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PANORAMIC VIEW OF RIVERTON'S MEMORIAL PARK



This beautiful park, situated on the banks of Pompeston Creek, will be officially dedicated to the veterans of the World War who served from Riverton, on July 4th, and publicly identified as such by the attachment of a bronze tablet to the concrete grand stand recently erected. The park is at present equipped with facilities for football, baseball, basketball, tennis and children's playground, with future possibilities of a beautiful lake immediately adjoining the park.

EDITORIAL

"So nigh is grandeur to our dust,
So nigh is God to man,
When duty whispers low, "Thou must,"
The youth replies, "I can."

Five of Riverton's sons gave their all in the greatest conflict the world has ever known.

Of the 110 others who faced the perils of war many suffered injuries in varying degree.

And Riverton has just reason to be proud of every man who donned the uniform and marched forth in the defense of those principles of human rights and justice between men and nations that have been the guiding star of this great commonwealth since our forefathers fought, bled and died that men might be free.

Imbued with the same spirit of lofty patriotism which actuated the signers of that immortal document, the Declaration of Independence, when they made the solemn vow, "And for the support of this declaration, with a firm reliance in the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, our fortunes and our sacred honor," the boys from Riverton maintained unsullied the highest traditions of their town until

"The war drum throbbed no longer,
And the battle flags were furled."

Soon after the signing of the Armistice the citizens of Riverton, led by the Mayor and Council, set about selecting some suitable memorial and token of appreciation to those who had been in the service.

Many plans were discussed by committees of councilmen and citizens, and after careful consideration of the merits of the various propositions, a Memorial Park was finally decided upon.

The acquisition of the land, its recent development as a public playground and the plans for its further improvement are matters of general knowledge.

In the publication of this Special Edition, The New Era has endeavored to provide a vehicle for public expression of the approval and satisfaction felt by our citizens and others who desire to congratulate those who have made this fine memorial possible, and to set forth in a proper manner a chronicle of those who made the supreme sacrifice.

The New Era joins in paying tribute to those who served, and in congratulating those who have provided so fine a memorial to that service.

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Our readers will probably note that in this issue the articles about some of the boys who died in the service are longer and more detailed than others.

Every effort has been made to secure as much reliable information as possible, and in each case we have used all that could be obtained.

Time and space limitations make it necessary to confine ourselves largely to special articles on the Gold Star Boys, but with no thought of slighting in any way those who served and survived to continue their service in times of peace.

Every individual who responded to his country's call is entitled to equal credit—in whatever capacity he may have served.

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Considerable work and research was necessary to produce this Special Memorial Park Edition of The New Era. Numerous people had to be interviewed, old records searched and treasured papers loaned to The New Era.

Had it not been for the kind assistance of our many friends who willingly gave of their time and effort much of the material in this edition would necessarily have been omitted, and the paper fallen short of its purpose to present a suitable record of the events leading up to the final development of Memorial Park and the inspiration for its dedication.

So many have helped compile the information contained in this issue we cannot make individual mention, but The New Era takes this means of expressing its grateful appreciation to everyone who helped in many ways, and for the enthusiastic cooperation which has made the work a real pleasure.

MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT HOOVER

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 29, 1931

My dear Mr. Bowen:

I am interested to know that citizens of Riverton, New Jersey will dedicate on Independence Day, a park as a memorial to World War veterans from that community. It is a fitting tribute to those whose patriotism found expression in the sacrifices and service in behalf of their country. I extend my congratulations and good wishes, both to the veterans and to those who have made the memorial possible.

Yours faithfully,

Herbert Hoover

Mr. Walter L. Bowen, Editor
The New Era
Riverton, New Jersey

PARK CHOSEN AS TOWN MEMORIAL

Committee Considered Several Plans Before Reaching Decision

It was just a month after the signing of the Armistice that Riverton started to lay plans to provide a suitable memorial to those who had served in the Great Conflict.

On December 12, 1918, Robert W. Knight, member of the Borough Council, presented to that body a resolution that the mayor appoint a committee to devise plans for a suitable memorial.

Mayor Bennett appointed Councilmen Joshua W. Atlee, Louis Corner and H. H. Murray, to serve with a committee of citizens composed of Edward H. Flagg, Jr., Robert Biddle and J. Carl DeLaCour.

Urges Worth While Memorial

Referring to the proposed memorial in his New Year's address to council in 1919, Mayor Bennett said, "Recently a resolution has been adopted by council providing for the appointment of a joint committee of council and citizens of the borough to consider ways and means of providing a suitable memorial for the men from Riverton who have been engaged in the military and naval service of the United States, and especially the men who have given their lives in the cause. Such a committee has been appointed, and while I do not propose to make any definite suggestions as to the form this memorial shall take, I do believe that it should assume the form of something useful and beneficial to the community, and that the money either appropriated or subscribed therefor shall be so used as to be of real service to the community, as well as a memorial to those who took part in the war."

The joint committee worked diligently for several months, weighing and considering many plans from their various angles, and got so far as to recommend to council on May 15, 1919, that a portion of the Dreer tract be purchased for a memorial Park.

Uncertainty Prevails

And yet, somehow, the situation was not clear-cut and decisive. A vague feeling of uncertainty possessed council and the town generally. There seemed to be a lack of that unanimous community approval and sanction which is essential to the accomplishment of any public project. This condition prevailed largely for the balance of the year.

In his 1920 New Year's address to Council, Mayor Bennett expressed the

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Invitation Sent to Gold Star Mothers

Mothers of Three Boys Who Died In Service Will Participate in Dedication

Invitation were sent by Killam E. Bennett, Chairman of the Memorial Park Dedication Committee to the following Gold Star Mothers.

Mrs. Mary Moeser, Riverton, N. J.
Mrs. Cecil Kelley, Riverton, N. J.
Mrs. Samuel E. Kennedy, Haddonfield, N. J.

The Invitation

On this 4th of July, at 2 p. m., the Citizens of Riverton will dedicate the Park as a memorial to those from Riverton who served their Country in the World War.

Your son, was one who gave his life for his Country, so it is my wish and the wish of all the Citizens, that on this occasion you be present and participate in the ceremonies.

May I not have a favorable response from you at an early date, in order that I may arrange for your participation in the dedication.

Cordially yours,

KILLAM E. BENNETT,

DEDICATION PROGRAM

2 p. m.

Mayor Howard M. Rogers, Presiding

Invocation	Rev. Charles T. Bates
Song—"America"	R. F. White, Leader
Address	Killam E. Bennett
Address	W. Rex MacCrosson National Committeeman American Legion
Selection	Combined Musical Organizations
Address	Hon. Clifford R. Powell State Senator and Legionnaire
Drill	Drum and Bugle Corps Post Rodgers

Schedule of Day's Events

9.00 a. m., Formal Flag Raising Ceremony by Troop No. 50, Riverton B. S. A., at Memorial Park.

9.45 a. m., Children's Flag Parade to River Bank. Parade starts at Main and Howard Streets. Prizes to be awarded for best in each class of Velocipede, Bicycle, Wagon, Baby Coach, Comic and Fancy.

10.15 a. m., Address, Rev. George Lockett, B. D. Patriotic Songs—R. F. White, Leader; Music, Band.

10.30 a. m., Athletic Events at River Bank.

Girls	Boys
50 yard Dash, Small Girls	50 yard Dash, Small Boys
Egg and Spoon Race, Large Girls	100 yard Dash, Large Boys
Three Legged Race	Potato Race
Balloon Blowing Contest	Tug o' War
Tug o' War	Balloon Fight

These events are open to boys and girls of grammar school age from Riverton and Cinnaminson Township. First and second prizes. The Committee reserves the right to restrict the size of contestant in the Balloon Fight.

11.00 a. m., Special Sailing Races for 16 ft. and L. I. Classes.

2.00 p. m., Parade from Legion Post to Memorial Park for Dedication Exercises. Marshal, Judge Frank A. Mathews, Jr., Past State Commander.

3.30 p. m., Baseball Game, Riverton vs. Burlington, at Memorial Park.

4.00 p. m., Aquatic Events; Swimming Races, Tub Races, Canoe Events.

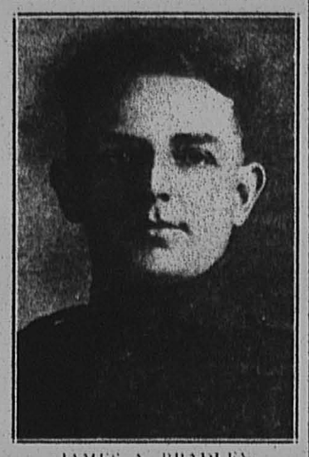
Men's Swimming Race	Standing on Gunwales, Doubles
Girls' Swimming Race	Men's Overboard Doubles
Tub Races	Mixed Doubles
Men's Singles	Men's Fours
Pig Headed Race	Men's Fives
Men's Doubles	Tilting Contest

First and second prizes in each event.

8.00 p. m., Outboard Motor Boat Races.

9.15 p. m., Combined Fireworks Display by Riverton and Palmyra, on River Bank. Band Concert.

KILLED HELPING OTHERS



JAMES A. BRADLEY
who was killed by a bursting shell while carrying wounded from explosing ammunition dump.

JAMES A. BRADLEY KILLED BY SHELL

Met End While Carrying Injured Comrade From Exploding Ammunition Dump

Another of Riverton's sons who distinguished himself and made the supreme sacrifice in the Great Conflict was James A. Bradley, 28 years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bradley, who during the war resided on Main Street, Riverton.

James entered the war January 1, 1918, and was sent to Camp Dix, where he stayed until February 22, when he was transferred to Camp Green, North Carolina. He stayed at Camp Green until April, and sailed for France a member of the 6th Infantry, Company G, with the rank of Sergeant-Major.

Little is known concerning his activities overseas, but it is reported that on November 1 an ammunition dump exploded and Bradley was detailed to help by getting stretchers to the scene of the bursting inferno of shells. Bradley was reported last seen shouting for more stretchers. The next morning Bradley was found lying dead in a shell hole nearby. His personal papers and photographs taken from the breast pocket of his coat and returned home showed a small hole thru the middle of them and silently told the story of another life given for the flag.

News of the armistice, which followed ten days after Bradley's death, reached his father in Riverton before he knew of the sacrifice his son had made.

James was born in Middletown, Pennsylvania, and his parents came to Riverton when he was eleven years of age. He went through the school here and graduated from the College of Pharmacy, Philadelphia. He was in the same class in college with B. F. Blankenbush, local druggist, and was at one time employed by Mr Stiles in the store Blankenbush now occupies.

Bradley was 30 years old when killed and his is the only body from Riverton that sleeps in France where

"In Flanders Field the poppies blow
Between the Crosses, row on row."

