garage, when he was attacked by one or more men.

Uncle Discovers Body

His body was discovered at 7:20 Sunday morning by Mr. Sim as he went to get his car to go to Dreer's Nursery.

Mr. Sim's suspicion of something wrong came first when he saw the

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PHILADELPHIANS SPEAK FOR P. T. A.

Palmyra Organization Holds Child Welfare Meeting Tuesday Afternoon

The Palmyra P. T. A. presented a program of unusual interest on Tuesday afternoon. Miss Rebecca Townsend, who spoke first, is connected with the Department of Special Education in Philadelphia. She told of the efforts which have been put forth in that city to provide every child with opportunities by means of special classes.

She enumerated some of these, such as nutrition, tubercular, lip-reading for deaf children, English classes for children who are unfamiliar with the language, and many other designed to meet the needs of every child in the system. She advocates grading children by ability, so that each group will be given all they are able to do without overtaxing.

Miss Eleanor Thompson, who is visiting-teacher, or counselor for the Philadelphia High School for Girls, told what her work entails, and illustrated by giving several case studies which she had carried on. Miss Thompson explained that her work is to help the problem pupil by acting as a go-between for school and home.

Mrs. Stanley Lippincott, contralto, and Mrs. William Miller, soprano, sang two beautiful duets. They were accompanied by Mrs. George Becker.

At the Burlington County Council January 14, it was suggested that each association plan some way to raise money for the student loan fund. At present they have $4067.39 of the necessary $6,000. This amount has been collected during the past two years, but cannot be loaned to the students until the balance has been raised. It is the aim of the Palmyra P. T. A. to help complete this before the June County Council.

There are always appeals for children's clothing, shoes, stockings, rubbers, etc. Those fortunate enough to have good used clothing which has been outgrown are asked to send it to the welfare or school where it will be collected.

Tomorrow evening, the P. T. A. will present "Richard" in an evening of magic mirth and mystery. The program will be full of novelty, uncanny effects, and laugh-provoking situations. Tickets are being sold at a nominal price by the school children.

EVIDENCES OF FOUL PLAY GROW

Buttons From Burns' Clothing Found in Garage; Doctors Did Not Make Scratches

Many conflicting reports have been current pertaining to the cause of the death of Harry Burns who was found in a dying condition in the garage of his uncle, Harry Sim, Fourth and Thomas avenue, Riverton, last Sunday morning, and much contention has arisen as to the significance of some of the items of evidence.

For instance, the condition of the clothing worn by Burns the night of the tragedy seemed to indicate that he had met with foul play. There were also scratches on the face and neck, on the left arm above the elbow and abrasions on both wrists, left leg between hip and knee over left kneecap and on the inner side of the left knee.

The top two buttons had been torn from the vest, the bottom button from the coat and the top two buttons from the shirt. In addition, there was a tear in the left trouser leg above the knee.

Those who held to the "accident" theory claimed that the scratches were made when Burns slipped from the stretcher while being carried from the ambulance into the hospital at Riverside, and that the buttons were torn off at the same time or while the doctors were giving artifical respiration.

Dr. Harry L. Rogers went to the hospital with Burns and helped to carry him in. He superintended and took part in the efforts made to restore consciousness.

As to the scratches found on the body, Dr. Rogers stated positively on Tuesday that the only marks which could have been caused by the fall are those on the face. The doctors also declared that no buttons were torn from the clothing by the doctors nor did they tear the trousers. This condition is borne out by the fact that the buttons from the shirt and coat were found in the Sim garage on Tuesday by Acting Chief of Police Walter Miller, of Riverton, and the two buttons from the vest were also found in the garage by Borough Recorder Cecil A. Bowers.

Director of Public Safety Charles DeLaney, stated on Wednesday that he is conducting an independent investigation separate and apart from the work started by the county detectives office.

TRIAL BEGUN AFTER FATAL AUTO CRASH

Palmyra Husband Sues Cambridge Man As Result of Wife's Death

Suit was brought Monday in the Burlington County District Court by Stephen J. Gersitz and his parents, Julius and Theresa Gersitz, of Palmyra, against Thomas Marshall, of Cambridge, after a fatal automobile accident April 6, 1930.

Stephen J. Gersitz and his wife were riding on the front seat of their car, and his father and mother and daughter Elizabeth, an 18-months-old baby, were on the back seat. It is alleged that Marshall struck the Gersitz machine and overturned it while turning his car toward a lane into his property.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gersitz, 22 years old, wife of the driver, received injuries which proved fatal. His father was also injured severely and was held in the Riverside Hospital for two weeks, while his mother suffered injuries to her breast. The baby was unhurt.

Stephen Gersitz is suing as the administrator of his wife's estate, while his parents are suing for the injuries which they received in the accident. George B. Evans, of Moorestown, is counsel for the plaintiff while Starr, Summerill & Floyd are Marshall's advisers. The suit will be continued tomorrow, when eight witnesses are expected to take the stand in favor of the complainant.

RIVERTON SCHOOL BUDGET CLIMBS

Board Will Ask for $5,555 More Than Last Year, Mostly High School Tuition

The members of the Riverton Board of Education met Monday night to discuss the budget for 1931, which will show an increase of $5,555 over last year.

Of the additional amount $3,000 is for high school tuition, and $800 for additional time for special teachers. Some of the regular teachers also received advances in salaries.

A public hearing on the budget will be held in the school house Monday evening next, January 26 at 7:30.

Charles T. Woolston was taken ill in the Methodist Church Sunday morning, but has fully recovered and is enjoying his usual good health.

COUNTY YM BOARD MEETING SLATED

Members To Hear Reports, Make Plans For Coming Seasons

A meeting of the General Board of the County YMCA will be held in the St. Andrew's Parish House, Mount Holly, Tuesday evening, January 27, at which time the Board members will hear reports concerning the work of the past two months and also make plans for activities which will extend into the spring and summer.

Session at Camp

The afternoon of January 28 is being reserved by the Secretarial Trustees of Camp Ockanickon for a conference on the Camp property to perfect plans for the operation of the 1931 season. This meeting will be held in Robbins Roost, the headquarters for the "middlers" camping area.

Orchestra to Play

In connection with plans for the meeting held on the first Sunday afternoon of each month of the Men's Federation of Bible Classes of Burlington County, Maurice Haines, of Medford, where the next meeting will be held, has asked the County YMCA Orchestra to play. Secretary Guy C. Hendry has assured him of his cooperation and that of the Orchestra.

Hi-Y Meeting

The Taylor cabin, on the Howard G. Taylor farm, Riverton, right on the banks of the Delaware, will be the scene of a significant County-wide Hi-Y gathering this coming Friday evening, January 23.

John A. Ledlie, Hi-Y Secretary of the State YMCA Staff, will be present and counsel with representatives of the various clubs all over the county who will have representatives on hand for this meeting.

Mr. Ledlie will share with these Burlington County fellows the best plans and thinking of Hi Y Clubs from his contact with clubs all over the state.

Francis Holbein, of Mount Holly, one of the Club Leaders at the county seat, is associated with Mr. Ledlie during the summer months in the directorship of the State YMCA Camp, Wawayanda, at Andover, New Jersey.

County Represented

Various sections of Burlington county were represented at a Laymen's Conference at Trenton, Saturday, January 17, in the YMCA. The conference personnel consisted of members of county boards of directors, wives, volunteer leaders of county YMCA groups, and secretaries of the town and country YMCAs of the State. Some 120 prsons were present, and at the dinner at noon the hosts were Dr. D. Hunter McAlpin, of Morris County, and Senator A. Crozer Reeves, of Mercer County.

President Henry F. Stockwell of the Ockanickon Camp Trustees, spoke on the new trends in camping in the county camps of the state.

Representing Burlington county were B. J. Roberts, Marlton; Francis W. Holbein, Mount Holly; Howard G. Taylor, Riverton; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harris, Burlington. Secretaries Clifford Ergood, Guy Hendry and Lavinia Wood of the County staff; Mrs. Guy C. Hendry and Henry F. Stockwell of Moorestown.

Other program features of significance included presentations and discussions of such subjects as "The Future of Town and Country Work in New Jersey—Trends and Opportunities"; "Practical Equipment for small Communities"; "Observations on the World's Rural Work Conference", which was attended by Dr. Edwin L. Earp, of Morris County, and on which he reported at the luncheon.

County Attends Swim

The monthly YMCA Group swim at the Moorestown Community House Pool last Tuesday evening, January 2, was attended by groups from all over Burlington County. Besides the swim there were held a number of swimming contests. These monthly swims are arranged and directed by Secretary Clifford Ergood.

Basketball League

The result of last week's basketball games were as follows: Division A. Riverside forfeited to Marlton by not getting there for the game. Burlington was to play Jobstown at Jobstown, but due to sickness of Burlington's players the game was postponed until Wednesday of this week. Division B. Marlton second team defeated Cinnaminson 64-22; Edison Hi-Y Club, Mount Holly, defeated Edwin Bok Hi-Y, Mount Holly 43-19; Willingboro defeated Delanco Hi-Y 24-15. Division C. Jobstown second team defeated Lumberton 14-8, but the game was given to Lumberton because Jobstown used an ineligible player.

Scheduled for this week are the following games: Thursday, Division A. Riverside vs Burlington; Moorestown vs Marlton at Marlton. Thursday night, Division B. Cinnaminson vs Edwin Bok Hi-Y of Mount Holly; Edison Hi-Y of Mount Holly vs Willingboro; Delanco Hi-Y vs Marlton second at Marlton. Division C. Friday, Baptist Y vs Jobstown second; and Saturday morning Baptist Y vs Bok Hi-Y second in the Armory.

Model Airplane Club

Fifteen fellows met at the County YMCA Headquarters on Friday evening for the purpose of organizing a model airplane club. The following officers were elected: commanding officer, George Fort; assistant commanding officer, Norman Herbert; secretary, Andrew Wright; treasurer, Edward Gilbert.

The next meeting of the club will be held Friday, January 30. The boys will build model airplanes, gather information on the construction, flying and other aircraft, and plan contests in connection with their sponsors, the Community Boys' Work Council.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Trapnell, of 146 Garfield Terrace, Clementon, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Betty Florence Tauber, to Calvin Frank Ellis, son of B. Frank Ellis, of Moorestown.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Popular Students





IDA TROUT

ARTHUR TERRELL

Winners of the popularity contest recently conducted among the high school students.

HIGH SCHOOL POLL SHOWS POPULARITY

Ida Trout and Arthur Terrell Win Contest Conducted by Palmyra Students

The winners of the popularity contest conducted by the staff of the Tilleum, Palmyra High School year book, were announced last week.

Ida Trout and Arthur Terrell were honored by being chosen the best-liked students attending the Palmyra institution. The poll was limited to subscribers to the year book, who are chiefly fellow students of the winners. While every voter was allowed to choose his candidate, the early returns favored the ultimate winners and each day during the voting contest saw their lead increase.

Miss Trout, an attractive, blue-eyed blonde, is a member of the Sophomore class and is completing her second year on the varsity cheer-leaders squad. Her attractive personality has won her hosts of friends, only a few of which are students in the high school. Also listed in her extra-curricular activities are her duties as a member of the business staff of the "Palmyrian," the student newspaper.

Mr. Terrell is an outstanding member of the Senior class. He completed his football career in P. H. S. by captaining last year's grid squad in its first year as a member of the Burlington County League. Last spring he was the leader of the varsity baseball team and is now playing on the basketball squad. He has been a member of the grid teams for the past three years and is expected to play his fourth season of the diamond sport this spring.

He will also be remembered as a participant in several stage productions managed by high school students, and is rounding out his second year on the student council. His jovial disposition is the principal reason for his extensive popularity.

MOTOR DEPT. BUSY WITH BILLS OF SALE

State Automobile Bureau Is Deluged With "Look-Ups" Commissioner Hoffman Reports

Don't lose your patience if you fail to receive an immediate reply to your request for approval of a bill of sale from the motor vehicle department at this time of the year. Commissioner Harold G. Hoffman has pointed out that the business of his department incident to the issuance of 1931 registrations has been accompanied by the usual deluge of bills of sale for approval.

Hundreds of persons who have moved to New Jersey and who have heretofore failed to register their cars, are obliged to now take out New Jersey plates, and these bills, together with those submitted covering cars that represent Christmas gifts, add an unusual burden of work and necessitate delays that are not experienced at other times of the year.

In June of 1930 a tabulation of requests for information was initiated, and the results reflect the fact that there were 132,293 "look ups" in the last six months of the year. In this bureau alone, from agencies, police departments, etc., there were 80,124 letters answered; 37,593 telephone calls received and 5,816 personal visits accompanied by requests for information as to names of registered owners and drivers. 8,800 bills of sale were examined and approved, the average number of "look-ups" being 743 per day.

In spite of her name, Mrs. Gladys Leisure of Cincinnati had to go to work to support herself.

DRIVING ABILITY NEUTER GENDER

Vehicle Commissioner Hoffman Refuses Either Sex "Better Drivers'" Distinction

"If men are better automobile drivers than women", said Commissioner of Motor Vehicles Harold G. Hoffman today, "it isn't reflected in the traffic accident statistics for New Jersey during 1930". The commissioner points out that out of 35,358 drivers involved in accidents, 32,175, or 91.2%, were men, while 3111, or 8.8% were women. There are 710,500 men licensed to drive in New Jersey, as against 304,500 women, so the approximate percentage of men in accidents is 4.5, with only one per cent of women in accidents in proportion to the total number of women who are licensed drivers.

Men who vigorously maintain that the male of the species is superior to the female when it comes to driving ability, point out that men, generally, drive more than women, and that the statistics, therefore, do not reflect the true condition. Until someone develops a yardstick by which driving ability may be measured, however, Commissioner Hoffman is not going to believe that men are better drivers than women.

"Endless Discussion"

Nor, by the same token, is he going to award the palm to the fair sex for general, all-round driving merit. In the absence of specific evidence upon which to base a conclusion, he refuses to trek along with either viewpoint. Since becoming Motor Vehicle Commissioner he has been asked many times to express an opinion, and he has hitherto declined to enter the "endless discussion" of the subject.

"The average male driver", he says, "may have acquired his opinion from isolated incident when a woman motorist stopped in front of him without giving a signal. On the other hand the average woman driver may get her impression of all men from the one who stole her right-of-way at the last intersection. Good driving is no longer a matter of bulgy muscles and brute strength. Ever since women got into motordom on a large scale, now constituting one-third of all drivers in the State of New Jersey, they have made their influence felt in the design of cars. This influence has made cars that now require delicacy of handling and quick reaction rather than pure force."

Competition Flavor

"There are men and women drivers who give traffic a competitive flavor by virtue of their efforts to uphold the superiority of their sex. There is the man who feels he must get ahead of the woman driver by any means in order to show her that she does not known how to drive. Matching this type is the woman who feels that she must prevent any male driver from passing her in order that he shall not think the fairer sex deficient in driving ability. Both of these types are relatively scarce, of course. The average driver is not concerned with the argument except vocally, which is a good thing for traffic safety."

"Elliott Keys Stone, co-author of 'Weather or Not', says that women should be the best drivers in the world because of their years of experience as back seat drivers, but he claims that these years of vicarious experience seem to have benefited women but little. Instead of being the best drivers, they are the world's worst. He says 'I've seen some mighty poor driving, but it took mamma to show papa what poor driving really is. He complains that women know little about the mechanics of the cars they drive, and that most women, when confronted with danger, close their eyes".

"To the rescue of her sex comes Vivian Shirley of the Philadelphia Public Ledger, who confronts Mr. Stone with the statistics and says that there are overcautious, fussy men drivers, just as there are overcautious, fussy, women drivers".

WAR ON RATS SOON TO START IN COUNTY

Preparations Being Made for Campaign Against Disease-Carrying Pests

An opportunity will be given to residents of Burlington County, whether on farm or in town, to get rid of rats, those disease-carrying pests that cost the average farmer twenty dollars per year. This is the announcement that comes from the Burlington County Extension Office as preparations for the second annual drive on the extermination of rats in this county are made.

The features of the campaign are the united effort on the part of everyone to co-operate in this movement; prepared bait will be supplied at cost to all who reserve it at the Burlington County Extension office prior to January 19; the poison that will be used will kill only rats and mice; the bait that will be used is one that will give results.

Following are the places from which bait will be distributed to all those who reserve it prior to January 19: Beverly, office of Co-operative Growers' Association; Bridgeboro, Lester Fortnum; Burlington, J. R. Gillman & Bros.; Chesterfield, Roy W. Holloway; Florence, farm of Edgar Harris; Marlton, George H. Cline, barber shop; Masonville, J. P. McCarthy's store; Medford, Haines Brothers and Kirby Brothers; Moorestown, J. S. Collins & Son, Inc.; and C. A. Lippincott & Bro.; Palmyra, C. H. Haines & Sons, Inc., Rancocas farm of Elgar Buzby; Riverton, office of C. B. Lewis.

CAP INSIGNIA ADOPTED

Erie, Pa.—Rogers Israel Post of the American Legion at a recent meeting authorized the post adjutant to secure a quantity of gold felt keystones bearing the word "Erie." They will be attached to the front of the regulation Legion cap.

Noted Lecturer



THOMAS SKEYHILL

Who will speak at the Riverside High School auditorium this Friday evening.

SKEYHILL AGAIN TO GIVE LECTURE

Famous Speaker Will Appear at Riverside Friday Evening

Thomas Skeyhill, who last year gave a series of twelve lectures in Burlington county, will again return and give one of his famous lectures this Friday evening at the Riverside School's auditorium.

Mr. Skeyhill will discuss the Russian situation of 1920 and also that of 1930. Following are some of the questions he will take up:

Was the trial of the Russian Engineers a fake? Their recent trial at Moscow has revived a tremendous interest in Russia and the Communists. Were the Engineers really guilty of sabotage? Were they really trying to undermine the Soviet structure? If they were really guilty as the courts pronounced them why were the death sentences commuted?

Why did the Communist party hitherto ruthless extend clemency? Was it a sign of weakness? Is the whole Communist regime beginning to totter, and do the leaders begin to feel that they must bow to the forces of public opinion in the world, or was it a sign of strength?

Are they so strongly entrenched in power and so sure of success that they feel they can afford to extend clemency to their enemies? Was the whole trial a farce and a smoke screen behind which they could hide and at the five-year plan?

In 1920, Mr. Skeyhill while in the employ of the British Secret Service and disguised as a Swedish Engineer, traveled throughout Russia. He saw and studied the beginning of Communism and his views on the recent happening are awaited with great interest by everyone.

The stub of your season ticket and 25 cents will admit you to hear Tom Skeyhill. Admission without stub, 50 cents. Doors open at 7:45.

Jack Caroll of Akron, O., and William Martin of Philadelphia, received only fifty cents each as a reward for returning a pocketbook which contained $1,500.

BIGGER PROGRAM FOR MOTOR CLUB

Keystone, 25 Years Old, To Enlarge Its Public Activities

An enlarged program of public activities in the interest of motorists is planned by the Keystone Automobile Club in celebration of its silver anniversary, according to announcement by J. Borton Weeks, president of the club.

The club enters its twenty-fifth year with more than 50,000 members in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. It began as the Automobile Club of Delaware County in 1906, with 51 members. Joseph H. Weeks, its founder and first president, set the pace in the good roads movement that has made the Keystone organization foremost in the advocacy of improved highways in Eastern United States.

In the eleven years that J. Borton Weeks, son of the founder, has been head of the club it has grown from a membership of 3900 to its present imposing size. Its services have been increased every year and its public activities spread over a constantly enlarging territory. Safety work of the club includes patrols and committees in more than 250 schools. Closely allied to this work is the activity of the engineering department in the correction of dangerous highway conditions and the sign posting department in the erection of thousands of direction and warning signs.

With respect to individual services to members, President Weeks pointed out that the touring bureau and emergency road department serviced more members last year than ever before in the club's history, and that 43,000 policyholders in the club's insurance companies saved a total of $854,8000 through the insurance-at-cost plan.

While Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mallow of Chicago attended a motion picture show, thieves stripped their home of furniture, even taking a stove in which the couple had left a fire burning.

RESOLUTION PASSED BY DEMOCRATIC CLUB

Favors Movement To Establish Parental Home for Juvenile Delinquents in County

At the monthly meeting of the Burlington County Democratic Women's Club, held at the home of Mrs. Merral Haas, Palmyra, January 14, there was a resolution adopted to further the movement to institute a Parental Home in Burlington County for the Juvenile Delinquents.

In this county, at the present time there is no provision made for disposal of these cases properly in keeping with existing conditions.

There will be a large number of members attending the luncheon to be held at St. Mary's Hall, Burlington, January 26, at which Mr. Gates, Secretary National Probationers Association, will speak in behalf of this worthy and necessary department.

DELAWARE TOWNSHIP LICENSES SEVEN INNS

Delaware Townships income will be boosted $1000 this year from fees of seven roadhouses granted licenses at a recent meeting of the township committee. The fee is $150. There were eleven operated last year. Licenses were granted to Ellisburg Inn, Daniel Keating, proprietor; Maple Lawn Tea Room, Olivia Filsler, proprietor; Ellisburg Annex, George Fullerton, proprietor; Kresson Klub, Florence Myers, proprietor; Golden Pheasant, William Reed, proprietor; Cap's Grill, Hilda Shivers, proprietor; Half Way Inn, Harry Flicker, proprietor.

MOORESTOWN WOMAN HAS RECKLESS DRIVER ARRESTED

Charged with reckless driving, John Riegler, 29, of Maple Shade, was fined $10 and costs last week by Police Recorder A. E. Craig, of Merchantville, upon the testimony of several passengers. Riegler was arrested Tuesday of last week on complaint of Mrs. William Walker, 117 East Central avenue, Moorestown. Mrs. Walker and several others who were passengers in the Pennsjersey bus Riegler was driving said he scraped another bus several times in vieing for passengers.

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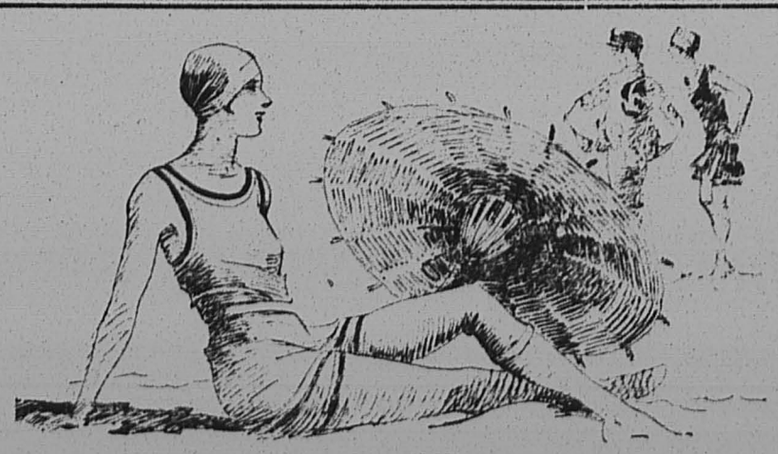
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Mickey Mouse Cartoon — News

FRIDAY—
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"THE DAWN TRAIL"
Mickey Mouse Cartoon — Comedy

SATURDAY—
NORMA TALMADGE in
"DU BARRY, Woman of Passion"
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VIOLINIST PRAISED FOR MUSIC WORK

Walter Pew Making Available To School Children Instrumental Instruction

The work of Walter Pew, well-known Moorestown violinist, is making available to school pupils instruction in instrumental music has been receiving high praise and a cordial reception in Burlington County.

Already classes have been formed for instrumental music instruction in the districts of Edgewater Park, Beverly, Burlington, Bordentown, Crosswicks, Chinaminson, Riverton, Palmyra, Vincetown, Delanco and Willingboro.

Mr. Pew has associated with him Spencer Atkinson for the teaching of piano, and Emil Kuss for the teaching of wind instruments.

Mr. Pew will do the teaching of the violin.

The Moorestown man is former head of the violin department of the Hill School, Pottstown, Pa., one of the foremost college prep schools in the country. He inaugurated the work in Burlington County this fall.

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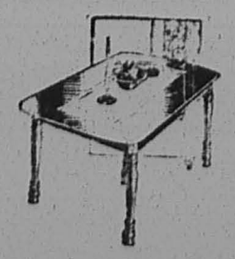
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EDITORIAL

Health is the essential thing in your life. Without it you would be struggling along just barely making "both ends meet." But you who have good health should make the best of it. Take advantage of it by working, yes and playing, too, for they are both necessary to good mental health. Those of you who are so fortunate as to be healthy individuals should in every way protect it, especially now when the weather is so detrimental to good health. If your resistance to disease is poor, you need be even more careful now that the weather is changing so rapidly from warm to cold or to rain.

EXHIBITS OF NORTH EASTERN STATES

The fifth grade children are studying the North Eastern States. Since there is such a variety of products from these states, they decided to exhibit articles, produced from certain parts. A colored map made by the children, showing where each product is found, is exhibited on the bulletin board. On their exhibit shelf there are many types of products; such as shoes, trains, steel, coal, wool, cotton and leather. This exhibit makes the study of the North Eastern States more enjoyable.

The members of the fifth grade class are working on their contracts. As they receive their assignments and get it finished, it is marked on a chart.

HELPFUL TO THE NEEDY

Miss Evaul's class saved tinfoil for many weeks and gave it to a substitute teacher, Mrs. Nunn, to give to the West Jersey Hospital for a bed for some poor child who wasn't very fortunate.

CHILDREN PROVE CONTRACT SYSTEM WORKS SATISFACTORY

At three-thirty Thursday afternoon the Sixth A children proved the contract work satisfactorily in front of the P. T. A. Mrs. Bush gave a short speech telling how the children could work in groups with reference books on different subjects while others were reciting their finished jobs. If anything difficult comes up, they hold small conferences and discuss the difficult task.

Twenty pupils took part in demonstrating their work and showed how English, history, geography, spelling, and word meaning could be taught, discussed, and worked all in the same space of time.

LETTER OF THANKS

The children of school sent a basket of flowers to Mr. Quigley, in kind remembrance of his thoughtfulness of them. Edward Hunn, president of Student Council, read the letter of thanks from the Quigley family and Mr. and Mrs. Gnang, to the school at assembly period.

VISITS TO DIFFERENT ZONES

The fourth A grade in geography class are visiting different zones. They have visited the South Pole, the North Pole, and all the other zones. They are trying to improve their individual scores. The children think it is quite interesting and therefore enjoy doing it.

PENMANSHIP AWARDS RECEIVED

In assembly last Monday Julia Washington and Robertson Coe received their penmanship awards. Julia's pin was for progress which is an indication of hard work. Robertson received his first button. Several people have received pins this year. Charles Rader received his first pin; Howardo Barto and Robert Teeple, their second pin; and Mary Patterson and Philip Mathews, their third pin. The people who have not received pins yet are working hard to get them. Several people in the eighth grade are now working on their final certificate.

CHILDREN READ TRIPS AT PTA

After the sixth grade showed how children work at different tasks, some members of the eighth grade showed the result of such work in geography. Miss Staman explained briefly the procedure and what the children would give. Edith Ridley and Elizabeth Woolston took a trip to the "Northern Plateau States," and Edith told the parents where they found information and illustrations for the trip. Walter Mattis next told where he got his information for his two trips which were to the "Coal Mines," and "California." Philip Mathews read the trip which he took to "Akron, Ohio." Then Robinet Cole told where he got his reference for his trip to the Southern Plateau States. Last of all Betty Showell gave reference information while Mary Wilson read the trip to the parents.

Last Wednesday the eighth grade took their State Examination in Geography, history, arithmetic, spelling, health, handwriting, and English.

To Speak on Mormons



MRS. LULU L. SHEPARD
Salt Lake City woman, who is to speak at a meeting for women in the Moorestown M. E. Church this Sunday afternoon.

WOMAN TO SPEAK ON MORMONDOM

Salt Lake City Woman to Deliver Address in Moorestown Sunday

Mrs. Lulu Loveland Shepard, of Salt Lake City, Utah, will be the speaker at the union meeting to be held this Sunday afternoon, January 25, at 3 o'clock in the Methodist Episcopal Church of Moorestown, of which the Rev. F. B. Morley is pastor. Mrs. Shepard will speak on "The Mormon Temple Secrets."

There is no one in the United States who is better informed on the subject of Mormonism than is Mrs. Shepard. She is a recognized authority in this field. For over twenty years she lived in Salt Lake City, the seat of Mormondom, and during that time she was prominent in local and state affairs. She came into intimate association with many Mormon leaders and has first-hand knowledge of their teachings, customs, and practices.

In this address Mrs. Shepard will give an illuminating recital of the operations of that secret institution of the Mormon Church. Mrs. Shepard has both publicly and privately debated many points of vital concern with Mormon leaders.

She has been speaking on this subject for the past fourteen years under the auspices of the National Reform Association, national headquarters at Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. Shepard has given her vital messages in nearly every state of the union and in many foreign countries. She has made numerous trips abroad and has traveled extensively throughout Europe. She is familiar with Mormon progress in many European countries.

A large group is expected to greet Mrs. Shepard in Moorestown.

SHADERS OPPOSE POLICE FORCE CUT

Five Hundred Residents Protest at Meeting of Township Committee

A chorus of protest sounded from a gathering of more than 500 residents who attended the meeting of the Maple Shade township committee last week. Aversion was expressed freely on the committee's changes in the police department and caustic comment as to the condition of water and roads was hurled at the rulers.

The police force of four patrolmen and eight special officers to help safeguard approximately 1300 children at two local schools, has been trimmed to a staff of two patrolmen, one sergeant and the chief of the department. John Cramer, night desk sergeant was dropped in the shift and residents say they now are unable to communicate by phone with the police since no officer is stationed at headquarters after midnight.

A charge that one member of the township board owed the community $800 in taxes was made by James D'Arcy. The latter named Ernest Wolf, new member of the committee, in this complaint and also declared that Thomas J. Barlow, real estate operator, was in debt to the extent of $30,000 in taxes. He also said there are several others in this category.

John Potje, veteran member of the committee, stated he had rightfully succeeded to the chairmanship of the board but had refused the post when he learned that he could not obtain support of all his colleagues. He added that he opposed the revisions made by the committee.

Committeeman Wolf issued a statement to the effect that Potje had only partly given facts and that his refusal of the chair was due to the other members' opposition to allow him to dictate the entire list of changes. Wolf pointed out he was elected to the committee on a platform of economy and efficiency and added that Chairman Charles Collins is co-operating with him in this respect.

MEN'S NIGHT PROGRAM

Harry Bowman Heads Committee in Charge of Smoker at Community House

Another men's night program, which have heretofore proven so popular with the men of the community, will be held in the Community House gymnasium on Friday night, February 13, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The committee, headed by Harry Bowman, is working on the program which will include boxing, wrestling and gymnastics.

These men's nights have always been featured with a "smoker" and this year's affair should prove as popular if not more so than those held in other years.

Some of the best amateur boxers in this vicinity will take part in the program with Camden Y. M. C. A. furnishing many of the participants.

Roy Hullings, a local boy, who has been working out in the local gymnasium, will head the list of wrestlers.

Gymnastics will be a real attraction with a regular troupe coming from Camden Y. M. C. A.

All the men are asked to set aside this date and take part as a spectator. The price of admission will be 35 cents.

BLACKHAWKS Y. M. C. A.

Tuesday night the gang met again. After a short basketball game the meeting was called to order by Walter Smith, our president. Ed Hebrew led in prayer after which Howard Barto collected dues. After a discussion about a new leader, Mr. Hicks said he would get a new one for us. Meeting adjourned.

BOB TEEPLE, Reporter.

DR. LEFAVOR RESUMES PRACTICE

Dr. Dean H. LeFavor, Palmyra physician, who has been on the sick list during the past week, resumed work Tuesday. The doctor was taken ill with grippe last Wednesday. He is now working on the same schedule which he maintained before his illness.

Lots of folks still burn midnight oil but the trouble is nowadays that most of them burn it in an eight cylinder engine instead of a lamp.

Palmyra Red Cross Quota is $1200

Palmyra has been called upon to raise $1,200 as its share in the quota to be raised for the American Red Cross, which has been called to meet the greatest emergency in peace time, that caused by last summer's drought.

The week of January 25 to January 31 has been chosen for collecting this sum. Ex-Mayor James T. Weart has agreed to head the committee for organization and Mayor George N. Wimer has agreed to cooperate to the fullest extent.

President Hoover's proclamation on January 13, asked for $10,000,000 additional relief fund. Immediate action was taken by the Red Cross and of this $14,000 is the quota allotted to Burlington county.

The committee sponsoring the movement in Palmyra will be announced next week.

MARLTON NOTES

Young People's Council of Religious Education Conference will be held in Pemberton on Saturday, January 31. Delegates from the Marlton Christian Endeavor Society are Norman Wells, president and Florence Roberts, Assistant Secretary. There will be other members from the local society at this all-day conference.

Mrs. Clarence Burton spent last week with her cousins, Dr. and Mrs. F. K. Stevens and family, of McConnellsburg, Pa.

Four of the teachers in Marlton public school, Cora M. Larsen, Frances E. Condit, Anna C. Curry and Helen L. Bieler, are taking evening courses in Sociology at the South Jersey Law School, Camden.

The postponed annual business meeting of the Marlton Baptist Church will be held this (Wednesday) evening.

L. W. Jones and Walter DeCamp are happy over the recovery of two good hound dogs that were lost about two years ago. Mr. DeCamp was driving along Clements Bridge road, near Barrington, when he noticed two dogs and identified them as the dogs that were lost one day while hunting in Eves Swamp, about two years ago. Calling at home where dogs went Mr. DeCamp questioned woman and was told that the dogs were found in deer woods between Chatsworth and Haddonfield. Both dogs recognized Mr. DeCamp and came to him immediately when he called them by name. He brought the dogs home with him.

Mrs. Henry S. Lippincott returned home from Cooper Hospital, Camden, where she had been confined for nearly two weeks. Her condition, when taken to the hospital was considered rather serious.

College Women Marry and Work, Say N. J. C. Heads

The proportion of college women who work after marriage is on the rise, according to statistics on alumnae of the New Jersey College for Women just made public. Response to a questionnaire recently sent to all members of the associate alumnae shows that 25 per cent of the married alumnae are employed.

Although only 11 per cent of the 1922 alumnae who are married work today, the percentage of those who work, though married, has steadily increased with each class, with 27 per cent of the married 1927 alumnae, 40 per cent of the married 1928 alumnae and 66 per cent of the married 1929 alumnae now holding positions. There are 259 married alumnae in all, sixty-five of whom are employed.

1922, the first alumnae class, has forty-nine members; twenty-seven of these are married, of which number only three are employed. The number of married members who are employed increases with each class, with the exception of the class of 1930, in which adjustment to jobs is still incomplete.

The class of 1927 shows forty members married out of a group of 120, while eleven married members work. In the class of 1928 out of 164 members twenty-five are married, and ten of these work. In the class of 1929 fifteen out of 201 are married and ten of the fifteen have jobs.

James P. Lancaster

James P. Lancaster, 71 years old, died at his home in Delair Park Tuesday morning. Funeral services will be held from the Snover Funeral Home Friday afternoon with the Rev. George Lockett, pastor of the Central Baptist Church, Palmyra, officiating. Interment will be made in Northwood Cemetery, Philadelphia. Mr. Lancaster is survived by two sisters who make their homes in Delair Park.

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5 DRIVERS NABBED IN MOORESTOWN

Three of the Motorists Are Arrested on Speeding Charges

Moorestown police have arrested five motorists during the past few days.

Two of the drivers, arrested on speeding charges, were released by Recorder Joseph W. Johnston, before whom the cases were heard, upon payment of costs, the fines being remitted, but the other three were not so fortunate.

The drivers who escaped paying fines were Paul Tryson Smith, Haddon Heights, and John Guist, Salem, who proved he was speeding on account of illness.

R. F. Shackelford, Cotter, Conn., charged with reckless driving, and Elda Stock, 1818 Wallace street, Philadelphia, charged with operating a motor vehicle without a driver's license, each paid fines of $10 and costs. They were arrested by Chief of Police John H. Bradshaw. Miss Stock, who was accompanied by a licensed driver, was using a learner's permit which had expired.

The recorder imposed a fine of $5.00 and costs upon Saul Surak, 2442 South Reese street, Philadelphia, who was arrested by Officer Walter A. Errickson on speeding charges.

Louis Maltese, 20 years old, of Lenola, was fined $30 and costs and placed on probation for a year by Judge Charles A. Rigg, at Mount Holly, on indecent exposure charges preferred by Marie Hartley. Maltese was arrested by Officer Bruce MacDonald. did not make better mouse traps to cause the world to beat a path to her door, but she discovered them. Leaving some live clams in her cellar over night, she found next morning that three of them had each caught a mouse. Neighbors are discarding other mouse traps and putting clams on the job.

SCOUT WEEK PLANNED

The Boy Scouts Week, beginning February 6, will be celebrated with due ceremony by the Boy Scouts of Palmyra.

While all plans have not been made as yet, the Scouts and the Counsellors Association are fostering all activities which will mark the anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts.

Committees from the Palmyra troops and the counsellors have now engaged in arranging suitable and appropriate exercises to be conducted by the combined Scout troops during that week. Full plans will be announced by the various committees later.

The counsellors are anxious to call the attention of fathers and others who might be interested to the fine work being done by the Scouts. Those who have shown interest in the doing of the lads will have a chance to show their willingness to support the organization during Boy Scout week.

TROOPERS ARREST TWO TRANSPORTING LIQUOR

Two Burlington men, Angelo Cesaretti, of 44 East Federal street, and Paul Citraini, of the same address, are in the Burlington county jail, at Mount Holly, committed Thursday by Commissioner Slaughter, of Mount Holly, in default of $500 bail each, when arraigned on charges of possession and transportation of liquor. They were arrested by State Troopers Dore and Speed, of the Columbus State police barracks. Five gallons of alcohol and one gallon of wine were found in a car they were operating along the state highway, near Bordentown.

The Woman's Auxiliary will hold its meeting of January, Tuesday evening, January 27.

WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS CHARTER LUNCHEON

Mrs. M. Casewell Heine Is Speaker: Delightful Dinner Served by Ladies' Guild

The Palmyra Woman's Club held a Charter luncheon in the Lions' Den, Society Hall, Monday afternoon. About eighty members were present.

The speaker of the occasion was Mrs. M. Casewell Heine, who is the president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. Several delightful selections were sung by the club chorus and Miss Marjorie Wilson, who is a member of the Junior Woman's Club, rendered a lovely piano solo.

The luncheon, which was served by the Women's Guild of the Epworth M. E. Church, was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present. Mrs. George M. Rivel was the chairman of the luncheon committee.

Osteopaths Meet

Dr. J. Rowland Dey, of Linden avenue, Riverton, attended the monthly meeting of the Southern New Jersey Osteopathic Society at the Walt Whitman Hotel, Camden, Saturday evening. Dr. Peter Brearsly, of the Philadelphia Osteopathic Hospital, gave a demonstration of the osteopathic correction in foot disorders. The Society decided on a larger space for the Camden Osteopathic Clinic.

NEW IDEAS IN HOME MAKING



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AFTERNOON TEA

WILL you have cream or lemon, one lump or two? Is the question so solicitously asked by the true hostess at her afternoon at home.

The big dinner party, bridge or luncheon party is all very nice and has its place in our entertaining, but true hospitality and friendship are expressed more sincerely over the afternoon cup of tea among a few real friends.

Afternoon tea, as we know, is a delightful English custom and in that country, whether guests happen to "drop in" or whether it is just for the family, 4 o'clock tea is a function. Here in America we are just beginning to include the social cup of tea for friends and guests.

The 4 o'clock tea may be served in several simple ways. The hostess may choose to serve the tea from a large serving tray, which will hold the teapot, china, silver, sugar and lemon or cream. When the tray, attractively set, is carried into the living room, it is placed on a table before the hostess and the tea is conveniently served by her. Food accompaniments are passed separately.

The tea cart these days is a useful and popular piece of equipment and simplifies the carrying and serving of tea, as well as being useful at meal times. The entire tea service and foods are placed on the tea cart and the whole 4 o'clock tea is then wheeled to sun parlor, porch or living room, where it is to be served.

Perhaps the most attractive 4 o'clock tea, however, is the one which is served from the afternoon tea table. A small table is spread with immaculate linen. The tea service is then brought in and daintily arranged thereon, together with napkins, silver and a low bowl of flowers.

Food accompaniments, or "the eats," are most important, we think. Piles of dainty sandwiches on pretty glass, china or silver platters or served from a pretty basket; slices of luscious cake or tender "chocolat-y" brownies, or nutty date and nut bars are some of our most popular homemade goodies for tea serving.

The most important of all is the tea. The old saying, "Lest the kettle boiling be, then the tea will spoiled be," has a wise warning, for tea to be truly good must be made with care and a few points to follow are:

1. Rinse teapot with boiling water.
2. Allow one teaspoon of tea for each cup and one extra teaspoon for good measure.
3. Place the tea leaves in the earthenware pot.
4. Pour freshly boiling water over the tea leaves.
5. Allow tea to steep three to five minutes, according to strength desired.
6. Serve at once.

Sandwiches and Fillings (Basic Recipe for Four Fillings)

¼ lb. butter
¼ lb. cream cheese
½ tsp. salt
f. g. paprika
1 tbsp. mayonnaise

Cream all ingredients until soft and creamy, divide into four parts. Remove crusts from loaf of bread and cut loaf into five slices lengthwise. Spread slices with following fillings; 1. One-fourth cup nuts, one-fourth cup raisins. Put through chopper and add to one-fourth portion of basic filling. Use for filling one lot of sandwiches. 2. Spread basic filling on bread, lay on strips of green pepper and pimento, using three slices of bread. Cut down lengthwise to form a ribbon sandwich. 3. Spread bread with basic filling, lay on slices of stuffed olives, using three slices of bread. Cut down lengthwise to form a ribbon sandwich. 4. Use any filling on long strips of bread. Begin at one end, roll up as a jelly roll. Moisten end with additional bit of filling, press together, let stand a few minutes. Slice down as you would a jelly roll.

Brownies

1 cup sugar
2 eggs
¼ lb. butter
⅔ cup bread flour
2 sqs. chocolate
f. g. salt
1 cup chopped nuts
1 tsp. vanilla

Melt butter and chocolate together, add sugar and beaten egg, add nuts and flour mixed together, add salt and vanilla. Bake in a buttered loaf pan, spreading mixture about one-half inch thick. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 to 30 minutes. Cut in squares.

Date Sticks

1 cup sugar
2 eggs
4 tbsp. milk
1 cup dates (cut in small pieces)
1 tsp. baking powder
1 cup flour
1 cup nut meats, chopped fine

Cream butter and sugar, add beaten eggs. Mix and sift flour and baking powder. Add dates and nuts. Add flour alternately with milk to first mixture. Bake in loaf pan, spreading it about one-half inch thick. Bake at 375 degrees for about 25 minutes. Cut in pieces one by two inches. Roll in confectioner's sugar.



PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER
Founder, Burlington County Aero Club

At the annual meeting of the Burlington County Aero Club Board of Directors held at the Moorestown Community House on Monday evening, many new polices for the betterment of flying in the vicinity were discussed. Announcement will be made in the very near future that will surely be of interest to everyone.

You will find Jim Eldman, Bill French and several of the other boys doing their flying at the Moorestown Bowling Alleys on bad days. Bill soloed recently at the alleys and is rapidly developing into a good bowling ball pilot.

Production on auto-giros has been started by both the Pitcairn Aircraft Inc., of Willow Grove, Pa., and the Kellett Aircraft Corporation, at the Philadelphia Airport. The giro is rapidly being developed into a real airplane.

How is this record for safety in air transportation? During the last six months of 1930 there was one fatality for each ten million miles flown on the regularly scheduled passenger air lines. Twenty million miles were flown.

Next Monday evening Lieutenants C. Victor Williams and H. H. Longaker, Air Corps Reserve, will address the Gloucester, Camden, and Burlington Counties Chapter of the Reserve Officers' Association of the United States at the Artillery Armory in Camden.

The International Aeronautique Federation lists 131 world's records. France and Germany each hold 30 of these records, with the United States third, holding 21.

Mrs. Smith of Monticello, Ind., whose maiden name was Smith, married and divorced Archie Smith and now has married Fred Smith.

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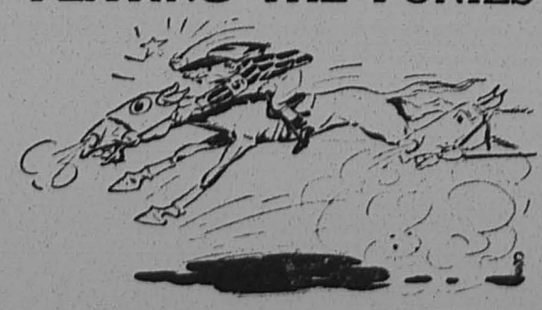
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HANDS ACROSS THE SEA

Just now Washington is studying daily the plans of L'Enfant who helped our first President map out a scheme for building the capital city of our nation. As one watches the development along our famous Pennsylvania avenue, and the location of the parks adjacent to that thoroughfare, and particularly those between the avenue and the Potomac, the thought is suggested that Washington is becoming Paris-esque in appearance. Other comparisons are found between the United States and France in the rich agricultural resources of the two countries. Besides the France which we know so well there is an empire which she controls outside of her own national borders. France proper contains 212,659 square miles, including Alsace-Lorraine and the Island of Corsica, while her colonies have 5,657,804 square miles. Thus the French Republic ranks second in world colonial territorial extent. Today France's energies are turned toward the exploitation of this immense empire and her policy is described by her officials as that of association, and "a work of creation", to build up the resources of wealth and elevate the condition of all human beings who live under the tricolor of France. This policy seems to be on the way to realization as new railways are being extended into the most remote recesses of French holdings, while highway building is being furnished a tremendous impetus. The result is that roads bearing more than 90,000 automobiles are now furnishing transportation for the colonies. One needs only to ferry across the Hudson river to become distinctly impressed by the importance of French navigation, and the statistics show that more than 6,000 ships are carrying the French flag upon the high seas, and the trade of the colonies is rich in sugar, coffee, tea, fish products, rice, spices, phosphates, oil, wool, silk cotton, rubber, wood and paper pulp.

France stands out among the nations of the world as the ancient friend of America, and the Statue of Liberty at the entrance of New York harbor built with the aid of 180 French cities, and numerous general councils and societies, and thousands of citizens, is a significant emblem of the enduring friendship that exists between the two countries.

THE DAILY TALE OF WOE

The Red Cross needs $10,000,000 for drought aid in addition to $5,000,000 of the association's funds that were set aside last Fall to aid in personal relief through the drought states. It is planned to have a representative of the local Red Cross chapters sit upon the local committees created by the Department of Agriculture for administration of the crop relief in order to insure that everyone truly deserving may be looked after with care and without waste. The Red Cross struggles valiantly to stem the tide, and far-sighted men who opposed the principle of the government dole will back up the organization in its attempt to raise ten million to distribute among our suffering humanity. There is a determined effort to stop the carnival of appropriations through which the taxpayers' money is being distributed with reckless generosity.

England rushed headlong into the dole system and that nation is suffering from its effects. German Financial Minister Dietrich now proposes a plan for averting the danger of the dole, which appeals to men who jump at their conclusions. His suggestion is to abolish Germany's $750,000,000 annual public dole by throwing that sum into industry in an effort to increase production at a lower cost, and thus, he argues, remedy unemployment instead of continuing to support the unemployed. He admits that the proposal "possibly might lead to the stamping out of independent business enterprise and the individual capitalistic system."

There are groups of men in Washington who have so little idea of the differences between "relief" and "dole" that they would exceed all the schemes inflicted upon poor old distressed Europe if someone was not on hand most of the time to checkmate them.

The German scheme for government industrialism under political management is not new and economists declare that its adoption would likely succeed for a brief period and then collapse into ruin just as an identical system in France under Louis Blanc less than century ago had a brief but destructive career. It ruined private business, arrested production, paralyzed initative and enterprise, wasted public funds, and disappeared in the brief but bloody Revolution of 1848, which it finally provoked. Yet it must be conceded that Herr Dietrich's proposed substitute for the dole is quite as good as any other. For it admits no substitute. Whatever its disguise it is the same thing, and produces the same results. It is also well to remember that those who forced the Blanc experiment upon their country were among the first to revolt against it.

And that's the kind of dynamite our own nation is fooling with in meeting the obligations of becoming "our brother's keepers."

TODAY and TOMORROW

SALESMANSHIP

The Prince of Wales is starting for South America to represent British industry at the British Trade Exhibition in Buenos Aires. This young man has developed into a sort of super-salesman for British-made goods. There is an atmosphere of "go-getting" about British manufacturers today which is quite a new thing, and the Prince is regarded as the best go-getter of all.

What makes this important to Americans is that up to now we have had almost a monopoly of the automobile business in South America. Now English cars are to be shown, and the Prince of Wales is taking five British cars along for his personal use on a tour through South America.

WAR

Every European of intelligance who comes to America—and I meet a great many of them every week—brings a shadow of war with him. Europe is living under a war cloud, its people shuddering with dread that the crisis may occur at any time which will plunge them into a more terrible conflict than ever before.

It is very hard for us on this side of the ocean to understand that feeling. It is hard for us to understand why France, for example, maintains today an army greater than that of any other two nations, equipped and ready for immediate war.

One of my European visitors was quite certain that the line-up in the next war would be Germany, Russia and Japan combined against Great Britain, France and the United States. That doesn't sound like sense viewed from this side of the ocean, but many people believe that something like that is coming and coming soon.

RUSSIA

I dined the other night with a brilliant woman of European birth, who lives most of her time in America because she likes it better than Europe, but who frequently travels all over the world. She speaks six languages, but is going to add another to her list.

"I'm studying Russian," she told me. "I'm going to need it. So is everybody else was has interests outside of America—and perhaps in America. Who knows? Russia is a nation of 175,000,000 people, working together to a common end, which is to impose a new social philosophy on the whole world, by force if necessary. Don't tell me there is nothing to worry about. I think the time is closer than anyone imagines when Russia will become a menace to the peace not only of Europe but of America as well. And if not that, certainly Russia will be an important factor in international trade before long. People who can talk and read Russian will have a great advantage over those who cannot."

I have heard others, who have been in Russia lately, express the same or similar views. Russia is a good place to watch.

BUILDING

Nearly five billion dollars will be spent in 1931 for new buildings, according to a careful survey of the outlook by the editors of The Architectural Forum. That will be about two thousand million dollars more than was spent in 1930. The principal increase is expected to be in public buildings, in which class there will be three times as much money spent as last year.

Building costs are cheaper now than they were a year ago, in every particular. Mortgage money is easy—for well-planned, well-built structures for which there is a definite need. And there is a great scarcity of proper buildings in many classes. Those factors combined make it seem probable that 1931 will be the heaviest building year in recent history.

STRAUS

The late President Taft said once "Nathan Straus is a great Jew and the greatest Christian of us all." The venerable merchant who died the other day at the age of 83 did not quite succeed in his desire to die poor, but he gave away millions upon millions to help others. His philanthropies were not limited to any sect, religion or country, though his chief enthusiasm in his later years was in the restoration of Palestine as a Jewish nation.

Born in Germany, Nathan Straus was brought to America as a child by his father, who ran a store in Talbottom, Ga. The only Jews in the community, the family attended the Baptist church, and the elder Straus would amaze the circuit-riding ministers who made his home their headquarters, by his ability to read the Old Testament in the Original Hebrew. Ruined by the Civil War, the father took his family to New York and started anew as an importer of pottery. From the opening of china departments in other men's stores the sons became eventually the owners of two of New York's greatest department stores.

Nathan Straus was not the only immigrant boy, nor the only Jew, to win fame, respect and fortune in America. Similar careers have been so frequent in this country that we forget that they are almost impossible anywhere else in the world.

WAY OF LIFE

BY

BRUCE BARTON

Butcher Say?

One day last winter I was riding with the gentleman who runs a livery stable and provides food and lodging for my horse. It was some weeks after the stock market unpleasantness.

"How is business?" I asked him.

He answered that he had never known it to be worse. "Only a few of our horses are saddle horses," he said. "The others are owned by the butchers and bakers and candlestick makers who supply the fashionable people on Park and Fifth Avenues. And do you know that those little merchants can't collect enough even to pay my oats bills? It is terrible."

A little later I was repeating the conversation to a friend who makes his home in a fashionable suburb. He has ample means but, compared with some of the multi-millionaires whose estates are in the same community, he is comparatively poor.

He told me that he had been protesting mildly to the butcher about the steady increase in his meat bills. "I do not understand," he had said. "We always pay promptly on the first of the month. We do not eat extravagantly, and yet our meat seems to cost us more all the time."

The butcher confessed that the bills were high. He shrugged his shoulders helplessly. "What am I to do? You and the other people of moderate means are the only ones who pay your bills. The rich men on my lists keep me waiting for six months or even a year. Everybody's meat costs more in consequence."

I suppose the percentage of four-flushers in the Park Avenue district and in the New York suburbs is very high. There must be thousands of families struggling to "keep up with the Joneses." But all over the country the same thing occurs to a greater or less degree. It is due not merely to the fact that people are living beyond their means. Much of it is nothing more or less than downright thoughtlessness.

I used to be a great believer in reforms. I enrolled in causes and supported high grade candidates, and was generally loud and vigorous.

In my old age I have come to feel that most of our troubles would be washed away if we would only be just reasonably courteous and decent to one another.

N. J. HOME EXPERTS PLAN FOR NEW RADIO PROGRAM

A new series of radio broadcasts for homemakers, to be given from station WOR by home economics extension specialists of the college of agriculture, Rutgers University, opened on Tuesday. The subjects to be discussed include home management, nutrition, clothes and clothes making, and child training and parental education. The decision to present the new home economics program will make it possible to continue the extension service broadcasts of this nature which were started last November. The first program of 10 addresses drew favorable comment from homemakers in many parts of New Jersey and adjoining states, and led officials of WOR to suggest to the extension service that a new program be undertaken.

Charging that her husband kept a card index of his fifty girl friends, classifying them as "cuts," "drinkers," and "petters," Mrs. Beatrice Physter, of Chicago has filed suit for a divorce.



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This Week in WASHINGTON

BY RADFORD MOBLEY
AUTOCASTER WASHINGTON BUREAU

Every school child in every hamlet, village and town in the United States will participate in the celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington.

The celebration, which will last from February 22, 1932, to Thanksgiving Day that year, is for the country as a whole. It is not for Washington alone, although this city will be one of the centers of activity. But the aim of the bicentennial commission in charge is to place all information and whatever facilities possible at the disposal of local communities.

It is felt that this is the more appropriate in honoring Washington, not only because he is the great national hero, but because he was originally a farmer. Officers of the commission here emphasize that Washington was one of the first "scientific farmers" in the country, citing his skill in engineering as applied to agriculture, the crops raised at Mount Vernon, his interest in water transportation as an aid to farming.

Farmer At Heart

Since all the personal interests of the father of his country lay in his Virginia farm, it is believed that only through participation of rural communities can fitting expression be given to the celebration in his memory.

The superintendent of schools in each county and city is being questioned regarding his schools' need of pictures of Washington. And the commission will see that all of those who want them are supplied with the picture. To do this it is asking information on the number of schools, the rooms in each school and whether pictures are now available. It has delegated to experts the task of selecting the best likeness of Washington for use. A million pictures may be required for this purpose.

Another thing the commission wants to see available for every school is a flag and a real flagpole. Similar information is being requested for this end.

New Data on His Life

The National Education Association is co-operating extensively in this work. The association and the commission will also collaborate in giving each school new data on the life of Washington and on the history of his times. It is hoped that the schools will play an extensive part in this field by placing unusual emphasis upon the Revolutionary period.

Chambers of Commerce, clubs and associations in each town will co-operate by naming committees to work with the national body. Mayors, city commissions, county governments and governors likewise are to name local groups to specialize in the work.

As another local touch, the commission has secured the consent of broadcasting stations to allow the governor of each state 20 minutes on the air for a Washington speech. This will be broadcast from the smallest and largest stations in each state.

Tips to co-operative sales agencies, as outlined by Chairman Alexander Legge of the federal farm board in his last talk:

1. "The foundation" is the local co-operative association, "built from the farmer up, not the top down."
2. The organization plan must be developed by a majority of the coops handling the commodity "without dictation from the farm board."
3. They must be farm-owned and controlled, and "set up on a sound financial basis."
4. They should be merchandising agencies for members, "not holding or price fixing organizations."
5. Once a central body is formed, the board can deal with member co-operatives only through that central.
6. Although the board will recognize only one central sales agency for each commodity, it is "ready at all times to help iron out differences" where individual associations have remained outside the central.

The departure of George Akerson, "No. 1 secretary" to President Hoover, does not mean that the two other aides to "the Chief," Walter Newton and French Strother, are going to new fields. On the contrary, each of these men feels he is a round peg in a round hole, insofar as his present job is concerned. Mr. Newton, in fact, was offered the position Mr. Akerson is leaving, his "contract" duties with Congress, in turn, to develop on someone else. The former Minnesota congressman, however, preferred his present duties to those of Akerson.

ESSEX CO. POLICE HAVE TELEPHONE TYPEWRITERS

The Essex County police telephone typewriter alarm system was placed in operation last Friday morning, the first county unit to become part of the state-wide anti-crime hookup. With the nucleus of the system 33 stations inaugurated by the state police last October, 53 police headquarters are now linked in the hookup.

FIND JOBS FOR IDLE VETERANS

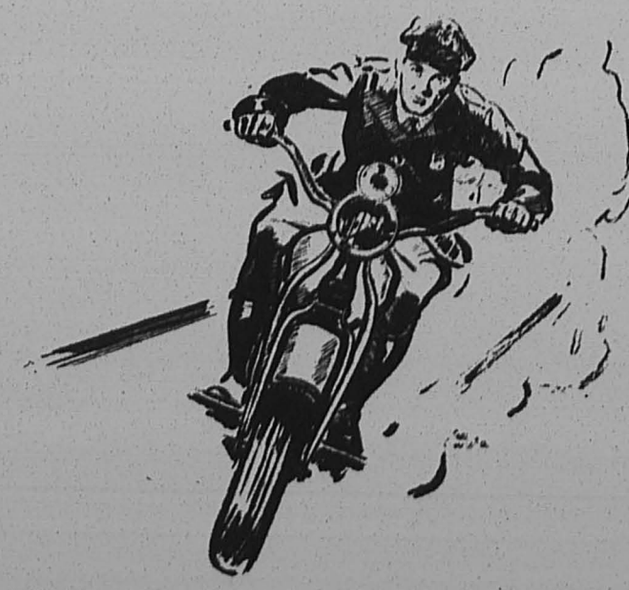
The American Legion posts of Camden County have set an example of service in the present period of re-employment which other organizations throughout the country could well emulate. The Camden County posts have united under a common head, captained by County Commander William P. Houwen, and including Department Vice Commander C. Richard Allen and Frank B. Anderson, to alleviate the condition among veterans. The mayor's committee in the City of Camden is co-operating. Municipal Radio Station WCAM, owned and operated by the city, is granting a period of 15 minutes each Monday evening to the Welfare committee of the Legion to inform the public of the work being done to help provide employment for idle veterans.

A stern and fearless limb of the law is praised by a California newspaper thusly: "Our new constable, Homer Cake, is right on the job, and it is hoped that he will continue to be there. This week he spoke to nine children under the age of 13 about driving automobiles, which is against the law."

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RIVERTON ITEMS

Mrs. Benjamin Matchon, sister of Mrs. J. J. Siddall, died suddenly at her home in Boston last week.

Miss Betty Downs has just recovered from an attack of the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil A. Bowers are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Cecil A. Jr., Tuesday, January 20th.

Mrs. George W. Carnie, of Elm avenue, entertained friends from Trenton over the week-end.

Mrs. Arthur Haines is convalescing after an attack of grippe.

Mrs. Melvin Burr entertained the NNN Club at her home Tuesday evening.

The Alpha Phi Lamba sorority was entertained at the home of Miss Lenora Showell Tuesday evening.

Miss Beatrice Stewart entertained the Monday evening Bridge Club at dinner this week.

Mrs. George Lutz is confined to her bed with the grippe.

Mrs. Anna LeConey, aunt of Mrs. Harvey E. Stewart, died Monday at her home in Riverside. Burial was made this afternoon from her late residence, 11 Hancock street.

The many friends of Charles Cole will be sorry to learn that he is ill with the grippe.

Mrs. Rilyard Stokes, of 622 Thomas avenue, is enjoying a visit at Hotel Morton, Atlantic City.

Mrs. Clara Carson entertained the C. D. C. Monday evening at her home on Garfield avenue.

Chew's Bakery is temporarily closed on account of the illness of Mr. Chew. It is expected he will be entirely recovered this week.

PEIRCE AWARDS DIPLOMAS TO 419

Senator Simeon D. Fess Speaks To Graduates in Academy of Music

Peirce School of Business Administration graduated the largest class in its 65 years of history Wednesday evening when four hundred and nineteen members of the sixty-fifth graduating class were awarded their diplomas at the Academy of Music, Philadelphia. Graduates from Burlington County were:

Joseph E. Bush, Maple Shade; Ralph T. Borden, Mt. Holly; Harold H. Collom, Pemberton; Miss I. Marie Carty, Mt. Holly; Mrs. Alice P. Carey, Moorestown; Miss Lydia E. Cooper, Marlton; John B. Carey, Moorestown; John C. Landgraf, Palmyra; Miss Marie L. McDermott, Palmyra; Paul G. Mueller, Riverside.

The historic Academy of Music, seating 3,000, was completely filled with relatives and friends of the graduates who had gathered to honor the recipients of the diploma and to hear United States Senator Simeon D. Fess from Ohio, who delivered the principal address.

The exercises were marked by colorful ceremonies and the traditional splendor of Peirce School Commencements. The speakers, faculty and guests of the school marched to the large stage of the academy, set in the form of a terraced garden and remained seated there while the members of the graduating class passed down into the Parquet where the entire center of the house had been reserved for them.

Louis B. Moffett, director of the school, opened the exercises presented Rev. Philip J. Steinmetz, who was the presiding officer. In his opening remarks the Rev. Mr. Steinmetz called attention to the enviable position occupied by Peirce School both in Philadelphia and throughout the nation and pointed to the galaxy of national leaders that had appeared before Peirce School graduates in the past.

The Rev. Mr. Steinmetz also spoke of the success achieved by the graduates of Peirce School and of the fact that 70 per cent of the leading business men of Philadelphia are graduates of Peirce School or have Peirce School graduates as executives in their organizations.

The diplomas were presented to the members of the class by Professor John A. Luman, vice-principal of the school, and then Senator Fess addressed the class. Senator Fess, recently elected to the chairmanship of the Republican National Committee, gave a very interesting talk. In his address to the graduates, Professor Luman pointed out that a large majority of the class has already found employment.

The appearance of Senator Fess before the graduates leaves unbroken a tradition of Peirce School in having high public officials and citizens distinguished in politics, science, literature and philanthrophy as its commencement day orators.

Alfred H. Peyton

Alfred H. Peyton, colored, five month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Peyton, died at the home of his parents in Cinnaminson Township Thursday of last week. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at two o'clock. Interment was made in the Wrightsville cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Bisney.

LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

EPISCOPAL

Rev. G. J. McCormack Rector.

This woman was full of good works and almsdeeds "which she did." No she "said" very little, but she "did" a lot. In this very striking way the writer of the Acts of Apostles describes Dorcas.

Three words tell all the life story. Some brethren are unusually good by word of mouth, but very cheap performers in good works. "The Lord knoweth them that are his," and of course they are the doers, not the speechmakers. If you believe in your church, do something for it.

It isn't the job we intended to do
Or the labor we've just begun,
That puts us right on the balance sheet,
It's work we have really done.

Our credit is built on things we do
Our debt on things we shirk.
The man who totals the biggest plus
Is the man who completes his work.

Good intentions don't pay our bills.
It's easy enough to plan.
To wish is the play of an office boy.
To do is the work of a man.

Our annual vestry meeting will be held Monday, January 26, at 8:00 p. m. promptly. Election of officers for the year and other business. All are invited to attend, though of course only those eligible can vote. We expect a very large attendance.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Monday the 26th at 2:30. A card party under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held on Wednesday, January 28 at 8:00 p. m. We are making a special effort for a large attendance.

The proceeds as usual are for the mission work of the church. The mid-Western Dioceses are in great need as you know at this present time, and you will help this work as well as enjoy the fun of the evening.

Services 3rd Sunday after Epiphany, 10:00. Sunday School.

10:45. Morning Prayer and sermon "Time, the Servant of God."

8:00. Evening sermon. "Our Scientific Commendments."

William Green is a great labor leader and says that "Over all and above all, transcending all other questions in social and material importance, is the development of the cultural and spiritual life of the masses of the people. No set policy for the relief of unemployment, for the promotion of social justice or for the expansion of the enjoyment of leisure would be worth while unless it emphasizes the importance of intangible human values, and sought as a glorious achievement, the promotion and advancement of things which are spiritual and eternal."

MORAVIAN CHURCH

The annual congregational meeting held Wednesday evening of last week was well attended. The treasurer's report showed a substantial balance in the treasury after all obligations for the year were met. The pastor's report revealed a net increase in the membership of the congregation, and very satisfactory reports of the various organizations were also presented.

Fred Bauer was again re-elected an elder, Joseph Siebke and George Colton were elected trustees and Wm. J. Strabel secretary of church council. After the business session a social hour was very pleasantly spent by all. The ladies of the church furnished the program and refreshments.

Services next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours in charge of the pastor.

An important meeting for men is being planned for Friday, January 30, at 8:00 p. m. for the purpose of reorganizing the Men's Club and planning its future activities. All men and older boys are cordially invited to attend.

The Willing Workers will hold their first social meeting of this year this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hoxsey and H. Herbert.

EPWORTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

J. William Lee, Minister

The Rev. Kenneth Cornwell will again preach at both services Sunday, January 25. The morning topic will be "Pillars of Salt," while the subject for the evening service will be "Dead Broke, Down and Out, and Homesick."

Morning service 11:00.
Prelude—Consolation, Mendelssohn.
Offertory—Memories, Demorest.
Postlude—Artillery March, Frost.
Evening service, 7:45.
Prelude—Moonlight, Kinder.
Offertory—Hymn to the Sun, Korsakow.
Postlude—Reverie, Brainer.
Sunday School session, 10:00 a. m.
Epworth League, 6:45 p. m.

The Quarterly Conference postponed from January 14, will be held January 28 at 8 p. m. with the Rev. George W. Yard, district superintendent, presiding.

The pastor, the Rev. J. William Lee, expects to be present at this meeting to make reports of the activities during the past year and to make plans for work next year.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society will be held at the home of Mrs. John W. Coleman, 121 East Fourth street, Monday evening, January 26. Thank offering purses are to be returned at this meeting.

The regular weekly prayer service will be held Wednesday under the leadership of George W. Reber.

The newly built Wesleyan class room is almost ready for occupancy and the first service will probably be held there sometime this month.

BAPTIST

Rev. George Lockett, B. D., Pastor

The Grenfell B. Y. P. U. will meet on Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. All children of the intermediate age are invited to attend these meetings.

The Thilow Baraca Class held its regular monthly business meeting at the church on Tuesday evening.

Sunday services as usual. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Morning worship at 11:15 a. m. Sermon subject, "The Unspeakable Gift." Children's church service in Primary department at 11:15 a. m. B. Y. P. U. service at 6:45 p. m. Topic, "A World Wide Kingdom." Evening worship at 7:45 p. m., sermon subject, "The Mighty God."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"TRUTH" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 25, 1931.

The Golden Text is: "O Lord, thou art my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise thy name; for thou hast done wonderful things; thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth" (Isiah 25:1).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "O praise the Lord, all ye nations: praise Him, all ye people. For his merciful kindness is great toward us: and the truth of the Lord endureth for ever. Praise ye the Lord" (Psalms 117: 1, 2).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The time for thinkers has come. Truth, independent of doctrines and time-honored systems, knocks at the portal of humanity. Confinement with the past and the cold conventionality of materialism are crumbling away" (Preface VII).