JAMES A. BRADLEY POST, RIVERTON

Organized in 1919 and Named for Riverton Boy Who Fell at Argonne

It was in September, 1919, that Flynn and several other ex-service men began work in Riverton to organize a local American Legion Post.

The charter members decided to name the Post the "James A Bradley Post," in memory of Sergeant Major James A Bradley, 6th Infantry, 2nd Battalion Headquarters, who lived in Riverton for eighteen years prior to service in the Great War. He was born on May 11, 1891, in Middletown, Pa., and was killed in action on October 30, 1918, during the Argonne engagement. An ammunition dump blew up. He was called out in charge of a detachment of men acting as stretcher bearers. While searching for wounded he was reported missing. He was found the next morning in a shell hole dead, having been hit by a piece of shell.

The James A Bradley Post No. 189, was chartered on October 29, 1919, and the following men were the charter members: Clarence Armstrong, Joseph F. Keating, Emerson Wolfschmidt, William Faunce, 2d, Frank E. Beatz, Edward Faunce, Frank P. Coddington, Clarence T. Pippett, Dunbar Hylton, Rudolph Woodill, Walter Woodill, Thomas J. Ford, Eli W. Brown, Jr., Walter C. Wright, John Flynn, Jr.

The State officials signing charter were as follows: Hobart B. Brown, State Chairman; Thomas Goldingay, State Secretary; Henry D. Lindsley, Chairman of the National Executive Committee; Eric F. Wood, Secretary of the National Executive Committee.

Nothing definite was accomplished by the Post until Thanksgiving Day, November 27, 1919, when the Post had the great privilege of being addressed in the Riverton school auditorium by National Commander-Franklin D'Olier. Temporary officers were elected.

On December 4, 1919, the following permanent officers were elected: to serve one term: Post Commander Dr. Harry L. Rogers; Vice Post Commander, Walter C. Wright; Post Adjutant, John F. Flynn; Post Finance Officer, William H. Baker, Jr.; Post Historian, Robert K. Jones; Post Chaplain, Emerson Wolfschmidt Post Insurance Officer, Edward Yerkes; Post Employment Officer, Howard M. Rogers.

Harry Brunt followed Dr. Rogers as commander. After a few years, however, owing to the proximity of Post Rodgers, at Palmyra, it was decided not to continue, and the charter was surrendered, many of the Riverton members joining Post Rodgers.

On November 10, 1919, the National convention met in Minneapolis and elected Franklin D'Olier, of Riverton, National Commander, which is the highest office in the American Legion in the United States. The James A Bradley Post, No. 189, of Riverton is proud to know that a Riverton man stands at the head of the American Legion.

CORPORAL BRADLEY NOW

(From New Era, July 5, 1918)

John S. Bradley, received two more letters from his son, James, who is "somewhere in France," in one of which he says he has just been made Corporal.

In another part of the letter he says he is so close to the firing line that he can not only hear the booming of big guns but see the flashes. He seems to be getting pretty well accustomed to this kind of "music" however, for he says, "I was awakened last night by the big guns banging away at Boche planes, but they are pretty hard to hit owing to the height at which they fly, and it is usually the French planes that either send them scurrying back to their own lines, or bring them down.

As a recreation one morning, James and his chum walked five miles to the railroad town and regaled themselves with cake, chocolate, oranges and candy. They intended to go to the ball game in the afternoon, but were ordered back to camp and had to march seventeen miles, making twenty-seven miles for the day.

He says he is well and happy and likes the work immensely.

You can tell a civilized country: It's one where people kill the lords and then spend millions to fight insects.—Portland Exxpress.

"The one privilege of royalty and for those whose means have enlarged their opportunities, is to behave better than others."

GOVERNOR CONGRATULATES RIVERTON



GOVERNOR MORGAN F. LARSON
who congratulates Riverton on the dedication of its Memorial Park.

LETTER FROM GOVERNOR LARSON

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

June 24,
1931.

My dear Mr. Bowen:

The citizens of Riverton are to be congratulated upon their patriotism and civic spirit in acquiring a park for sports and recreation, and dedicating it as a memorial to the veterans of the World War.

To perpetuate the memory of these young men in such a manner seems to me most fitting, and a graceful and lasting tribute to their valor.

It is especially valuable that growing boys and girls shall have kept before them the patriotic example set by the heroes of Riverton, and this park which is to be dedicated to them will help to keep their memory green.

Very sincerely yours,

Morgan F. Larson

Governor.

Mr. Walter L. Bowen, Editor,
The New Era,
Riverton, N. J.

LETTER FROM BRADLEY

(From New Era, June 28, 1918)

John S. Bradley has received the following letter from his son James.

May 30, 1918

Dear Dad:

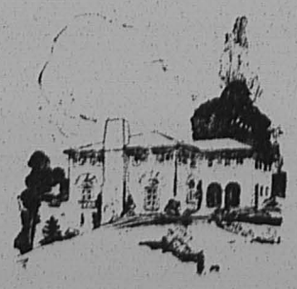
I didn't write you Sunday because I've been busy. Have made a change for a while, that is, I've been picked out, together with six other men of the company, to go to school.

There has been the same picked out of every company of the regiments in the division, there being four infantry regiments in the 5th division. So you see there are nearly 400 men from about 15,000. We started to school Monday, left the company and are stationed about 25 miles away near a large railroad town, so we expect to see something.

The purpose of the school is to train us men for the Battalion Intelligence Service. We gather and report all information of the enemy. We will be here a month or six weeks. It's surely better than all that hard drilling the company is now getting. We go from 8 to 11 and from 1 to 4.30 instead of 6 to 11 and 1 to 4.30. It's very interesting work and I hope to make something out of it.

I'm feeling just fine and everything is lovely. I hope you are well and the rest of the family."

Life has a way of evening things. For every woman who makes a fool out of some man there is another who makes a man out of some fool.
—Seattle Times.



CONGRATULATIONS

to Riverton on the dedication of its fine Memorial Park to those who served in the World War.

EMMA B. RUDDEROW

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

522 Main Street

Phone 646 Riverton, N. J.



WHEN in planning a tribute to those whom it desires to honor, a community can combine a memorial with a civic improvement, two worthy ends have been served.

Riverton, therefore, is to be congratulated on the dedication of its Memorial Park—a fitting token of appreciation to those who served in the World War, and a blessing to generations yet unborn.

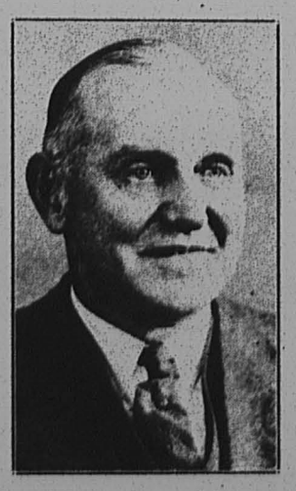
DAVID BAIRD, JR.



JULY 4, 1931, will loom large in the annals of the Borough of Riverton because of the dedication on this date of a magnificent Memorial Park to those from the Borough who served in the World War.

Congratulations, Riverton!

CHARLES R. STOUT
Member
Burlington County Board of Freeholders



RIVERTON is to be congratulated on the fine Memorial Park which it is dedicating on July 4 to those brave defenders of right and liberty who fought in the World War.

It is a worth-while tribute to her noble sons and daughters.

JAMES McCORMICK
Member
Burlington County Board of Freeholders

WALTER KENNEDY'S BRILLIANT CAREER

Had Six Citations for Bravery and Was Awarded Croix de Guerre

Corporal Walter M. Kennedy, 75th Company, 6th Regiment, United States Marine Corps who was raised from an infant in Riverton, was killed in action in France and left behind him a brilliant record of self sacrifice and heroism, in the service of his country.

Walter, a handsome young man of twenty five years, enlisted in the Marine Corps shortly after America's entry into the war and was sent to Paris Island, South Carolina. In July 1917 he was transferred to Quantico, Virginia, where he remained in training until September 17th, at which time he sailed to France.

In the full year of service in France Kennedy was actively engaged in ten battles of the five major offensives; namely the Aisne, Marne, Meuse Argonne, St. Mihiel and Defense Sector.

He was cited by the French Government four times for bravery in action; twice for bravery at Bois de Belleau (Belleau Wood) June 2 to 13, 1918, once at Soissons, July 18 and 19, 1918, and once at Campagne, October 1 to 10, 1918 (his last battle). His mother is now the proud possessor of these medals, the Croix de Guerre with the Palm Leaf.

A subsequent dispatch tells of his tragic death when he and two of his companions in the face of enemy fire charged a German machine gun nest. He had no sooner started than the enemy cut loose a terrible stream of machine gun bullets one of which found his temple, killing him instantly. His death occured on October 9, 1918, at Campagne, one month before the Armistice was signed.

His body was interred in an American cemetery in France until September 1921, when it was brought to Riverton and with full military funeral, headed by Dr. Harry L. Rogers the body was finally laid to rest in the family cemetery at Berlin, New Jersey.

When the body of Kennedy was removed to be transported to America, the body of James A. Bradley was placed in his grave.

Kennedy was born in Palmyra and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Kennedy who moved to 411 Elm Avenue, Riverton, shortly after his birth. Walter went through the Riverton Grammar School and graduated from Palmyra High School in the class of 1910. He has one sister, now Mrs. Evelyn K. Platt, of Haddonfield. On different occasions during his early school days Walter worked in The New Era Office.

Letters from Walter to his mother and a letter from his commanding officer are published herewith, all of which testify to the manliness and bravery of this lad who laid down his life for his Country.

KENNEDY WRITES HOME

April 20, 1918

Dear Mother,

Have just gotten an opportunity to send you a few lines. Have been in a quiet sector of the trenches and am back in a rest camp. While in the trenches there was no chance for me to write as they kept us busy most of the time and I had no writing materials.

The trenches are the best collectors of mud you ever saw. I was fortunate in having a pair of hip boots, but I got well covered with it at that, and rat, they are there by the million. They have a bad habit of sneezing in your ear when you lay down for a little sleep. The builders neglected to put wall paper and electric lights in the dug outs we occupied, and water kept dripping from the ceiling. Outside of the mud and water it was not so bad, but now others were sorry to get back to the rest camp. I received a bunch of mail lately from you, Evelyn, Aunt Sarah, Mrs. James, Mr. Rex and Charles. I got most of them when I reached here. I hope pop can hold his job down all right till I get back, maybe he can get a day shift.

We are lucky to get a little writing paper from the Y. M. C. A.

Evelyn sent me some pictures of Donald and they were very cute.

The leaves are coming out fast on the trees now and I am glad that summer is near. I don't like to think of spending another winter here.

If you don't get mail from me regularly remember yours comes to me the same way. I get them at intervals and in bunches.

I will try and get a letter off to Evelyn soon.

I will have to close now hoping you folks are well.