FIRST LUTHERAN

A very special privilege is to be accorded to our friends next Sunday evening.

The Rev. William Ney, of Upper Darby, Pa., will be with us to give an address on the great Passion Play presented at Oberammergau last summer.

He was among the thousands of pilgrims who witnessed this great religious drama. His sermon will be illustrated with lantern-slides showing the great scenes of the play.

The public is cordially invited.

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Calvary Presbyterian Church will hold its morning service of worship at 11 o'clock. A forty-five minute Vesper Service will be held at 5 p. m. All departments of the Church School will meet at 10 a. m. Christian Endeavor Society at 7 o'clock.

Mid-week service Wednesday, January 28, at 8 o'clock.

CHARLES T. BATES, Pastor.

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH
Riverton
Rev. Arthur S. Lewis
Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.
Church School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11:30.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00 p. m.

Epworth M. E. Church
J. William Lee, Minister
10:00 a. m. Church School.
11:15 a. m. Morning Service.
6:45 p. m. Epworth League.
7:45 p. m. Evening Worship.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00.
Wed., 8 p. m., Mid-Week Service.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Craeger, Pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:15 a. m. "What Is Christian Work?"
7:00 p. m. Luther League.
8:00 p. m. Illustrated Lecture on "The Passion Play."

Calvary Presbyterian Church
Riverton, N. J.
Charles T. Bates, B. D.
Church School, 10 a. m.
Morning Service, 11 a. m.
Midweek Service Wednesday 8:00 p. m.
Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock.
Vesper Service 5:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
First Church of Christ, Scientist
Thomas Ave. and Seventh St.
Riverton
Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Sunday services, 11 a. m.
Subject, "Truth"
Wednesday 8 p. m.
Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. All are welcome.

LONE STAR "Y" GROUP

On January 17 a party was held at the Cinnaminson School. The success of this party was due to Guy C. Hendry, noted Y. M. C. A. secretary of the county.

The Cinnaminson Y. M. C. A. has entered the basketball league, of Burlington County.

Our first game was played on Friday, January 16, with Marlton. The game resulted in the score of 64 to 23 in favor of Marlton.

REPORTER.

In asking for a divorce, Mrs. Anastasia O'Keefe of New York told the court that although her husband is worth a million and a half he has bought her only one coat in 23 years. See her.

MOORESTOWN

Ian Forbes, former director of recreation of the Moorestown Community House, has received much praise for his work as author of several amateur plays which have been recently produced in Conshohocken, Pa., where he is now executive secretary of the Community Center.

Miss Ruth Mullowney, of Linden street, has taken up her new duties as secretary for Kuhns Motor Company, local Willys-Overland dealer. Miss Mullowney has taken the place of Mrs. Armitt Darnell who left last week for New York City where her husband is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cheston Stokes of East Oak avenue, entertained at dinner on Friday evening. Covers were laid for twelve guests.

William H. Richie, Sr., of Maple and Lippincott avenues, has recovered from an attack of grippe which kept him confined to his bed for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ellis, and small son, Calvin, of South Washington avenue, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ballinger, of Haddonfield.

Frank Taylor, a former resident of Moorestown, has returned to his home in Trenton after spending several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Whitacre, of East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Gladhill, of Newbold avenue, will entertain at dinner on Saturday evening.

Miss Sarah Lowden is confined to her home on South Washington avenue with a severe attack of grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wood will entertain at dinner at their home on West Main street on Friday evening. H. Wilson Harris, who will speak on "Men and Problems in the World Today" at the Ramblers' meeting, the same evening.

A program in the form of a series of one-act humorous skits, enacted by members of the community, will be given in the Moorestown Community House on Wednesday evening, February 11, at 8 o'clock. The names of the plays will be announced later. Mrs. Herbert H. Longaker, and committee, is arranging the program. The general public is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Robert Stackhouse and E. Robert Stackhouse, Jr., of Springfield, Pa., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Smith, at their home on North Church street.

The Rev. Mervin L. Wanner, of St. Matthew's Mission, Fairbanks, Alaska, was entertained on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Blaker, of West Maple avenue. The Rev. Mr. Wanner is in the United States for a years lecture tour.

James E. Kelley has returned to his home on East Main street, after spending a week in Boston attending the shoe makers' convention at which time new Spring styles were exhibited.

Michael Carey, of West Second street, is critically ill at his home.

The Kitchen Craft Company, of Philadelphia, gave a very delightful luncheon at the home of Mrs. Otto Bubeck, East Third street, on Monday.

Mrs. Fearn Leaming entertained her card club on Wednesday afternoon of last week. There were eight present.

A musical tea, under the auspices of the League of Women Voters, will be held at the home of Mrs. Alexander C. Wood, of Riverton road, on Thursday, January 29, at 3 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Dengler, tenor and soprano, will sing. The music will be followed by a tea.

Miss Mary Whitacre, a student at Westtown Boarding School, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Whitacre, of East Second street.

Mrs. Harry Dilks, of East Main street, who has been confined to her home for the past week with an attack of grippe, is now recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Reeve, of Haddonfield Road, entertained at dinner on Saturday evening. Covers were laid for twelve guests.

Mr. and Mrs. William Graham, of East Central avenue, left on Sunday for an extended motor trip to Texas, Mexico, California. They expect to return in the late Spring, making a tour of the central states.

Miss Lillian Gwaltheny was the recent guest of Miss Mary Martin of West Third street.

Fred DeMarco, former manager of the Sunoco Oil station at Central Airport, Camden, has been promoted to supervisor of District-D, covering the company stations in this vicinity, including Moorestown.

GIRL OF HIS DREAMS

Cambridge, O.—All the way from Hawaii to meet "the girl of his dreams," Walter H. Wallace, U. S. A., has come that far. A Christmas package mailed to the army in 1928 bore the name of a Cambridge girl on it. Wallace corresponded with her and they exchanged photographs. Now, two years later, he has come to see her.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

By Nancy Hart

COFFEE ROLL

Make a dough of three cups of flour, sifted with one teaspoon each of salt and ground mace, and one-half cup of sugar. Add one cup of milk, in which one compressed yeast cake has been blended, and work in one-half cup of softened butter. Knead, let rise in a warm place, roll out to one-fourth inch thick, cut into long strips, and twist these around the outside of a well-greased pan, cylindrical in form, joining the strips where necessary by moistening the edges. Let rise again, bake in a moderate oven, and when nearly done brush over with sugar and water and sprinkle the top with fine-chopped almonds, mixed with dry sugar and cinnamon.

HOT WATER SPONGE CAKE

Beat three egg yolks light and add one cup of sugar and continue beating until well mixed. Now add one cup of flour that has been sifted with one teaspoon of baking powder and a quarter teaspoon salt. Add two tablespoons of very hot water, then the whites of three eggs beaten stiff and a tablespoon of lemon juice. Bake in patty tins.

JAPANESE LEMON PIE

Just why Japanese, we don't know. But that is the name of it, and it is the delicious specialty of a friend. Boil together the juice of a small lemon, the grated rind, four tablespoons of water and yolk of three eggs. Cool and add the yolks of three eggs, well beaten. Cook in double boiler until creamy, stirring constantly. Beat the egg whites, three of them and beat in three tablespoons of sugar. Fold the hot lemon cream into the sweetened whites. Have ready a baked crust. Pour in the filling and brown in the oven. This makes a nine-inch pie.

Hannah H. Evans

Hannah H. Evans, wife of George M. Evans, of East Main street, Moorestown, died Thursday of last week in the University of Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, following a severe attack of colitis.

Born in Ohio, Mrs. Evans received her early training in the schools of Ohio, completing her studies at Columbia University.

In September, 1916, Mrs. Evans, who was then Miss Hannah Harris, came to Moorestown to teach Latin and history in the public high school. This early connection with the Moorestown High School continued for three years, following which Miss Harris served the Westfield High School in a similar capacity.

In September, 1921, the increased enrollment in the high school made it necessary to employ an additional teacher and Miss Evans, then married and living on a farm near Mount Holly, was elected to teach classes in French and history. From then until the time of her illness, Mrs. Evans had continuously been connected with the Moorestown High School. For the last four years she had been in charge of the English department.

In the passing of Mrs. Evans, the high school lost a teacher of superior ability. To her wise counsel and untiring help, many a student has owed his progress in the work he pursued under her guidance.

Mrs. Evans was progressive, thoroughly conversant with new thoughts and new practices in her field of work. She was keen of intellect and broad of vision, tolerant, and impartial. Her interest in the school extended beyond the classroom. To all the varied activities of the school she gave her willing and efficient support. Her philosophy of life was of the practical sort that found expression in deeds rather than in words.

Funeral services were held at an undertaker's chapel at Columbus, Ohio, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment was made in Greenwood Cemetery, there. About 150 friends and relatives attended the funeral.

Mrs. Evans is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Harris, one sister and two brothers.

Alaskan natives are rapidly becoming civilized, even to the extent of awarding alimony. For deserting his squaw, Charlie Big Eyes of Nuniehik was required to pay her one butchered bull moose, 10 dressed muskrat skins, 10 fox pelts and 100 salmon.

At an auction of unclaimed articles conducted by the U. S. Post Office Department in New York, 100 women's dresses were sold at 7 cents each.

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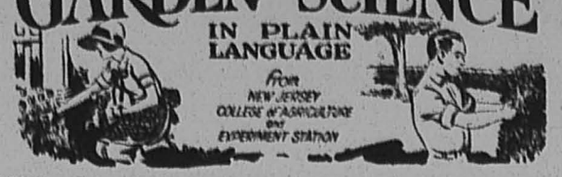
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TREAT SEEDS IN THE ICEBOX

A method recently announced by the Boyce Thompson Institute for Plant Research for germinating hard seeds and seeds difficult to germinate is to give them the "icebox treatment." This is recommended for seeds which need "after-ripening," such as those of some alpine plants and certain trees and shrubs.

Seeds of species of primula, adonis, pasqueflue anemone or any other alpine plants that have not germinated well in the past should be given this treatment in January or February. Wrap the seeds in oiled paper, and put them in damp peat moss or sand in the electrical refrigerator. The peat or sand should be kept moist. The seeds should be held in the icebox for two or three months at a temperature of about 40 degrees Fahrenheit.

Seeds so treated will be ready for planting in March or early April, and a large percentage of them should germinate. This method of "after-ripening" in an icebox is to be preferred to the freezing of seeds, a practice that has been recommended in the past. Seeds kept in an icebox should be examined occasionally since certain kind may germinate even in an icebox. In fact, seeds of some species will not germinate in temperatures above 50 degrees.

Information is not complete on the seeds of all alpine plants, but by trying the icebox method one can discover its effectiveness on those seeds which have not germinated well under other conditions.

THE PERENNIAL LUPINES

Perennial lupines grow best in New Jersey when they are cultivated as annuals and started from seed under glass or in the house during February or March. It is best to grow them in paper bands or small pots, as they sometimes resent transplanting. The heat of New Jersey summers is hard on the perennial lupines, which are natives of California.

Keep the seedlings of the perennial lupines rather cool but growing rapidly, and they will make plants of a good size to set out in the spring. Most of such plants will bloom the first year. The larger plants will stand the hot weather much better than the smaller plants and a good percentage of them will live through the winter.

Grown under New Jersey conditions, the perennial lupine seems to require partial shade, plenty of water, and a soil with an ample supply of lime. Some of the plants started in February or March will bloom in June and others throughout the summer, except during extremely hot weather, when the flowers will fade. Lupines are of various colors. Gardeners who are interested in growing them here call them one of the best plants for the hardy border.

If it is desired to winter the lupines for the second year they should be given more protection than is usually provided for most perennials, since they are not quite hardy in this climate. Above all keep them rather dry during the winter months.

MEDFORD ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conte, of Medford, motored to Florida last week for a six weeks' trip. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Evans.

Morris W. Haines attended the annual convention of the Eastern Implement Dealers' Association, held at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel in Philadelphia last week. Mr. Haines is secretary of the association.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Prickett are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, at their home, Wednesday morning of last week.

Mrs. Thomas Bates of Alexandria, Va., returned home from a visit of two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Lawrence Mingin.

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PALMYRA NOTES

The Choral of the Palmyra Woman's Club will present an evening of music in the Lions' Den Society Hall Monday evening, January 26 at 8:15 o'clock. All club members are cordially invited to attend.

Covenant Chapter, O. E. S., will hold a card party at the home of the Misses Ada and Emma Price, 416 Lippincott avenue, Riverton, this afternoon. All members are urged to be present.

Camp No. 3 P. O. S. of A. will hold a card party in Society Hall next Thursday evening. All members and their friends are invited to be present.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Lutheran Church will serve a sauer kraut supper in the church basement on Saturday evening, February 14.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Christ Church, Palmyra, will hold a card party in the parish house Wednesday evening, January 28. The usual number of lovely prizes will be awarded the lucky players. Everyone welcome.

T. E. Steele and W. I. Steele are enjoying a visit at the Chalfonte-Haddon Hall, Atlantic City.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the I. O. O. F. will hold their luncheon at the home of Mrs. Eula Roach, Delaware avenue, Palmyra, Wednesday, January 28th.

Walter Schmidt, of Pittsburgh, formerly of Palmyra, was visiting friends in town Tuesday.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Independence Fire Company No. 1 will give a card party at the House Friday evening, February 6. Admission fifty cents.

A dramatic recital will be presented by Miss Elsie Bielby in the Christ Church Parish House Friday evening, February 6.

Mrs. P. J. Sherman, of Scranton, Pa., and Atlantic City, spent the past week with Dr. and Mrs. A. J. White, of Morgan avenue.

Miss Gladys Booth, of Garfield avenue, was on the sick list this week.

The Community Welfare Association of Palmyra, Riverton and Cinnaminson gratefully acknowledges receipt of $5.00 from the Junior Department of the Central Baptist Sunday School.

Little Lillian Whiteside, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Whiteside, of Leconey avenue, had the misfortune to fall off a bicycle while at play Sunday morning. She suffered a fracture of the arm above the elbow.

Mrs. Florence Harriet, of Indian Mills, spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. A. Lester Brewer, of Morgan avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Randall, of Public road, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowen, of Pear street, motored to Perth Amboy Sunday.

Mrs. William Payne, of Pear street, spent last week with her husband who is employed in Perth Amboy.

George B. Snyder and son, George B., Jr., were the guests of Mr. Snyder's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Walker, of Philadelphia, Tuesday evening. Mr. Walker has just returned from a business trip to Venezuela.

Mrs. Tony D'Amato, of West Broad street, has been confined to her home this week with an attack of grippe.

Mrs. Harry Remmerle, Sr., spent the week-end with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Weber, of Roebling.

Mrs. James B. Mickle, of East Fourth street, entertained the Monday evening sewing circle at her home this week.

The Philathea Class of the Central Baptist Sunday School elected $125 on the food sale which was held last week. This money will be turned over to the new church building fund.

The Community Welfare Association is asking for a baby coach and a cook stove. Anyone having same is urged to call Riverton 552-M.

Covenant Chapter, O. E. S., will present a minstrel show in the P. O. S. of A. Hall Saturday evening, February 14. The date has been changed to the 14th instead of the 21st owing to the fact that the P. H. S. Senior play will be given in the High School on the latter date.

Mrs. A. M. Scott and Mrs. N. M. Strang spent Thursday of last week with Mrs. Nelle Bowen, of Chestnut Hill.

The evening of music which was to have been presented by the Palmyra Woman's Club in the Lions' Den, Society Hall Monday evening, January 26, has been postponed until Monday evening, February 23. All club members are cordially invited to be present at that time.

The Palmyra Woman's Club will hold a card party in the Lions' Den, Society Hall, Monday afternoon. Playing will start promptly at 2:15 o'clock. Admission will be fifty cents and refreshments will be served at a nominal sum. A very lovely assortment of prizes will be on hand.

The monthly business meeting and thimble party of the Philathea Class of the Central Baptist Sunday School will be held at the residence of Mrs. Sidney D. Albertson, 834 Columbia avenue, on Thursday afternoon of this week. A full attendance is desired.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Lutheran Church will sell vegetable soup Saturday in the church basement. Phone orders to 551-J.

Camp No. 3, P. O. of A., will hold a card party Thursday evening in Society Hall.

Tomorrow evening the Palmyra P. T. A. will present "Richard" in an evening of magic, mirth and mystery. The program will be full of novelty, uncanny effects and laugh-provoking situations. Tickets are being sold at a nominal price by the school children.

Mayor George N. Wilner was appointed foreman of the Federal Grand Jury in Trenton on Tuesday. Others serving on the jury from Burlington County are DeWitt Steelle, of Riverton, George Stuck, of Florence, and A. S. Woodward, of Bordentown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Corbett, of Morgan avenue, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones enjoyed Sunday with Mr. Jones' sister in Wayne, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Alloway and family enjoyed the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cooper, of Westfield, formerly of Elm avenue, Riverton.

William Opfer, of Spring Garden street, is on the sick list this week.

Buddy Friese, of Cinnaminson avenue, young son of Mr. Stanley Black, is on the sick list this week.

LOCAL POLICE ARE BAFFLED BY MYSTERIOUS MURDER OF POPULAR RIVERTON ATHLETE

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small door in the front of the garage standing part way open. When he entered he found the motor of Harry's car still running and the garage filled with carbon monoxide gas. He opened the big doors of the garage and found his nephew lying face down with his head directly under the exhaust pipe in the rear of the car.

Dr. Harry L. Rogers was summoned immediately and helped remove Harry to the Riverside Hospital, where he died a few minutes after being admitted. Dr. R. I. Downs, of Riverside, assisted with the use of the pulmotor and oxygen tanks in a vain attempt to bring the lad back to consciousness.

Evidences of Struggle

When the police officials started their investigation Sunday morning, they found that personal effects of the victim had been ruthlessly thrown or knocked about the garage, apparently indicating that a struggle had taken place. His derby hat was found on the left side of his car between the door and the front wheel, keys were near his body under the car and a wallet and pack of cigarettes were located on the floor behind the Cadillac and a five-cent piece was also found on the concrete floor. There was a tear in the left pants leg and several buttons had been torn from his coat, vest and shirt.

From Paths' position under the back of the Buick coupe, it was apparent that the robbers had placed his body there to let the gas do its work.

There were marks of a struggle on the young man's body, and also evidence of combat on the garage floor. There were several bruised places discovered on the victim, including a scratch behind the right ear. Marks such as would be made by fingernails were found on the right side of the neck, also scratches on the back of the neck.

A post mortem was held Sunday night by Coroner John Bolton, after which he issued a certificate of death from carbon monoxide poisoning with no signs of violence. Dr. Harry L. Rogers and County Physician Dr. Daniel Remer, of Mount Holly, conducted the examination. Dr. Rogers, however, is of the opinion that Hatter's death was not accidental.

Robbers Probably Motive

From all appearances, the motive for the crime was robbery with no attempt to kill, but when the attackers realized that they had been recognized their only way to prevent apprehension was to kill their victim. It is surmised that after rendering him unconscious that placed him in a position to get the full effect of the exhaust gases before he could regain his senses.

It is reported that Saturday afternoon Harry was asked to change a five dollar bill at the alleys where he was bowling. He pulled a roll from his pocket, but was unable to make change, as he had only five and ten dollar bills.

The person or persons who committed this crime were apparently very well acquainted with the victim's habits.

Had no Enemies

Burns was not known to have any enemies and was very popular among young men all over the county, especially in sport circles. For this reason it is believed that those who attacked him were not actuated by motives of hatred or revenge.

Harry's chief recreation was found in sports. He especially enjoyed boxing, in which he indulged several nights each week. The young man was a steady kid with no bad habits, and as Mr. Sim stated, has never caused anyone a minute's trouble.

Planned Trip to Florida

Plans for a trip to Florida with his cousin, Curtis Flynn, were to be carried out sometime in the near future, and a portion of the money, at least, which Harry had on his person Saturday night, was part of their funds for the trip.

Harry Burns was a graduate of Palmyra High School, where he played football, basketball, and baseball.

The funeral was held this morning with Requiem Mass at Sacred Heart Church at 10 o'clock. Interment was made in Calvary Cemetery on the Marlton Pike. Frank A. Shotel, funeral director.

YOUNG PEOPLE TO HEAR MR. BONSALL

Philadelphia Man To Lead County Conference at Pemberton January 31

Over a hundred young people of Burlington County will convene on Saturday, January 31 at the ninth annual Young Peoples Conference of the Burlington County Council of Religious Education. The Rev. E. Bonsall, Jr., of Philadelphia, who is director of Young People's work of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association, will be the leader.

This conference, although planned especially for young people will have an adult conference group led by Mr. Bonsall since a large number of older persons usually attend these annual gatherings of young people.

Miss Grace Whitelock, of Juliustown, who is the chairman of the conference, has chosen as the theme, "The Challenge of Jesus Christ to Young People" with the purpose of bringing to the youth of Burlington County the four-year aims of the International convention at Toronto and to study Jesus life and its application to every-day living. Registrations are now being received. The fee this year is 50c while registration headquarters are in the Pemberton Baptist Church.

The conference groups will meet in both the Methodist and Baptist Churches, Pemberton. The conference will begin at 9 a. m. and continue till 9 p. m. with a banquet at 6. All during the day special periods have been set aside for recreation and get-acquainted socials. Every church of Burlington County is sending at least five delegates as well as the pastor.

The discussion groups will be equally interesting this year as delegates who were in Canada last summer will take charge. Registration cards can be secured from the office of the Burlington County Council of Religious Education, Lock Box 1, 39 Main Street, Mount Holly.

I. O. O. F. NOTES

Several special features will mark tomorrow night's meeting of Cinnaminson Lodge, I. O. O. F.

The new candidate, initiated last Friday night will receive his first degree under the direction of the degree team of Cinnaminson lodge. There are many Odd Fellows who have not seen this degree recently and this opportunity is again offered to the members of Cinnaminson Lodge. Eula Roach, the degree master urges every member of the team to be on hand so that the work may start promptly at nine o'clock.

The bowling trophy, a handsome silver cup, will be awarded to Alvin Swain, the winner of the Odd Fellows tournament held last Saturday afternoon at the Palmyra alleys.

The last event of the evening will be a rare treat for the members. A Dutch supper, including sauer kraut, dogs, rye bread and other fish's, will be served. There is no charge and according to plans already made it will be a wonderful feed.

"DANCE OF THE YEAR"

Will be held in Turners' Hall, Rancocas avenue, Riverside, Saturday evening, Jan. 31, featuring Stan Black and his Commanders with a 9-piece band, with Dave Keetley, trumpet wizard, Bob Hebner, "Laffing Sax," from the Royal Californians, and piano accordion novelties by Stan Black. Door prize and other awards.

'FRIENDSHIP' TALK BY MRS. CADBURY

Moorestown Woman Addresses Regular Girl Reserve Junior Council Meeting

"Friendship" was the subject chosen for a talk by Mrs. John W. Cadbury, of Moorestown, last Saturday afternoon, January 17, at the regular meeting of the Girl Reserve Junior Council, which about fifty girls and advisers from ten clubs in the county attended.

The meeting, which was held in the Lenola Community House, was opened by singing, led by Mrs. William Grobler, of Moorestown. Devotions were led by Miss Gertrude Jones, of the William Allen School in Burlington. The business meeting was conducted by the president, Gladys Johnson, of Pemberton. The speaker, Mrs. Cadbury, then gave a most interesting talk on Friendship, ending with the old story of Ramiro, the Florentine Crusader.

The Girl Reserves of the Allen School in Burlington gave a health play, and refreshments were served by the Lenola Girl Reserves.

County Board Meets

The Burlington County Board of Directors of the Y. W. C. A. met in the county office Tuesday morning, with Mrs. William Matlack, of Moorestown, the vice-president, in the chair in the absence of the president, Mrs. E. P. Darlington, of New Lisbon.

Mrs. Henry Albertson, of Burlington, had charge of the study period which was devoted to the work of the Y. W. C. A. in forty-nine countries of the world with a membership of approximately one million. While work in most of these countries is self-supporting, the United States has one hundred American secretaries in fourteen countries.

Mrs. Albertson spoke in more detail about the work in several countries.

The business of the day centered about plans for the yearly membership drive which has been set for the week of March 16-21. A discussion of the Eastern Regional Conference of the Y. W. C. A. in New York, February 4 and 5, followed.

Margaret Jones Delegate

Miss Margaret Jones, of Moorestown, is representing the Burlington County Y. W. C. A. at the Sixth Conference on the Cause and Cure of War which is being held in Washington, D. C., January 19-22. The Y. W. C. A. is one of eleven national women's organizations sponsoring these meetings to learn more of the complex causes which have created and sustained the war machines of the past, and also of the developing orderly system for the maintenance of peace. The general subject for this year's meeting is "Demobilizing the War Machine."

Club Notes

Dr. James R. Stuart was the interesting speaker at the Rancocas Women's Club on Tuesday evening, January 13, at the home of Mrs. William Stevens. Dr. Stuart spoke on the early history of Burlington County.

The Moorestown Blue Triangle club held an interesting "Poverty Party" at the Y. W. C. A. club room on North Church street on Wednesday evening, January 14. At the close of the party time was given for a discussion of further club programs with Sidonie Schafer of the county Y. W. C. A.

Miss Mary Roberts, of Moorestown, spoke on her travels to the Mount Holly Girls Reserves at a special meeting of the Mabel Cratty club Tuesday afternoon, January 20.

Several Girl Reserve clubs are sponsoring the writing of letters to girls in other countries. Girls in Willingboro, Columbus and Bordentown are writing to students of the Girls' High School in Rotterdam; Medford girls are sending letters to principals of schools in Geneva, Switzerland, and Bradford, England. Beverly and Indian Mills girls are corresponding with girls in the American School in Japan, at Tokyo. Green Bank girls are writing to a school in Wales and Pemberton Girl Reserves are corresponding with German girls.

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The audience that saw last night's performance of the Passion Play was estimated at 3,500. Perhaps a few persons stayed away from the hall because they knew the Passion Play was in German and, not being able to speak that tongue, they feared that the dialogue would be unintelligible to them. You do not need to know German to understand the Passion Play. All you need to know is the Bible—and almost a Sunday school smattering of that is sufficient.

If you go to the Freiburg Passion Play with a knowledge of the Bible and a reverence for the story of the Saviour of men in your mind, you cannot help but be genuinely impressed with the performance that is put before you. Philadelphia is to be congratulated for having brought the production here.



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Girl Reserves

A new idea in the Girl Reserves meetings was introduced at last week's session, held Thursday evening. Marie Jander, president of the club, divided the entire group into smaller units of five girls each. Each of these smaller groups were placed in charge of a sub-leader whose duty it is to keep order, collect dues and maintain a high attendance record. Names for the five-member units will be selected later.

The evening meeting will also be divided into periods of 15 minutes each, one period to be used by each group, with the final period of one hour's duration to be used for basketball.

During the devotional period of last week's session Ruth Brown and Carrie Bates recited appropriate poems. The meeting for this week will be under the leadership of Jane Fowler's group.

Charles Tibbetts, a farmer of Wolfeboro, N. H., has kept a daily record of his life for 70 years.

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Moorestown	2	1	667
Bordentown	1	1	500
Mt. Holly	1	2	333
Riverside	1	3	250
Pemberton	0	3	000

Friday's Scores

Riverside, 25; Bordentown, 10.
Palmyra, 26; Mt. Holly, 11.
Burlington, 58; Pemberton, 12.

Tuesday's Scores

Burlington, 41; Moorestown, 15.
Palmyra, 26; Riverside, 15.

This Week's Schedule

Friday—Bordentown at Burlington, Moorestown at Palmyra, Pemberton at Mt. Holly.

Palmyra High jumped into undisputed possession of first place in the Burlington County basketball league when Riverside was defeated Tuesday night by a 26-15 score, on the Riverside floor.

Palmyra's victory, coupled with a Moorestown defeat, suffered at the hands of Burlington, defending champion, enabled them to break a first place deadlock with the Quakers and lead the league. The win marked the third straight victory for Coach Ken Dimond's proteges.

The keen rivalry between the two schools drew one of the largest crowds ever to witness a basketball game in Riverside. Spectators saw a smoothly running Palmyra machine take an early lead and romp off with all the laurels of the contest.

Palmyra outscored Riverside in all angles of the game, registering 10 field goals against six for the losers, and making good six foul tries while Riverside was able to tally but three.

Jack Kelly was the spark of the Pals' offense, dropping five double-deckers and three fouls for a 13-point total. Rus Keebler, Riverside guard, tallied four times from the floor to lead his team in scoring.

RIVERSIDE

	Fld	Fl	Ft	P
Stevens, f	0	2	2	2
Simpkins, f	1	0	2	2
Gamble, c	0	0	1	0
Keebler, g	4	0	1	8
Tice, g	0	0	3	0
Kaplan, f	1	1	1	3
Totals	6	3	9	15

PALMYRA

	Fld	Fl	Ft	P
Davidson, f	1	1	1	3
Kelly, f	5	3	5	13
Moffett, c	0	0	0	0
Miller, g	1	1	2	3
Green, g	3	1	3	7
Terrell, f	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	6	11	26

Score first half—Palmyra, 17; Riverside, 4. Referee—Saline.

A Palmyra High School basketball team maintained its high league standing Friday when it decisively upset Mound Holly five, 26-11, at Palmyra.

As a result of last week's win Palmyra polled on even terms with Moorestown for the league lead, with two wins out of as many starts. The victory of the 'Pals' by such a large margin was all the more surprising since the 'Hollies' were the only ones to defeat Burlington. The county seat five last week eked the first win over the 'Burls' in two seasons of league competition, by a 20-19 score.

The first half of the game favored Palmyra by a slight margin, the score at the end of the period standing 12-8 in their favor. The second half was decidedly in the Pals favor, the Red and White scoring 14 points while holding their opponents to three.

Herb Parsons elongated center tallied eight points by virtue of four field tosses while Howard Davidson and Fred Green each snared seven points by a trio of double-deckers and one penalty shot. Ray Hutchins scored two of the visitors three field goals while Adams was able to gather five fouls to lead his team in scoring.

MT. HOLLY HIGH

	Fld	Fl	Ft	P.
Smith, f	0	0	0	0
Durand, f	0	0	1	0
Lewis, c	0	0	0	0
Hutchins, g	2	0	0	4
Adams, g	0	5	6	5
Moore, f	1	0	0	2
Pew, c	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	5	7	11

PALMYRA HIGH

	Fld	Fl	Ft	P.
Davidson, f	3	1	2	7
Kelley, f	1	1	1	3
Parsons, c	4	0	0	8
Moffett, g	0	0	0	0
Green, g	3	1	3	7
Miller, g	0	1	1	1
Finney, f	0	0	0	0
Roach, f	0	0	0	0
Terrell, g	0	0	0	0
Price, c	0	0	1	0
Totals	11	4	10	26

Score first half—Palmyra, 12; Mt. Holly, 8. Referee—Geiges. Timer—Smith. Scorer—Stocker.

Moorestown, tied for first place with Palmyra until Tuesday's games, will be met on the Palmyra court tomorrow, while the fast-stepping Burlington five will be hosts to the Pemberton outfit.

SECOND LOSS IN ROW FOR ARTISANS' TEAM

Palmyra Five Loses League Fuss 27-20 to Eureka in Rough Contest

The Palmyra Artisans lost their second straight game in the race for the second half basketball title in the Artisans' League last Friday night when the Eureka Assembly five handed them a 27-20 setback.

The game was a nip-and-tuck affair during the first half, Palmyra sporting a slender one point lead twice during this period, and the score being deadlocked four times during the first twenty minutes of play. A foul goal in the last minute of the first half gave Eureka a 10-9 lead at half time.

A sudden spurt at the beginning of the second period melted the Pennsylvanians a six-point lead and they were not seriously threatened throughout the remainder of the game.

A strong Palmyra attack in the second half was stopped only by the fouling tactics used by the Eurekans, and Palmyra lost its chance to win the contest when it was unable to convert the free tosses into scores.

The feature of the Palmyra offense was the shooting of "Chick" Foulke, who rang in four field goals and a like number of fouls to register twelve points.

AMATEUR BOXING AT HADDONFIELD CLUB

Boys From Moorestown Among Those Who Will Participate in Scheduled Bouts

Friday evening, January 23, at 8:30 o'clock, the Birdwood Club of Haddonfield, located on Hawthorne avenue, will give local boxing fans, and those of surrounding communities, an opportunity to see a number of their home town boys "throw gloves in the general direction of someone else in the ring."

There will be a number of boys from Riverside, Moorestown, Palmyra and Merchantville in addition to the Camden county boys. No admission will be charged, but a free-will offering will be taken up.

The Birdwood club boasts one of the best gymnasiums in South Jersey and would like to hear from anyone interested in boxing or other types of athletics.

GIRLS IN FIRST PLACE DEADLOCK IN LEAGUE

Palmyra Schoolgirls Tie With Woodstown After Victory in West Jersey Loop

The girls basketball team of Palmyra High School went into a first place tie in the West Jersey Girls' League when it handed Merchantville a 33-10 lacing last Thursday afternoon.

Previous to this game, Palmyra had been in three registered tie with Woodstown and Merchantville for the sunderth, but the defeat of the "Merchants" and a win by Woodstown put the Salem Countians and the "Pals" in a tie for the lead position. Each team has won two games in as many starts.

Dot Meitzner and "Sis" Baker were the highlights in the Palmyra attack, scoring eight field goals between them. A large number of players was used by both coaches, the Merchantville mentor trying out several combinations in an attempt to stem the Palmyra attack.

Palmyra High		Merchantville High
Shea	Forward	Jensen (C.)
Meitzner	Forward	Clements
Butler	Center	Reinbald
Young	Side Center	Armstrong
Hassell	Guard	A Baldwin
Hinke (C.)	Guard	Weeks

Substitutions—Palmyra, Baker, Parry, Williams. Merchantville—Flynn, Robertson, McComb, McNeilery, F. Baldwin.

In a preliminary game, the Palmyra Reserves handed the Merchantville Reserves an 18-11 setback. Christine Green was the big noise in the Pals attack scoring 13 points, while Helen Flynn scored seven of the losers markers.

MT. HOLLY GIRLS TOO MUCH FOR PALMYRA

Mount Holly High School scored a surprise victory over Palmyra Tuesday afternoon when the girls' basketball team came out on the long end of a 25-19 score.

The game was bitterly fought throughout, the Hollies managing to win by virtue of a six-point lead garnered in the first half. The Pals held them on even terms during the second half but were unable to gain.

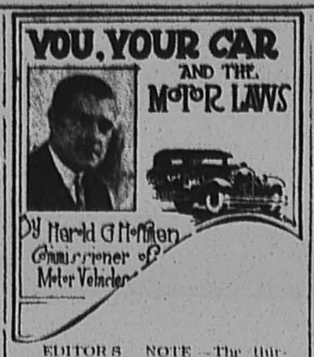
Catherine Hinke and Dot Meitzner led the Palmyra scorers with seven and six points respectively. Miss Griscom was the leading scorer of the county seaters, registering 12 markers.

Mt. Holly High		Palmyra High
Sternhauer	forward	Baker
Griscom	forward	Meitzner
Meyers	center	Butler
Gillian	side center	Young
Flynn	guard	Hinke
Morris	guard	Hassell

Subs—Shay for Baker, Hinke for Meitzner, Warner for Gillian, Yost for Morris.

Field goals (2 points)—Baker, 1; Meitzner, 2; Hinke, 3; Sternhauer, 4; Griscom, 8. Foul goals—Meitzner, 2; Hinke, 1; Shay, 4; Griscom, 1.

First half score—Mt. Holly, 16; Palmyra, 10. Referee—Gable.



EDITOR'S NOTE—The thirtieth of a series of articles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles is presented by this paper as its part in the campaign of education to familiarize New Jersey motorists with the regulations which govern their conduct on the road.

XXX. REPORTING ACCIDENTS

(Conclusion)

Hundreds of letters are received throughout the year at the Trenton office of the Department of Motor Vehicles, requesting assistance of some sort in accident cases which occurred many months before, in which the responsible persons escaped without penalty, either a fine for a violation of the motor vehicle law, or a settlement of damage claims.

It is my hope that by outlining the situation, as I did in my article last week, I may eliminate the distress and disappointment for motorists who apply to my department for help it is unable to give. The sole avenue of relief open to a motorist, a safeguard of his rights, is an immediate complaint before a local magistrate against persons who hve caused collisions through carelessness or who have caused personal injury or property damage.

The magistrates throughout New Jersey are generally fair and impartial and in nine cases out of ten the person guilty of reckless driving, or of any other violation, is convicted.

If a defendant feels he has been unjustly convicted, he may have recourse to the Court of Common Pleas, but must take an appeal from the magistrate's decision within ten days.

Hard to Place Blame

In rare cases there are accidents in which, after the preliminary hearing, it is developed that neither party is responsible, or both may be responsible. Our experience has shown that accidents have frequently happened at intersections when the motorist is making a left turn, colliding with a car approaching on the right, a case where responsibility is exceedingly difficult to place.

The investigation by the police and the informal hearing in accident cases assist in eliminating controversies over responsibility and are of great help to the insurance companies in their adjustment.

The motorist, under no circumstances, should be guided by a smooth promise to settle for damages and then allow the matter to drift for weeks and weeks, only to be left high and dry without any compensation and without even the satisfaction of knowing that the defendant has at least been subjected to a hearing before a magistrate.

It is primarily the duty of the innocent party to the accident to make the complaint, particularly if a police officer does not happen to be present at the time.

Limited Force

The department has only a limited force of inspectors, occupied for the greater part of their working time with examinations for drivers licenses, and it is impossible for us to investigate every accident.

There are special cases of course, in which we make investigations, but attention cannot be given by our inspectors to the thousands of mishaps that occur yearly throughout the state.

Unless our citizens avail themselves of the methods provided by the motor vehicle and traffic laws, offenders will go unpunished and their records will remain clear. It is my sincere hope that the motoring public will consider it a duty not only to drive in accordance with the law, but to assist so far as is possible in bringing to justice any motorist who has by carelessness or recklessness been responsible for an accident either serious or trivial. Recklessness is punishable whether its results are great or small.

HALL WILL HEAD SCOUT CAMPAIGN

Moorestown Man General Chairman of Drive to Open February 1

H. F. Hall, of Moorestown, has been named the general chairman of the Burlington County Council, Boy Scouts of America, 1931 finance campaign which is to open on Wednesday, February 4.

Edward A. Mechling, also of Moorestown, has been selected as the big gifts manager for the county. Mr. Hall will also be assisted by Dr. F. C. Langenberg, of Edgewater Park, who is to serve as the regular campaign manager.

M. A. Shaw, of Burlington, county Scout executive, has announced that this year's budget will be the same as last year's, which was $12,150. More than that amount was raised with cash donations and pledges last year and the Scout authorities expect to again go "over the top" this year.

The funds, Mr. Shaw reports, are used chiefly for the salary and expenses of the county executive and his secretary, the county office, operation of the camp and the training of volunteer leaders.

The regular finance committee of the county council will act as the steering committee for the campaign. Members of the committee include N. F. S. Russell, Edgewater Park, Alexander C. Wood, Jr., Riverton Road, Moorestown; M. K. Perinchief, Mount Holly, and E. Russell Perkins, Moorestown.

MRS. F. W. D'OLIER CO. PARKS OFFICER

Becomes Vice Chairman of Council and Executive Committee Member

Mrs. Francis W. D'Olier, of Moorestown, became vice-chairman of the Burlington County Parks Council at a meeting of the organization held in the Masonic Temple, Burlington, on Tuesday evening of last week.

At this meeting the members who were present received and adopted the following recommendations of the Steering Committee:

That the following line-up of officers is recommended to the Burlington County Parks Council for election: J. William Pennell, acting chairman; Mrs. F. W. D'Olier, vice-chairman; George C. McKann, Jr., secretary.

The committee recommends that the officers named above be elected to constitute an executive committee with power of adding to its membership as it may deem advisable.

The committee also recommends the formation of an advisory committee to work with the executive committee in forming policies of the Burlington County Parks Council and to meet at the call of the executive committee. It is the suggestion of the steering committee that this advisory committee have representatives of as many Burlington County communities among its membership as possible.

Considerable discussion was given to the problem of financing the activities and meetings of the council, and the executive committee was asked to outline a series of public meetings during the coming months on the subject of "County Park Development and Recreational Facilities." This committee will get together in the very near future to plan these activities.

Sam Gwyn, negro of Reidsville, N. C., who says he is 101 years old, has been married seven times and is the father of 40 children.

TAXPAYERS, ATTENTION!

The hearing on the tax ordinance and budget for Cinnaminson Township will be held **Saturday, January 24,** and not the 31st, as advertised last week.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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As a Contributing Measure to Help Relieve the Unemployment Situation, The New Era will Publish in Its Classified Column

SITUATIONS WANTED

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FOR SALE—Clean bright hay, mixed or timothy. Delivered. William Matlack, Moorestown, N. J.

Girl to do housekeeper or housework in small family. 506 Orchard avenue, Palmyra. Phone Riverton 473-W.

BOWKOGRAMS

"The best blades hold their temper."

Bowker's Tak-Aboost Shop
11 E. Broad Street Palmyra, N. J.

WANTED—2 winter overcoats for two little boys, ages 5 and 6 years. Call Riverton 1062, Welfare Association.

FOUND—Child's aviator's cap. Owner may have same by identifying it and paying for this ad. Apply New Era Office.

FOR SALE—New Perfless Range, combined gas and coal, blue enamel. Apply No. 3 Hunter street, East Riverton.

FOR RENT—Store or office, 305 Broad street. Ada F. Price. 416 Lippincott avenue, Riverton.

WANTED—Work of any kind by married man with family. Apply "R" New Era Office.

FOR SALE—500 lb. government inspected safe. Apply "F" New Era Office.

COLORED girl desires house work and cooking, chamber work or nurse. Experienced. References. Call Riverton 577.

Sand your own floors with Johnson's Electric Sander. Save 70% of your floor sanding cost. Rent $3.50 per day. Schwering's Hardware Store, 305 E. Broad Street, Palmyra.

WINDOW GLASS and sash cord installed. Electrical repairs of all kinds. Schwering's Hardware Store, 305 East Broad street, Palmyra.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on

Thursday, February 12, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, that is at 2 o'clocks at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey.

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described situate, lying and being in the Borough of Riverton, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey.

BEGINNING at the intersection of the Southerly line of Seventh Street with the Westerly line of Lippincott Avenue and extends thence Westwardly along the Southerly line of Seventh Street sixty feet in front or width, to a point thence Southwardly between parallel lines of that width or frontage one of which is the Westerly line of Lippincott Avenue, one hundred and twenty-five feet in length or depth, to the Northerly line of Lots fronting on Midway containing in that width or frontage a lot sixty feet in front by one hundred and twenty-five feet in depth, on the South westerly corner of Seventh Street and Lippincott Avenue.

There are approximately $3131.75 in taxes, interest, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Louis C. Lowden, et als, Defendant and taken in execution at the suit of Fannie E. Roberts, Complainant, and to be sold by

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated, January 8, 1931.
Joseph S. Low, Sol'r.
F. 1-15-2-5

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on

Thursday, February 19, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, that is at 2 o'clocks at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey.

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Riverton, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey.

BEGINNING at the intersection of the Southerly line of Howard Street one hundred feet South easterly from the Southerly line of Second Street and Howard Street running thence (1) Southwesterly at right angles to Howard Street one hundred fifty feet to a corner, thence (2) Northwesterly and parallel with Howard Street one hundred feet to a corner, thence (3) Westwardly at right angles to Howard Street one hundred fifty feet to the place of beginning.

There are approximately $3121.12 in taxes, interest, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Perley L. Corey, et als, Defendant and taken in execution at the suit of Pauline E. Schmidt, Complainant, and to be sold by

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated, January 8, 1931.
Cook and Cassell, Sol'rs.
F. 1-15-2-5

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed out of the Court of Chancery of the State of New Jersey, I will sell at public sale on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, that is at 2 o'clock at the Court House, Mount Holly, Burlington County, New Jersey.

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Township of Cinnaminson, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 246, page 29, Records of Deeds, etc., for Burlington County, New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly line of Zelner Street which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zelner Street two hundred forty-seven and twenty-one one hundredths feet from the northwesterly corner of Broad and Zelner Streets which said beginning point is also the south easterly corner of Lot No. 46, Section B, on said Plan of Belleview; thence running (1) at right angles to Zelner Street south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lots 12 and 13, Section B, south twenty-nine degrees forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zelner Street; thence (3) along the westerly side line of Zelner Street north sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to the point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 246, page 31, Records of Deeds, etc., for Burlington County, New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly side line of Zelner Street which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zelner Street three hundred eighty-seven and twenty-one one hundredths feet from the northwesterly corner of Broad and Zelner Streets which said beginning point is also the south easterly corner of Lot No. 48, Section B, on said Plan of Belleview; thence running (1) at right angles to Zelner Street south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lots 14 and 15, Section B, south twenty-nine degrees forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zelner Street; thence (3) along the westerly side line of Zelner Street north sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to the point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 246, page 31, Records of Deeds, etc., for Burlington County, New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly side line of Zelner Street which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zelner Street one hundred eighty-seven and twenty-one one hundredths feet from the northwesterly corner of Broad and Zelner Streets which said beginning point is also the south easterly corner of Lot No. 47, Section B, on said Plan of Belleview; thence running (1) at right angles to Zelner Street south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lot 47, Section B, south twenty-nine degrees forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zelner Street; thence (3) along the westerly side line of Zelner Street north sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to the point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 246, page 33, Records of Deeds, etc., for Burlington County, New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a point where the southerly side line of Broad Street intersects the westerly side of Zelner Street running (1) south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west along the southerly side line of Zelner Street one hundred twenty-five feet to a point, which is the southeasterly corner of Lot No. 50, Section B, on Plan of Belleview; thence (2) at right angles along the southerly line of said Lot No. 50 and parallel to Broad Street, thirty-two, south seventy degrees forty-seven minutes and twenty seconds west twenty-five feet to a stake which is the northeasterly corner of Lot No. 51, Section B; thence (3) in a southerly direction including the easterly line of said Lot No. 51, Section B, seven hundred seventy-seven and forty-one hundredths feet to a point in the northerly line of Lot No. 12, Section B, south twenty-nine degrees forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east two hundred feet from the northwesterly corner of said Lot No. 12, Section B; thence (4) at right angles to the last mentioned course and parallel to Broad Street, north sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds east one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zelner Street; thence (5) along the westerly side line of Zelner Street north twenty-nine degrees forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west seven hundred seventy-seven and forty-one hundredths feet to the point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 246, page 35, Records of Deeds, etc., for Burlington County, New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly side line of Zelner Street which point is distant northerly along the westerly side line of Zelner Street one hundred seventy-seven and forty-one one hundredths feet from the northwesterly corner of Broad and Zelner Streets which said beginning point is also the southeasterly corner of Lot No. 47, Section B, on said Plan of Belleview; thence running (1) at right angles to Zelner Street south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) along the rear line of Lot 47, Section B, south twenty-nine degrees forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zelner Street; thence (3) along the westerly side line of Zelner Street north sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west one hundred feet to the point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 246, page 37, Records of Deeds, etc., for Burlington County, New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a point where the southerly side line of Broad Street intersects the westerly side of Zelner Street running (1) south sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds west along the southerly side line of Zelner Street one hundred twenty-five feet to a point, which is the southeasterly corner of Lot No. 50, Section B, on Plan of Belleview; thence (2) at right angles along the southerly line of said Lot No. 50 and parallel to Broad Street, thirty-two, south seventy degrees forty-seven minutes and twenty seconds west twenty-five feet to a stake which is the northeasterly corner of Lot No. 51, Section B; thence (3) in a southerly direction including the easterly line of said Lot No. 51, Section B, seven hundred seventy-seven and forty-one hundredths feet to a point in the northerly line of Lot No. 12, Section B, south twenty-nine degrees forty-one minutes and twenty seconds east two hundred feet from the northwesterly corner of said Lot No. 12, Section B; thence (4) at right angles to the last mentioned course and parallel to Broad Street, north sixty degrees eighteen minutes and forty seconds east one hundred feet to a point in the westerly side line of Zelner Street; thence (5) along the westerly side line of Zelner Street north twenty-nine degrees forty-one minutes and twenty seconds west seven hundred seventy-seven and forty-one hundredths feet to the point or place of beginning. Mortgaged premises described in mortgage recorded in Book 246, page 39, Records of Deeds, etc., for Burlington County, New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a point in the westerly side line of Broad Street, distant twenty-five feet on a course south seventy degrees forty-seven minutes and twenty seconds east from the northeast corner of Broad and Zelner Streets, which beginning point is also the southwest corner of Lot No. 4, Section B, on said Plan of Belleview; thence running (1) northerly along the westerly line of said Lot No. 4, Section B, north eighteen degrees twelve minutes and forty seconds west passing through the center line of a partition wall between Lots No. 7 and 4, Section B, one hundred twenty-five feet to a point in the southerly line of Lot No. 58, Section B; thence (2) westerly along the southerly line of said Lot No. 58, Section B, south seventy degrees forty-seven minutes and twenty seconds west twenty-five feet to a point, which is the northwest corner of Lot No. 58, Section B, on said Plan of Belleview; thence (3) southerly and parallel with Howard Street one hundred feet to a point; thence (4) easterly and parallel with the southerly line of said Lot No. 58, Section B, south seventy degrees forty-seven minutes and twenty seconds east twenty-five feet to a point in the westerly line of Broad Street; thence (5) northerly along the westerly side line of Broad Street one hundred feet to the point or place of beginning.

There are approximately $5,000.00 besides interest, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Coles Realty Company, a corporation, et als, defendant and taken in execution at the suit of Monmouth Title and Mortgage Guaranty Company, complainant and to be sold by:

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated December 26, 1930.
Cook and Stout, Sol'rs.
F. 1-1-31 1-22-31

Borough of Riverton Budget — 1931 NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the following local Budget and Tax Ordinance was approved by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton, County of Burlington, on January 8, 1931.

A hearing on the Budget and Tax Ordinance will be held in the Council Chamber in the Firehouse on Thursday, February 5, 1931, at eight (8:00) o'clock p. m., at which time and place objection to the said Budget and Tax Ordinance of the Borough of Riverton may be presented by any taxpayer of the said Borough.

LOCAL BUDGET OF THE BOROUGH OF RIVERTON
COUNTY OF BURLINGTON
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1931

This Budget shall also constitute the Tax Ordinance.

An Ordinance relating to taxes for the year 1931.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton, County of Burlington, that there shall be assessed, raised by taxation and collected for the fiscal year 1931, the sum of Thirty One Thousand, Four Hundred Thirty-Three and 78-100 Dollars ($31,433.78) for the purpose of meeting the appropriations set forth in the following statement of resources and appropriations for the fiscal year 1931.

Amount of Surplus Revenue $21,479.73

RESOURCES	1931	1930
Surplus Revenue Appropriated	$ 9,000.00	
Miscellaneous Revenues Anticipated		
Franchise Tax	8,000.00	8,000.00
Gross Receipts Tax	2,000.00	2,000.00
Interest on Taxes	1,000.00	800.00
Interest on Bank Balances	75.00	75.00
Poll Tax	500.00	500.00
Fees and Permits	200.00	250.00
Searches	50.00	100.00
Dog Licenses	40.00	35.00
Refund on Gasoline Tax	1,700.00	
Ordinance Fines	201.00	201.00
Sewer Rentals	35.00	50.00
Local Purpose Tax	31,433.78	43,133.49
	$54,234.78	$55,234.49
APPROPRIATIONS		
General Government		
Borough Organization	$ 4,000.00	$ 4,000.00
Interest on Current Loans	425.00	350.00
Printing	500.00	500.00
Preservation of Life and Property		
Police	6,700.00	7,000.00
Police Car	500.00	
Fire and Water	4,400.00	4,500.00
Dog Regulation	100.00	
Public Works		
Highways	9,100.00	8,500.00
Highway Truck	900.00	
Sewer Maintenance	500.00	500.00
Lighting	6,250.00	6,500.00
Garbage	2,000.00	2,000.00
Trees (Shade Tree Commission)	1,000.00	1,500.00
Health and Charities		
Health	400.00	400.00
Visiting Nurse	300.00	300.00
Ambulance	150.00	150.00
Education		
Riverton Free Library	400.00	300.00
Fourth of July Celebration	1,100.00	1,200.00
Elections	250.00	200.00
Borough Property	1,900.00	2,700.00
Contingent	500.00	500.00
Debt Service		
Payment of General Improvement Bonds	8,000.00	8,000.00
Payment of General Improvement Notes—Fire Truck		3,620.00
Payment of General Improvement Notes—Memorial Park	3,000.00	
Interest on General Improvement Bonds	1,282.50	1,662.50
Interest on General Improvement Notes—Memorial Park	346.25	181.00
Interest on Assessment Improvement Notes	81.03	109.00
Unpaid Bills	150.00	
Deficit Tax Revenue 1929		570.99
	$54,234.78	$55,234.49

This Ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

DANIEL M. CLIFTON
Borough Clerk

Dated, Riverton, N. J., January 8, 1931.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the following local budget and tax ordinance was approved by the Township Committee of the Township of Cinnaminson, County of Burlington, on January 13, 1931.

A hearing on the budget and tax ordinance will be held at Cinnaminson, N. J. on **Saturday, 24th, January, 1931,** at two (2:00) o'clock p. m., at which time and place objections to said budget and tax ordinance of the Township of Cinnaminson for the year 1931 may be presented by any taxpayer of said Township.

LOCAL BUDGET OF TOWNSHIP OF CINNAMINSON
COUNTY OF BURLINGTON
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1931

This Budget shall also constitute the Tax Ordinance.

An Ordinance relating to taxes for the year 1931.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Cinnaminson, County of Burlington, that there shall be assessed, raised by taxation, and collected for the year 1931, the sum of Twenty-three Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty 00-100 Dollars ($23,750.00) for the purpose of meeting and appropriations set forth in the following statement of resources and appropriations for the fiscal year 1931.

Amount of Surplus Revenue—$15,664.39 (Estimated)

RESOURCES	1931	1930
ANTICIPATED REVENUES		
Surplus Revenue Appropriated	$ 6,000.00	$ 6,000.00
Miscellaneous Revenues Anticipated		
Interest and Costs	1,100.00	800.00
Franchise Tax	12,000.00	10,000.00
Gross Receipts Tax	1,200.00	1,200.00
Poll Taxes	400.00	400.00
Total Miscellaneous Revenues Anticipated	$20,700.00	$18,400.00
Amount to be raised by taxation	3,050.00	5,276.10
Total Resources	$23,750.00	$23,676.10
APPROPRIATIONS		
General Government		
Administrative and Executive	$ 1,000.00	$ 800.00
Election Expenses	250.00	200.00
Assessment and Collection of Taxes	1,700.00	1,700.00
Department of Finance	450.00	450.00
Interest on Current Loans	150.00	50.00
Preservation of Life and Property		
Police	1,200.00	800.00
Donation, Fire Companies	2,000.00	2,000.00
Fire Hydrants	3,700.00	
Health and Charities		
Health	400.00	400.00
Charities	300.00	300.00
Poor	300.00	200.00
Streets, Highways, Sewers		
Roads	6,500.00	7,000.00
Lighting of Streets	5,600.00	5,400.00
Continuent	200.00	200.00
Deficit in Local School—1927		357.50
Return of Taxes Collected in Error		118.50
Anticipated from Dog Tax	200.00	
Appropriated to: Dog Damage	200.00	
Total Appropriations	$23,750.00	$23,676.10

Approved January 13, 1931

Adopted

GEORGE C. FRANK,
Clerk

This Ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

CHARLES EVANS,
Chairman

MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY

BY ERNEST CAMP JR

SEA SICKNESS? NOT MUCH

Let the thermometer rise to within a fractional point near spring or summer warmth and New Yorkers by the thousands will flock down to "dat ol' debbil sea."—10,000 of them in fact.

Last Sunday, crowds, attracted by the warm sun (52 degrees warm) strolled on the boardwalk or beach at Coney Island. They began to arrive early in the day, and concession owners opened their restaurants or oiled wheels of merry-go-rounds as each train and trolley brought more.

Several clubs of winter bathers, who make regular pilgrimages to the surf, welcomed others who braved the cold water for a few moments.

Fifty patrolmen from nearby precincts aided in handling the unexpected crowd.

CHECK AND RUBBER CHECK

Standing on the busiest corners these days are men selling checks—rubber ones. They hold them high in the air, stretch them back and forth, and cry: "Buy a check of the Bank of United States. Five cents! They always bounce back."

Thus a bank failure has by so much decreased the ranks of the unemployed.

AQUARIUM

A sign displayed on a compartment containing live specimens of fish at the aquarium in Battery Park reads: "These fish are capable of changing color eight times in as many minutes."

We shudder to think what would happen if they tried out some of the modern dances.

CHAMELEON CANINE

New York is fast stealing Pittsburgh's shady reputation as the smokiest city if you ask Mr. A. Townsend Kaplan.

He recently brought a complaint against the Washington Square extension of New York University charging the university with emitting such dense clouds of smoke that it was impossible for his dog to take his usual outing on the roof without changing color. His white dog turned coal black every time he was taken out, says Mr. Kaplan. He understands that dogs get dirty, yes, but questions the need of a dog turning from white to black in five minutes.

"If I had wanted a black dog, I would have bought a black dog," he says bitterly.

MAXIM SILENCER

The rumbling of an elevated train going past a pawnshop drowned out the noise of shattering glass when a gem thief heaved a brick through the window some days ago. The proprietor didn't know it had happened until he went to the window to point out some jewelry to a customer. But the jewelry was gone, and so was the brick-thrower, together with three bracelets, one of them set with 148 diamonds, valued at $2,000.

TRAFFICALITIES

Here are some statistics for you "busiest corner in the world" fans.

Figures supplied by the deputy police commissioner show that the busiest traffic corner in New York now is Park Avenue and 57th street, where 42,377 automobiles pass every twelve hours. The junction of Fifth Avenue and 42nd street, heretofore the "busiest corner," now stands fourth in the list of police traffic tallies.

In the height of the summer season, Ocean and Fort Hamilton Parkways, Brooklyn, is the most heavily traveled, 57,896 cars having been counted in twelve hours, due to the Coney Island rush. In fall and winter the total is cut in half.

Class dismissed!

WHY PAY MORE?

His store sells cigarettes, cigars, candy and refreshments at cut-rate prices. It is about 6 feet wide and 25 feet deep. While buying some articles there, we remarked that he must do a pretty good business at such a good location.

"We have to," he replied, "to pay the rent. How much is it? $8,000 a year."

(Yes, thank you, I think I'll stick to batting out a column.) W. K.

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Laughing Around the World

With IRVIN S. COBB

An Abiding Delusion, Too

By IRVIN S. COBB

MONTAGUE GLASS some time ago beat me to it by giving publicity to a story which Jimmie Montague, the columnist-poet tells. Jimmie, who for a newspaper-man is fairly truthful, declares that the thing really happened out in Oregon where he was reared.

A prominent citizen of the town was an ardent believer in the then new cult of mental-healing. Wherever possible this gentleman,



with the zeal of a devotee, preached his doctrine. One day on the main street he hailed an impressionable youth from the country.

"Billy," he said, "how's your daddy?"

"Oh," said the youth, "Paw's mighty bad off. He's been sorely all spring. Now he's down flat in bed and allin' stiddy. We're 'feared paw's powerful sick. He's feard too."

"Nonsense," snorted the older man. "Your father isn't sick—he only thinks he's sick. Tell him I said so."

"Yessir, I will."

A fortnight later the same pair met in the same place.

"Billy," said the citizen cheerily, "How's your father now?"

The youngster heaved a deep sigh:

"He thinks he's dead."

(American News Features, Inc.)

Ol' Judge's Josh.

Young Hubby: "Dearest, what did you do with that rubber plant Aunt Agatha gave us?"

Young wife: "I put it upstairs, honey. Why do you ask?"

Young Hubby: "Oh, for no particular reason. I was just wondering what kind of salad this is."

"Repeat the words the defendant used," said the lawyer.

"I'd rather not," said the witness, timidly; "they were hardly words to tell a gentleman."

"Ah," said the attorney, "then whisper them to the judge."

A kindly landlady inquired of the young bride how she and her husband proposed to spend their holiday.

"Our plans so far," replied the bride, "are tentative."

"Oh, how delightful!" exclaimed the landlady. "I'm sure you'll enjoy camping out more than anything else you could do."

Miss Peachblow: I hope you won't feel hurt because I refused you.

Mr. Breaker: Not at all! Not at all! I assure you, I feel honored, positively honored. I'd rather be rejected by you than anyone I know.

"I've found a dandy parking space."

"Yeah?"

"It has only one drawback."

"What's that?"

"There's a car in it!"

First One: "Yesterday I stepped into the middle of the street, held up my arms, and stopped a runaway horse."

Second One: "That's nothing. Today I held up two fingers and stopped a taxi."

Harry, wearing his first pair of pants, went down town to see his father. After daddy had told him what a big man he was, he asked him if he would like a nickel. Harry replied:

"Well, it makes a fellow feel better to have a little money in his pockets."

"Oh, save my hair! Save my hair!" she cried, pointing to a wig rapidly drifting out to sea.

"Madam," replied the gallant life guard, as he took a firm grip on her shoulder, "I'm only a life-saver, not a hair restorer."

INVITE LEGION MARKSMEN

Omaha, Neb.—The Omaha Rifle Club has invited Legionnaires who shoot 22 caliber rifles to become associate members for the season at the low rate of $1. The plan is recommended by George Norregard, president of the Omaha Legion Rifle Club.

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International Sunday School Lesson for January 25

JESUS TEMPTED

Luke 4:1-13

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

While John was baptizing Jesus came into that wilderness from Nazareth, ready to enter upon His own public ministry. When John the Baptist saw Him approaching he said in true prophecy: "Behold, the Lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world." Jesus drew near and asked to be baptized but John, knowing Him as the sinless one at first refused. But Jesus insisted and thus took our law place. In the act of baptism there was a manifestation of the Trinity of God. Jesus Christ stood in the Jordan, the Holy Spirit in the form of a dove descended upon Him, and the voice of the Father said "This is my beloved Son."

More than one thing can be accomplished by the same act. Forthwith from the baptism Jesus was tempted by the devil for forty days in the wilderness of the Jordan valley.

During those forty days Jesus was subjected to every type of temptation that comes to mankind in all the varying changes of life. Meanwhile Jesus ate nothing as He was so absorbed in His fight for righteousness. Then Satan left Him for a season that He might realize His personal physical condition. In that hour of extreme physical weakness and spiritual reaction after the strain of the forty days, the three major temptations are presented. In these the divinity of Jesus is acknowledged but effort is made to get the exercise of those powers under satanic sway. Jesus would not make bread to stop his own hunger, cast Himself down from the Temple that the people might applaud, or accept an immediate control of men at the cost of worshipping Satan. Rather the arch enemy of man was unmasked as Jesus commanded "Get thee behind me, Satan."

Sight returned to her left eye which had been sightless for 14 years when Mrs. Lillian Wallace of Chicago, had five infected teeth extracted.

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PUBLIC SERVICE

VERY LATESTS

By MARY MARSHALL

During the years of the war and those that followed, women's clothes became practically buttonless. It took time to sew on buttons and to make buttonholes and, as clothes became simpler and straighter, ways were devised to get along without buttons. They disappeared entirely from underthings and fortunately are not likely to return. Coats and wraps were made with one or possibly two buttons or with none at all. Dresses went on over the head and were tied together with strips of material. But great changes have taken place and, along with the general revival of feminine details of dress, buttons



of an elaborate ornamental sort have come back into favor.

Many of the new blouses are made with rows of narrow buttons. Tailored jackets now have four or six buttons where once they had but one or two. The sketch shows a way of using buttons for a purely ornamental purpose that you will find smart and amusing. The buttons chosen were round, fabric-covered buttons and they were strung through the center. The same idea may be carried out with two or four-hole buttons, by running the connecting cord through the holes with two or four strands of silk.

The new long-sleeved dresses fit closely at the wrists and often the seam is left open five or six inches and finished with small loops on one side and a row of small round buttons on the other side—six or eight buttons being used on each sleeve. These buttons may be of the fabric-covered sort, though a more interesting effect is gained if they are of metal or colored glass.

Walter Lang of Kenosha, Wis., was given a five-day sentence for stealing a salt shaker.

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THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

HEREDITY

Thinking people evolve theories based on a more or less extensive period of observation; but theories are not always facts. It is a common deduction among people to believe that, because a parent was afflicted with a certain fatal disease, his child or children were in line for the same terrible calamity, and, many distress themselves in this belief.

The fact is, the TENDENCY, not the disease, may be inherited. Human tissue differs in certain families, much as the plants about us differ in individual texture. Certain woods decay quicker than others; this is true of the human structure as well.

Perhaps the most tenable theory today is, that mental disorders are strongly hereditary. Within a certain limitation this seems to be true; yet, it does not always prove out that insanity is positively hereditary. I have known several instances where parents that died insane left children of brilliant and lasting mentality. Dear reader, if you have had the regrettable fact of an insanity among your immediate ancestors or near relatives, the very best thing for you to do is, to forget it right now! In other words, you may work an unspeakable harm to your own sensitive nervous system, by torturing yourself constantly with the thought of when you must in all likelihood, go the same way!

Your tendency, if any can be overcome by self-discipline. Do not overtax a delicate nerve structure. Your nervous system will last for full time, if you do not urge it beyond its strength to bear. The sheet on which I am writing may outlast the strongest sole-leather, if it is taken care of, for what it will stand.

The overcoming of tendency is possible always. Keep away from the causes of break-down, whether it be body or mind. Worry is one of the most potent causes of insanity. The man with a "tendency" mustn't worry—remember that, and, live out your full expectation.

AUTOISTS JAILED AFTER COLLISION WITH TRUCK

Thomas Gilmore, of 131 avenue, Lawrence Harbor, and Andrew Barry, also of Lawrence Harbor, are in the Burlington County jail at Mount Holly serving terms imposed by Justice of the Peace Frank Lockman, of Columbus, when they were arraigned before him as the result of an automobile accident near Red Lion Thursday night. A car driven by Gilmore collided with a truck owned by Zrano brothers of Landisville and operated by Samuel Merio, of Minnetola. Gilmore was fined $220 on a drunken driving charge and Barry was fined $5 and costs on a drunk and disorderly charge. In default of the fines Gilmore was sentenced to 30 days and Barry to five days in jail. They were arrested by State Troopers Wood and Erwin, of the Columbus State police barracks.

The SCRAP BOOK

"YES"

By Richard Doddridge Blackmore

They stood above the world,
In a world apart;
And she dropped her happy eyes,
And stilled the throbbing pulses
Of her happy heart.
And the moonlight fell above her,
Her secret to discover;
And the moonbeams kissed her hair,
As though no human lover
Had laid his kisses there.

Just the old, old story
Of light and shade,
Love like the opal tender,
Like it may be to vary—
May be to fade.
Just the old tender story,
Just a glimpse of morning glory
In an earthly Paradise,
With shadowy reflections
In a pair of sweet brown eyes.

Brown eyes a man might well
Be proud to win!
Open to hold his image,
Shut under silken lashes.
Only to shut him in
O glad eyes, look together,
For life's dark, stormy weather
Grows to a fairer thing
When young eyes look upon it
Through a slender wedding ring.

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Outline a definite course of action and stick to it, inch by inch, mile by mile. No race was ever won by periodic spurts.

Don't, for your own sake, be like the proverbial "Mr. Hare" and say to yourself, "This race is easy, I'll run a bit and then rest awhile." For time creeps on unceasingly and those who "REST AWHILE" might find that the slow moving Tortoise called "TIME" has crossed the line AHEAD.

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THE NEW ERA

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SCOUT COUNCIL TO OPEN ITS FINANCE DRIVE NEXT WEEK

County Divided Into Four Districts for Campaign to Raise $12,130

LEADERS ARE CONFIDENT GOAL WILL BE REACHED

$17,000 of $25,000 Debt Was Wiped Out During Last Year

During the first few days of next week the four districts of the Burlington County Council, Boy Scouts of America, will start their part of the county-wide campaign. This annual campaign is for the purpose of raising funds for carrying on all phases of the county work of the Scout organization.