Pvt. Walter M. Kennedy,
75th Co. 6th Reg't. U.S.M.C.
American Expeditionary Force
c-o Postmaster, New York

O. K.
J. K. Marching
2nd Lieut. U.S.M.C.
6th Reg.

France, Sept. 20, 1918

Dear Mother,

It is a long time between letters sure enough this time, but we have been chasing around so much I did not get a chance to write sooner.

Am camping in a woods at present near the front after taking part in the last big drive.

Had quite a bit of fun this time. We got in back of a patch of woods and the Heinies did not know we were there. They threw over a heavy barrage and covered the field with smoke.

When the smoke cleared away we could see them coming over, about a thousand yards away to our right.

We opened up with our rifles and machine guns and what was left of them broke all records getting back to Germany.

The best part of it was we used one of their own Maxim machine guns against them.

I have a machine gun squad and we were given instructions before going up this time on using a maxim gun, so if we picked one up we could use it against them.

I am glad to say that I received the letter that you was afraid would not reach me. The one in which you wrote about your dreams. I am still on deck.

It was a surprise to me to hear that Ed had enlisted in the navy. I think he was pretty wise at that. I don't believe he will have the hardships that we have to contend with. I almost had a bath today but was called back to camp. I think we are going to move to dryer quarters, possibly in some town. It has been rainy for the last few days and it is pretty wet and muddy in the woods.

I received the photographs through the mail, I had taken some time ago and am inclosing one for you. My sharpshooter's medal shows up good doesn't it.

Well I must close now, hoping you are in better health.

With love
Cpl. Walter M. Kennedy,
75th Co. 6th Reg't U.S.M.C.
American Expedition Forces,
c-o Postmaster New York

O. K.
T. E. Wichs
2nd Lieut. U.S.M.C.

CITED FOR BRAVERY



WALTER M. KENNEDY
one of Riverton's sons who distinguished himself in the World War and was killed in action.

WALTER KENNEDY WRITES OF YMCA

(From New Era, November 30, 1917)

Walter Kennedy, a Riverton lad now with the expeditionary forces "somewhere in France" writes to friends in Riverton as follows:

"The Y. M. C. A. is the best friend to a soldier or sailor here. They change U. S. money to French and don't short change like some of the French vendors will. They also teach French and give lectures in the evening. At their canteens you can buy tobacco, candy, matches, soap, etc."

SO LONG BUD!

Well, I s'pose the time has come to say, "Good bye, Bud;"
We're goin' home, our work is o'er, we've won
An' 'for we part, y' see, I'm gonna try, Bud,
To thank you jes' for what you've been an' done

You've watched me when I lay in bed a sick, Bud;
You've slammed me on the back when I was blue;
An' that ole slap jes' seemed to do the trick, Bud;
It cheered me up jes' 'cause it came from you

You've split your coin with me when I was broke, Bud,
An' never ast me where it went, or why
You've took my surly moods as jes' a joke, Bud,
An' things I've said when sore you've let pass by

You've stood beside me when the shells broke near, Bud
An' grinned, an' given me courage with that grin
You've called a steady, cheerin' word, an' fear, Bud,
Jes' left me an' I drove that bayonet in.

Through all the weary days and nights we spent, Bud,
A' sloshin' through the mud an' rain an' sleet;
I know that each bright word from you was meant, Bud,
To keep me up an' on my staggerin' feet.

Well, now I'm goin' back—she's waitin' yet, Bud,
God bless her—yes, I've missed her over there,
So here's so long to you, an' don't forget, Bud,
I owe a debt to you that I can't square.

COLORADO.

In a recent survey the engineers are rated as the most intelligent of men. An engineer is trained to keep an open mind, to respect facts, to seek the truth and to be intellectually honest. The survey concludes: "Pigheadedness and bigotry will lessen any man's usefulness—they are fatal in engineering."

John Stuart Mill pointed out that war is a loss, and that the question of who wins is **irrelevant**.

"It has been said that there are two sides to every question—our side and the wrong side."

True business is not merely a system of bargaining but an organized opportunity to be helpful to vast numbers of people. He profits most who serves best.—Nuggets.

"Fires do their best work when kept under boilers."

HEADS FOURTH OF JULY COMMITTEE



COUNCILMAN J. ELMER HAHN
Chairman of Fourth of July Committee, in charge of Riverton's biggest Fourth of July Celebration

JOHN FLYNN WRITES FROM SEA GIRT

(Issue New Era, September 14, 1917)

Dear Mr. Bowen:

It has just occurred to me that I owe you an apology for not acknowledging your letter advising that a friend had directed you to send me The New Era every week. Convey to him my sincere thanks, please. I appreciate the news and it makes a fellow feel that he is not forgotten.

The cavalrymen left for the South Wednesday morning. One Hospital Corps left for France.

Joseph Grant, of East Riverton, is stationed at Fort DuPont, Wilmington, Del.

We had a fierce storm here Friday and Friday night. The heavy downpour of rain was accompanied by a high wind and many of the tents were blown down, though, fortunately no one was hurt.

The ladies from some of the surrounding towns have been sending us boys some nice home-made cakes, and believe me, they certainly are good! If there are any cake bakers down your way who want to do their bit, I'll be on the receiving end and see that every fellow in my company gets his share.

Tell Mayor Flagg I hope he gets elected Sheriff.

Remember me to those who remember me, and believe me,

Sincerely yours,
JOHN FLYNN,
Co. A. Third Reg't. Onf.
N. G. N. J.
Sea Girt, N. J.

LLOYD MAJOR WRITES ABOUT COMING HOME

(Issue New Era, December 27, 1918)

Mrs. W. A. Major received a letter Monday from her son, Lloyd, dated November 24th. This is the first word Mrs. Major has received in several weeks. He says:

"No doubt you will think I have fallen from the face of this earth, but I am still living and feeling quite able. After the Armistice was signed we started out to hike through Germany to show the people there the boys who helped to bring the great conflict to a close; and we have been hiking ever since. We have not had a chance to write.

I have tried to send you a cablegram ever since the Armistice was signed, to let you know that I had come through all O. K. but we were never located so that we could.

I think that by March you will find most all of the U. S. boys at home.

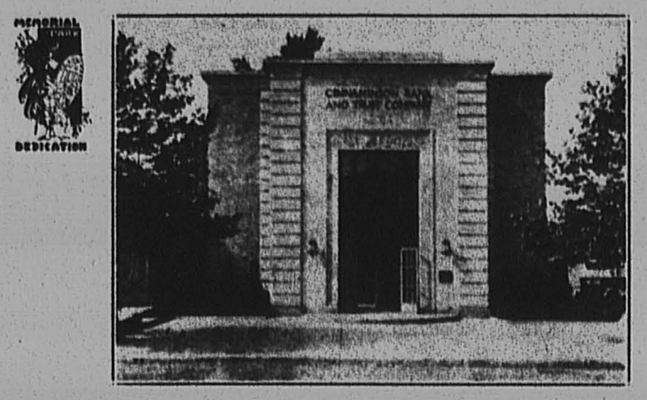
The people over there now need not worry about the boys here being out in the cold this winter, because they are making up billets in the towns where the Germans evacuated.

I would not take anything for the experiences that I passed through, now that it is all over.

Our old regiment has been all broken up, and we are now attached to the 18th Field Artillery.

The people of these liberated towns are sure one happy bunch, and they cannot do enough for you when you enter one of the towns.

Have met Elwood Sawyer, Mark Nace and quite a few of the boys lately, and they are all in the best of health.



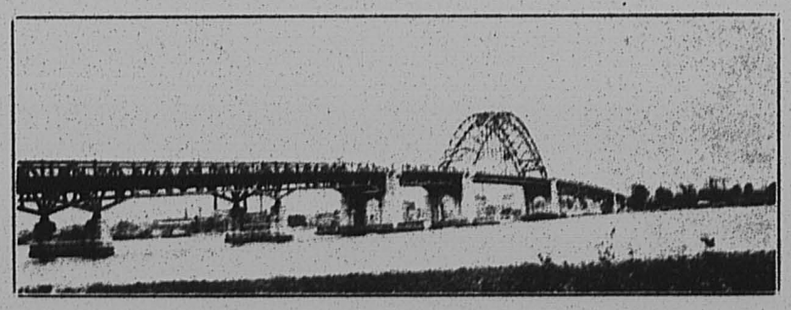
CONGRATULATIONS

THE Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company congratulates the citizens of the Borough of Riverton on the dedication of Memorial Park as a tribute to those who served in the World War from Riverton.

In that great conflict, waged in the defense of Freedom and Liberty, Riverton's sons acquitted themselves with honor and distinction.

We have every reason to take pride in their achievements and to do them honor on this occasion.

CINNAMINSON BANK & TRUST CO.
Riverton



IN the intricate mazes of civilized life many simple, material things have important and far-reaching effects.

Means of easy, safe and swift transportation bring people together who were strangers before, and promote industrial, commercial and social life.

Public playgrounds, where children and their elders rub elbows with their fellows and thereby become friendly and neighborly, play an important part in developing that ability to work together which is the mark of a highly developed civilization.

A devotion to Our Country and the principles of Justice and Liberty upon which it is founded, are necessary to the perpetuation of our government.

And so, it seems to the management of the Tacony-Palmyra Bridge Company that Riverton is particularly fortunate in the selection of a Municipal Park as a Memorial.

This Park is a common ground on which her people may meet and learn to know each other, to their mutual pleasure and benefit.

It is a place where her boys and girls may develop healthy bodies and the spirit of true sportsmanship.

Best of all, it will be a lasting monument to those who gave so unstintedly of themselves that human rights and justice might not perish from the earth, and a perpetual inspiration to the youth of each succeeding generation to preserve the priceless heritage of Liberty made safe to them by those to whose memory the Park is dedicated.

TACONY-PALMYRA BRIDGE CO.

RAYMOND PRATT DIES AT ARSENAL

Was Scheduled to Sail for France When Stricken With "Flu." Died in Four Days

Another of Riverton's sons who gave his life for his flag was Raymond Pratt, a boy in years and a man at heart.

Within a month of the time he was scheduled to go "over the pond" Pratt contracted influenza while engaged in guard duty at the Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, and died within four days.

Pratt was only seventeen years old when he died, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rathmell Pratt, 418 Howard Street, Riverton.

"Pratty," as the boys of his age all knew him, was born and raised in Howard street. He attended the Riverton Grammar School and spent six months at Palmyra High School. At fifteen years of age he entered the employ of the Pennsylvania Rail Road Company, which position he left to enlist in the artillery at the outbreak of the war.

When Pratt told his mother that he had enlisted, she quite naturally voiced a protest because of his youth. But Pratt, with a determination and enthusiasm characteristic of him, gently but firmly replied, "Mother if you succeed in cancelling my enlistment, I'll get a pass from the P.R.R. and enlist in the Canadian army." Mrs. Pratt, fully realizing that he meant it, patriotically replied, "If you are determined to go son, I would rather you fight for our flag."