H. F. Hall, of Moorestown, the county campaign chairman, is operating the campaign through two organizations. The Big Cliff organization is headed by E. A. Mechling, of Moorestown, and the regular workers' group is in charge of Dr. F. C. Laungenberg, of Edgewater Park.

"The Big Cliff work in Riverton is in charge of Oliver Willetts and the regular workers is headed by Cortham Sargent. Both of them feel sure that Riverton will do its full part in this campaign for $12,150.00."

H. M. Wall, president of the county Scout organization, recently spoke of the coming campaign to the county board. He commented on the report of N. F. S. Russell, of Edgewater Park, chairman of the finance committee. This report showed that $17,000 of a $25,000 deficit had been wiped out and that "from being an object of suspicion by its auditors, the credit of the Scout organization now stands high."

Mr. Wall said, "We are now fighting to stay in the business of aiding boyhood. The people of this county have enabled us to reduce our debt to $8,000 and it is unthinkable that these friends of ours will permit Scouting to slide back into an increased indebtedness."

Al members present at the last board meeting voluntarily pledged full support to the 1931 campaign and left their personal pledges. Practically every absent member has also sent his personal pledge to Mr. Wall.

The leaders of the organization recognize that this is a critical year and are making every effort to assure success. Early returns have made them confident that there will be a hearty response from the public.

CINNAMINSON P. T. A.

As Dr. Charlotte Easby Grave was to talk to the Cinnaminson P.T.A. at the meeting on the twenty-first, school was dismissed at 2.30 p.m. to permit an early gathering.

All business was dispensed with, that Dr. Grave might have more time for her talk.

She set forth very graphically, the basic principles of habit forming, using stories, the results of studies conducted by child clinics and from her personal experiences in her work as Consulting Specialis tin Child Problems.

Necessarily, her talk gave very brief outlines of forming Physical, Mental, and Emotional habits.

Dr. Grave felt that it required several lectures to cover the principles of Emotional habits, so confined herself to the most outstanding.

After the talk she was most generous in answering questions, and had time for several who desired personal conferences.

The hospitality chairman had prepared a delicious repast of home-made cake and tea, which all enjoyed.

Forty-five members were present, several visitors from Palmyra P.T.A. the Sectional County Vice President, and some local visitors.

PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BOYS' MUSIC?

If you are, you should attend the concert of the Philadelphia Harmonica Band on Friday evening, February 6th, at 8.15, at the Parish House, Christ Church, Riverton. Forty talented musicians all under seventeen years of age.

Tickets 50c from any member of the Riverton Boy Scout troop.

PORCH CLUB NOTES

The club is very fortunate to have been able to arrange for Mrs. Frederic Beggs to visit Riverton. Mrs. Beggs is State Federation Chairman on International Relations and has a message to all women, which she will present in a single address on February 3 at 2.30 o'clock.

BASKETBALL
Palmyra High School
— vs. —
Burlington High School
P. H. S. Gym
SAT. EVE., JAN. 31
7:30 P. M.

RIVERTON POLICE GET NEW MOTORCAR

Specially Equipped Chevrolet Coach Delivered for Use of Borough's Officers

This week a new six-cylinder, maroon-colored, Chevrolet coach was delivered to the Riverton Police department.

The new car is equipped with a new 2 1-2 gallon freeze-proof fire extinguisher located on the running board, a small Pyrene hand extinguished on the inside, an improved inner control, highly powerful spot-light and a sawed-off shotgun.

Be it riot, fire or what-not the department is now equipped to handle the situation.

ANNUAL REPORT OF NEEDLEWORK

Riverton Branch Was Organized in 1894; Prominent Women Directors

Members of the Riverton branch of the Needlework Guild will be interested in the following figures, showing the distribution among the various agencies of the 2057 garments collected during the fall of 1930.

Cooper Hospital	150
West Jersey Hospital	129
Phila Home for Incurables	41
Burl. Co. Children's Home	112
Burl Co Hospital	149
Burl. Co. Sanatorium for Tuberculosis	71
Burl. Co. Attendance Officer	83
Burl Co Red Cross	102
Trenton Children's Home	117
School at Johnson's Corners	129
Cinnaminson Home	329
Community Relief	315
Visiting Nurse	404
2 Private Cases	16

With such a splendid record of service behind it for the first part of the year, the Guild is going forward with renewed efforts. The day-a-month-sewing-day has proved a great success, and the next will be held in the Porch Club on Monday, the second of February. You are urged to come in the morning and stay all day. Luncheon will be served by Mrs Mayfield at the nominal charge of 25c, and if you can attend you are asked to notify her beforehand.

The following is a letter received by the secretary of the local branch from Mrs. Harvey T. Mitchell, once a resident of Riverton, a charter member of the Riverton Branch and still actively interested in our local doings.

"The Riverton Branch of the Needlework Guild was organized at a meeting held in Mrs Hands home on Lippincott avenue, in 1894. Mrs E Burd Grubb being the speaker of the afternoon.

It was a large and very enthusiastic gathering. Mrs. E. H. Ogden was elected president, Mrs Walter Spackman, secretary and Mrs E. C. Grice, treasurer. The directors enrolled at that meeting were Mrs William Poulterer, Mrs Hand, Mrs Hall, Mrs Ogden, Mrs Spackman, Miss Wriggins, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Mrs E. Lippincott, Mrs John Davis, Miss B Robertson, Mrs E. C. Grice, Mrs H. Coale, Mrs. Charles Flanagan, Mrs John Fishmuth, Mrs Stevens, Mrs. Harvey Mitchell.

"In quite a short time a number of names were added to the list of directors. This meeting held on Wednesday was the 35th. It is a noble charity giving new garments to those that need helping and to hospitals and homes. The first display of garments and business meeting was held in the billiard room at rs. Ogden's residence, River Bank, January, 1895.

"Our earnest wish is that we shall always go forward so that our work will be far reaching in its results."

Contributed

The following are extracts from an article in the Red Cross Courier, January 15, 1931, by Irvin S. Cobb.

"I don't like to think of the Red Cross as a charity. I like to think of it as a great going concern, with a keen brain to plan and skilled fingers to execute its corporate activities, but also with a head and soul to it."

"If it be worth anything, I give it as my honest belief that, out of every dollar you may hand to the Red Cross, fewer of its hundred cents go for overhead and office expense, and more go straight and swiftly where'll they do the most good than would be possible did you entrust the same dollar to almost any other organization known to me, no matter how worthy in aims or how honest in bookkeeping."

"The Red Cross provides the surest, the safest, the promptest and speediest, the most patient and the most long-remembering agency for alleviating misery and for restoring victims of calamity to normal living conditions."

"It may ask questions; but it doesn't start asking them until after the dead have been buried and the wounded bound up, until after the hungry have been fed and the homeless have been housed."

NEW PLUMBER

George Friday, Jr., formerly of Delanco, has purchased the Earle Perkins property at 609 Thomas avenue, Riverton, where he has established a plumbing, heating and roofing business. Mr. Friday for the past twelve years has been employed in the same line of business with the late William B. Lynch.

RIVERTON BOY SCOUT NEWS

Ted Hunn Now Eagle Scout; New Headquarters Nearing Completion

The news of the Riverton Scouts of Troop 50 Burlington County Council, the week divides itself into three headings: Scouting activities, work on the new headquarters, and plans for the concert of the Philadelphia Harmonica Band on February 6th.

The most important event under the head of Scouting activities was the successful completion by Scout Ted Hunn of the last merit badge test needed to make him an Eagle Scout. Some months ago it was erroneously reported that Scout Hunn had become an Eagle Scout. At that time he still had one test to pass, and this test had a time element in it which made it impossible for it to be completed immediately. Scout Hunn is now a full-fledged Eagle Scout or will be as soon as the badge can be conferred upon him at the next Court of Honor.

The Riverton Troop now has five Eagle Scouts: Assistant Scoutmaster Henry H Seabrook, Jr., Junior Assistant Scoutmaster William Shoemaker, 3rd. Senior Patrol Leaders Henry Naisby and Patton Kinsey, and Patrol Leader Hunn. The Eagle Scout is the highest order of Scoutcraft. To become an Eagle Scout a boy must conform to the following requirements: 1. His record of satisfactory service as a First Class Scout shall have been for a period of at least one full year. 2. He shall have qualified for twenty-one Merit Badges, which shall include (1) First Aid, (2) Life Saving, (3) Personal Health, (4) Public Health, (5) Cooking, (6) Camping, (7) Civics, (8) Bird Study, (9) Pathfinding, (10) Pioneering, (11) Athletics or Physical Development.

The recruits are hard at work on their Tenderfoot tests. Much progress has been made.

The work on the new headquarters has definitely entered its final stage. The painting is done, and the permanent railings are in. The room has been thoroughly swept. All that remains is to complete the furnishing and decorations, including the hanging of the lanterns. Already the patrols have started the furnishing of their respective patrol corners.

Mr. Wolfschmidt, father of Scout Wolfschmidt, is constructing what promises to be one of the most elaborate and interesting Scout ceremonies in the country.

The chief need now is for additional chairs and tables. The parents and friends of the troop have been most generous in regard to furniture and it now appears that very little will have to be purchased. The troop still has for sale a billiard table in pretty good condition and at a bargain price.

The sale of tickets for the Philadelphia Harmonica Band Concert on Friday, February 6th, is progressing rapidly. About one third of the available tickets are already sold. It is recommended that all who wish to attend this great concert get in touch with the nearest Scout at once in order to make sure of a ticket.

The soloists at the concert, John Pugliese and Raymond Kraus, are the Philadelphia Harmonica champions for 1928 and 1926 respectively.

The week of February 8th will mark the 21st anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America. The "coming of age" of the Boy Scout movement in the United States will be celebrated everywhere with special ceremonies. The Harmonica Band concert two days before the official opening of Scout Week, will be the Riverton Scouts' first event of the celebration. Other plans will be announced after the annual Scout Leaders' dinner of the Burlington County Council, which will take place at Burlington on January 31. Mr Garwood, his assistant Scoutmasters, and part of the troop committee will represent Riverton at the dinner.

The Boy Scouts of America is about one year younger than its parent organization, the Boy Scout Association of England. The coming of age of the older organization was celebrated last summer. Representatives of all the Scout organizations in the world (which means Scouts from practically every nation) did honor at that time to the parent organization in England and to the beloved founder of the Boy Scouts, Sir Robert S. S. Baden-Powell, Chief Scout of the world. Now on its own twenty-first birthday, the Boy Scouts of America, as an organization, is celebrating the fact that it has more members than all the other Scout organizations in the world put together!

I. O. O. F. NOTES

Last Friday evening marked a 'gala night for Cinnaminson Lodge, and those who missed the occasion certainly missed a good time.

The prizes for the bowling tournament were awarded in the beginning of the evening, and this ceremony was followed by the conferring of the First Degree on the new members, Edwin Parker and George Lee.

Immediately following the degree work the members were called downstairs for a sauer kraut supper. At the completion of the meal most of the members became engaged in pinochle.

Tomorrow night the second and third degrees will be conferred on the two new members. The degree work is scheduled to begin at 8:30 o'clock and members of Cinnaminson Lodge are urged to be present early.

"HONOR BRIGHT" TITLE OF PHS SENIOR PLAY

Annual Production of School Student Will Be Given Three Nights Next Month

The annual play presented by the senior class of Palmyra High School will be given this year for three nights instead of the usual two night run.

The dates set for the production are February 19, 21 and 23 these dates coming on Thursday, Saturday and Monday nights respectively.

Honor Bright, this year's play, is a rollicking comedy with a promise of a good time for everyone who attends. The principal roles are enacted by Mary Sanford and Rodman Merrill.

Tickets for the show may be procured from any member of the Senior class. The usual prices of the tickets have been reduced and the pasteboards this year are selling at 35c for general admission tickets and 50c for reserved seats. The proceeds of the production go to the fund for the annual trip to Washington taken by the senior class.

KNIVES FLY ON PENN STREET

Pocket Knives and An Axe Figure in Lively Mixup Early Monday Morning

A general rough-house fray and cutting contest at Third and Penn streets, Riverton, at 1.30 a.m. Monday, wound up in the police court Monday night with four defendants before the bar.

The principals, all colored, were Walter Wilson, East Riverton, his wife, Elizabeth Wilson, William J. Cross, 116 Arch street, Palmyra, and Charles Payne, 303 Third street, Riverton.

Upon being called officers Miller, Goetee and Robinson hurried to the scene of trouble and arrested the four. Before Recorder Cecil A. Bowers, conflicting statements were made by the defendants but the fact remained that there had been some pocket knife slashing and the rather indiscreet use of an ax with no serious injury to anyone.

Therefore a complaint of disorderly conduct was lodged against the first three named and, the latter was charged with maintaining a disorderly house. A fine of $5 and costs was imposed on each and Ernest Fitzgerald, of Palmyra, held as a witness, was released without fine.

Anthony Volpe, Hancock street, Riverside, driving a truck for the Columbus Motor Freight, was arrested by Officer Goetee for passing the red light at Broad and Main streets, Riverton. At the hearing before Recorder Bowers, Volpe stated that the light flashed red just as he reached the intersection. He was released with a reminder to be more careful while driving through Riverton.

MISSES WIFE, HITS ANOTHER WOMAN

Shooting Affray at West Palmyra Brings Neck Wounds to Colored Woman

Tragedy was averted by a slim three-inch margin Saturday night when an enraged husband, in a blind fury, fired a shotgun at his wife, but hit a neighbor instead.

The man, Henry Hilton, colored, 40 years old, of Fourth and Arch streets, West Palmyra, is now in Burlington County jail, Mount Holly, after being held without bail on an atrocious assault and battery charge, preferred by the victim of the shooting, Margaret Harris, who lives next door to Hilton.

During the quarrel with his wife, Edith, Hilton had been wielding a stove-lid lifter with some effect, when a neighbor, hearing the noise, came in and took the weapon from him. His anger diverted for a minute, Hilton chased the neighbor out of the house, his wife in the meantime making her exit and going to the Harris home.

Hilton got his shotgun, went to the Harris place and demanded admission.

Angered by the refusal of Miss Harris and his wife to open the door, he hammered it with the muzzle of the shotgun, but with no effect. Then he kicked open the door and fired at his wife.

Most of the shot went wild. A few, however, grazed the Harris woman's neck. She was rushed to the Cooper Hospital by Palmyra police but was declared to be only slightly wounded.

Physicians say a difference of three inches in the place where the shot struck the woman would have resulted in her death, as the shot would have cut the jugular vein and windpipe.

Hilton, who had been drinking, returned home after the shooting. Palmyra police arrested him after his wife had told them of the shooting. The wounded woman is recovering.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr and Mrs. Harry C. Sim and family desire to express their appreciation of the many kindnesses extended in their recent bereavement, and to thank those who sent cars and flowers to the funeral.

RIVERTON POLICE RUN DOWN CLUE

Letter to Director DeLaney Names Slayer of Burns; Suspect Has Alibi

On January 21st Director of Public Safety Charles DeLaney received the following letter relativ to the death of Harry Burns, who was found in a dying condition in the garage of his uncle, Harry Sim, Sunday January 18th.

One seen running from garage was one that robbed Harry Burns is Joseph Bela sometimes writes his name Bailey, Jr. works at 1635 North 31 Phila tall, slim brown hair set in face hazel eyes criminal auto mechanic. Runs with crowd at Riverside.

H SHOMAIER.

The letter was turned over to Acting Chief of Police Miller, of the Riverton force, who immediately proceeded to investigate.

Monday, January 26th, with the aid of Warren H Murphy, detective on the homicide squad, Philadelphia, Joseph Bailey was located. Accompanied by New Jersey State Trooper Turnbull, Miller went to Philadelphia and interviewed Bailey at his place of employment. When Bailey was acquainted with the charges made in the letter he protested innocence and volunteered to come to Riverton in an effort to clear himself without the necessary extradition papers.

He immediately came to Riverton for questioning. H Shomaier residing at 6 Alden avenue, Riverside Park, the supposed signer of the letter was also communicated with and volunteered to come to Riverton for questioning. Detective Carabine from the County Detectives office, together with Charles DeLaney and acting Chief Miller interviewed both men. H Shomaier wrote a duplicate of the letter sent in the presence of all and upon examination not the slightest resemblance in the handwriting could be detected. Bailey proved conclusively where he was on the night of the Burns tragedy, and he and Shomaier were both cleared of any suspicion in the case and released.

Bailey, 24 years old, who resides with his father at 851 N. 22nd street, Philadelphia, is employed as head mechanic in the Williams Oil-O-Matic Oil Burner Company garage, and according to his employers is a good and trustworthy employee.

Either the estranged wife or mother-in-law of Bailey are alleged to have sent the misleading letter, forging the name of H Shomaier as the sender.

The result of the entire incident shows that the Riverton police department has worked diligently on the case and is leaving no stones unturned in its effort to locate the parties responsible for the death of Harry Burns.

SCOUT WEEK SET FOR FEBRUARY 6-13

Anniversary of Founding Will be Celebrated by Palmyra Troops

The Boy Scouts of Palmyra are preparing to celebrate the annual "Boy Scout Week", beginning Friday, February 6 and ending Friday, February 13, in observance of the twenty-first anniversary of the founding of the movement in America.

This week will be filled with interest to the scouts, and those interested in the scout movement in Palmyra.

Displays of handcraft, the work of the scouts, will be on exhibition; a Court of Honor will be held for the awarding of merit badges; a program pertaining to the scouts in the schools, as well as services in several churches, will be a feature of this week. The outstanding event will be the "Father and Scout" banquet to be held in the Methodist Church.

The Palmyra Boy Scout Counsellors' Association, as well as the scoutmasters, and scouts are endeavoring to make this week one that will long be remembered.

Various committees have been engaged for sometime past in arranging the events of the program for the week, and the result of their efforts presage a most complete and eventful week of activities.

Th parents of all the scouts, as well as all interested in scout activities, are cordially invited to attend these events, of which a complete program will be published later.

MRS. RIEGER'S MATERNITY HOME

Mrs. Rachael Rieger's Maternity Home, at 408 Main Street, Riverton, is conveniently located for residents of Riverton, Palmyra and vicinity.

Patients are under the care of their own physician. Arrangements can be made at any time.

IMPROVEMENT

The Williams and Wright Building on the corner of Main and Broad streets, Riverton, is receiving a new coat of buff paint. This, with the Collins building recently painted, will greatly improve the appearance of the business section.

Cleared!



JOSEPH BAILEY
Who was named in a letter as the robber of Harry Burns.

RIVERTON BOARD SPLITS ON BUDGET

Three Members Urge Cut; Tie Vote Decided by President Favors Increase

When the Riverton Board of Education met last Monday night for its final consideration of the budget of school expenses for the coming year, an effort was made by Messrs Mattis, Rutherford and Steedle, members of the board, to effect a reduction in several items in order to reduce the total which is over $4,000 more than last year.

As a matter of fact, however, it is really $5,000 higher than last year because this year only $1,000 remained to be paid on the temporary school building, which was erected to relieve crowded conditions in the main building, whereas last year $2,000 was paid on this item.

The members who were endeavoring to keep the budget down as much as possible contended that every effort toward economy should be made this year owing to business conditions. Their efforts to secure cuts, however, were unavailing and when the vote was called on the adoption of the budget as presented, Messrs. Shrader, Warren and Hemphill voted in the affirmative, and Messrs. Mattis, Rutherford and Steedle in the negative. Mrs C. P. Mayfield, president of the board, voted in the affirmative and the budget was declared adopted.

Of the increased amount $1500 is to cover the advance in tuition for high school pupils from $125 to $140 a year which goes into effect at Palmyra High School where most of the Riverton pupils are sent.

Details of Budget

Budget adopted January 26, 1931, by the Board of Education for the year 1931-32

School elections	$ 75.00
Expenses, Members Board of Education	100.00
District Clerk, salary	600.00
District Clerk, expenses	40.00
Custodian, salary	125.00
Principal, salary	4,000.00
Clerk, salary	850.00
Principal's expenses	150.00
Teachers, salaries	23,760.00
Text books, for pupils	500.00
Reference books, for pupils	25.00
Reference books, teachers	25.00
Supplies	550.00
Other exp. for instruction	100.00
Janitor, salary	1,650.00
Other employees	600.00
Janitor supplies	150.00
Fuel	1,600.00
Light, water and power	400.00
Telephone	75.00
Other exp for operation	100.00
Attendance officer, salary	200.00
Medical Inspector, salary	350.00
Medical supplies	75.00
Dental inspection, etc	200.00
Nurse service	300.00
Magazines and periodicals	50.00
Tuition, High school	14,000.00
Insurance premiums	25.00
Compensation Insurance	85.00
Repairs, etc	2,000.00
Manual Training, Teachers	1,650.00
Manual Training, supplies	500.00
Total	$54,910.00
Expenses to be voted for by the Borough	
Current expenses	$39,520.00
Repairs, etc	2,000.00
Manual Training	1,075.00
Total	$42,595.00
Anticipated revenue from State, tuition, etc	12,315.00
Total of appropriations	$54,910.00

West — VanSciver

Miss M Elizabeth Vansciver, daughter of Mrs Martha Vansciver, of Lippincott avenue, Riverton, became the bride of J Clifford "Jimmie" West, son of Mr and Mrs James T. West, of Fairview street, Riverside, Wednesday evening of last week.

The ceremony was performed at the rectory of the Sacred Heart Church, Riverton, by the rector, the Rev. Father Joseph A. Rigney. The couple's only attendants were Mr and Mrs Adolph Bright, of Garfield avenue, Palmyra.

The happy young couple are now enjoying a honeymoon in Washington, D. C., and upon their return will be at home to their many friends in this vicinity on Lippincott avenue, Riverside.

The bridegroom was graduated from Palmyra High School in 1929, while the bride attended Camden Commercial College. Both Mr. and Mrs. West are very well known in this section.

NEW LOCATION SUGGESTED FOR PUMP STATION

Citizens Fear Noise of Operation Will Annoy Patients in Hospitals

"VIRTUALLY NOISELESS" CLAIM FREEHOLDERS

Say Pump Will Not Be Nuisance, But Will Consider Objections

Women's Clubs and individuals from this section of Burlington County are objecting to the proposed location of the pumping station which is to be installed at New Lisbon to supply water for the county buildings.

At th meeting of the Burlington County Board of Freeholders last Friday, the Woman's Club, of Palmyra, was represented by Mrs W. R. Dunn and Mrs Edwin B Day, who urged that some other location for the installation be secured, preferably near the barns to the rear of the county buildings.

Letters along the same line were received from Mrs. Hetty Miller, C. C. Miller, Miss Helen Lippincott, Victor Ritschard, Mrs Charles Evans, of Riverton, and from William D. Lippincott, of Moorestown, former Judge of Burlington County.

The objections made were that the building would be unsightly and that the noise of operating the pump would annoy the patients in the hospitals.

Operation Practically Noiseless

Freeholder Charles R. Stout explained that the pump would be 350 feet from the county buildings while the sound produced in operation could not be heard more than 25 feet. He further explained that it was the proposition of the board to remove the unsightly brush wood which now surrounds the stand pipe, along side of which it is proposed to erect the pumping station, and to beautify the whole layout with a lawn and shrubbery.

Howard Ross, director of buildings, assured the visitors that their views would be carefully considered in determing where the pumping station should be located.

No Preventorium This Year

Mrs Daisy Hollingshead, executive secretary of the Burlington County Tuberculosis League, appeared before the board to ascertain just how the $1500 appropriated for preventorium work could be used, since the league would not be able to conduct its preventorium this year owing to the fact that the Parrish estate near Burlington, which has housed the children for several years, is no longer available. The secretary wanted to know if it would be permissable

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GIRL RESERVES

Those attending the weekly meeting of the High School Tri-Hi Club last Thursday were interested by several discussions which were introduced by Ruth Brown. Some of the discussions dealt with income taxes, capital punishment, ex-Kaiser of Germany and Russia.

The entire program was planned under the group lead by Jane Fowler. This group prepared the devotions, songs and a poster to be hung in the Methodist Church.

One of the important discussions of the evening dealt with membership. Rapidly increasing attendance will make it necessary to either form a new group or divide the present group.

Miss Beatrice Shippley, county officer of the Girl Reserves, was a guest of the club. Miss Shippley brought the names of the foreign girls with whom the Palmyra girls are anxious to correspond.

The girls are planning a dance to be given about February 14. No definite date or place has been set but plank are being made for that night with the hope of using the Palmyra YMCA building.

EDNA BARKER, Reporter.

Mrs. William J. Eisele

Mrs. Wilhelmin Eisele, aged 76, wife of William J. Eisele, passed away Tuesday morning at her residence, 604 Broad street, Riverton, after being ill three weeks.

Friends may call Thursday evening. Services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev. Harold Creager, of Palmyra. Interment at Odd Fellows' Cemetery, Burlington, under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

Mr. and Mrs. Eisele have lived in their Broad street home for about 38 years. There are four children: Miss Anna Eisele, Mrs F. E. Kern, Mrs M. F. Strong, who lives at home and A. J. Eisele, of Merchantville; also a sister, Miss Christine Wagner.

THE BLACK HAWKS

After a long basketball game, the meeting was called to order by Walter Smith. Jack Geiss led us in prayer.

Before the close, Mr Plank gave us a talk on courtesy.

After the talk we went into the gym and played a game called Bucky Joe, and then adjourned.

BOB TEEPLE, Reporter.

GREAT WORTH OF STATE POLICE SET FORTH IN REPORT

Department is Financially Profitable to Commonwealth Says Schwarzkopf

MADE 27,687 ARRESTS DURING FISCAL YEAR

Rural Traffic and Crime Problems Among Those Which Confront Troopers

According to statistics presented by Col. H. Norman Schwarzkopf, Superintendent of New Jersey State Police, in the Ninth Annual Report for his organization, covering the period from July 31, 1929 to June 1, 1930, his department is an asset to the state financially as well as in other more obvious ways. On the subject of the financial returns, he says:

"One of the important features of State Police work, wherein it differs from most other enforcement agencies, finds itself in the fact that large returns are made to state, to the counties and to the law-abiding citizens, by the State Police. These returns even greatly exceed the appropriations and moneys expended for the department. During the past year $865,843.55 was expended to cover all costs of the State Police and the department made a definite monetary return of $2,477,581.57 nearly three times the cost of the department."

"In the case of most enforcement agencies the public expects to spend large sums of money for protection and does not expect an extensive monetary return. These are the costs of protection and security, and it is not anticipated that these departments should make monetary returns to an extent even approaching the cost of the department."

Financial Return Is Feature

"Herein the first unique feature of the State Police asserts itself, because not only do we make returns in money and property, but also we extend many phases of service, prevention, protection, and security that cannot be computed as to their monetary value; and the facts warrant the statement that the State Police pays for itself a number of times over."

Col. Schwarzkopf states in his report that the New Jersey State Police department is confronted with a three-fold problem. The rural problem, the crime problem, and the traffic problem. He points out that in New Jersey we have a rural area in excess of seven thousand square miles, which is entirely, or to the greater extent, dependent upon the State Police for protection.

Residents of Burlington county, as well as all other South Jersey counties, should readily realize the magnitude of the task of properly policing the vast areas of sparsely-populated territory in this vicinity. Nowhere else in the state is the three-fold problem of the troopers more evident than hereabouts.

Many Problems Here

Our proximity to a metropolitan district makes the traffic problem and crime problem integral parts of general policing problem in Burlington county, along with the more evident rural problem, which in itself contains many individual phases. Protection of the farmers' crops from vandals, ranging from passing automobilists to organized gangs, is one function performed here which immediately benefits the rural inhabitants.

Aiding in the fighting of forest fires was a major function of the State Police in their rural activites in South Jersey last year. In this particular work, they cooperated with the State Forestry Department. During the year, the troopers assisted in fighting 262 forest fires.

Proper regulation and control of traffic in New Jersey presents a tremendous problem, this state being situated as it is, between New York and Philadelphia. Nearly all the main arteries of traffic in the eastern part of the United States run through this state.

Resort Business Congests Roads

Then, too, as Col. Schwarzkopf points out, one of our main industries is the resort business, and the tremendous influx of cars from other states on their way to and from these resorts, presents a traffic congestion not duplicated elsewhere in the country.

There are 208 members of the State Police Department. During the past year, Col. Schwarzkopf states, there were 27,687 arrests made. This is a very decided increase over the number of arrests made during the first TWO years of the State Police service, when only 5,300 arrests were made. The Colonel continues:

"Considering that we are not alone an enforcement agency but also a service agency, we instruct our men that in every case where they see a vehicle stopped on the side of the road, in trouble, they shall stop and inquire if they can be of service, unless of course, they are on an emergency case where time is a factor. During the year we were able to render assistance in 23,961 cases of this kind where people were in trouble on the road."

Activities Itemized

An itemized statement of the activities of the department, from July 1, 1929, to June 30, 1930, is given as follows:

Arrests, 27,687; convictions, 25,042; out on bail, 580; committed to jail for trial, 498; sentenced to jail, 1,953; dismissed, 379; lost on warrant, 1,188; turned over to other authorities, 660; out on bond to keep the peace, 102; out on probation, 206; suspended sentence, 3,180.

Fines	$314,938.00
Forfeited bail	8,950.00
Value of recovered cars	300,490.00
Value of recovered prop.	44,139.99
Value confiscated prop.	1,408,283.58
Value prop. saved from fire	400,750.00
Total	$2,477,551.57

Recovered cars, 509; number of complaints, telephone, 16,944; number of complaints, verbal, 4,443; number of warnings, 47,866; number of investigations 39,104; number of interviews, 353,926; first aid, 936; co-operative days, 13,861; number of accidents, 4,486; forest fires, 262; aid to travelers, 23,961; celebrations, 3,124.

MOTO-LECTRIC SYSTEM

Violet Ray, Perfume, Bath, Content Cows

The ultimate in catering to the bovine species has apparently been reached on a dairy farm in New York State which is completely electrified, comments the New Jersey Public Utility Information Committee. And if there is any truth in the theory that contented cows give more and better milk, the cows on that farm should be regular gushers.

According to the report received by the committee, the authority being a well-known illuminating engineer, cows in that dairy are provided with a grove of palm trees, artificially heated, through which they may wander and where they seem well content. Before milking time the cows are driven under a bower of flowers, given a warm bath, sprayed with perfume and their heads placed under ultra-violet rays. By that time they are in fine humor and ready to give a maximum amount of milk, which, it is said, they do.

YOUNG PEOPLE TO HOLD CONFERENCE

Ninth Annual All-Day Meeting Scheduled Saturday at Pemberton

Everything is in readiness for the ninth annual conference of the Young Peoples Division of the Burlington County Council of Religious Education to be held all day Saturday, January 31 at the Baptist and Methodist Churches, Pemberton, with the theme, "Meeting Christ's Challenge Today."

The conference will begin at 8 o'clock. The leader will be the Rev. E. H. Bonsall, Jr., Director of Young People's Work for the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Association.

Others who will lead discussion groups are Henry Reed Bowen, general secretary of the New Jersey Council of Religious Education; the Rev. R. J. Beazley, former executive secretary of the Burlington County Council and pastor of the Jobstown Baptist Church; Miss Charlotte Morris, John Turner and William Twiddy, members of the New Jersey Y. P. Council and delegates of the International Youth Council at Toronto.

The program for the day will begin with registration and the ice-breakers' reunion. At 9:30 o'clock, song service announcements, introductions and committee appointments. At 10 o'clock, Miss Hannah Stuart, of Beverly, will conduct a short worship service.

"The Challenge Comes to Us," an address by the Rev. E. H. Bonsall, Jr., will open the main part of the conference at 10:15 while at 10:40 discussion groups will be organized and continue until 11:45 when an assembly will be held consisting of songs and the open form. Luncheon will be served at 12:30.

The afternoon session will begin promptly at 1:30 with another worship service by Hannah Stuart followed by the Rev. Mr. Bonsall's second twenty-minute talk which will begin at 1:45 entitled, "Can You Meet the Challenge."

At 2:05 discussion until 3:10 when assembly will be held to report group findings, elect officers, and district meetings. Miss Mabel Howard, and Marguerite Thomson will have charge of the 4 o'clock recreation period.

The banquet at 6 o'clock will include songs, stunts and entertainments. After the banquet and final worship service will be held at 7:30 at which time the installation of officers by the Rev. R. J. Beazley and "The Challenge Begins" will take place by the Rev. Bonsall.

WIFE JAILED AS RESULT OF ACCURATE KNIFE-THROWING

An alleged knife throwing wife is in Burlington County jail at Mount Holly as a result of being a sure shot. She is Mrs. Elsie Wilson, 20, of Water street. Frank Wilson, 23, her husband, said she first heaved a poker at him and missed, but the table knife inflicted a three-inch cut in his leg. Wilson was treated in Burlington County Hospital and Recorder Joseph C. Kingdon, Jr., committed his wife to jail in default of $500 on a charge of assault and battery.

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YW MEETS NEED OF YOUNG GIRLS

Speaker Tells Advisors' Organization Adapts Activities to Current Problems

"The growth of the Y. W. C. A. and how it can meet the needs of adolescent girls," was the subject of a very interesting talk given by Miss Louise Holmquist, of New Hope, Pa., at a meeting of Girl Reserve advisers held at the home of Mrs. Edwin A. Russell in Moorestown, Monday evening of last week.

"The early Y. W. C. A.'s started over sixty years ago in many different cities and colleges in the country," said Miss Holmquist. "In the cities, women were concerned with providing proper housing for girls, and since then the association has been continually varying its activities to meet current problems.

"Under the leadership of Miss Grace Dodge, a strong national organization developed. Today the Girl Reserves are one of the most vital groups in the association, and in their club activities girls have a chance to face the many problems which their generation will have to deal with."

Miss Holmquist suggested that special emphasis be given to developing attitudes toward family life, world peace and unemployment.

Y. W. C. A. Music Program

Mrs. F. Wallis Armstrong entertained the music committee of the Y. W. C. A. and some of the club advisors and music chairmen at her home near Moorestown, on Saturday afternoon, January 24. Mrs. William Grobler, of Moorestown, who is the new music chairman in the association, discussed with the group the ways in which more music might be used in club groups.

The group also planned for a county-wide music celebration which will be held in the Moorestown Community House on Friday evening, May 8.