Pratt, therefore, left for Fort Slocum, New York, on May 1st, 1918, and two weeks later was transferred to the Ordnance Division guarding the Frankford Arsenal.

On the occasion of his last visit with his parents Pratt remarked, "I wonder what house in Riverton will be the next to display the gold star" and on October 1st, 1918 (in less than two weeks) the same hand of fate placed the next gold star in the window he was never to see again.

Pratt was given a military funeral and his body was interred in Mount Moriah Cemetery, at 69th and Woodland Avenue, Philadelphia.

Shortly after the war was over the Pennsylvania Railroad Company tendered a reception to the gold star parents of their employees, and Mr. and Mrs. Pratt were given a medal as an honorary token of its appreciation of the sacrifice these boys made for their country.

Private Raymond Pratt, a happy go lucky good natured boy, strong willed patriotic mate and a courageous American soldier, all in one, will ever be endeared in the hearts of Rivertonians as a son of which they can be justly proud.

EX-SERVICE MEN FAVOR PARK PLAN

In December, 1919, Service Men Suggested Athletic Field

At a meeting of the Riverton Borough Council on December 12, 1919, the joint committee of three members of Council and three citizens, submitted the following report, signed by the chairman, Joshua W. Atlee, and embodying the ideas favored by 58 service men whose signatures were attached.

The committee was composed of J. W. Atlee, H. H. Murray, Louis Corner, Charles Wanger, H. E. Moyer and S. L. Warren.

Recommendation by Ex-Service Men to Memorial Committee
December 10, 1919

Whereas, the Borough Council of Riverton has appointed a Memorial Committee to investigate and determine how best the citizens of Riverton can properly commemorate the memory of those men who made the supreme sacrifice in our behalf, and also show the appreciation of the service rendered by those who served during the World's War; and the said committee having requested the ex-service men to express themselves as to what they think would be the most desirable for the above purpose, we, the undersigned, respectfully offer the following suggestions:

First—That they obtain a suitable athletic field, dedicating it to the service men, but retaining the title in the borough's name, said field to be available for the people of Riverton as a whole, subject only to such restrictions as are deemed necessary by a committee of ex-service men and Councilmen that would be appointed or elected to manage said field.

Second—That they erect on a portion of this field, that would not be required for athletic purposes, a suitable memorial building dedicated to the service men and controlled and operated by the Riverton Post of the American Legion, said building to incorporate in it a suitable headquarters for the Riverton Post of the American Legion, a community hall and auditorium and a suitable room or hall that would enable them to indulge in indoor athletic contests.

We sincerely hope that the Memorial Committee will receive these suggestions in the spirit which they are given, which is just an expression of the opinion of the following:

(List of 58 names)

On motion by Mr. Wanger, seconded by Mr. Moyer, it was unanimously Resolved, that this committee endorse the suggestions offered by the ex-service men through Commander Rogers, as shown above. In addition thereto, the committee recommends the addition of ground for use as a park, the whole to be financed and managed as provided under the Laws of 1919, page 63, chapter 31—Public Lands and Buildings, approved April 7, 1919, and attached hereto.

JOSHUA W. ATLEE,
Chairman.

The committee from Council was composed of Joshua W. Atlee, H. H. Murray and Louis Corner, Jr. The citizen's committee was Charles Wanger, H. E. Moyer and S. L. Warren.

DIED AT POST OF DUTY



RAYMOND PRATT
who contracted influenza while on guard duty at Frankford Arsenal, and died in four days.

RED CROSS WORK STARTED IN ITALY

World's Greatest Service Organization Seventy Years Old. Origin of Emblem

The Red Cross movement originated during the war in Italy, in 1859, but did not take organized shape until it was founded through a diplomatic convention held in Geneva, Switzerland, in 1864.

The Treaty of Geneva, or, as it is sometimes called, the "Red Cross Treaty," provided for a flag for hospitals and convoys and an arm badge for persons. The design proposed was a red cross on a white background. This was a compliment to the country in which the congress was sitting, the Swiss flag being a white cross on a red background. The Red Cross flag, therefore, is the national flag of Switzerland with colors reversed.

Inasmuch as the cross symbolizes the Christian religion, the idea prevails with some persons, who are unfamiliar with the early history of the Red Cross, that the emblem has a distinctly religious significance, and that in adopting it the signatories to the treaty had principally in mind the humanitarian work of Christianity. But the universality of the underlying idea, embracing all nations and all religions, divested it from any such significance. In other words, the particular cross that suggested the Red Cross emblem is heraldic rather than religious. It is true that the Mohammedan antipathy to the cross in any form subsequently caused Turkish representatives to protest against operating under the emblem, and it was specially provided that the organization in Turkey should have a red crescent for a symbol. But Japan and China have the red cross for an emblem, and all the other countries of the world, in fact, recognize it as its true non-sectarian and non-religious significance.

In 1906, a second Geneva Convention was held. The Conference drew up thirty-three articles dealing with the wounded and sick, medical units and establishments, personnel, material, convoys of evacuation, the distinctive emblem, the application and carrying out of the rules of the convention, the prevention of abuses and infractions, and general provisions. As a compliment to Geneva, the heraldic emblem of the red cross on the white background, formed by reversing the colors of the city, was retained as the emblem and distinctive sign of the medical service of armies.

"No, a single swallow does not make a Spring, but a number of swallows have made many a man think he was a bird."

Thomas A. Edison is said to be at work perfecting a mechanical stenographer. He is getting old.

N. Y. Evening Post.

Clarence Tucker Tells of Camp Life

(From New Era, February 28, 1918)

Co. A, 453d Labor Bat. White
Enlisted Staff, Camp Stuart
Newport News, Virginia

Dear Mr. Bowen:

As you may recall, I left Riverton the last of August with William Faunce and Walter Woodall. After arriving at Camp Green, Bill Faunce and I were teammates for quite awhile. Later I was appointed acting sergeant in the supply stores and assisted in equipping the men with uniforms. I am quite sure some of the boys will remember us for the misfit uniforms we handed out—some with 14" neck received shirts big enough to use for pajamas. But it wasn't our fault, as the sizes were all mixed up.

In a short time I was put on special duty under Captain Gleason who was running a big show for the benefit of the Fourth Regiment Band in the auditorium at Charlotte, N. C., three miles from the Camp. The show was quite a success in two ways: first, because there were 5,000 people jammed in the house, the net receipts amounting to about $1800, and second, because of the fine talent that was discovered among the boys. Five of them were playing United time on Keith's circuit before entering the army. Jack Poole, one of my buddies, was encored fifteen times. I gave some dramatic readings from Robert W. Service and Kipling.

The first of November I was transferred to the 452nd Labor Battalion, White Enlisted Staff. These labor battalions are made up of colored men with the exception of the white enlisted staff and officers. We were being prepared for overseas duty when the Armistice was signed.

I want to say just a word about the colored troops at Camp Green. The famous 369th Pioneer Infantry was always ready to go across, and they were a wonderful bunch of trained men, who would have given a great account of themselves had they got to take a crack at the Huns. They were in high spirits all the time. You could hear them coming a mile off, singing one of their songs, one of which was a work song and another "Loco Lane." Their morale was great never a word of grumbling or complaint.

The only kick I have coming is the prices mentioned such as charged for everything in this town. Prices have more than doubled for everything else but the soldier pays $30.00 cents more for everything, than a civilian.

With best regards to yourself and all the fellows around town,

Very truly yours,
SGT. CLARENCE C. TUCKER

In the good old days, when a neighbor told you how many quarts and pints he had put up, you knew he meant fruit.

By our speech, by our manner, by our dress, we are all in the advertising business.

Probably the greatest of all remote controls nowadays is parental control.—Lowell Times.

The fidelity of the dog should shame men who are forgetful of benefits.

HEAD OF COMMITTEE ON MEMORIAL



EDWARD H. PLAGG, JR.
who was chairman of Citizens' Committee which finally recommended that the Memorial should be an Athletic Field.

Red Cross Work in School

(Issue New Era, July 4, 1919)

Red Cross Work accomplished by the pupils of the Riverton Public School, from February 22, 1918 until June 1919.

Sewing—Forty-eight slings made and hemmed, 22 pillows made and filled, 3 pillow cases, 18 property bags, 63 handkerchiefs hemmed, 10 refugee dresses, 6 infants' sacks embroidered, 4 infants' kimona, 3½ dozen napkins hemmed, 34 pairs flannelette booties lined and 18 pairs 8 year size drawers with ruffles.

Knitting and Red Cross Activities—Three large robes for soldiers, 7½ knitted washcloths, 4 pairs socks, 3 pairs children's socks, 14 sweaters for refugees, 5 scarfs for refugees, 30 lb carpet rags tied and sewed, 13 rugs woven for Red Cross and 25 scrap books made for soldiers, sock stretchers made of wood and sold, Christmas seals sold, paper flowers and lace made and sold, several rugs sold, $26 earned to date, several large packages of magazines were collected and mailed to Camp Dix and trout pit collected.



RIVERTON'S citizens are proud to pay homage to her sons who served in the World War, and the dedication of a Memorial Park to their memory is a well-deserved tribute gladly rendered.

JOSEPH W. FRIDAY
Automobile Repairing and Supplies
Dunlop Tires
502 Main Street Riverton, N. J.



IN the selection of a Community Park as a Memorial to the veterans of the World War, the citizens of Riverton are paying a well-deserved tribute to her worthy sons and daughters who served in the Great Conflict, and at the same time providing a playground for this and coming generations.

The Borough Officials who brought this about are to be congratulated on their foresight and wisdom.

JEROME J. ZISAK, Jr.
Funeral Director



MORE than a decade has passed since America's youth followed the Stars and Stripes across the seas to encounter the vicissitudes of war.

How they acquitted themselves is a matter of history.

Riverton is proud to pay homage to her sons who served in the World War, and the dedication of a Memorial Park as a tribute to their valiant record is but an outward token of the deep and lasting appreciation which will be theirs as long as the deeds of brave men are cherished.

J. S. COLLINS & SON, Inc.
Edw. E. Yerkes, Mgr.



BEST Wishes and hearty congratulations to the citizens of Riverton on the dedication of its fine Memorial Park to those who served in the World War—a fitting tribute to a noble service.

B. E. BLANKENBUSH
PHARMACIST
RIVERTON MERCHANTVILLE

DIED IN CANADIAN ARMY



CHARLES J. KELLY

who was taken with influenza after enlisting with Canadian Rifles, died after short illness.