Other members of the music committee are Mrs. Daniel Wes Foldes, of Moorestown; Mrs. Clarence Davenport, of Mount Holly, and Miss Reba Troxell, of Burlington.

Club Notes

Mrs. Howard Wurst and Mrs. W. Storie Wuefelaer, of Moorestown, are the new advisors for the Lenola Y. W. C. A. Club. The girls met on Tuesday evening, February 20 at the home of Margaret Lodge, for a business meeting and social time with the new leaders.

The officers recently elected by the third Girl Reserve club in Medford, under the leadership of Mrs. Anna Bartlett, are, president, Lorena Brick; vice-president, Frances Hinchman; secretary, Amy Hunt; treasurer, Ida McClain; reporter, Ellen Mortimer; music chairman, Lois Kirby; game chairman, Frances Jennings; assistant, Helen Adams. At the next meeting the girls will make marble paper.

Beverly Girl Reserves will entertain the second Delanco Girl Reserve club Thursday evening in Beverly. Miss Lavina Kiple is the adviser in Beverly; Mrs. Arthur Pennington in Delanco.

Palmyra Girl Reserves are having a series of meetings to study the Girl Reserve code. Each meeting is followed by basketball practice.

The regular meeting of the Girl Reserve High School Council will be held in Burlington at the Y. W. C. A. club house at two o'clock Saturday, January 31.

Miriam Pickard, of Mount Holly, president of the Girl Reserve High School Council, and Phyllis Kemble, of Delanco, vice-president of the council, together with Beatrice Shipley, of the county Y. W. C. A., attended a meeting at the Camden Y. W. C. A. Friday evening, January 23, to make plans for a large Girl Reserve conference which will be held in Camden all day Saturday, February 14.

A young fellow in Oklahoma appears to have suffered from a Jekyll-Hyde complex. He was a college student, football star and Y. M. C. A. leader by day—and a hijacker by night. Again illustrating that there isn't much in a name, the youthful bandit is William Jennings Bryan Goodman.

PAY HEAVY FINES FOR DISORDERLY CONDUCT

Philadelphia Men Penalized $17.25 and Costs Apiece After Arrests at Lenola

Two Philadelphia men paid heavy fines for disorderly conduct when given hearings before Recorder Joseph W. Johnson in Moorestown Town Hall Sunday. They were Stanley Buchanan, 751 South Front street, and Frank Smith, 134 Kenilworth street, and they were fined $17.25 and costs each.

The men were arrested on Lenola Road by Officer Bruce MacDonald. Two speeders were penalized $5.00 and costs apiece at hearings before the recorder. They were John Leskey, Morrisville, Pa., arrested by Officer Walter A. Errickson, and John Coffin, New York city, arrested by Chief of Police John H. Bradshaw.

CENTRAL AIRPORT, AIR-RADIO CENTER

New Machinery Gives Camden One Of Most Complete Services In Country

Installation of elaborate new telegraph typewriting machinery, with code and voice two-day radio equipment for Transcontinental and Western Air, gives Central Airport, Camden, one of the most completely equipped weather reporting services in the country.

In addition to the U. S. Department of Commerce's northern and southern telegraph circuits, the Ludington Line and Eastern Air Transport maintain their own machines.

BORDENTOWN PLANS 250th ANNIVERSARY

Committee Expects To Have "Old Ironsides" Anchored in River During Celebration

The citizens of Bordentown, one of the oldest towns in the county, are making plans for the proper observance of the city's two hundred and fiftieth anniversary next fall.

One of the plans of the committee is to have the U. S. S. "Constitution," "Old Ironsides" anchored in the river off the city during the week.

Dr. Robert E. Seivert, Rev. Robert Williams and Andrew A. Wevat are members of the executive committee and they will ask the city to appropriate a sufficient sum of money to take care of the expense.

COUNTY POTATO GROWERS ON SELECT LIST IN THE STATE

One of the features during the State Agricultural Week will be the awarding of medals to 20 potato growers who have been successful in their efforts to produce 300 or more bushels of U. S. No. 1 grade potatoes last summer. Four men in Burlington County will receive this award on January 29, when the N. J. State Potato Association meets for its annual meeting.

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OF THE YEAR
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CAMDEN CO. GIVEN MUCH PARK LAND

Half of System Donated Without Cost, Burlington County Sponsors Say

More than half of the entire park system of Camden County has been donated free of cost, it is pointed out by the steering committee of the Burlington County Parks Council which is now in the process of effecting a county organization to sponsor a Burlington County park program similar to the systems now in operation in other New Jersey counties.

Donated land in the Camden County system now totals 282 acres. A significant fact, it is pointed out, is that this land is of equal value per acre to the land that was purchased. The entire system totals 532 acres. The principal park areas are located in Camden, the Cooper River valley, Haddonfield, extend to headwaters of the Egg Harbor River at Berlin and in Gloucester along the Delaware. The park commission is now planning extension to this system.

All units in Camden county are being planned so as to fit in later with a county-wide system of open-spaces that will unite all parts of the county by a system of beautiful park drives and walks. The completion of the system will be many years in the future. Also projected into the future is a recreational drive from Camden to the seashore by way of the Cooper and Great Egg Harbor River valley. The present units at Berlin and along the Cooper River are planned to fit in with this ultimate system.

Burlington County Park Council members point to the fact that wherever county park work has been carried on it has resulted in improved social conditions and higher real estate values.

Mrs. Addie May Hooper, a sailor's wife of Memphis, introduced a photograph album of her husband, showing his sweethearts in different world ports, which resulted in her receiving a divorce.

NEW STOCK ISSUE

Public Service Issuing Rights to 344,013 Shareholders

Public Service Corporation for New Jersey will mail on February 28, to its preferred and common stockholders, rights to buy their proportionate share of an issue of 344,013 shares of $5 Cumulative Preferred Stock without nominal or par value. The additional issue was authorized by the corporation's board of directors at a meeting held January 20.

Stockholders of record as of January 31, 1930, may subscribe at $97.50 per share, at the rate of one share of the new issue for each twenty shares of common or preferred stock owned. Stock may be paid for in full on March 31, when rights expire, or at the rate of $10 per share on March 31 and $10 a share each month thereafter until paid for.

Shares unsubscribed for by stockholders will be used in future popular ownership campaigns and for other financing.

HORTICULTURAL BODY TO MEET IN TRENTON

In connection with Agricultural Week the N. J. State Horticultural Society will conduct a fruit and vegetable program this Friday, January 30. The meeting will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Building at 2 South Clinton Ave., Trenton.

The fruit program will start at 10 a. m. with a talk by Charles D. Bayton, Marlton, on "The New Jersey Peach Growers' Opportunity."

A special vegetable program will open at 10 a. m. on the second floor of the Y. M. C. A. building with an illustrated talk by C. H. Nissley of the N. J. Experiment Station, entitled, "How To Grow Vegetable Plants."

At 11 a. m. a program of special interest to tomato canners and greenhouse tomato growers will be conducted.

The afternoon session will be a combined fruit and vegetable meeting starting at 2 p. m., with Wells A. Sherman speaking on "The Effect of Standard Grades on the Marketing and Distributing of Fruit and Vegetables."

CO. SCOUT DINNER FRIDAY EVENING

National Field Director to Speak at Meeting in Burlington

Plans are now complete for the sixth annual meeting of the Burlington County Council, Boy Scouts of America, M. A. Shaw, county Scout executive has announced.

The meeting will be held in connection with the dinner which is to be staged by the county council in the Pearl Street Chapel of the Burlington Presbyterian Church this Friday evening, starting at 7 o'clock.

Arrangements for the dinner and meeting have been in the hands of a committee representing the larger towns of the county with Edward A. Mechling, of Moorestown, as chairman.

The chief speaker will be Arthur Schuck, of New York, national field director of Boy Scouts of America. Other features on the program include reports on the 1930 work by council heads and chairmen of the various county committees, election of officers and reports on the finance campaign by H. M. Wall, Edgewater Park, president of the county council.

Senator Clifford R. Powell, of Delanco, chairman of the county civic service committee, will act as toastmaster at the dinner. Music will be furnished by the County Y. M. C. A. orchestra and singing will be led by Alfred Deyo, of Moorestown.

SUICIDE ATTEMPT LEAVES MAN IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Anthony Valenti, 23, of Chambers Corner, near Mount Holly, was admitted to the Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly, Sunday, in a serious condition as a result of his attempted suicide. The young man fired a .38 caliber pistol at his heart but the bullet sank through a rib. He pulled the trigger three times but only one bullet entered his body. He is believed to have been despondent as a result of ill health. He was alone at the time and left no note concerning his intention.

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CANDIDATES FOR SCHOOL BOARD

Donaghy, Snyder and Mrs. Lippincott Endorsed by Committee

The annual Palmyra School Election will be held the evening of Tuesday, February 10, with the polls open from 7 to 9 o'clock, at which time the annual budget and three school directors will be voted upon.

The three directors whose terms expire are William A. Donaghy, clerk of the board; Charles W. Davison, the board's president, and Mrs. Marian L. Mallory.

Mr. Davidson, who has been active in school affairs in Palmyra for the past fourteen years, is retiring from office and will not be a candidate to succeed himself. Both Mrs. Mallory and Mr. Donaghy are to be candidates again.

Pick Three Candidates

The Palmyra Citizens' Committee which took such an active and successful part in last year's school election has announced three candidates which the committee is supporting on the highly successful record which the school board has made for itself during the past year.

The candidates which have the endorsement of the Citizens Committee are Mrs. A. H. Lippincott, of Morgan avenue; William A. Donaghy, of Pennsylvania avenue; and George B. Snyder, of Leconey avenue.

Mr. Donaghy has been a member of the Palmyra School Board for 25 years and is rated as being one of the best-versed men in school laws and school management in the county.

Mr. Snyder and Mrs. Lippincott are newcomers in school affairs, but both are well known throughout the town.

Mr. Snyder has long been prominently identified with the town's athletic movements and its fraternal organizations.

Mrs. Lippincott has served as county committeewoman from the fourth district and has taken an active part in the women's activities and organizations of the borough.

Wilson Chairman

When the citizens committee met to consider the matter of selecting candidates, Richard E. Wilson, of Morgan avenue, was chosen chairman and John V. Koenig, of Horace avenue, was selected secretary and treasurer. Both men have filled their positions very efficiently and creditably.

Nominations of possible candidates were asked from all those present and a dozen or more names were suggested. These citizens were approached as to their willingness to make the race and discussions were held as to the availability of the various suggested candidates. At length a vote was taken by the citizens present, with the selection of the Lippincott-Donaghy-Snyder ticket resulting.

The great progress made in Palmyra school affairs during the past year was especially emphasized at these meetings. The two most outstanding accomplishments of the school board were:

All school children of Palmyra are now enabled to attend their classes on full time. For eight years preceding 1930 there were part time classes with resulting loss of educational opportunities for the children, great inconvenience to their parents, and loss of effectiveness in the teaching force, due to the fact that the teachers of the part time classes also served only part time, although receiving full pay. Now all teachers are on full time with the result that a smaller number of teachers are required to handle a larger number of pupils than ever.

School Tax Reduced

This improvement was brought about with an almost negligible expense to the taxpayers, through the utilization of space in the buildings which had been available heretofore. No new school buildings were necessary.

The achievement for which a great many citizens are even more thankful is the reduction of the school budget, which had been steadily climbing for a number of years. A reduction of $7,484 for next year has been accomplished, which means a tax saving of 22 cents per hundred. This together with a similar saving accomplished in borough affairs by the Mayor and Council gives Palmyra one of the greatest tax rate reductions this year known anywhere in South Jersey.

The following has been set forth as the platform of the Citizens Committee's candidates:

One Year of Real Progress

All school children on full time.
Rooms rearranged for greater convenience.
Building space used efficiently.
Cafeteria improved—Fire hazards lessened.
Efficient teachers retained.
Teaching methods harmoniously improved.
Increased income from outside pupils.
Budget reduced $7,484.10 for 1931-32.
School tax reduced 22 cents per $100.
Real co-operation between Council and School Board.
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P. O. Dept. Revises Local Mail Routes

Changes in the routes of the Palmyra mail carriers have been made by order of the Post Office Department and not by any request by Palmyra authorities, Postmaster George I. Harvey said yesterday.

Since the routes have been changed several complaints have been made by persons on the several routes, but Mr. Harvey is powerless to act in the matter. Additional territory on one route has necessitated the changing of all of them, with less efficient service as a result.

Mr. Harvey hopes to add an additional carrier to the present force but must wait in order to have his plans approved by the higher officials of the Post Office Department.

Speaking of the change of location of the Post Office, he stated he did not think it would be as soon as was previously expected. Inclement weather has delayed alterations on the new site at 516 Cinnaminson avenue and the change will probably not be made until April 1.

SUPERINTENDENT OF WATCH CASE CO. DIES

William W. Finley, 75 years old, a former Palmyra resident, and a superintendent of the Keystone Watch Case Company, Riverside, passed away at the home of his son, William F. Finley, in Haddonfield last Friday morning.

Mr. Finley, a former resident of Philadelphia, had been employed by the Watch Case Company for 46 years, starting under their employ in Philadelphia, and later working for the firm in a branch office in Newark, N. J., and finally coming to Riverside in the summer of 1923, making his home in Palmyra until last year.

He was the superintendent of the solid gold department at the Riverside plant, and was well known among watch manufacturers for his designing of cases. Indirectly he was the cause of the success of the Riverside organization. Zurbrugg, founder of the Keystone Company, served for many years under Mr. Finley in Philadelphia and it was then that Mr. Zurbrugg received his basic knowledge of watch case manufacture.

Political leaders in Philadelphia will remember Mr. Finley as a factor in politics at the time when former District Attorney John Monaghan entered his political career.

He was a past master of Michael Arnold Lodge, F. & A. M., and for many years was a member of the Artisans. Funeral services were held in Philadelphia Monday afternoon, with Masonic rites held in Hillside cemetery. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Belle Finley, and one son, William F., of Haddonfield.

ARTISANS HONORED

Palmyra Assembly Places Two Members in Position of National Importance

With the close of the recent membership campaign conducted by the Artisans throughout the country has come several honorary appointments to offices of high rank in the Order.

Palmyra Assembly has been honored with two appointments. Howard Vile, Master Artisan during 1930, received the appointment of Most Excellent Chaplain of the entire Order.

Together with Mr. Vile's appointment comes word that Howard Alloway, also a past master of the Palmyra Assembly, is a member of the Artisans' Extension Committee.

The Palmyra organization is singularly honored in having two of its members receive nation-wide prominence. The fact that the assembly far exceeded its quota in introducing new members has had much bearing on conferring these honors.

The appointments of the Palmyrians was made public at the regular monthly meeting of the assembly held last week.

When the negro pastor of Rutland, C., went on alleged chicken-stealing expeditions, he neglected to change his shoes, one of which left a round imprint, according to Ohio police.



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Subscriptions Will be Collected Tomorrow and Saturday For Drought Relief

Palmyra has been asked to raise $1,200.00 as its share in the quota to be collected for the American Red Cross, which has been called upon to meet one of the greatest emergencies of peace time, the feeding and clothing of last summer's drought sufferers.

Envelopes were distributed here the early part of the week and will be collected tomorrow and Saturday by the members of the committee.

Those in charge of the drive for funds in this vicinity are: Ex-Mayor James T. Weart, chairman; Hon. Frank A. Mathews, Jr., secretary; and Mayor George N. Wimer, treasurer.

Members of the committee who will distribute envelopes and collect subscriptions are as follows: Leonard R. Baker, William Branson, C. Nevin Buchholz, C. Morris Beck, Edward Bennett, Howard Conover, Melvin Cromwell, George B. Clover, Ted D'Autrechy, Frank L. Durgin, Jr., William Engle.

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Harry B. Williams, James T. Weart, George N. Wimer, James M. Weart, Enoch Williams, William Wright, Arthur Wright, and Mrs. Annie J. Weart.

There are men, women and children actually starving in the seventeen states that are already being given drought relief. Four other states are in the drought area and may require help before long. One of the many letters received by the Red Cross said in part, "There are eight of us in the family—six children, ranging from seventeen months to fifteen years. We have had to sell everything to get bread, and are just about at the end. We are so thinly clothed and poorly nourished that we can't stand the winter."

Another instance of the dire need of relief—In one county where there are normally 300 school children, there are only 40 in school now, and only three of these had lunches on the day the health officer was present.

The Red Cross is making an urgent appeal for assistance and is earnestly asking the co-operation of everyone in making the drive a success. Contributions may be left at 15 East Broad street at any time.

Tired of his wife, Alex Grosheim of Muscatine, Ia., proposed to trade her to his best friend for seven hogs, a dozen chickens and a dog.

Robber "Squeals" on Pals After Failing To Get His Share of Loot

Man Arrested by Pensauken Police Names Several Philadelphians as Accomplices in Confessing Robbery in Palmyra on December 1

The identification of thieves who robbed the establishment of Robert Armstrong of Palmyra, December 1, 1930, was revealed Sunday when Pensauken police arrested John Woods, 24 years old, 2435 Forty-sixth street, Pensauken.

Woods was first arrested on suspicion in connection with the robbery of a drug store in Pensauken a week ago. Officer Willis Perkins, of Pensauken, found the young man spending money freely although he had been out of work for some time. He arrested the man Friday night but was unable to obtain a confession from him. Woods was released only to be re-arrested Sunday after a truck, also stolen in Pensauken, had been found in Philadelphia together with several clues which connected Woods with the crime.

Further questioning after his second arrest led to his signing a full confession of his participation in several robberies. His confession mentioned several accomplices, Morris Hummelstein, 1917 North Thirteenth street, Philadelphia, and George Kulpke, also a Philadelphian, who participated in both thefts. John Thomas and two others whose names were not disclosed, as taking part in the Palmyra robbery.

Woods, confessing the Palmyra crime, said he and his companions went to the Armstrong place on the night of December 1, drank several glasses of beer and then left the place. Woods remained outside while Hummelstein and the others returned, bound Armstrong and another man in the place, and then rolled out five barrels of beer, whisky and other loot.

They attempted to move their loot in a truck which was outside but when they were unable to start the engine they were forced to abandon the beer. Piling the remainder of the loot in one of the sedans which they had brought to Palmyra, they took it to Hummelstein's Philadelphia apartment.

Woods said that all were supposed to have received an equal share of the loot. In previous robberies the money stolen had been divided evenly but his associates had kept his share of the remaining booty from him on pretense of being unable to sell it. In the Palmyra robbery Woods said the thieves had divided the 23 quarts of whisky and the money, of which his share had been $13, but he had not been paid his share for the radio, slot machine and other plunder which the gang had taken.

He said he had become "tired of their stalling" and gave this as the reason for his "squealing" on them. Police are still seeking the Philadelphians.

DON'T MISS THIS!

"The Prickly Prince" Visits Bookland" and "The Gift of a Child" will be presented by the children of the Junior Epworth League of the Epworth M. E. Church, Friday evening, February 13, at eight o'clock. Please help the children earn the money to send to India for the support of little "Maxwell Malih" in the school of Mrs. Stanley Jones. —Adv.

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Cranmer had driven but a short distance when the animal started jumping around in the truck. The boy tried to hold on by keeping a tight grasp on the rope. Finally the calf gave a sudden jump and pulled the boy off the front seat.

The father made a grab for his son and lost control of the car, which went into the ditch and upset. No one was injured.

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TAX SURVEY COMMISSION'S PROPOSALS

"A program of reconstruction, which is suggested for the correction of defects in local government and the control of local expenditures," is offered in the third section of the State Tax Survey Commission's report.

One of the proposals for the reform of local government machinery looking to reduction of costs and taxation, is the simplification of the structure of local government.

The commission offers two alternative plans.

One would strengthen the counties and minimize the local communities; the other would recognize the dominantly urban character of the most populous areas of the state, by separating the cities from the counties and permitting the cities to annex such contiguous arears of rural territory as become urbanized as population expands over the municipal boundaries.

The aim of both arrangements is to reduce the number of tax-assessing, tax-collecting and tax-spending units, both would involve extensive transfers of functions from local governments to county, regional or state administration.

While the commission may be right in the matter, it seems that the state directly or through the county is continually taking power from the local government, but reducing costs have not resulted. Many of the local and county expenditures are governed by the state. Many of the local and county regulations are made by the state.

Municipalities should "be from Missouri" and demand that they be shown how it will benefit them before they submit further loss of power and identity. The individuality of communities should be preserved as far as possible and it is doubtful that the state could operate a community any more economically or efficiently than it does under present methods.

DIG THE NICARAGUA CANAL

There could be no better time than the present to begin the work of constructing a canal across Nicaragua, connecting the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. It would provide work at good pay for tens of thousands of workers for years to come, and it would benefit every part of the United States.

The Panama Canal has proved a great success. It is earning more than its upkeep, and in time will have repaid its cost. But it is already being used almost to capacity and shipping men are wondering how long it will be before it is inadequate. Some people are talking of a plan to dig the Panama Canal deeper, to make it a sea-level passageway. But that would take as much time as to build a new canal across Nicaragua, and would cost as much money.

Under a treaty between the two nations, the United States and Nicaragua, ratified in 1916, we have the perpeual right to construct the Nicaragua canal and to operate it, as well as to fortify its approaches. Army engineers who have been surveying the route have finished their task and will shortly make a report which will indicate that it is entirely feasible. As soon as that report is in its hands, Congress should authorize the beginning of construction.

The Nicaragua Canal will be 350 miles shorter—a whole day's steaming—than the Panama route between New York and Pacific ports. It will save 550 miles and two days between New Orleans and Los Angeles. It will further reduce the cost of transporting passengers and merchandise between our two coasts, and will expediate the transfer of our naval forces from one ocean to another in case of war. Morever, it will bring the five Central American republics into closer touch with the United States and thereby tend to remove much of the ill-feeling, born of ignorance, which exists toward us in those regions.

Those are some of the arguments in favor of the Nicaragua Canal. We cannot at the moment think of a good argument against it.

TODAY and TOMORROW

HUMIDITY

The hot-air furnace is coming back into popularity, partly because it has been improved so that it is not the dust-spreader which it used to be, and partly because it is the simplest means of warming a house with air which is properly humidified. The most recent improvements in furnaces provide a water tank twice as big as used to be thought necessary, with the result that less fuel is needed to keep the house temperature comfortable. Humid air always feels warmer than dry air at the same temperature.

The most modern factory and office buildings have no windows which can be opened. All of the air breathed by those occupying them is drawn through a water bath to wash it and humidify it, heated or cooled to the same temperature the year around and pumped by fans into every room, while other fans draw out the foul air. Some day this system will be available for dwellings and we shall all live more healthfully.

WORRY

It's an old saying that worry kills more people than work ever did. Now comes Dr. William Mayo, famous surgeon of Rochester, Minn., and points out that doctors, especially surgeons, die from heart disease because they worry about their patients and suppress their emotions.

Most people worry about something. Worry is the little sister of fear. Most of us are afraid of things which we need not be afraid of. More people are afraid of making a bad impression on others than of any other one thing.

The secret of long life, apparently, is to do nothing which will give cause for worry later on. But if we were all wise enough to do that this would be a different sort of world than it is.

UNEMPLOYMENT

One lesson which we have learned from the present condition of unemployment is that industry and society are not yet organized to take care of emergencies which throw people out of work. Many able minds are working now on plans which may prevent such wholesale unemployment in future.

It is certain that we can prevent the recurrence of similar emergencies only by closer coordination of all industry and business, so that production in private enterprises and development of public improvements can be planned ahead of a long-time schedule.

ALASKA

It won't be long before there is a motor highway all the way from Seattle to Fairbanks, Alaska. The commissioners appointed by the President to study the feasibility of such a road have made some interesting discoveries about Fairbanks. It is exactly half way around the world from Petrograd, Russia, and only a little farther north. It is nearer to Japan and the Philippines than Honolulu is.

An extremely interesting map of the "top of the world" has been published in this connection by the U. S. Department of the Interior. It shows how the world would look if you could view it from a point directly above the North Pole. Anybody who wants a copy of that map can get it free by writing to Chief Clerk, Department of the Interior, Washington.

Alaska is going to be one of the important regions of the United States in time, and it is worth anybody's time to study it now.

WIND

German scientists have discovered that the effect of high winds on vegetation is to retard growth. Trying to find a way of protecting fruit trees, bushes, vegetables and flowers from the effects of wind, they tried screens made of ordinary wire netting such as is used for fly-screens. The effect was remarkable. The screen lets enough air through but breaks up a gale into a gentle breeze. It does not need to surround the plants, but only to protect them on the windward side.

Vegetation protected by screens of this sort are reported to have grown fifty per cent faster than those unprotected and to have yielded larger crops.

Editorial Comment

The High Sheriff

You may not know it but the high sheriff of a county has very great authority. Commenting upon the fact that a new sheriff had been appointed in Somerset county by the governor, the New Brunswick Home News reviews the duties and powers of the sheriff.

"In the first place," says the Home News, "he is the chief police officer of the county and cannot be arrested by any other police officer, that power being invested solely in the hands of the coroner. In one respect at least he is above the Governor who appointed him.

"Under the constituted law of New Jersey and under the ancient common law of England, whence came the fundamentals of American law, the sheriff is the absolute master of the peace, although few now exercise that right and privilege except in the greatest emergencies like general riots.

"In case of a riot the sheriff can take any step he sees fit and proper to restore peace. He can call out the militia but the governor cannot send the militia into the county without his request or consent.

"The sheriff of the county, you will agree, is clothed with a great deal of power. This may help you to understand why the western press thinkers so often make him appear supreme."—Hunterdon Democrat.

WAY OF LIFE
BY
BRUCE BARTON

Trying To Get More Than There Is

This is the story of two men who are now about forty-five years old.

They graduated in the same class at college. One of them came to New York and took the first job he could get, which happened to be in the stock-room of a large corporation. He lived in an attic, did his own washing, and fought tooth and nail. After a while, as the business grew and older men dropped out, he was promoted, until he is now a vice-president. He has a home in the suburbs, and a fine family, and is accumulating a comfortable fortune.

The other young man was equally attractive and talented, but he had a different idea.

Said he: "I'm not going to be tied down. Why waste the best years of life in a stuffy office? I'll wander around and see the world while I am young; there will be plenty of time for work later on."

Well, he has wandered around the world. He has been to interesting places, had romantic adventures, met unusual people. Now he is through with his travels, and at forty-five wants to settle down.

But, though the other man has tried to help him, it is almost impossible. He knows no trade, has mastered no tools, has no business experience to offer. He is out of life, and he can't get in.

He thinks that Fate has played him a mean trick. He envies the success of his friend, and he is tending to grow bitter.

All of which suggests that much of the trouble in human affairs comes from trying to beat the game—from trying to get out of life more than there is in it.

"The gods," said Emerson, "sell everything to men at a fair price."

They sell business success, but the price is several tough years of work.

They sell pleasure and adventure, but the price of these is also measured in years.

They sell the thrill of speculation, but the price is that few win and many lose; and even the winners often sacrifice their nervous systems and their health.

They sell family life; and they sell divorce.

Any man may choose the thing that he wants to buy, but no man may choose them all.

And whoever makes his choice—and then wakes up to regret that he did not choose otherwise—is in tough luck. We can be sorry for him, but we can not do much to help.

Dr. R. F. Bowman of New York was granted a divorce after he told the court that his wife smashed his radio, violin and dental apparatus and had bitten him more than 50 times before she deserted him.

Thru the Eye of a Needle

By JAM URRAY

With that new bridge coming along and all, we were going to say something about Bristol, but what would Mr. Grundy say?

One thing we would like to know is this: Will it be the Burlington Bridge or the Bristol Bridge?

Calling it the Delaware River Bridge would have the same effect as putting another John Smith in circulation.

And, besides, that, we think both sides should insist on having a big bridge partiity.

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Don't You Believe It or Not!

A ten-pound piece of lead dropped from the roof of the Empire Building, New York City, would be completely melted by air friction before it hit the ground.

Deer and other antlered animals use their horns to hang food on for use when the ground is covered with snow.

The compass points due south the other side of the equator, and there is a place in S. A. where the needle spins so fast it drops off—that is why so many South American explorers are lost.

A pearl dropped into a cup of vinegar will be dissolved completely, but when alkali is added it will assume its former attitude.

Sometimes we think small towns are OK, but there are times when we would like to live in a big city so that we could wear spats without being accussed of wearing two pairs of pants.

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Tools found when old building is torn down in Mount Holly were turned over to Lieutenant of Police Goldy and are under lock and key. What's the matter—afraid someone will use them?

Yankee Boodle

A great big gangster's settled down,
His name is Al Capone;
He's goin' to be a business man—
And this is the baloney.

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By the way those number barons are "beating" jail, we are moved to say that the phrase "there is safety in numbers" is quite correct, no doubt.

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"Chevrolet Dealer Sees Big Year Ahead"—headline. Darned if he ain't right! But we predict a bigger one next year—366 (count 'em).

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Anyone knowing the wherabouts of Judge Crater kindly notify the writer of this column so we can collect big reward.

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"Township Committee Tables 11 Bills."—headline. "Thar holdin' them thar bills."

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"Burlington Schools Increase in Value."—headline. You understand, of course, that means property value.

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"200 Middies Have 'Flu'."—headline. Shows what rapid strides aviation is making in this country.

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Epictaffy

Oh, heave a sigh and shed a tear,
The bones of Jim are lying here;
He rests below in sad repose
'Cause he tested liquor with his nose.

The divorce decree which I. J. Smith of Springville, Ia., won from his wife provided that Smith could take his choice of either hiring her as a housekeeper at $5 a week or paying her $5 weekly as alimony.



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To be *near while the* Shadows descended

Death hovered close over the bedside of the head of the family in New Jersey . . . Wife and children were 1,100 miles away, in Florida, seeking to conquer distance and time, to be near while the shadows descended . . .

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PALMYRA NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Eula L. Roach, 430 Delaware avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mildred C., to Earl H. Naylor, of Burlington.

Mrs. Joseph Griffenberg has been seriously ill at her home on Spring Garden street.

Mrs. Harold B. Lever and son, "Sonny," are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. West, of Morgan avenue. Mr. Lever will spend the week-end here.

Mrs. Ralph Whartnaby and children, Ralph and Betty, are spending the week with Mrs. Whartnaby's parents in York, Pa.

Mrs. George B. Snyder, of Leconey avenue, is on the sick list this week.

Miss Anna L. Bates, of 620 Garfield avenue, is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Ward, of Belleview avenue, East Riverton.

The St. Agnes Guild of Christ Church, Palmyra, will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Richard K. Hunter, 309 Leconey avenue, Monday evening. A large attendance is hoped for.

The regular business meeting and social of the In-As-Much Bible Class of the Epworth M. E. Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Miller, 12 Henry street, next Tuesday evening.

The Community Welfare Association of Palmyra, Riverton and Cinnaminson acknowledges with thanks the receipt of the following contributions: The "Y" Club $7.10; Junior Department Central Baptist Sunday School, $16.00; Grenfell B. Y. P. U., $3.00.

Mrs. Dean H. LeFavor, of Morgan avenue, and her mother Mrs. John H. Patterson, of Stonehurst, enjoyed the weekend in Atlantic City.

The Girl's Friendly Society of Christ Church, Palmyra, will hold its annual bazaar in the Parish House Saturday afternoon and evening, February 14. Tickets including ice cream, ten cents.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Independence Fire Company, No. 1, Palmyra, will hold a card party in the Fire House on West Broad street Thursday evening, February 5. Admission fifty cents. Everybody welcome.

Camp No. 3, P. O. of A. will give a card party in Society Hall this evening. Friends are invited to be present.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Lutheran Church will serve a sauer kraut supper in the Church basement Saturday evening, February 14th.

The evening of music which was to have been presented by the Palmyra Woman's Club in the Lion's Den, Society Hall, Monday evening, January 26, has been postponed until Monday evening, February 23. All members are cordially invited to be present at that time.

Covenant Chapter, O. E. S. will present a minstrel show in the P. O. S. of A. Hall Saturday evening, February 14. The date has been changed to the 14th instead of the 21st, owing to the fact that the P. H. S. Senior play will be given in the High School on the latter date.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the I. O. O. F. held its luncheon at the home of Mrs. Eula Roach, of Delaware avenue, last evening. The ladies spent a very delightful evening.

A dramatic recital will be presented by Miss Elsie Rielley in the Christ Church Parish House Friday evening of next week.

The marriage of Miss Emma M. Murray, of Drexel Hill, to Edwin D. Lees, of Washington avenue, has been announced.

The Dramatic Club of the First Lutheran Church met at the home of Mrs. Rasmond Walling, of Morgan avenue, Tuesday evening.

"The Gift of a Child" will be presented by the children of the Junior Epworth League Friday evening, February 13, in the Epworth M. E. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Parsons attended the Business Men's Banquet held in Fernrock, Pa., Tuesday evening.

Warren Lamon, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Lamon, of Cleveland avenue, is confined to his home with an attack of grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Carroll, of West Broad street, spent the week-end with relatives in Baltimore, Md. Mrs. Carroll's father, Mr. Hotzschaugh, returned with them Sunday for a short visit.

James Hallowell, of West Broad street, is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Rivel, of Garfield avenue, entertained at cards Saturday evening.

Mrs. Helen Davies entertained her bridge club Thursday afternoon of last week.

William Bonsall and William Kleme, former Girard College students, attended the graduation exercises held at the College Thursday evening.

Mrs. Grover Fox, of Cleveland avenue, is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gottschalk, of Horace avenue, were visitors in Darby last Sunday.

Bert Ward, of Leconey avenue, was confined to his home with an attack of grippe last week.

The members of the Monday evening Sewing Circle were entertained at the home of Mrs. Harold E. Davis, 2509 South Cleveland street, Philadelphia, this week.

Mrs. Harvey Fisher has been ill at her home on Morgan avenue this week.

The Ladies' Aid of the Fifth Lutheran Church will sell clam chowder in the church basement Saturday morning. Thirty cents per quart. Orders may be phoned to Riverton 551-J.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. W. Field spent the week-end with their daughter, Mr. Harold E. Davis, of South Philadelphia.