KELLY SERVED IN CANADIAN ARMY

Enlisted In American Army and Is Next Heard From in Canadian Rifles

Charles J. Kelly was another of Riverton's sons who made the supreme sacrifice in the Great War. Within six weeks after entering the service in the Canadian Army, Kelly died of influenza contracted in Niagara Camp, Ottawa, Ontario.

Kelly, together with Pratt and Hylton, went to Camden to enlist in the United States Army, and a week later Kelly was sent to Fort Slocum, New York.

From the letter Kelly sent to his mother, it would seem that he was in the United States Army at Fort Slocum. However, the next thing Mrs. Kelly knew she received a pay check from the Canadian Government, indicating that Charles had enlisted in the Canadian Army.

Though Mrs. Kelly has been unable to learn any of the details surrounding his transfer from one army to the other, the supposition is that Kelly was rejected at Fort Slocum since he was not quite eighteen, and rather than come home defeated, he crossed the border and enlisted in His Majesty's service with the Canadian Rifle Corps.

On October 7th Mr. Kelly received the following telegram.

Mrs. R. P. Kelly
608 Main Street
Riverton

YOUR SON SERIOUSLY ILL IN HOSPITAL HERE CASE NOT HOPELESS

O. C. H. 250
Canadian Rifles.

On October 12th news came of his death, and his body was shipped to Philadelphia, where a quiet family funeral service was held and he was interred in Old Cathedral cemetery, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Kelly is very grateful to the Canadian Officials who made every effort to save the life of her son, and who kept her informed at regular intervals of the progress of his case.

Kelly, as a boy was well known around Riverton and at one time worked at the butcher shop of C. W. Lud low on Howard Street. He was noted for his good disposition and his devotion to his mother.

TREES PLANTED FOR RIVERTON'S FALLEN

Riverton Public School Plants Trees In Memory of Gold Star Boys

(Page Six, Thursday, April 17, 1919)

The following article was written for The New Era by Bessie Clark, one of the pupils in the Riverton Public School at the time the trees were planted.

Arbor Day exercises at the Riverton Public School included the planting of six trees for Riverton's gold star boys. The trees were placed in line with the other shade trees in front of the building and at one side.

Morris Sleeth dedicated the first tree for Raymond Pratt. Raymond was born January 2, 1901. He enlisted. Influenza caused his death on October 1, 1918.

Jame Bradley's tree was dedicated by Richard Wanger, who gave a few facts about the hero's life. James Bradley was a sergeant-major in the Sixteenth United States Infantry. He was killed in action October 28, 1918.

Wallace Sullivan dedicated the tree and told a few facts about Raymond McGivney. Raymond was born in Kingston, N. Y., April 18, 1893.

He was a private in the 311th Ambulance Corps. He was killed on April 28, 1918.

Charles Kelly's tree was dedicated by Joseph Joyce. He said Charles Kelly enlisted in the Canadian Army and that he died October 12, 1918, of influenza.

Thomas Roberts Reath, who represented Riverton's first gold star, had a tree planted in his honor, which was dedicated by Malcolm Dickinson. This hero was killed on June 12, 1918. He was sergeant in the Fifth United States Marines.

Walter Kennedy was born October 1, 1892. He enlisted in the Marines and was killed on October 10, 1918. The tree for Walter Kennedy was dedicated by Raymond Bradshaw.

I know Riverton will never regret having planted those six trees. Every one who attended the Arbor Day exercises will feel that Riverton made a success of Arbor Day, 1919.

BESSIE CLARK.

Midnight Owl—What every mother of several children knows. It's never too late to mend.—Judge

Memorial from Canadian Government



HE whom this scroll commemorates was numbered among those who, at the call of King and Country, left all that was dear to them, endured hardness, faced danger, and finally passed out of the sight of men by the path of duty and self-sacrifice, giving up their own lives that others might live in freedom.

Let those who come after see to it that his name be not forgotten.

Pte. C. J. Kelly
Central Ontario Regt.

The above is reproduced from the original copy in Mrs. Kelly's possession sent to her over King George's signature in appreciation of her son's sacrifice in the great conflict.



ALL honor to the Boys to whom Memorial Park will be dedicated on Independence Day, and congratulations to the Borough whose far-sighted officials provided so fitting a tribute.

WILLIAM F. BECKER
GROCER
517 Howard Street



NEXT to Patriotism comes the appreciation of sacrifices made and services rendered in defense of Old Glory and the principles of Equality and Justice for which it stands.

In honoring those who served in the World War, Riverton honors herself, and the dedication of Memorial Park is a tribute of loyalty and respect in which we are all proud to join.

CLARENCE N. HUBBS
PLUMBING, HEATING and ROOFING
627 Thomas Avenue Riverton, New Jersey
Phone 354-J

TUBERCULIN TESTED RAW
GOLDEN Millside farms GUERNSEY MILK
RIVERSIDE, N.J. PHONE

CONGRATULATIONS to Riverton on the dedication of its splendid Memorial Park to the Veterans of the World War.

That it serves the dual purpose of a tribute to those whom Riverton would honor, and at the same time provides a Municipal Recreation Centre, is a happy combination which reflects the wisdom of the Borough Officials who conceived of the plan and carried it to completion.

Millside farms

A Nation's appreciation of the sacrifices made by our forefathers in order that we might live in peace, happiness and security, is voiced anew by a grateful people with each recurring Independence Day.

And this year Riverton, in the dedication of its park, as a Memorial to those who served in the World War, pays a well-deserved tribute to men who nobly lived and nobly died.

SUPPLEE
ICE CREAM
Supreme
A PRODUCT OF NATIONAL DAIRY



Congratulations
to Riverton on the dedication of its fine Memorial Park to the Veterans of the World War.

L. L. KEATING
ICE CREAM SERVED AND DELIVERED
PATENT MEDICINES
SODA FOUNTAIN, CANDIES
GIFTS, CIGARS
Phone Riverton 1540 Broad and Main Riverton, N. J.

American Legion Auxiliary No. 156

Brief Record of Activities In Assisting Ex-Service Men and Their Families

The organization, in its own quiet way, has for many years been a leading factor in welfare work not only locally but throughout the County. Composed of mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of men who served their country during the World War, the Auxiliary carries on to help the ex-service man and his family in any and every way possible. Calls for food, clothing, fuel in winter, medical and dental aid, advice of any sort—all these are always answered cheerfully and promptly. Rehabilitation and Child Welfare are the main objects of this organization, and to further the part we have chosen this local unit, No. 156, to be one of the most active in Burlington County. In addition to taking care of the ex-service men and families in our own vicinity, the Unit contributes to the Central County Rehabilitation Fund and sends supplies to the County for distribution where most needed.

One of the outstanding activities of the Unit each year, in the line of Child Welfare Work, is the annual Christmas Party given by the children of ex-service men who are assisted by the Rehabilitation Committee.

The party is held just before Christmas in the Legion Home. Each child is presented with a gift from "Santa Claus" and, in addition to refreshments, is given an orange, small box of hard candies and candy cane to take home. The, of course, is a special affair for the children, the ex-service men and their families being provided with a basket of all the "fixings" for a Christmas dinner, clothing and toys the night before Christmas.

Much could be written of the splendid work done by the American Legion Auxiliary but time and space are limited. Summing up briefly the work of this busy organization, its program through the year, in addition to the main activity—Rehabilitation and Child Welfare—provides for a share in the maintenance of the Toms River Home for disabled veterans, remembrances suitable to each holiday sent to boys in hospitals, Christmas bags to boys in the Canal Zone through the American Red Cross, and, since the establishment of a government hospital at Millington, N. J., some aid sent to it.

The question most natural in the reader's mind will be, "where does the money come from?" This, readers, is the one and only reason for the Poppy Sale held each year by the American Legion and Auxiliary. The Rehabilitation Fund depends almost entirely on the proceeds of this sale for the carrying out of the year's work. Donations have been received from kind friends interested in this work, which have enabled the Committee to carry on in such a splendid way. But the main fund is composed of the receipts of the Poppy Sale. That is why the citizens of these towns are always urged so strongly to cooperate in the Poppy Days as the proceeds are 100 per cent. rehabilitation.

The local unit contributes annually to the American Red Cross, Burlington County Tuberculosis League, Needlework Guild of America and the local Welfare Fund. These contributions are all made in the names of the American Legion and Auxiliary.

For several years, the Unit has given two school awards each year. These are given to the outstanding girl students of the eighth grades of the Palmyra and Riverton Grammar School. These awards are based on Scholarship, Honor, Service, Courage, Leadership and Americanism. This year's award were won by Edith Reilly, of Riverton, and Ruth Wenner, of Palmyra.

Several times the unit has taken a "party" to the Naval Hospital at League Island. The events were enjoyable affairs, not only to the men at the Hospital, but to the ladies who went. Cards were the chief entertainment but some of the men who do not play cards were very pleased to have someone sign them in checkers. The ladies provided the prizes, which were all suited to the needs of the men there, and very tasty refreshments. In one instance Oak Mossed was served and this was a new treat to the men there as they had never had it before, and had a great deal of fun guessing just what it was.

Members of the Unit had collected a set of earphones for some friends who no longer need them, and these were taken to the hospital for the patients who are bedfast, and there were over 40 sets distributed through one ward. These sets brought more pleasure to the men that one can imagine with out actually seeing them. Just a little act but how very great the benefit.

The Unit invites all women who are eligible to join their organization. It should be a pleasure to feel that one is able to join in such worthy work, and in helping those who need it now we are helping those who gave their all that we might enjoy the benefits of their great sacrifice.

The officers of Unit No. 156 are: President, Mrs. Chas. A. King; 1st Vice President, Mrs. Maurice Sandy; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. Geo. Luce; Secretary, Mrs. Geo. Wengund; Treasurer, Miss Mary Priest; Chaplain, Mrs. Stanley Lippincott; Historian, Mrs. Will Lippincott; Sergeant at Arms, Mrs. Arthur Smythe.

Nurse Amanda Faunce Writes to Red Cross

Riverton Girl, Nursing at the Front, Asks for Magazines for Soldiers

France, May 30, 1918

To the Red Cross Society
Riverton, New Jersey

Each week I receive my copy of the New Era from home. I read about the work the people at home are doing, and it makes me proud of Riverton.

Would it be asking too much if they would send me magazines for my patients?

For the past year we have taken care of British patients only, but now that our own troops are here, we are caring for many U. S. A. boys.

I am taking care of the contagious diseases and find it impossible to keep them supplied with reading matter, which they are constantly asking for. Two miles from here there is a quarantine camp of the boys who have been in contact with the contagious cases. Several evenings ago we discovered that they have not anything to read except their Bibles, we later supplied them with what papers we had.

Anything you would care to send—magazines, books, cards, games, picture puzzles, would be most appreciated, and help pass the long hours of quarantine away.

Address No. 16 Phila General Hospital, U. S. A. B. E. F. France, care Major Richard Hart.

Sincerely,
Amanda D. Faunce, A. U. C.

Sergeant Reath Killed in Action

(From New Era, June 28, 1918)

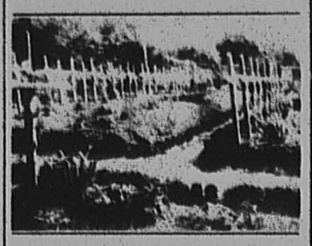
The family received word last night by telegraph that Sergeant Thomas Roberts Heath, of the U. S. Marines had been killed in action in France. Details are lacking. This is the first Riverton boy to fall in the war for humanity.

(From New Era, July 12, 1918)

According to despatches from France, Sergeant Thomas Roberts Heath, the Riverton marine who was killed in action on June 12, led an attack against the Germans at Chateau Thierry, which resulted in the capture of forty prisoners and a machine gun just previous to his death.

After this action Reath returned to the home line and in a few minutes died gloriously on the field of battle.

IN FLANDERS FIELDS



The above photograph of an American Cemetery in France was loaned to The New Era by Charles L. Hawke, Riverton.

POPPIES

Poppies in the wheat fields on the pleasant hills of France,
Reddening in the summer breeze that lads them nod and dance;
Over them the skylark sings his little song, liquid tune
Poppies in the wheat fields, and all the world in June.

Poppies in the wheat fields on the road to Manthurs—
Hark! the spiteful rattle when the masked machine guns play!
Over them the shrapnel's song startles the summer noon
Poppies in the wheat fields but ah, the fields are torn.

See the stalwart Yankee lads, never once to blench,
Poppies in their helmets as they clear the shallow trench,
Leaping down the furrows with eager, boyish tread
Through the poppied wheat fields to the flaming woods ahead.

Poppies in the wheat fields as sinks the summer sun,
Broken, bruised and trampled but the bitter day is won;
Vesper in the woodland where the flashing rifles shine,
With their poppies in their helmets the front files hold the line.

Poppies in the wheat fields, how still beside them lie
Scattered forms that stir not when the star-shell burst on high;
Gently bending o'er them beneath the moon's soft glance,
Poppies of the wheat fields on the ransomed hills of France.

JOHN MILLS HANSON,
Captain, F. A.

ODE TO A BATH TUB

In days gone by in civil life
We all were bright and gay,
And all of us could get a bath
At any time of day.

But now we're in the trenches
And the weather's pretty cold,
And water for a real good wash
Is worth its weight in gold.

Not only are we dirty
And don't undress at night,
But we get our flesh to bleeding
When we scratch where each one bites.

If we find a spot that's sunny
In this land of rainy France,
The first things that we boys remove
Are blouses, shirts and pants.

And when the other things are off
We rub ourselves with soap
And put the first things on again,
And hope, and hope and hope.

For we want this war to finish
So we'll have the aftermath,
Of spending Sunday morning
In the good old U. S. bath.

P. G. WHITTIER,
Battery E, F. A.

KELLY DIES IN CANADA

(From New Era, October 18, 1917)

Charles Kelly, aged 18 years, 3 months, died at Camp Niagara, Ontario, from double pneumonia last Saturday. The body is on its way home. The deceased was a son of Mrs. Cecelia Kelly, 618 Main Street.

Attention, Mr. Hoover!

(From New Era, December 28, 1917)

Oh, Dear Mr. Hoover,
Supreme Waste Remover,
We women are out on your trail.
We're here to scan seedless,
Conserve all the needless,
But listen and heed to our wail!

For sure that we women all over the land
Are willing to save and to can all we can.
To scrape up the scraps into all sorts of messes,
Go light on the money and short on the dresses.
No, Dear Mr. Hoover, that's but half of the plan.
Sweep on the campaign, but remember the man.
There's more ways than one to win for our nation
There's more ways than only can home conservation!
But think of our husbands invested in blue smoke,
The price of the drinks and the tips we're to joke
You fine fertile mind can surely observe
The unnumerable ways in which man can conserve!

A bag's quite sufficient. Don't let them be hard
But make in bright colors a sweet little card
To place on an easel on each office desk,
Or a pertinent button for each man to elect.

So Hoover, Dear Hoover,
Supreme Waste Remover,
We get you; but do you get this—
We're willing our share of the burden to bear,
But man must conserve on his bliss!

Eleanore L. Armstrong,
In American Khakiland.

WHAT THEY MISS

They send us pocket Bibles,
To make us lads behave,
They send us bright french mirrors,
To help us when we shave,
Powder for our face and feet,
Cold creams and camphor ice,
But never any poison
For the hungry Army lice.

They send us Wrigley's Double mint,
It's really very nice,
They send us little sewing kits,
With which we sew and splice,
Wrist watches and bright wristlets,
And uke on which to strum,
But never any poison
For the hungry Army cum.

Oh, yes, dear friends, we've got them,
And we've got them mighty bad,
The pesky things keep biting,
Till they almost drive us mad;
They're after us continually,
Morning, noon, and night,
And every time they grab a chunk,
We know old "Sherm" was right.

Corp. "Jerry" Jerome
Headquarters Co.



CONGRATULATIONS to Riverton on its double celebration—Independence Day and the dedication of Memorial Park—a fitting tribute to the patriots of 1776 and 1917.

CHARLES L. HAWKE
524 Main Street Riverton, N. J.



THE BOROUGH OF RIVERTON is fortunate indeed to have so magnificant a Community Park, with its natural advantages and great possibilities for development.

The Citizens of Riverton and Borough Officials are to be congratulated on this auspicious occasion, when they dedicate this Park as a Memorial to the Veterans of the World War in whose achievements we all take pride.

GEORGE W. SHANER & SONS
BUILDING CONTRACTORS
PALMYRA, N. J.



THE Dreer Nurseries have been an integral part of Riverton for 64 years.

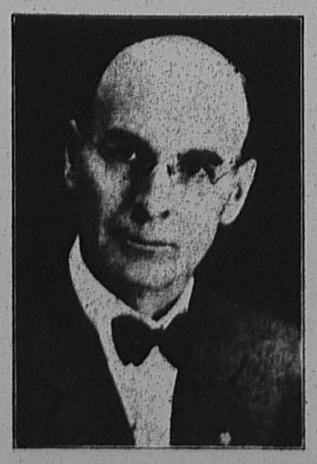
The ground which was converted into a Community Park and which will be dedicated on July 4th as a Memorial to those who served in the World War, was purchased from the Dreer Estate.

Sixteen employees of Dreer's Nurseries wore the uniform.

It is, therefore, with peculiar pleasure that this firm notes the completion by the Borough of this very fine tribute to those who "carried on" from Riverton.

Congratulations to the citizens of Riverton and to the Borough Officials upon the achievement of so desirable a Memorial and Civic Improvement.

HENRY A. DREER, Inc.



IN the interests of health and happiness I can think of no greater asset to a town than a Memorial Park.

Riverton is to be congratulated on selecting as a Memorial to the Veterans of the World War so fitting a tribute to their services, and at the same time a place of recreation for this and coming generations.

MARCUS W. NEWCOMB.



BOROUGH PRESENTS 100 SERVICE RINGS

Veterans of World War Given Personal Memento By Mayor and Council

The Citizens' Committee which in May 1920, recommended to the Riverton Borough Council that the Memorial to the veterans of the World War should take the form of an athletic field, also decided that in addition to the a ring should be presented to each of the service men and women, and Edward H. Flagg, Jr., chairman of the Citizens' Committee, appointed a sub-committee composed of Oliver G. Wallis, chairman, Mrs. N. Myers Fitler and Walter C. Wright to pass upon the eligibility of those who were to receive these rings.

After a careful investigation this sub-committee returned a list of 100 names.

The rings were presented on July 4, 1920, to the following:

I. F. Allison
C. Armstrong
H. Armstrong
Asst. Arthurs
William H. Baker
Wilbur F. Bard
F. V. Bennett
Lawrence C. Bell
Frank Betz
Ralston Biddle
Eli W. Brown, Jr.
James Brown
James A. Claflin
Frank Coddington
Alexander Cole
Walter Compton
S. H. Conwell, Jr.
Jack Cooper
Stanley Corbett
Duncan Cuthbert
S. Sheppard Davis
Franklin D'Olier
George Evans
Harry C. Everett

"TO ONE OF ITS OWN"



SERVICE RING

presented by Borough of Riverton to those who served in the World War.

Amanda Faunce, hospital nurse in France, was the only woman to receive this ring.

Amanda Faunce
Edward S. Faunce
William Faunce
Dale B. Fitler
John Flynn
Thomas L. Ford
B. F. Groot
Jacob Gross
Arthur Hall
Eugene Hatzell
Orlando Herbert
Harry F. Holt
Dunbar Hylton
Francis Holvick
DeWitt Houghtaling
Frederick M. Jones
Louis Jeffries
Robert Jones
Lawrence Joyce
Henry B. Kipp
George W. Kretchman
Norman Keil
Robert Latta
Harold Leinau
Arthur Lich
Ernest Lich
A. C. Lloyd
Jacques L. Legendeu
Wesley Lloyd
Louis Lowden, Jr.
Geo. MacMullin
Robinson MacMullin
George L. Major
Wm. A. Major
Howard C. Marston
Norman Messenger
Chas. S. Mills, M.D.
A. Tucker Murdock
Lawrence Murdock
Otis W. Myers
Chas. W. Nevin
Ogden Nevin
Percy Nevin
J. Warren Reed
Richard M. Reed
Percy A. Ransom
Howard M. Rogers
Robinson W. Rogers
H. B. Rinehard
David W. Sager
Ralph Scott
C. Benedict Showell
G. Fred Smith
Royal Smith
Walter S. Snyder
Elroy Steedle
H. B. Taylor
Robert Thomas
Clarence Tucker
Wm. Tyler
D. Laurence Vaughan
Howard A. Washington
Geo. Weigel
Edw. White
Geo. T. Wilson
Frederic C. Witte, M.D.
Rudolph O. Woodill
Walter E. Woodill
Ralph Wolcott
Emerson Wolfschmidt
Wm. J. Wolfschmidt
Geo. T. Woodbury
Clarence S. Woodman
Walter C. Wright
Edward Yerkes

Promptness

Write down the names of ten persons whom you know always to be prompt. Put your own name down first.

First Cook: What do you do with yourself now that the ice man is out of a job?

Second Ditto: Well, the man who collects installments on the refrigerator ain't such a bad sort.

"Why does a red-headed girl always marry a quiet fellow?"

"She doesn't. He just gets like that."

Sager Longs for Good Old Riverton

(Issue New Era, January 10, 1919)

St. Vincent de Paul, France
December 20, 1918

My Dear Mr. Bowen:

I have been receiving The New Era quite regularly ever since I have been in the service, and have missed but very few numbers. It has always been welcome and I read it thoroughly, especially since I have been in France, as it has been a very fine way to keep in touch with people and events back home. The weekly news budget nearly always gets my attention first, as I have been able to know from that just what people I know are doing, where the boys are, etc.