Mrs. Joseph Abdill and Mrs. Gilbert Comegys gave a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Abdill, of Garfield avenue, yesterday afternoon. The luncheon was given for the benefit of the new building fund of the Central Baptist Church. About thirty ladies were present.

MEDFORD ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mickle are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Julia, at their home, Saturday of last week.

The Woman's Auxiliary of Union Fire Company held its January meeting in the fire house, on Tuesday evening.

Medford Grange will conduct a food sale in Grange Hall, Saturday afternoon, January 31, at 2 o'clock. The proceeds will be used for the repapering and painting of the stage in Grange Hall.

Mrs. Wintal Mingin, who suffered an attack of appendicitis recently and was confined to her bed for several days is now able to be about the house.

Harry Davis, machinist, returned home Thursday from Baltimore, where he attended a school of instruction on the Deering Tractor.

Frank Worrell, who resides in Vincentown, has purchased the property of the estate of his brother, William Worrell on Cherry street.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Dyer had as their dinner guests last week James Jeffers, of Philadelphia, and William Vansciver, and daughter, Emily, of Beverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Kirby entertained at a dinner party, followed by cards at their home recently. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grigg of Rahway and Mr. and Mrs. Abram Stackhouse, of Ocean Grove.

Walter McClain is confined to his bed suffering with influenza and bronchitis.

The Rev. W. A. Burch and a party of nineteen of the M. E. Church choir and members, attended the "Passion Play" Friday at the Metropolitan Opera House, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Philip Mingin was taken to the Cooper Hospital, Camden, on Sunday of last week, where she is under observation. Mrs. Mingin has been in a very nervous condition for some time.

Medford has been asked to raise $450 for Burlington county's share of the Red Cross fund being raised for drought victims in the Middle West. Marlton's quota is $.25. The county is endeavoring to raise $14,000. The campaign opened Saturday. Mrs. J. W. Garwood is local treasurer. The committee requests that all donations be made before February 1.

LENOLA

Mrs. Clara Wilkins entertained the members of her card club at her home on Camden avenue, Thursday evening of last week.

The Parent Teacher Association of Lenola school held its regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Pettipas, of Second street, entertained at dinner on Sunday evening in honor of Mr. Pettipas' sister, Mrs. I. J. Landry, who is visiting from Nova Scotia, Canada. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Downs of Mercersville, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Silvea, of Brooklin, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. M. Merz, of Maple Shade, and Mr. Margaret Shuster, of Lenola.

The Lenola group of the Y. M. C. A. recently elected as officers for the coming year: William Miller, president; Willis Dawson, vice-president; William Petroski, chairman; Earl Miller, secretary; Robert Tomlinson, treasurer, and Robert S. Wilson, Jr., news reporter. The regular meeting was held on Monday evening at which time three new members were admitted. They are Malcolm Deschleau, Howard McCrae and Elmer Austermund. A visitor entertained with games and the leader, John Alden, gave a talk on swimming. Many good times are being planned by the boys for future meetings.

MOORESTOWN

Miss Ledora Branin has been away from school this week and is confined to her home, suffering with tonsilitis.

Mrs. Clara Haines is recovering from an illness which started with an infection, following the extraction of a tooth.

County Engineers, H. B. Smith and F. Littell Branin, Freeholders J. Lloyd Wright and James McCormick and Stewart MacFarland attended a "road reinvention" held in St. Louis last week.

Mary Simons, who has been off duty from the Burlington County National Bank for the past three months, due to illness, is some improved and has been at the bank for a few hours each day for the past week.

Miss Eleanor Ross recently entertained Miss Gertrude Burke, Miss Sara McIntyre, of Philadelphia, Miss Margaret Monohau of Tacony, and Miss Ethel Williams of West Collingswood.

The Moorestown Hi-Y Club played Marlton Comrade YMCA group in basketball on Thursday evening. The Marlton second team also entertained the Delanco Hi-Y.

The Moorestown Community House pool was again host to the YMCA groups from various parts of the county on Tuesday night of last week. Over sixty boys accompanied by adults enjoyed the use of the pool and participated in a swimming meet.

Albert Richardson, a former resident of Moorestown who is now making his home in California, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Albert Richie, of Chester and Oak avenues.

Robert Taylor, of South Washington avenue, entertained the members of the Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church, on Tuesday evening of last week.

Joseph Schiltz, operator of an independent bus line between Moorestown and Philadelphia, Monday night asked Merchantville borough council for permission to open the doors of his buses, in that borough. Council referred the request to the transportation committee. Schiltz has asked the same permission from Pennsauken township.

Mrs. Harriet Stewart, Miss Josephine Benner, Joseph Gale and Herman Shotwell spent Sunday with friends in Landsdowne, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Collins, of Chester avenue, will entertain at a dinner on Thursday evening. There will be covers laid for twelve guests.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Stokes, of East Main street, left on Saturday to motor to Lake Wales, Florida. They were accompanied by Mrs. Stokes' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Moore, of Germantown.

Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Davidson, of Camden avenue, will entertain at dinner on Saturday evening.

Levando Pond has discontinued his Moorestown taxi service and has taken a position in Philadelphia with A. C. Haines' glass store.

Mrs. Horace Beltzel, of East Main street, has been confined to her home for some time with an attack of grippe.

Mrs. B. Hubert Cooper, of Kings Highways, entertained a number of the foreign students of universities in the vicinity of Philadelphia, at tea on Sunday. There were thirty-two guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan W. Powell entertained the officers and teachers of the Baptist Sunday School on Monday evening. There were eighteen present.

Miss Rebecca Oses, of Oak avenue, entertained at dinner for eight on Wednesday evening of last week. The dinner was followed by bridge.

Miss Myrtle Lare, of Newark, is being entertained as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Tiger, of East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Madden, and children, of East Second street, motored to Bronx, N. Y., on Sunday to visit Mrs. Joseph O'Niel.

Several Moorestonians were among the guests entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh B. Miller, of Edgewater Park, at dinner, dancing and cards at Medford Lakes in the Pines on Thursday evening.

DIVULGES FORMULA FOR JERSEY FARM PROSPERITY

Farmers of New Jersey only need to grasp advantages within reach to make their agriculture as prosperous as that of any other competing section of the United States," according to Prof. H. J. Baker, director of the extension service, New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station. Such an objective can be attained, he points out in a summary of the agricultural situation in New Jersey, "by improving production methods so that we can produce and deliver to market our crops and livestock at costs no higher than those of our competitors, and by taking full advantage of our nearness to profitable markets."

To pay an election bet, Albert Crockett was forced to push a wheelbarrow loaded with coal from his home town of Peoria to Chicago, a distance of 175 miles.

LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

EPWORTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

J. William Lee, Minister

Rev. Kenneth Cornwell will be in the pulpit at both morning and evening services. In the evening the topic of the sermon will be, "Can a Jayhawk Preacher From Kansas Find Happiness in New Jersey."

Music for the day is as follows:
Morning service, 11:00 o'clock.
Prelude—"Sunrise", Diggle
Anthem—"Send Out Thy Light", Gounod
Offertoire—"Bells of Aberdovy", Stewart
Postlude—"Solace", Pease
Evening service, 7:45 o'clock.
Prelude—"Calm As the Night", Gaul
Anthem—"Arise and Shine", Maker
Offertoire—"Memories", Demarest
Postlude—"Allegro Pomposo", Galbraith

The Boy Scouts are planning to hold their annual banquet February 12 in the gymnasium. The food will be prepared by the ladies of the church.

A congregational dinner will be held February 18 with an excellent program following.

A great deal of rivalry exists in the Sunday School for leadership in attendance. Superintendent Leon C. Guest has been very well pleased with th attendance during the past few weeks. Despite illness and cold weather there have been about 400 coming to the meetings Sunday mornings.

The Wesleyan Men's Class extends an invitation to all men of the town to meet with them in their new class room. This service starts at the same time as the Sunday School session, 10 o'clock.

The Rev. J. William Lee, who has been in the Methodist Hospital for several months is expected to be home very soon. He was rendered a surprise last Sunday afternoon when several members of the Methodist choir paid him a visit in the hospital and sang many of his favorite songs.

MORAVIAN CHURCH

Albert J. Harke, Pastor.

The Sunday School meets at 9:30 a. m. The attendance is still on the increase.

The regular morning service at 10:40 with the pastor in charge.

The evening service will be in charge of the Christian Endeavor societs. An interesting program of special music with a guest speaker has been planned for this service which is a part of the observance of the 50th anniversary of the founding of Christian Endeavor.

This Friday evening is men's night. The committee in charge promises an splendid program for the meeting and the social hour will feature one of those hard fought and intensely exciting series of baseball games to decide the champions of the evening. All men and older boys are cordially invited.

BAPTIST

Rev. George Lockett, B. D., Pastor

Bible School at 10 o'clock, with classes for all ages. Come and enjoy the study of God's word.

B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:45 p. m. A lively meeting for young people.

Grenfell B. Y. P. U. Friday, 7:30 p. m. Boys and girls of intermediate age.

Preaching Service 11:15 a. m., followed by Communion. Subject, "The Lord Cometh."

Evening Service, 7:45 p. m., Gospel song service and sermon subject, "The Success of Prohibition."

A hearty welcome awaits you at all our services.

The Philathea Class held a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Joseph Abdill on Wednesday.

The choir will hold its annual supper and business meting tonight.

The B. Y. P. U. won the attendance banner at the County county rally.

Calvary Presbyterian

Charles T. Bates, Minister

Calvary Presbyterian Church will observe the Lord's Supper at the morning service of worship, at 11 o'clock. At this time those desiring to unite with the church will be received into fellowship. All departments of the Church Shool will meet at 10 a. m. Vesper Service at 5 o'clock—forty-five minutes of worship. Christian Endeavor Society will meet at 7 o'clock. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, February 4. This meeting will be followed by the Women's Missionary Society at 3:00 o'clock. The Ladies' Aid Society announces a food and apron sale for March 27. Mid-week service—Wednesday, March 4, at 8 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Love" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 1, 1931.

The Golden Text is: "The Lord hath appeared of old unto me, saying, Yea, I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with loving kindness have I drawn thee" (Jeremiah 31:3).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Be kindly affectioned one to another with brotherly love; in honour preferring one another" (Romans 12:10).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The tender word and Christian encouragement of an invalid, pitiful patience with his fears and the removal of them, are better than hecatombs of gushing theories, stereotyped borrowed speeches, and the doling of arguments, which are but so many parodies on legitimate Christian Science, aflame with divine Love" (p. 367).

EPISCOPAL

Rev. G. J. McCormack Rector.

How many universities have sent your children back.

A little matted by what they know,
and much by what they lack?

It is deliberately intended to promote a plot and I earnestly hope to have you for a fellow conspirator. I am a revolutionist against the abuse of modern learning in the interests of infidelity. Our perfectly good communicants go off to perfectly good American colleges, and come home perfectly good agnostics.

Not a bookstore but it is lined with one volume, inexpensive, popularity written texts such as "The Believing World" seductively displaying their superficial bluff at scholarship with deadly effect, while all the true modern learning is absolutely on our side. This is a foreword to a new book "Common Sense About Religion" and reminds me of the old college days where one had egg seemed to have an uncanny power for evil. "Prove all thing," says St. Paul "hold fast that which is good."

The annual vestry meeting took place on Monday. Election results: Wardens, Messrs. E. W. Borer, B. S. Torbett; vestrymen, Messrs. William Munro, William Branson, William Whiteside, Clinton F. Rhoads, R. C. Holmes.

Delegates to the Diocese Convention, E. W. Borer, C. F. Rhoads, R. C. Holmes. Alternates, Messrs. B. S. Torbett, W. Munro, H. Pfeil.

The monthly business meeting of the St. Agnes Guild of Christ Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Richard K. Hunter, 309 Leconey avenue, on Monday, February 2. A full attendance is desired.

The G. F. S. will hold its annual bazaar in the parish house on Saturday, February 14. Tickets 10 cents including ice cream. Tickets may be had from members or from Mrs. G. T. McCormack.

There will be hand worked fancy goods, home made cakes and candy, foodstuffs, notions and the candidates will have a table of hand made and other goods.

A door prize will go to the holder of the lucky number.

Mrs. B. S. Torbett will serve an attractive light luncheon. We hope all our friends and neighbors will help the excellent work that our G. F. S. girls are carrying on.

Elsie Reilley will give a recital in the Parish house at 8:15 p. m. on February 6. This is the second of our talented young G. F. S. girls who will furnish us with a delightful evening.

Services 4th Sunday After Epiphany. Church School, 1:00 a. m.

Holy Communion Sermon, "The Ordered View of Life" 10:45 a. m.

Evening Sermon, "Seeing I Believing" 8:00 p. m.

A diamond ring she lost two years ago was recovered when an old bird's nest near Mrs. James Strong's home in New Orleans was blown down.

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CHRIST CHURCH
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Rev. Arthur S. Lewis

Holy Communion, 7.30 a. m.
Church School, 10.00 a. m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11:30.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00 p. m.

Epworth M. E. Church
J. William Lee, Minister

10.00 a. m. Church School.
11.15 a. m. Morning Service.
6.45 p. m. Epworth League
7.45 p. m. Evening Worship.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8.00.
Wed., 8 p. m., Mid-Week Service.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Craeger, Pastor

10.00 a. m. Sunday School.
11.15 a. m. "What Is Christian Work?"
7.00 p. m. Luther League.
8.00 p. m. Illustrated Lecture on "The Passion Play."

Calvary Presbyterian Church
Riverton, N. J.
Charles T. Bates, B. D.

Church School, 10 a. m.
Morning Service, 11 a. m.
Midweek Service Wednesday 8:00 p. m.
Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock.
Vesper Service 5:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
First Church of Christ, Scientist
Thomas Ave. and Seventh St.
Riverton

Sunday School 9.30 a. m.
Sunday services, 11 a. m.
Subject "Love."
Wednesday 8 p. m.
Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2:30 to 4.30 p. m. All are welcome.

ROBOTS MUST HAVE "BOSSES" JUST AS ORDINARY FOLKS

Just when the world in general was pretty well satisfied that things were going to be efficiently looked after by mechanical devices, known as robots, along comes the General Electric Company and tells us that robots make mistakes just as us ordinary mortals do, comments the New Jersey Public Utility Information Committee. In fact, robots must have "boss" robots to check up their work and correct it when it goes wrong. The fact that robots were "human" after all was established in a Pittsburgh factory where an automatic machine developed a tendency to let the paper slip a little as it went through the feeding roll. A supervisor robot with an electric eye was put on the job as an efficiency expert and immediately corrected the error so that the wrapping machine did accurate work within the desired margin of one-sixteenth of an inch and at the rate of seventy-two wrapped cartons a minute.

EARNINGS OF PUBLIC SERVICE ON INCREASE

Jump of $1,075,238.94 Shown By N. J. Corporation for Year Ending December 31

A comparative statement of combined results of operation for the twelve months ending December 31, 1930, issued by Public Service Corporation of New Jersey shows for the corporation and its subsidiary companies gross earnings of $138,161,946.59 as against $137,086,707.65 for the twelve months ending December 31, 1929, an increase of $1,075,238.94.

Operating expenses, maintenance, taxes and depreciation for the period were $94,751,602.14, a decrease of $504,337.24 leaving a net income from operations of $43,410,344.45 as against $41,830,768.27 for the twelve months ending December 31, 1929, an increase of $1,579,576.18.

Other net income amounted to $2,744,677.08 and income deductions to $15,991,719.50, the balance for dividends and surplus being $30,163,302.03 as compared to $29,544,617.30 for the twelve months ending December 31, 1929, an increase of $618,684.73.

Miss Anna C. Johnson

Miss Anna C. Johnson, 79 years old, died at her home on Holly avenue, Maple Shade, on January 19, following a lengthy illness. She was taken with a severe attack of grippe some time ago and never fully recovered.

Funeral services were held from her late residence on Thursday afternoon of last week, with the Rev. M. R. Palmer, pastor of the Mount Holly Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was made in the Mount Holly cemetery.

Miss Johnson had many friends in this vicinity. She belonged to one of the old families in Vincentown. Her former home was in Mount Holly, where she was also well-known.

She is survived by three sisters.

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NAVAL AIRPORT RUMOR DENIED

Moorestown People Relieved by Congressman Bacharach's Statement

In a telegram to Louis T. Klauder, president of Moorestown Improvement Association, Congressman Isaac Bacharach sets at rest the rumors that the removal of Lakehurst naval air station to the vicinity of Moorestown was in contemplation. Mr. Klauder's telegram and Congressman Bacharach's reply follow:

Mr. Klauder's Telegram: "It is reported that there is in contemplation the removal of the Lakehurst Air Station to Moorestown. In order that only intelligent action may be taken in connection with such report I would greatly appreciate advice from you as to the correctness thereof this particularly in view of the fact that the matter will come before the local civic group for discussion Tuesday evening."

Congressman Bacharach's reply: "So far as I am able to ascertain no branch of the Government is interested in the establishment of an airport at Moorestown. The Navy Department has no thought of transferring its activities from Lakehurst to another part of New Jersey."

The Improvement Association is now investigating the dirigible activities over Moorestown, which have given rise to these rumors, and while it is hoped to report at an early date the facts in this case, says a statement from the association, present indications are that the recent aircraft visits are in connection with certain air surveys in and around Philadelphia under the direction of the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce.

"The disposition of the Lakehurst rumor," says Mr. Klauder, "precludes the possibility of an airport being thrust upon Moorestown against popular desires."

ED. NOTE:—According to current rumors, options, which expire April 1, have been taken on several farms on the Union Mill Road, between Mount Laurel Road and South Church street. Although much mystery surrounds the transaction, it is believed that some lighter-than-air project is involved, for a small tower, containing instruments to test the velocity of wind and climatic conditions, has been erected on the Watson farm.

Michael Carey

Michael Carey died at his home on West Second street, Moorestown, Tuesday morning. He suffered a sudden, severe stroke about ten days before his death and never recovered.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning, with high solemn requiem mass solemnized at 9 o'clock at the Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel. The Rev. Father Rudden, rector, will officiate. Interment will be made in Mount Carmel cemetery.

Mr. Carey was a retired farmer. He had lived all his life in Moorestown and vicinity and was widely known in the community.

He is survived by his widow and six children, Mrs. William Conroy, Miss Anna Carey, Miss Jule Carey, Mrs. Donald Donovan, William Carey, and Joseph Carey, all of Moorestown.

O'Brien — O'Donnell

Miss Frances O'Donnell, of Palmyra, became the bride of James T. O'Brien, of Moorestown, at a very attractive ceremony performed in the Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Maple Shade, by the Rev. John C. Farrell, on Thursday morning of last week, at nine o'clock.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Michael F. O'Donnell, of Maple Shade, and the bridegroom the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. O'Brien, of North Church street, Moorestown.

The altar of the church was beautifully decorated with carnations, snapdragons and lilies.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a lovely gown of white satin, with tulle veil and chantille lace train. Her shower bouquet was of white roses.

Miss Alice C. O'Brien, sister of the bridegroom, attended Miss O'Donnell as maid of honor. Her gown was an attractive blue French crepe model. She wore biege slippers and hat and carried pink roses.

Thomas J. O'Donnell, of Palmyra, brother of the bride, was best man. Joseph O'Brien and Thomas F. Gallagher, both of Moorestown, acted as ushers.

A breakfast was served at the bride's home following the ceremony.

The young couple left on a wedding journey to western Pennsylvania and Ohio. They will be at home at 158 South Broad street, Woodbury, after February 2.

The bride is a graduate of Rider College. Mr. O'Brien is a graduate of Penn State College and is a member of the Phi Kappa fraternity. He is now manager of the Woodbury branch of Stokes Seed Company.

RIVERSIDE MAN IS JAILED ON WOMAN'S COMPLAINT

Harry Treman, of Riverside, is in the Burlington County jail at Mount Holly, committed Thursday night in default of bail and a fine, when he was arraigned before Riverton Borough Police Recorder Cecil A. Bowers on three charges of disorderly conduct, assault and battery, and carrying concealed weapons. Treman was arrested by State Troopers Turnbull and Rohner, of the Delanco state police barracks, on the complaint of Mary Erard, of Rancocas road, South Beverly, against whom the alleged duct, assault and battery, and carry- Arraigned before Bowers, Treman was fined $10 and costs on the disorderly conduct charge, and was held in $250 bail on each of the other charges.

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EDITORIAL

It is a joy to be a child on a happy summer day with butterflies flitting here and there and the busy bees doing their work with nobody to look after them, going where they please. There are numberless mysteries connected with these creatures and if you keep your eyes open, you might solve some of them. The answers pop up in the most amazing way and in the most unexpected places. To understand nature it is necessary to study the many creatures and flowers. You will find it is enjoyable both in school or wherever you are to delve into the secrets of nature.

SKY STUDY STRIKES SIX A

Six-A boys and girls have become interested in the study of the sky. Just now the moon and the sun have caught their attention. They have made five posters for sky study. For references in nature and science work, they are using such authors as Lewis, McFee, and Trafton, or any books they may have at home.

Since the topic for geography is "Switzerland," they have made a collection of articles that were made in Switzerland, among these are a house, modeled after those of Switzerland, a pipe rack and a carving of a Swiss work shop which contains miniature tools, and a little carving representing the workman's project. These carvings are very unique, and everyone is invited to come see them.

MANY CONTRACTS COMPLETED

Contract work seems to appeal to the fifth grade children by the number who have completed their contracts. By examining the charts one can easily see the standing of each child. The children who have completed four subjects are Marie Haines, Marie Zimmerman, and John Wallace; three subjects, Eleanor Friday, Christine Ridley, Doris Steedle and Richard Coe; two subjects, Robert Dunlap, John Willis, and Robert Mathews; one subject, Frederick Freeman, La-Lora Cottman, Charles Wallace, Robert Gowell, Lois Bontiff, George Troutman, Betty Baker and Dorothy King.

GIRLS DANCE FOR ASSEMBLY

It has been too cold to have physical training outside, so the girls have been having it in the auditorium.

They have been using the Indian clubs, and it is a very pleasing sight to see in what good form all seventh and eighth grades swing their clubs.

Last assembly three groups of girls gave the Norwegian Mountain dance. They are going to learn a new folk dance next week.

Miss Gardiner's class built an airport on their sand table. The children built hangars out of wood and took the backs of their tablets and painted them red to represent the roofs. They made all kinds of airplanes, too.

BUILDING A GOLF COURSE

A miniature golf course is being made in the third grade room. Each child is taking part in the work by making hazards and arranging them. Their hazards are to be made of cardboard. There are to be bridges, ponds, and houses. The holes are to be made of thimbles. The boys are to bring marbles for balls.

CHILDREN JOIN LIBRARY

Miss Gardiner's class visited the Riverton Public Library last Wednesday afternoon. The children were shown where they could find the children's books. It was explained to them how to take out books. Before the class left seven children joined and took books with them to read.

An honor roll has been started in Miss Gardiner's room. Anyone who finishes his work on time and reaches the standard of achievement is put on the honor roll.

An interesting competition game was carried on one day this week. The following children remained in the game the longest: Anna May Wolfschmidt, Bolton Elwell, Charles Hook, Betty Turner, Ruth Lowden, Jimmie Ford, Louis Clelland, Charles Hook was the winner.

The children had a doll play called, "Red Feather." They dressed dolls and showed how Red Feather hunted and fished.

NEW LOCATION SUGGESTED FOR PUMP STATION

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to set the money aside toward a building fund for a permanent home for the preventorium. She was informed by the board that since the money was appropriated for the children it was the opinion of County Solicitor Wells that it could not be diverted to other uses.

Mrs. Hollingshead said that the League had some thought of sending as many children as could be financed to Farmingdale this summer, and was informed that the money given by the county could be applied to their board.

Ford Sedan for County Detective

On motion of Prosecutor Howard Eastwood the board passed a resolution authorizing the purchase of a Ford sedan for use of the county detective's office.

The county tax budget was adopted with the revisions as made at the previous meeting.

Freeholder Heisler offered a resolution which was passed authorizing the county board of taxation to employ two clerks at $5 a day, the total amount not to exceed $200 and another resolution authorizing the county to borrow in anticipation of taxes not to exceed the amount due June 15.

The report of the Burlington County Sinking Fund Commission was received and filed.

The clerk was authorized to advertise for bids for 120 mattresses for use in the Fairview Sanitorium, and the county engineer was instructed to prepare specifications covering the number requirements of the bridge department and to advertise for bids for this material.

Bridge Will Be Rebuilt

A request to have the Marigold Bridge between Wading River and New Gretna rebuilt was referred to the Director of bridges.

On resolution of Mr. Stout, the Public Service was granted permission to erect 13 poles on the Lower Bank road in Washington Township.

Final steps were taken in the abandonment of the Batsto road between Wading River and Green Bank where a new road was run in order to remove a dangerous curve.

A request from Shamong Township to have 3-4 miles of road between Jackson's Bridge and Small's corner taken over by the board was referred to the Director of Roads.

Camden County sent a communication asking the Burlington County Board to take over and improve the Atsion road in order to better serve the traffic which starts on the Camden County end of this highway. The petition was received and filed.

Wants Caissons for Funerals

Frank S. Absalom, commander of the Burlington County Department of the New Jersey American Legion, asked the county to buy a two gun caissons to be used in funerals of war veterans. The communication was received and filed and Director Russ stated that no funds were available at this time.

A resolution was passed authorizing the payment of salaries of county officials and employees as follows:

Salaries of County Officials

Freeholders (5 at $4,000)	$20,000
County Judge	5,000
Court Stenographer	2,100
Court Crier	1,400
Prosecutor of Pleas	4,500
Detective Parker	4,000
Sheriff	6,000
Deputy Sheriffs (2)	4,400
Turnkeys (2)	2,640
County Clerk	6,000
Surrogate	6,000
Deputy Surrogate	2,000
Clerk of Board	3,100
Auditor	1,800
Treasurer	2,800
Solicitor and Clerical Help	3,500
Engineer	3,500
Supervisor of Roads	3,000
Janitor	1,600
Probation Officer	1,200
Clerk of Tax Board	2,000
Sealer of Weights and Measures	2,200
School Superintendent Stenographer (Miss Carter)	1,300
School Superintendent Stenographer (Mrs. Kaser)	1,200
Bridge Drawtenders	4,740
County Adjuster	800
Sup't Burial of Soldiers	300
Steward of Almshouse	1,500
Physician County Insane Asylum	1,000
Sup't County Insane Asylum	2,600
Physician Almshouse	700
Detective's Stenographer	1,380
Surrogate's Stenographer	1,200
Surrogate's Clerk	900
County Clerk's Office Employes	13,740
Board of Elections (4 members)	2,700
Jail Physician	300
Clerk of Grand Jury	500
Sheriff's Stenographers (2 @ $750)	1,500
Engineer's Stenographer	1,500
Prosecutor's Stenographer	1,200
Ass't County Engineer	2,900
Jury Commissioner	750
Detective's Ass't	2,600
Detective's Ass't	2,700
Fire Marshal	500

These salaries all remain the same as they are.

The following bills were ordered paid: Finance, $1,071.71; Roads, $5,557.48; Bridges, $3,080.08; Public Buildings, $17,308.89, and Public Affairs, $3,945.50.

Local Governmental Reorganization For Lower Costs, Taxes Recommended

Tax Survey Commission Urges Prompt Action on Certain Proposals as Essential to New Jersey's Economic Future

Reorganization of New Jersey's local governments, "in the interest of lower costs and lower taxes," is essential to the state's economic future, the Tax Survey Commission insists in the concluding chapter of its first report, which has now been published. It is characterized as "the biggest and most important question before the citizens," and "bigger and more important than the need, interest or privilege of any group, section or party." Fundamental changes such as are required are not lightly to be made, the commission concedes, but it is added that a desperate need exists for "consistent, serious, non-partisan study of the ways and means of accomplishing the result."

The program of reorganization put forward in the report "is recognized to be broad and sweeping in its scope," but this is justified by the situation found to exist, which in the commission's judgment "is such as to demand a plan of reconstruction which will cut deeply into the causes of local waste and inefficiency." Time will be required "to develop and apply all the changes and modifications involved in a transformation from the 'horse and buggy' age to the modern age of the motor, the telephone and the radio," and "there must be opportunity for full examination and criticism of these proposals and for general participation in the development of an acceptable solution of the problem." The program now suggested is in no sense final, but is submitted with an invitation to debate and with a welcome for criticism which shall be based upon a thorough consideration of the facts and figures presented and the logic of the conclusions drawn.

The final chapter of the report differentiates between measures which can be put into effect by local action and those which require more fundamental treatment by legislation. It also divides the proposals into those which can and should receive early action and those which must be deferred for more mature consideration and discussion.

Immediate Action Urged

Immediate attention to the recommendation for establishing co-operative action between state and local units for the standardization of local services and costs is urged. This would follow reorganization of the state department of municipal accounts, one of the measures proposed by the Abell Commission. The report offers a bill which would create in the department a division of municipal standards and costs and define its duties, obligations and restrictions. The division would prepare the requisite standards of service and costs for the various departments and services of municipalities and counties on the basis of cost accounting and other reports, and by means of conferences with municipal authorities and recognized experts. It would recognize local differences and other fluctuating factors by giving reasonable flexibility to the standards adopted. These would be subject to revision from time to time. They would not be made obligatory upon the municipalities, but the local budgets would be required to show, in parallel columns, a comparison of the standard costs for any service with those actually proposed by the authors of the budget in the particular community.

Immediate or early action on certain suggestions involves principally decisions as to policy. These include: (1) determination of the extent to which the local system of government can be passed through the melting pot without constitutional changes, and where such changes are found to be necessary, preparation and submission of appropriate amendments for consideration; (2) definite inauguration of the proceedings required to perfect and apply a plan, with the purpose of focusing both popular and legislative attention upon a clear objective; (3) determination of the type of regional government which should be established to meet the need of larger and more efficient responsibility for services which logically must be transferred to such units.

COUNTY FIREMEN BUSY DURING 1930

Number of Alarms Answered in Year Was 624, Fire Marshal Smith Reports

Burlington county fire companies answered 624 alarms during 1930, according to the annual report of William J. Smith, county fire marshal. Smith read the report at the annual meeting of the Burlington County Firemen's Association in Delran Fire Hall. More than 200 delegates representing 32 companies, were in attendance.

Prof. Aaronson Bell, superintendent of Delran township schools, gave the address of welcome. Other speakers were Charles E. Burr, of Bordentown, treasurer of the New Jersey State Firemen's Association; David A. Newell, fire marshal of Mercer county and former Chief Peter B. Carter, of Camden, treasurer of the International Fire Chiefs' Association.

The Burlington County Fire Chiefs' Unit has issued a notice to firemen to break up the habit of drivers of automobiles interfering with fire apparatus at fires. Firemen going to fires in their own cars are urged not to park cars in roads or driveways. It has been found through license numbers that some of the cars belong to firemen.

Mrs. Charlotte E. Harman

Mrs. Charlotte Elizabeth Harman, mother of Mrs. F. J. Chegwidden, of West Second street, Moorestown suddenly died in Vincentown, Saturday, January 17. She was 82 years old.

Funeral services were held from the home of her son, Ethelbert, of of Providence, R. I., on Wednesday, January 21, and interment was made in Oak Grove Cemetery, Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

Mrs. Harman had been making her home with her daughter in Moorestown for the past two years, until recently when she was removed to a private sanatorium in Vincentown.

She is survived by three sons and two daughters, Charles Harman, of Canada; Ethelbert and Harry Harman, of Providence, Rhode Island; Mrs. George Alexander, of Pawtucket, Rhode Island, and Mrs. F. J. Chegwidden, of Moorestown.

TWO VERY GOOD JERSEY COWS COMPLETE RECORDS

Victor's Lady Plymouth, a 3-year-old Jersey heifer owned by H. H. Lippincott, of Riverton, has just completed an Advanced Registry test, and produced in 305 days, 7876 pounds of milk and 382.82 pounds of butterfat. Oxford Carrie 2d is the other Jersey owned by Mr. Lippincott, which started her record at just 2 years of age, and produced in 365 days, 6868 pounds of milk and 370.16 pounds of butterfat.

With so many prisoners already that he doesn't know what to do with them, Sheriff Pannett of Winchester, Va., is appealing to the people to behave themselves and stay out of jail.

MONEY SAVED BY DISTRICT COURT

Clerk Evans Shows Work Would Have Cost More in Higher Courts

Oliver E. Evans, of Riverside, Clerk of the District Court of the First Judicial District of Burlington County, has given out an interesting resume of the costs of the first year of operation of the Court of which Frank A. Mathews, Jr., of Palmyra, is judge.

For the first year, ending June 30, 1930, the total outlay by the county amountey to $6,470.35, the figures being as follows:

Salaries, including those paid during the organization of the court and prior to its opening $5,717.00

Permanent equipment and printed forms ($1,848.45) averaged over five years, 20% charged to first year of operation $369.70

Current expenses and supplies, $384.65.

Total expense to County for the first year of operation $6,470.35

Cash returned to County by Court for fees $2,371.78

Total $4,098.57

This difference of $4,098.57 does not represent a loss to the county for the court during this period, because there were 826 cases instituted which were disposed of as follows:

Cases instituted during first year, 826.

Cases tried or otherwise disposed of, 485.

Cases discontinued, 80.

Cases settled, 114.

Cases marked "Not Moved", 65.

Cases not disposed of at end of year, on trial list or in which service could not be made, etc., 82——826.

A total of 55 cases were tried, involving amounts of more than $200, which would have gone to higher courts had not the District Court been in existence. Figuring that only 15 of these cases would have taken a whole day to be tried, and the other 30 cases a half day each, they would have consumed 35 days of the higher court's time.

Trials in the upper courts can hardly take less than half a day. By the time the jury is drawn, counsel opened, witnesses examined and cross-examined, arguments and summing up made, a much longer time is required even by comparatively trivial cases.

A panel of at least forty jurors would have to be called each day, at $5.00 each, costing the county $200 per day, without considering the cost to the county of constables fees and other incidentals.

For 35 trial days the total cost would therefore be in the neighborhood of $7,000, so Mr. Evans estimates that the District Court has saved the county nearly $3,000. He said further, "I state these figures not in any sense in an attempt to justify the existence of the court, or that it is in any sense essential that it should cost the county absolutely no money or make money in order to justify its existence, but simply because I think that the taxpayers of Burlington County have a right to know the exact situation of the Court after its first year of operation, so far as finances are concerned, it being a new institution.