I received a copy of The New Era quite some time in advance of any other news from home, after my arrival over here, and it surely looked mighty good to me.

As you may know, the organization I am with has not seen any service at the front, so I have nothing exciting to tell of. We have been connected with the S. O. S. over here, our companies working on the docks, assembling trucks and motor cars and the like, in the vicinity of Bordeaux. I have spent the most of my time in France at Camp De Songe, an artillery training camp about fifteen miles from Bordeaux. It was quite like some parts of Jersey, it being very sandy and in among the pine trees.

A few weeks ago we moved to our present location, St. Vincent de Paul, and are now living in billets here, awaiting orders to move overseas. I presume it will not be very long now, and I am looking forward with a good deal of eagerness to the time when I can scrape my hobnail shoes on the pavements of good old Riverton.

It surely makes one feel good when he reads that the old home town has done its bit and more in the Liberty Loan, Red Cross and United War Work fund campaigns.

Sincerely yours,
D. W. SAGER

MacMullin Wounded In Heavy Fighting

(Issue New Era, January 3, 1919)

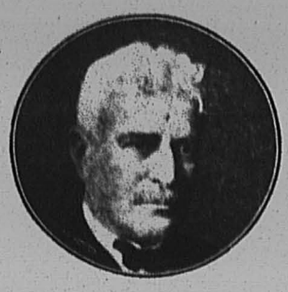
Mrs. Samuel MacMullin has received word from her son, Captain George M. MacMullin, from overseas, telling of his experience in the last great drive. After fighting the entire month of October, he was wounded on the 31st and fought with his wounds for three days for which he was cited in general orders for his enthusiastic preparation and personal conduct during this offensive, and the successful manner in which he advanced with his command, through high-explosive barrage of the severest kind. Captain MacMullin writes he is doing fine, that his wounds did not prove serious, and that he was leaving in a few days for Germany.

KEEP COOL

ON THE FOURTH OF JULY AT KEATING'S SODA FOUNTAIN.
A REAL SODA FOUNTAIN MENU THAT WILL REFRESH AND DELIGHT YOU.
ORDER YOUR ICE CREAM NOW FOR DELIVERY TO YOUR HOME ON INDEPENDENCE DAY.

L. L. KEATING

Broad and Main Streets — Phone Riverton 1540



RIVERTON has always occupied a warm place, in my affections, and it is with particular pleasure that I congratulate her citizens on the occasion of the dedication of a Memorial to her sons who served in the World War.

That the tribute should take the form of a Municipal Park makes it a lasting boon to posterity as well.

Cordially,
ISAAC BACHARACH.

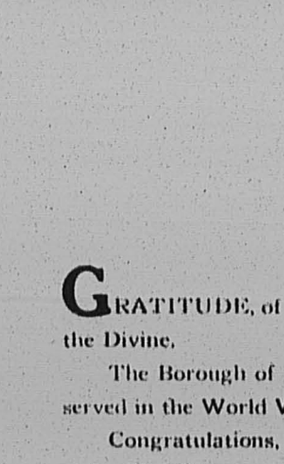
GRATITUDE, of all human emotions, most nearly approaches the Divine.

The Borough of Riverton, in paying tribute to those who served in the World War, does honor to itself as a municipality.

Congratulations, Riverton, on the fine Memorial Park which you will dedicate on Independence Day.

RIVERTON RESTAURANT
BROAD AND MAIN STREETS
RIVERTON

Our new restaurant is now open and we cordially invite everyone to visit and inspect it



CONGRATULATIONS to the Citizens of Riverton on their fine tribute to the Veterans of the World War in the dedication of its Memorial Park—a merited token of appreciation to those who served—and a lasting benefit to coming generations.

ROSCOE C. SHINN
Sheriff of Burlington County



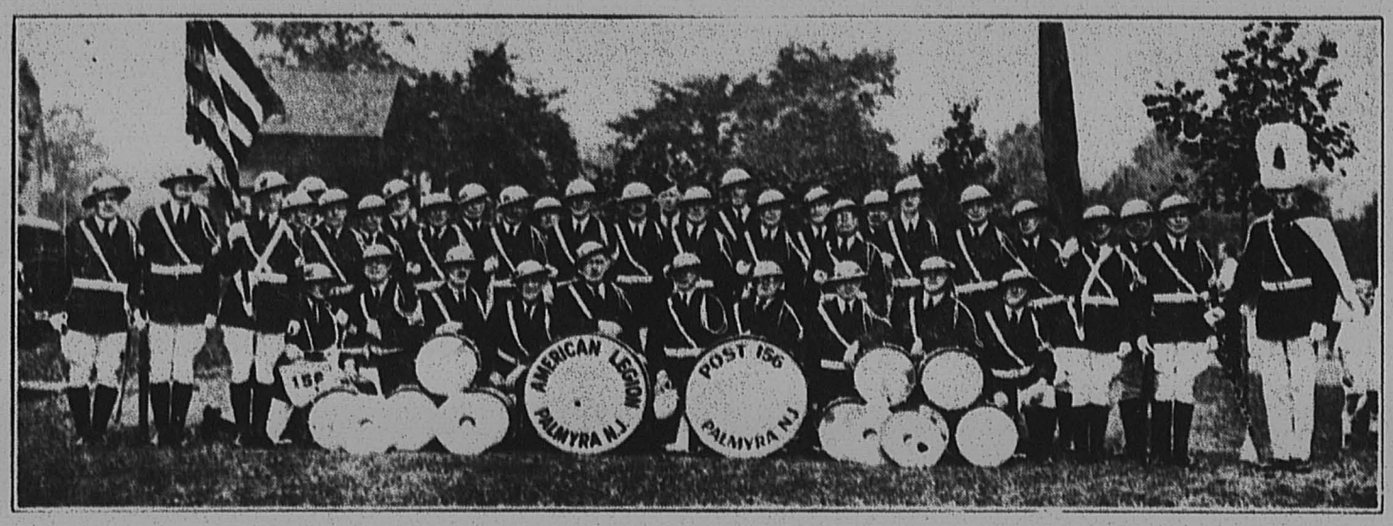
CONGRATULATIONS

To the people of Riverton on their splendid tribute to their sons who so ably represented America in the World War. To them all honor is due.

BEALE & SNYDER

6700 State Road
Philadelphia

TO ASSIST IN DEDICATING MEMORIAL PARK



FREDRICK M. RODGERS, POST NO. 156 BUGLE AND DRUM CORPS, PALMYRA

This splendid unit will give some of its latest drill numbers on Memorial Park field July Fourth. It is composed of Legionnaires from Riverton, Palmyra and surrounding towns and ranks high throughout the East for musical ability.

This will be the first appearance of the unit in the new uniforms which are quite different from the old ones.

THE American Legion Bugle and Drum Corps of Palmyra, N. J., was organized in November of 1926. Those sufficiently interested at that time numbered fifteen men. This handful of supporters pitched in and worked hard to perfect the organization, until today it has a membership of seventy five, fifty of which are on the active playing list.

These boys in their "snappy" uniforms and soldier like formations have thrilled their audiences both at home and away.

In competition with other similar Corps throughout New Jersey these boys from the Fredrick M Rodgers, Post No 156, Palmyra, have won the coveted title of "State Champions" for two years, 1927 and 1929.

In the East, the Palmyra unit is rated among the three highest, despite the fact that none of the boys are professional musicians and none of the men receive compensation for playing.

The Palmyra unit is composed of Legionnaires from Palmyra and some from the Antrim Post, Maple Shade, Riverside Post No 146, and the Mac Farland Post, of Burlington.

The spirit of competition among Legion Bugle Corps is very keen and the rigid inspection under which the various units go provides much interest and helps to hold the organization together. For instance, if in competition, a member of the unit happens to have his belt buckle slightly off center, his unit loses one tenth of a point, which in a measure accounts for the fact that the boys always look as though they had stepped right out of a band box.

Due to the high standard of efficiency gained by the Corps it has become known throughout the entire middle Atlantic section.

Invitations have been received by the corps to appear in sections as far West as Chicago, and from points along the Atlantic seaboard from Maine to Florida.

They are fortunate in having the instruction of such men as Lieut. Paul Shull as the first instructor, Roy Bailey, chief musician (now inactive) Bob Cotter and C. Russell Murphy, of Frankford, who are the present tutors in music and drill.

The Corps is financed by playing parade engagements and prize money won in competition.

The present Corps Officers are as follows: A. H. Lippincott, Commander, George Truman, Executive Officer, George Weigand, Finance Officer, Fred Rubinstein, Adjutant, Ted D'Auttechy, Sgt. Bugler, and William Miller, Sgt. Drummer.

The Corps is assisting in the dedication this Saturday.

Major's Experiences With Heavy Artillery

Lloyd Major, Riverton boy who served on the other side, gives a little inside story about the heavy artillery. Major was shifted around to different duties while in France, but he spent considerable of his time in the artillery.

Major mentioned that on one American drive 3,000 guns were placed almost hub to hub for a barrage that was to be laid down one o'clock in the morning. Each commanding officer had his watch set to match with the one next to him and at the zero hour the guns went off with a terrific roar.

The shooting continued from one o'clock in the morning until nine o'clock—eight hours of shelling without any let up.

The boys kept at their guns without relief and only stopped to drink a mouthful of water that was sent up to swab out the guns.

Shells weighing 32 pounds apiece were lifted six feet to the loading chamber and rammed home. After each shot the boys had to ram out the burning sparks in order that the next powder bag might not ignite and blow the whole crew to atoms.

The timing fuses on the ends of the projectiles were sometimes set at "instantaneous" which means that the slightest jar on the end of the shell would explode it.

All was not roses even in the artillery.

Lt. Col. D'Olier Honored

(From New Era, May 30, 1919)

Lieutenant Colonel Franklin D'Olier, who recently returned from France, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Medal. He has also been made an officer of the Legion of Honor of France.

Lieutenant Colonel D'Olier served two years in France. He organized the salvage plan of the army in December, 1917. Under his organization the plan is considered one of the most important branches of the American Army. The war salvage was enormous and the work was highly praised by many army officers.

Sir Arthur advocates an international economic system instead of excessive nationalism, as more likely to promote world prosperity and peace.

Chairman Miller Thanks Committees

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the various committees functioning in behalf of the joint Fourth of July celebration of Riverton and Palmyra and the dedication of the Memorial Field.

Their hearty cooperation has made it possible to formulate plans worthy of such an important occasion.

It has been a pleasure to serve on this committee, and I hope that the splendid spirit manifested is a good omen for future community celebrations.