"I can also say that the total number of cases brought before the court at the time this statement is given out has now reached well over thirteen hundred which will give some indication of the extent to which attorneys and litigants are utilizing the court, particularly when compared with the number of cases brought in the three upper courts of common pleas, circuit and supreme combined, and when it is realized that the justices of the peace, under the act creating the court, still retain all their original civil jurisdiction, and it is to be reasonably supposed that numerous cases have been brought before them involving amounts of less than $200.00."

RESOLUTION PASSED

Favors Movement to Establish Parental Home for Juvenile Delinquents in County

At the monthly meeting of the Burlington County Democratic Women's Club, held at the home of Mrs. Mervil Haas, Palmyra, January 14, there was a resolution adopted to further the movement to institute a Parental Home in Burlington County for the Juvenile Delinquents.

In this county, at the present time, there is no provision made for disposal of these cases properly in keeping with existing conditions.

There will be a large number of members attending the luncheon to be held at St. Mary's Hall, Burlington, Monday, at which Mr. Gates, secretary National Probationers Association, spoke in behalf of this worthy and necessary department.

Louis Scarloff

Louis Sclaroff, 52 years old, died at his home in Mount Laurel on Sunday, following an illness of some time. The cause of his death was pulmonary tuberculosis.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, with interment in Mount Lebanon Cemetery, North Philadelphia.

He is survived by his widow, a son and a daughter. He had lived in Mount Laurel only a few months.

After six bottles of home brew that was evidence against Wm. Kitok blew up in the police station at Evanston, Ill., Kitok walked out of jail a free man.

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PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER
Founder, Burlington County Aero Club

Eastern Air Transport, operators of the mail and passenger air line between New York, Atlanta and Jacksonville, plan increased service in the spring. Ships of this line now fly 10,000 a day and the big twin-engined gray and yellow ships you see passing over six times a day are Condors used by this line.

At a meeting of the Burlington County Aero Club held Monday night at the Moorestown Community House, it was decided to re-finance the club, extend the lease on the present field for a period of three years and erect another hangar.

And now the Navy has ordered an Auto-Giro. The ship will be used as an experiment by the Navy in making landings and take-offs from the decks of airplane carriers and small fields.

The nice weather last Sunday brought all the boys out to the Moorestown Airport and there was plenty of flying. Bill Krusen, Bill Geisenheimer, Vic Williams and Emmor Roberts all had their ships in the air and Jim Erdman was busy with students.

We recently noted that the British government placed an order for fighting planes and one of the requirements was that the ships be capable of a speed of 280 miles per hour. That is plenty fast and we wonder if the British plane manufacturers can meet the contract requirements.

Joseph P. Cutler

Joseph P. Cutler, 83 years old, died at his home on 232 West Third street, Moorestown, on Wednesday of last week.

Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon, from his late residence, with the Rev. Frederick B. Morley, pastor of Moorestown Methodist Episcopal Church, and the Rev. C. W. Macgeorge, pastor of the Moorestown First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was made in the Friends' Cemetery in Haddonfield.

Mr. Cutler and his family lived in Moorestown about nine years, coming here from Rising Sun, Maryland.

Surviving him are his widow, Mary E. Cutler, a daughter, Miss Beatrice M. Cutler, proprietor of a local millinery shop, and a son, Emil C. Cutler.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Beginning February 1st we will offer the following grades of milk in addition to our GOLDEN GUERNSEY RAW

Golden Guernsey Pasteurized quart 15c; pint 8c

Grade "A" Pasteurized quart 12c; pint 7c

The same high standard of quality that has placed our

Golden Guernsey Raw Milk

so high with discriminating people will be found in these new grades.

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PHONE RIVERSIDE 470
VISITORS WELCOME

THE GAME of the YEAR!!!

BASKETBALL

PALMYRA HIGH SCHOOL
— VS. —
BURLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

Saturday Eve., Jan. 31st
Palmyra High School Gymnasium

7:30 P. M. : : 35 Cents

RIVERTON ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kenneth Davis entertained the officers and foremen of the Williams & Marcus Company, Philadelphia, at dinner Saturday evening.

The many friends of Mrs. Westcott will be glad to know that she is able able to be around again after breaking her hip several months ago.

Mrs. Ellen Shaffer is recuperating after an attack of the grippe.

Mrs. Harry Davis is on the sick list this week.

Francis B. Elwell and daughter, Katharine, are recuperating after an attack of the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. George Friday and children, of Delanco, who purchased the E. Earle Perkins property at 609 Thomas avenue, moved into their new home last Friday.

Mrs. Fanny Cottrell is confined to her bed with grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Steele, of Overbrook, and Mrs. B. S. Sterling, of Philadelphia, were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Bowen.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Epworth M. E. Church will meet in the Guild room of the church Monday evening.

Mrs. Ida Bunting, of Germantown, was the week-end guest of her cousins, the Misses Bishop, of Thomas avenue.

John Hinkle, of Broad street, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mary Hinkle who is living at Roxborough, Pa., for the winter.

Miss Marion Schaffer, of Moorestown, was the dinner guest of Miss Dell Teeple, of Midway, last Friday.

William Pendrill, of Audubon, has purchased "The Maples" and will open this apartment house, thoroughly renovated, about February 9th.

Mrs. Howard Parry and daughters have gone to Florida for two months.

Mrs. Thomas A. Caslan entertained at a luncheon party in the Rittenhouse Hotel last Thursday, in honor of Mrs. Frank A. Bell.

Arrested for taking bets on the street, James Curran of Cincinnati chewed and swallowed his record of wagers, and as this was the only evidence, he was discharged.

PALS WIN TWICE TO RETAIN LEAD IN COUNTY LOOP

Eke Out Narrow Wins Over Moorestown and Bordentown Foes

STILL UNDEFEATED IN BURLCO LEAGUE GAMES

Most Important Game of Season Will be Played Saturday With Burls

BURLINGTON COUNTY LEAGUE

	W	L	PC
Palmyra	5	0	1.000
Burlington	3	1	.750
Bordentown	1	2	.333
Moorestown	2	2	.500
Mount Holly	2	3	.400
Riverside	2	3	.400
Pemberton	0	5	.000

Tuesday's Scores

Palmyra, 27; Bordentown, 24.
Riverside, 40; Pemberton, 22.

This Week's Schedule

Friday—Bordentown at Moorestown; Mount Holly at Riverside.
Saturday—Burlington at Palmyra.

Displaying brilliant form in the final periods, the Palmyra High School boys basketball team overcame a six-point lead, to nose out Bordentown by a 27-24 count Tuesday afternoon at the Bordentown institution.

The Bordentown five was ahead throughout the first half, holding a 6-3 lead at the end of the first quarter and a 14-8 edge at half time. For a time it seemed as if the Pals' string of victories in the league would be shattered.

With the opening whistle of the second half the Palmyra outfit showed real championship form. A brilliant passing and shooting display enabled the league leaders to cut down the lead of the "Bordens" while the Red and White guards held the opposing scorers well in check.

The third quarter ended with the Pals out in front by the narrowest of margins Jack Kelly and Fred Green had scored several times from the floor in this period and Bordentown trailed 21-20. The Pals' attack continued with unabated vigor in the final chapter and the game ended with the visitors on the long end of the score.

All the Palmyra scoring was done by four players. Kelly led the attack with four field goals and Howard Davidson was a close second with two field tosses and three fouls. Green and Howard Miner each tallied six points. Green scored three times from the floor while Miner accounted for two twin-pointers and a brace of fouls. Bill McCoy was the big noise in the Bordentown attack, registering six field goals and two penalty shots.

The summary:

PALMYRA	HGH	Fld	Fl	F.T.	P
Davidson, f		2	3	4	7
Kelly, f		4	0	1	8
Parsons, c		0	0	1	0
Moffett, g		0	0	1	0
Green, g		3	0	2	6
Carr, c		2	2	3	6
Miner, g		0	0	0	0
Totals		11	5	12	27

BORDENTOWN	HIGH	Fld	Fl	F.T	P
J. McCoy, f		1	0	2	2
W. McCoy, f		6	2	4	14
C. Lynch, c		1	0	0	2
F. Lynch, g		0	1	2	1
Witman, g		2	1	3	5
Fish, g		0	0	0	0
Totals		10	4	11	24

Score, first half—Bordentown, 14; Palmyra, 8. Referee—Murphy.

Court representatives of Palmyra High School maintained their unbeaten record in the Burlington County League when they handed Moorestown a 25-21 defeat Saturday night at Moorestown.

The victory was made possible by a fine passing attack in the first half when the Pals piled up a 21-10 lead. Jack Kelly and Captain Howard Davidson proved the spark of the Palmyra attack each registering four field goals and a foul in the first half while Kelly added another two pointer in the final period.

In the second half the Palmyra attack was repeatedly broken up by the Moorestown defense. The Quakers took advantage of every poor pass made by the Pals and in turn worked the ball down the floor to score. Norman Moffitt and Kelly were the only players to tally for the Red and White during the half, each accounting for a single field goal. Moffitt's goal, coming in the last two minutes of play, was the score which decided the issue, for Moorestown was unstoppable in the last half and had pulled up to within two points of the Pals, and were well down the floor on a bid for an additional score when Moffitt intercepted a pass, and took the ball to the Palmyra basket to register a two-pointer. Moorestown might have won had they shown any ability in shooting fouls, but 11 of their 16 free tries went wide. The Pals were even worse, counting but three of their 14 penalty shots. Eight of the misses came in the second half when the game became fast and rough.

The win of the Pals marked their fourth successive triumph in the Burlco loop and kept them in undisputed possession of first place.

PALMYRA HIGH	Fld	Ft	Pf	P
Davidson, f	4	1	1	9
Kelly, f	5	1	4	11
Parsons, c	1	1	3	3
Moffitt, g	1	0	1	2
Green, g	0	0	3	0
Miner, g	0	0	2	0
Totals	11	3	14	25

MOORESTOWN H	Fld	Ft	Pf	P.
Bolton, f	2	2	5	6
Moore, f	3	1	6	7
Lockwood, c	1	1	4	3
Cromley, g	1	1	3	3
Holliger, g	1	0	2	2
Swager, c	0	0	0	0
Totals	8	5	16	21

Burlington, ancient rivals of Palmyra, and winners of last year's basketball title, will be at Palmyra for the most important game of the week Saturday night. The veteran Burlington team has received a single setback, that at the hands of Mount Holly, a team that Palmyra defeated 26-11. Since their defeat at the hands of the "Hollies" Burlington has shown an increased aggressiveness and Saturday's game should be anybody's, with the result in doubt until the final whistle.

PHS GIRLS DIVIDE TWO COURT TILTS TUESDAY

Varsity Hand Trenton 25-11 Loss While Reserves Bow to Pensauken 30-29

The Palmyra schoolgirls split a double-header Tuesday afternoon when the second team was nosed out by Pensauken, 30-29, and the varsity sextette managed to hand Trenton High a severe lacing, 25-11.

Dot Shea was the high scorer in the varsity triumph while Anna Levy did most of the scoring for the visitors.

Pos.—Palmyra High	Trenton High
Forward, Meltzner	Levy
Forward, Baker	Forrester
Center, Butler	Vorhees
Side Cen, Young	Lloyd
Guard, Parry	Gold
Guard, Hassell	Skokes

Goals (One Point)—Forrester 2, Baker. Goals (two points)—Baker 3, Henkle 4, Shea 4, Levy 3. Fouls—Shea 3, Forrester 3.

Substitutions—Shea for Baker, Gessler for Vorhees, Smith for Skokes, Henkle for Meltzner, Winters for Butler.

The Reserves' game was a nip and tuck affair from start to finish with the lead alternating. Pensauken held a 14-13 margin at half time.

Pos. Pensauken	Palmyra
Forward, Plum	Green
Forward, Schillen	Hicks
Center, Zulch	Moike
Side Center, Dugan	Johnson
Guard, Foslen	MacAnulty
Guard, Annis	Reeves

Goals (one point)—Plum, 3, Shillen, 1, Hicks, 2, Green, 1. Goals (two points)—Hicks, 5, Green, 6, Reeves, 1, Plum, 10, Schillen, 3. Fouls—Green, 1, Reeves, 1. Substitutions—Lowen for Hicks, Harmon for Johnson, Volk for Annis. Referee, A. Perkins. Time of periods, 8 minutes.

Philanthropy is sometimes exhibited in queer ways. Mrs. Irene Castle McLaughlin's idea of humaneness is expressed in the establishment of a home for friendless dogs in Chicago at a cost of more than $8,000. It has accommodations for 150 dogs and is equipped with electric lights, steam heat, hot and cold water with two attendants to look after the welfare of its canine guests.

BOXING FEATURE OF MEN'S NIGHT

Wrestling and Gymnastics Also Arranged For on Moorestown Program

Plans for Men's Night to be held in the Moorestown Community House gymnasium on February 13, are progressing very nicely, reports Harry Bowman, chairman of the affair.

Charles Heppard, of Riverside, who is well-known in this vicinity, is arranging to have some of his boys put on five boxing bouts. Many of the boys who will box are also well-known and will make up a very interesting program.

Roy Hullings, local wrestler, will have charge of the wrestlings and he has already procured some very good men, who have been working out every week at the Camden YMCA.

Along with this set up, the Middle Atlantic Champions in tumbling will be on hand to give a very interesting exhibition of hand-springs, somersaults and other gymnastics.

It is understood that a local policeman, "Hall" Erricksen, wishes to get in on the fun and anybody who thinks themselves lucky may try a few rounds of the manly art with him.

The Correct Way To Strike a Ball

By "FAIRWAY"

In playing golf, one of the most important things to heed is the way the club head meets the ball. Generally speaking, most golfers are so preoccupied with keeping their eye on the ball that they do not bother to give any consideration to the angle at which they intend to strike it. Players may even think this a requirement beyond their skill, but if they could be made to understand that it is necessary to playing a high or low shot, they would immediately see how necessary it is to their game.

When a golf ball is made it is tested by machines to ascertain its correct flight. To obtain it, maximum flight, with a given force, a golf ball must be hit a slightly descending blow in order to impart to it a certain amount of backspin to make it rise and keep in the air.

Without this backspin, the length of its distance will be shortened. Again, if there is too much backspin or if the club head meets the ball at too steep an angle, the flight will also be diminished.

Another thing that has been discussed extensively is, "Which is the proper way to hit a ball with a closed or open faced club?" There are just a few fine golfers who can control their clubs to their liking. To make perfect shots with either the open or shut face club there is one thing certain, when the club connects with the ball, it must have been so perfectly controlled that it has hit the ball at a perfect angle.

The open face player in taking the club back, maintains his shoulders at a very nearly the same level throughout the back-swing, at the same time allowing the left wrist to turn over a bit.

The closed face player, on the other hand, drops his left shoulder quite low on the back swing and his left wrist inclines to turn underneath the right during the first part of the swing. Again, when the closed face swing nears the finish there is a perceptible difference. In order to open the face before impact, the right shoulder must go under. In other words the player must hold his club as near the most natural lie of the club as possible as the manufacturer built the club in that way.

The entire secret of a good tee shot, whether the golfer opens or closes the face of the club, is the head of the club must connect with the ball in such a manner that it will hit with a slightly descending blow to make the ball rise and soar through the air.

PALMYRA ARTISANS NOSED OUT, 32-30

Northwestern Hand Pals Third Straight Defeat in A. O. M. P. League in Rough Game

The Palmyra Artisan basketball five lost another game Wednesday night when Northwestern assembly handed them a 32-30 setback at the Nicetown Boys' Club floor.

Lack of scoring power was the cause of the Palmyrians defeat. The Northwestern five was a better balanced outfit. Their goals were more evenly divided while the Pals' error was due mainly to the individual efforts of "Chick" Foulke who counted seven field goals and four fouls to tally 18 of his team's points. The only other double deckers credited to Pal were made by George Long, who accounted for two and "Hop" Eyrick who sank the other. McDonnell, with five field goals and four fouls, and Kane with four field tosses and a brace of penalty markers were the bright lights in the Northwestern victory.

The defeat marked the Pals third straight loss in the second half race for the Artisan League championship.

PALMYRA	Fld	Fg	Ft	P
Long, f	2	2	3	6
Beidler, f	7	4	7	18
Foulkes, f	0	0	1	0
Eyrick, c-f	1	0	2	2
Lloyd, c	0	2	0	2
Bolteer, g	0	2	2	6
Miller, g	0	0	1	0
Totals	10	10	20	30

NORTHWESTERN	Fld	Fg	Ft	P
McDonnell, f	5	4	6	14
Billingsley, f	1	1	6	3
Kane, c	4	2	2	10
Boyle, g	0	0	4	0
Rider, g	1	3	5	5
Totals	11	10	23	32

TIE IN YMCA LOOP FOR LEADERSHIP

Jobstown and Marlton Each Have One Victory and No Defeats

Jobstown and Marlton have each won one game and lost none in Division A of the Burlington County YMCA loop. Jobstown defeated Burlington Wednesday afternoon of last week with a score of 22-21, while Marlton defeated Moorestown with a score of 34-17 on Thursday night.

Also on Thursday night, in Division B, Marlton second team defeated Delanco 38-21 to give them a pair of victories, and the Edison Hi-Y defeated Willingboro 31-16, also for a pair of victories. The Bok Hi-Y at Mount Holly defeated Cinnaminson 17-12 the same night.

The schedule of games to be played the coming week follows: Tuesday, Division C Lumberton at Marlton; Wednesday, Division C Baptist at Jobstown; Thursday, Division B, Bok Hi-Y and Delanco at Mount Holly; Edison Hi-Y and Cinnaminson at Mount Holly; Division C, Bok Hi-Y second vs. Baptist at Mount Holly, afternoon; Friday, Division B, Marlton second vs. Willingboro at Willingboro; Division C Bok second vs. Jobstown second at Jobstown; Division A, Burlington at Moorestown.

Tuesday, February 3, Division C, Baptist vs. Marlton Junior; Thursday, February 5, Division B, Edison Hi-Y vs. Marlton second at Marlton; Division A, Burlington at Marlton.

In Division A games which were scheduled with Riverside will have to be forfeited to opponents since the "Friendly" YMCA has dropped out of the league.

To secure his board and lodging for the winter, George Hyrabec of White Plains, N. Y., tossed a brick through a store window and he received a 6 month sentence in the county jail.

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LOST—Black cat, no other marks. Collar with nickel bells. Phone Merchantville 2077. REWARD.

FOR SALE Clean, bright hay mixed or timothy. Delivered. William Matlack, Moorestown, N. J.

WANTED 2 washer overalls for two little boys, age 5 and 6 years. Call Riverton 1062, Welfare Association.

WANTED—Work of any kind by married man with family. Apply R. New Era Office.

Send your own floors with Johnson's Electric Sander. Save 70% of your floor sanding cost. Rent $3.50 per day. Schwering's Hardware Store, 305 E. Broad Street, Palmyra.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of the School District of the Township of Cinnaminson, in the County of Burlington, that the annual meeting for the election of 3 members of the Board of Education will be held at the Westfield Public School on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1931

from seven o'clock p. m. to nine o'clock p. m. and as much longer as may be necessary to enable all the legal voters present to cast their ballot.

That meeting will be adjourned to an election of voting day for the following purposes

For current expenses $34,760.00
For repairs and replacements 100.00
For interest on bonds 500.00

The total amount thought to be necessary is $35,360.00

Dated this 26th day of January, 1931.

EMMA H. FRANK,
District Clerk.

NOTICE

NOTICE: The Board of Education of the Township of Cinnaminson, in the County of Burlington, will receive bids for the purchase of supply furniture, equipment, or other articles for the use of the Board of Education of said district, same to be delivered at the various schools mentioned and at such other times and at such other places as the Board of Education may direct, and the undersigned, Secretary of the Board of Education of said district, is hereby authorized and required to receive such bids and report the same to the Board, and shall be able to act upon same.

Persons desiring to bid on any of the articles mentioned in the specifications may obtain a copy of the specifications by calling at the office of the undersigned, Secretary of the Board of Education, at the above address, or by calling at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, at the Cinnaminson High School, Cinnaminson, N. J.

Bids must be sealed and delivered to the undersigned, Secretary of the Board of Education, at the above address, on or before the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. on the 10th day of February, 1931, at which time the bids will be opened and read in public session by the Board of Education, and the contract awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bidders must state in their bids the time when they will be able to make delivery.

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YOU, YOUR CAR AND THE MOTOR LAWS



By Harold G Hoffman
Commissioner of Motor Vehicles

EDITOR'S NOTE—The thirty-first of a series of articles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles is presented by this paper as its part in the campaign of education to familiarize New Jersey motorists with the regulations which govern their conduct on the road.

XXXI STREET CARS

I am not without sympathy for the motorist driven to impatience by the delays caused by being compelled to follow a street car. Following an inflexible route, through streets lined with parked cars, lumbering along at slow speed the trolley offers every incentive to the thoughtless motorist to disregard the law and the rights of pedestrians.

Notwithstanding the fact that passing trolley cars is a very human reaction to an inconvenient situation, the law gives it certain definite rights in traffic, and safeguards its passengers as they pass between curb and trolley. However understandable, they may be, violations of these laws, invariably endangering pedestrians, who also have definite rights, cannot be tolerated.

A recent executive bulletin issued by Matthew R Boylan, vice-president in charge of operation of Public Service Coordinated Transport, emphasizes the hazards created by careless drivers. While there is a large measure of self-interest in Mr Boylan's order, his instructions to operators to obtain necessary information to enable the company to proceed against violators should have a wholesome effect on the motoring public, make them more observant of the rights of others and thus contribute to highway safety.

Has Right-of-Way

Paragraph 1, Article XI, of the Traffic Act of 1928 provides that the driver or person in control of any vehicle on the tracks in front of a street car must give way to the trolley immediately upon signal from the motorman. Vehicles following street cars must keep at least ten feet behind the car.

An all-too frequently violated provision is contained in paragraph 3 of the article, which forbids motorists from passing any street car on the left, "when a traveliable portion of the highway exists to the right of such street car, even though such portion of the highway is occupied by traffic." In other words, passage on the left is permitted only where trolley tracks occupy the roadway nearest the curb, a type of track construction still found in some parts of the state.

The most important provision of the law regulating the relations of automobiles to street cars is paragraph 3, subdivision b of Article XI. It reads as follows:

Full Stop Compelled

"The driver of a vehicle overtaking any street car stopped for the purpose of receiving or discharging any passenger or passengers shall bring such vehicle to a full stop, at least ten feet in the rear of the nearest entrance or exit then in use * * and shall remain stationary until such passenger or passengers shall have boarded such car or reached the adjacent sidewalk." Exceptions to this are permitted only where there is a safety zone or a clearance of at least eight feet.

Most motorists know this provision, but they ignore the remainder of the paragraph. They seem to feel that with a clearance of eight feet, the responsibility is then placed entirely on the pedestrian to dodge them as best he can and that they can whiz by at will.

It is important to keep in mind the concluding phrase of the eight feet provision:

Where such clearance is observed, "the vehicle if otherwise permitted to proceed need not be brought to a full stop before passing such street car, but may proceed * * at a speed not greater than is reasonable and proper and with due caution for the safety of pedestrians."

Dave Williams, a negro of Birmingham, told the police that he was awakened when a quart of lye water was thrown in his face and when he recovered his wife and $55 were missing.

VERY LATESTS

By MARY MARSHALL

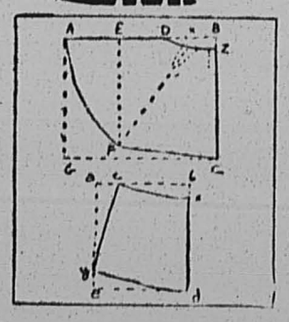
If you haven't thirty or fifty or a hundred dollars to spend on an evening wrap you may be very glad indeed that there is nothing about the new evening wraps to discourage the amateur. You can make your wrap of transparent velvet, heavy silk velvet or if you want to be very thrifty, you may make it of velveteen. Many of these wraps are made without linings, some are lined with chiffon or georgette.

The dimensions for the pattern of the evening coat in the sketch are:

FOR THE TOP

A B, 22 inches.
G C, 22 inches.
B C, 18 inches.
A G, 18 inches.
A D, 14 inches.
A E, 8 inches.
E F, 16 inches.
D x, 4 inches.
B x, 1 inch.





FOR THE LOWER PART—

a b, 12 inches.
d e, 13 inches.
a c, 3 inches.
b d, 16 1-2 inches.
a e, 16 1-2 inches.
b x, 1 1-2 inches.
y e, 1 1-2 inches.

Cut B C on crosswise fold. This is the middle of the back. At the top back take three tiny tucks, three inches long, and about an eighth of an inch wide. On each shoulder take a three-inch dart as indicated at x point opposite x, toward F about three-quarters of an inch wide at the top and dwindling down to nothing. Allow an inch along the edge A D for a hem. Turn in all other edges in a quarter inch hem.

For the bottom, cut b—d on a cross-wise fold for the back. Then cut two more sections for the fronts like c—x—d—y, allowing an inch along the straight edge for hems, and sew these two pieces, along c—y, to the bias sides of the back along the sides c—y. Hem the fronts and lower edge—the fronts with an inch hem, the lower edge with a quarter-inch hem.

Fasten the upper part of the lower section to a georgette or crepe de chine top cut from a three-piece lining pattern, the seams Frenched, the armholes bound or hemmed. Fasten the cape section to the lining section at the neck and down the fronts, cutting the lining at the front to fit the rounded outline of the top of the cape.

"Lamb Bites Wolf" is a recent headline which would delight the shade of Charles A Dana. It is the caption of an item from Milwaukee, which said in part: "George Lamb was fined for biting Morris Wolf during a fight over a bottle of whisky."

HINTS FOR THE HOME

By Nancy Hart

SAVORY FISH

Cut into strips one pound of smoked fish of any kind, put over fire in cold water, let come slowly to a boil, and boil for ten minutes. In another saucepan heat one cup of stock with one-fourth cup each of tomato sauce and vinegar, a tablespoon of made mustard, and a few grains of cayenne. Drain the fish, saute on hot pan in one-fourth cup of butter or fat, then add to the hot stock; thicken the butter in the pan with two tablespoons of flour, stir this into the saucepan containing the fish and seasoned stock, cover, and simmer for five minutes. Serve on a hot platter, surrounded with strips of toast.

CAROLINA PUDDING

The ingredients necessary are half a pound of brown sugar, three eggs, one-quarter of a pound of grated breadcrumbs, half a pound of lightly browned flour, half a pound of shortening, two teaspoons of baking powder, one teaspoon of salt, half a teaspoon each of ground cloves and cinnamon, one teaspoon of ground ginger, half a cup of molasses, one-half cup of orange juice, one-quarter of a cup of lemon juice, half a pound each of seeded and sultana raisins, one pound of currant and one pound of chopped crystalized fruit. To make the pudding, chop the candied fruit, add the raisins (both kinds), and the currants, and pour lemon over them. Let them stand for several hours, then cream the shortening with the sugar, add the well-beaten eggs and the other ingredients in the order given and lastly the juice and fruit. Mix well. Divide the batter and fill into small greased molds or bowls and steam for four or five hours. This quantity is sufficient for one very large pudding (in this even it must be steamed for a longer time), two medium-sized ones or four small puddings. Fill the molds only two-thirds full.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for February 1st

JESUS THE GREAT PHYSICIAN

Luke 4 38-44, 5 12-16

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

Jesus is now well started in the second year of His public ministry and the work centers in Galilee. During the year, following the Temptation, He wrought in Judea. One incident is remembered by all the conversation with Nicodemus which gives us the great truth in John 3 16. The rejection by His fellow townsmen in Nazareth caused Jesus to make Capernaum the center of activity.

The months that follow cover the period of popular favor. In the language of today, the Nazarene was first page news. This was due in part to the frequency of His miracles. People were alert to see what He would do next.

Simon Peter had been called as a disciple, and later as one of the apostles. As Jesus entered that home in Capernaum He learned that the mother-in-law was beholden with a prostrating fever. With a word of divine power the Almighty spoke her into health which was so complete that this woman could at once assist in the hospitality made necessary by the guests. Likewise salvation and the forgiveness of sins is an act rather than a process. When conditions have been met, Jesus speaks and it is done.

Modern medical missions are prophesied in the marvellous work of the Healer that afternoon. When people learned that the Great Physician was in their midst and was ready to help any, kindly friends hastened to bring the sick of all that community into His presence.

Even the dread disease of leprosy was subject to His word of power. From that miracle Jesus withdrew that He might maintain His spiritual strength through personal prayer unto the Father.

MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY

BY ERNEST CAMP JR

"GIMME A DIME—".

Indiscriminate giving and multi-dollar relief programs are making New York a beggar's paradise. Professional mendicants are flocking here from other cities.

Beggar-equipment shops selling paraphernalia calculated to jerk small change along with tears of sympathy are doing unprecedented business.

The ace of the mendicant clan is a woman who works a prominent mid-town street. She is 87 years old, and moves along like a famine-stricken ghost. She has gleaned as much as $70 a day and has more than $200,000 deposited in well-chosen banks.

The police department urges a flat refusal to beggars pleas, pointing out that there are abundant relief agencies to provide food and shelter for those who are in need.

OUTSLICKING SLICKERS

The Better Business Bureau of New York is trying to check the practice of sending merchandise such as handbags, pencils or neckties, to a person who has just died under the pretense that the deceased had ordered it shortly before death. Relatives are expected to pay for it.

Upstate farmers who have received unordered articles, however, have devised a racket to beat the racket. They write back somewhat as follows: "Goods received. Do not want them. Will return them on payment to me of $1 storage for same."

This ruse has proved a most effective check to the practice of shipping unsought goods. Since the person receiving often lives hundreds of miles away, it is impracticable for the sender to collect his goods without a stiff payment, so the farmer gets them free.

PUSSY ON PARADE

One hundred and seventy-four pussies purred for prizes and charity at the cat-show held at Hotel McAlpin, proceeds of which went to a home for friendless animals, there being no breadlines for homeless tabbies.

As a gesture of sympathy and economy, there were fewer satin pillows and silken trappings for the aristocratic cats than in years gone by. Colored oilcloth covered the walls of the cages and if was a rare cat indeed who boasted a silk pillow on which to sleep.

An innovation in this year's show was Alley Cat Alley, where the pussy who had no pedigree to speak of, but who was more fascinating a history, meowed for prizes. The judges reported a considerable amount of cattiness among the entrants.

CATS—CONTINUED

While we're on the subject, the story persists that a cat living on the 20th floor of an uptown apartment house knows which floor is the 20th when riding up in an elevator. People get on and off at other floors but the cat never makes a mistake. Not until the 20th floor is reached does it go to the front of the car to be let off.

HE'S HAD HIS DAY

Lobo—a police dog, mascot of one of the city's popular orchestras—is dead. And that makes everybody pretty sad.

Lobo had trouped with the orchestra nearly four years, from sunny California to sunny France. His master and trainer Clarence Moore, saxophonist of the band, recalls how Lobo once saluted the President of France upon a state occasion. The President returned the salute.

Lobo was the feature of the orchestra's stage and night club acts. He could understand not only gestures and signals but actual words, his master said. The dog was once studied at Columbia University and judged to have the mentality of a 9-year-old child.

Moore is training another dog to replace Lobo. Lobo Jr. they say can bark like a radio crooner but Lobo—the wise old shepherd—is dead.

GLIMPSED ON BROADWAY

An Indian in tribal costume rubber-necking at skyscrapers.

A blind beggar playing "The Pagan Love Song" on a squeaky violin.

A sight-seeing bus with a pretty girl "planted" inside to draw customers. When the bus starts, she leaves.

The ever-present crowd clustered around the windows of the miniature cigarette factory in Times Square.

A sign on an apple-seller's box: "Everything is Fine and Dandy" cut from a theatrical poster.

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The SCRAP BOOK

ADVICE TO A LOVER

By S. Charles Jellicoe

Oh, if you love her,
Show her the best of you,
So will you move her
To bear with the rest of you
Coldness and jealousy
Cannot but seem to her
Signs that a tempest lurks
Where was sunbeam to her.

Patience and tenderness
Still will awake in her
Hope of new sunshine,
Though the storm break for her;
Love, she will know, for her
Like the blue firmament,
Under the tempest lies
Gentle and permanent.

Nor will she ever
Gentleness find the less
When the storm overblown
Leaveth clear kindliness
Deal with her tenderly,
Skyline above her,
Smile on her waywardness,
Oh, if you love her!

John W. Meisner of Cleveland was remarried recently to the wife he divorced 28 years ago and his son was best man at the ceremony.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

MORE "HEART DISEASE"

The wave of this turbulent sea appear more appalling from day to day. "Heart disease" has become the prevailing guess on sudden deaths. This very morning the paper that cut out neighboring big city announces three deaths, all heart disease, or a heart attack. Again let me remind my reader it is time to think.

None of these deaths are later than fifty-five years old. That's too young for a man to die if he the are for men to have their very best mind from fifty to sixty.

Prevention is the sheet anchor in heart disorders, for cure is too often attempted when it is too late to do anything. And now listen. An important organ, as the heart is, never becomes diseased without giving ample warning that something is wrong.

I wish I could make every one of my readers understand that the SIX O'CLOCK DINNER is one of the surest and most deadly enemies of the heart. It works insidiously, the victim being for the most part ignorant of its depredations. A heavy meal eaten at the end of the busy, tiresome day, is sure to be absorbed and taken into the circulation improperly temsered with digestive fluids—it goes through the body—heart-muscle included—utterly unfitted for its purpose, the tired body at six o'clock includes a tired stomach as well,—with not enough gastric juices to properly prepare the food for its appropriation to the human need.

Excess of undigested protein will, in time, undermine the nutritive processes in the muscular system—and the heart is often the first muscle to fail. If I did not have technical evidence of the truth of what I say here, I would not offer this important advice. Cut out the six o'clock dinner today, and keep it out of your home. Make the good breakfast, the good noon meal and the light evening meal your habit. Abolish "heart disease" as a cause of death.

J. R. Chambers of Cantralia, Ill., sent the following note to the Southern Railroad Company: "Inclosed please find $3 which I believe I have beater the company out of by riding freight trains and blinds."

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