The Memorial Park is the most beautiful spot of its kind in Burlington County, and the people of this community should be truly grateful to those who made its existence possible.

WILLIAM T. MILLER,
General Chairman
Palmyra Celebration

Over-production encourages people to make little use of what they have. This is probably true of laws.

The danger of war increases in exact ratio to the increase of armaments.

FREDERICK M. RODGERS POST NO. 156 AMERICAN LEGION

The only Veterans organization in this community is the Frederick M. Rodgers Post No. 156 American Legion. All veterans of the World War are eligible to become members. At the present time Post Rodgers is composed of about one hundred men from Riverton, Palmyra and Cinnaminson Township.

From time to time we have had the privilege to participate in various community activities. At this time we wish to thank the people of the Borough of Riverton for another great honor now accorded us, the opportunity to assist in dedicating Memorial Park which as set aside to immortalize the supreme sacrifice made by five of our Comrades, Bradley, Kelly, Kennedy, McGivney and Pratt.

We deem the realization of the thought of the people of the Borough of Riverton exemplifies one of the most splendid acts of mankind to his fellowman and, commend them for their action and accomplishment.

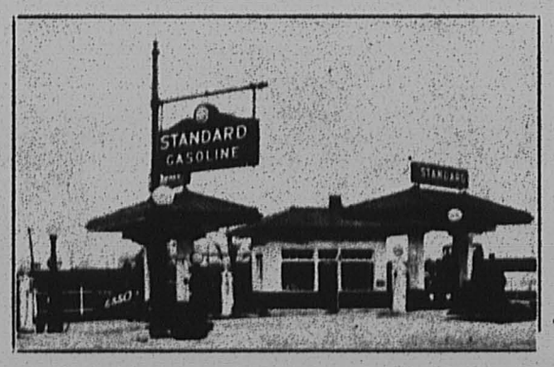
FREDERICK M. RODGERS POST NO. 156
AMERICAN LEGION
Department New Jersey
GEORGE B. WEIGAND, Commander

CONGRATULATIONS to the people of Riverton on the occasion of the dedication of Memorial Park.

It is a splendid tribute to a patriotic service nobly rendered.

RIVERTON MARKET HOUSE
Broad and Main Streets RIVERTON

STANDARD



The Service Station pictured above, formerly at 12th Street and Bridge Boulevard, Camden, is being relocated for us at Route S-41 and Spring Garden Street, Palmyra, N. J.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

ON or about July 15th a modern "Standard" filling station will be opened at the intersection of Spring Garden Street and the new State Highway S-41 [opposite River Road.]

Here you will receive the "snappy," courteous service typical of employees of Standard Stations everywhere.

This station will be in charge of John Goodwin, of Riverton, who has had many years experience in automobile service work.

Every service you have been getting at other Standard Stations will be available here, including the sale of Atlas Tires and Tubes, and that extra high quality motor lubricant, "Mobiloil."

A SHARE OF YOUR BUSINESS IS SOLICITED

H. B. WILLIAMS, Agent

PALMYRA NEW JERSEY

RAYMOND McGIVNEY KILLED BY SHELL

Served In Ambulance Company and Showed Great Coolness Under Fire

Raymond Thomas McGivney, 23 years old, son of Mrs. Mary Moser, who resided at 623 Main Street, Riverton, was killed in France September 28th, 1918.

His death occurred while on duty at Vieville sur Haye on the St. Mihiel front, according to Father Berge who wrote the following letter to his sister, Miss Mary McGivney (now Mrs. John Stockdell, of 422 Linden Avenue, Riverton.)

A. P. O. No. 933 A. E. F.
A. P. O. No. 933 A. E. F. France
February 26th, 1919

Miss Mary M. Mc Givney,
Yonkers, N. York.
My Dear Miss Mc Givney:

Your letter of November 2nd arrived yesterday, a little late you will say, but excusable because of so many changes during the last few months. I have not been with the 311th regiment since the 8th of November, and have spent most of my time in hospital because of gassing and injuries received while at the front.

I well remember your brother's case, however, and after consulting my notebook I find that he died from the effects of high explosive shell wound received before his dressing station and while he was on duty. Your brother was conscious for at least half an hour before he died and I was able to give him holy communion and administer the other rites of the church.

His death occurred at Vieville sur Haye on the the St. Mihiel front and the boy was buried in the village churchyard which was quite near the dressing station. Unfortunately, it was impossible to bury any of our boys who were killed at the front in casket. There were none to be had and no one to make them nor anything to make them with. We were fortunate frequently to find a Catholic cemetery wherein we might place our boys, but as to coffins, well, it was such an impossibility that we never even thought of them. A blanket served as a shroud and we were glad to have this much as a covering at times.

If, however, you decide and the Government permits the transfer of bodies at later years, it will be an easy matter to distinguish your brother's grave because of its marking and registration.

I thank you for your kind wishes and prayers and ask you to kindly remember me in the manner also for the future.

Trusting that this little information will give you additional consolation I remain with best wishes to you and your mother,

Sincerely in Christ,
(Signed) Father Berge.

*The body was later removed to Kingston, N. Y.

Raymond Thomas McGivney was attached to the 311th Ambulance Company, and the following letters were received by Mrs. Mary Moeser, which in itself should be sufficient reason for Riverton to be proud of one of its boys who gave his all for the great cause.

Letter from the Red Cross
Bureau of Community
Jan 6th, 1919

My Dear Mrs Moeser:

I am enclosing a copy of the account sent to us from the other side about your son, Private Raymond Thomas McGivney, 311 Ambulance Company.

It is a record of bravery and manliness that will, I know, fill you with infinite pride.

Very sincerely,
(Signed) Wm. R. Castle.

November 27, 1918

Mrs C. E. Moeser,
Riverton, N. J.
My Dear Mrs Moeser:

The probably seems to you rather a late date to be receiving a letter giving you circumstances of your son's death, but it is due to the fact that we are not permitted to send out details prior to publication of the casualty list.

I take this means of conveying to you, Pvt. McGivney's mother, my sincere and heartfelt sympathy in this hour of your bereavement.

Your boy was struck by a piece of high explosive shell which severed one of the main arteries of his chest, so that his death was practically instantaneous, i. e., he died three minutes after he was struck, in the dressing station of the company of which he was a member.

It will no doubt be a great source of motherly pride to you to know that the night previous to his death, just preceeding a a corps drive, he spent the greater portion of the night coolly and bravely searching through the woods in an attempt to locate a Battalion Air Station which had moved. He was looked upon by me and other officers of the company, as one of our brightest and best men, and had it not been for his untimely death, would have been on the Verdun Front one of the dressing station personnel, engaged in actively taking care of the wounded.

Again expressing my sincere sympathy, believe me to be

Sincerely,
(Signed) Russell G. Witman
Captain, M. C., U. S. A.
Commanding Ambulance Co. 311

House of Representatives
Washington

Mrs. Mary Moeser,
Riverton, N. J.
My Dear Madam:

I notice in the list of casualties the name of Raymond T. McGivney, who is reported as having died from wounds received in battle on the fields of France.

Permit me to extend to you and the members of his family my deepest sympathy and sorrow and to express the hope that your grief may be tempered by the righteousness of the cause for which he did.

As the Representative of the District in which he lived, I mourn with you in your loss, but even while we mourn may we feel well proud of the unselfish devotion which prompted him to offer his life in a cause so sublime?

His sacrifice was a most noble one for to die for one's country is at once a great honor and a great privilege which only comes to a real soldier.

If I can be of service to you I trust you will not hesitate to call upon me.

With profound respect, I remain,
Very truly yours
(Signed) Isaac Bacharach

He who turns his face heavenward and spits upon God, it will fall back upon and soil him.
—From the Chinese on Profanity.

KILLED BY SHRAPNEL



PVT. RAYMOND T. McGIVNEY

Attached to the 311th Ambulance Corps A. E. F., who won the respect of his officers and comrades.

Lieutenant Allison Reported Wounded

(Issue New Era, November 1, 1918)

Mrs. John F. Allison has received word from the War Department that her husband, Lieutenant Allison, has been severly wounded in action, but it is thought to be the same "gassing" of which he wrote in a letter to her some time ago.

Lieutenant Allison is at present in the Machine Gun Company, 110th U. S. Infantry, formerly the old Third National Guard of Pennsylvania. He has been in military work for a number of years, having graduated from the Maryland State College, which is a military school, has been a member of the Pennsylvania Guards since 1912 and served on the Mexican border in 1916. He has been a member of the faculty of the engineering department of the University of Pennsylvania since 1912. Lieut. Allison went into service again in March 1917, trained at Fort Hancock, and sailed for France in April 1918. He attended an automatic weapon school until he went into active service early in July. He was gassed September 6, and is in the Red Cross military hospital No. 3, Paris.

Every day save something; every day. "A penny a day keeps the poor-house away."

CROSSES

Each life must have its crosses,
And a soldier get his share,
From a trip across the ocean
To the envied Croix de Guerre.

There are crosses by the Censor,
Far too many, so it seems;
There are crosses in the letters
From the girlie of his dreams.

There's a cross that's worn by heroes
Who have faced a storm of lead;
There's a cross when he is wounded,
There's a cross when he is dead.

There's the little cross of Mercy
That very few may own;
For a soldier it is second
To the cross of God alone.

It's a cross that's worn by women—
When we see it we believe
We can recognize an angel
By the Red Cross on her sleeve.

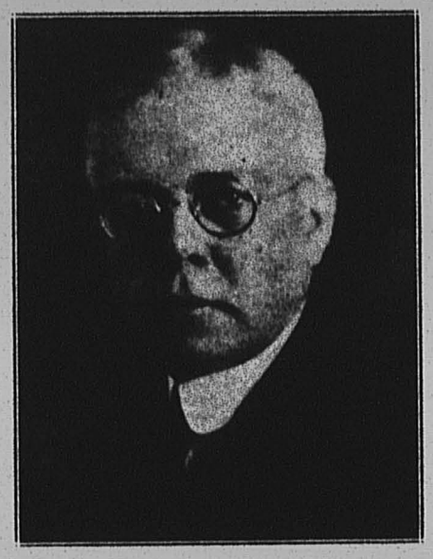
Pvt. Harry H. St. Louis,
U. S. M. C.

"Capitalist—anyone who spends less than he earns."

A nation is like a bee; when it stings it dies.—George Bernard Shaw.

The eloquent man is he who is no beautiful speaker, but who is inwardly drunk with a certain belief.
—Emerson.

WORKED FOR MEMORIAL PARK



H. H. MURRAY

Member of Council who was appointed a Committee of one to arrange for purchase of a portion of the Dreer property for a Memorial Park.

We don't know a millionth of one per cent about anything.
—Thomas A. Edison.

This puts Edison side by side with Socrates who argued himself the wisest man because he knew he knew nothing.—N. Y. Times.

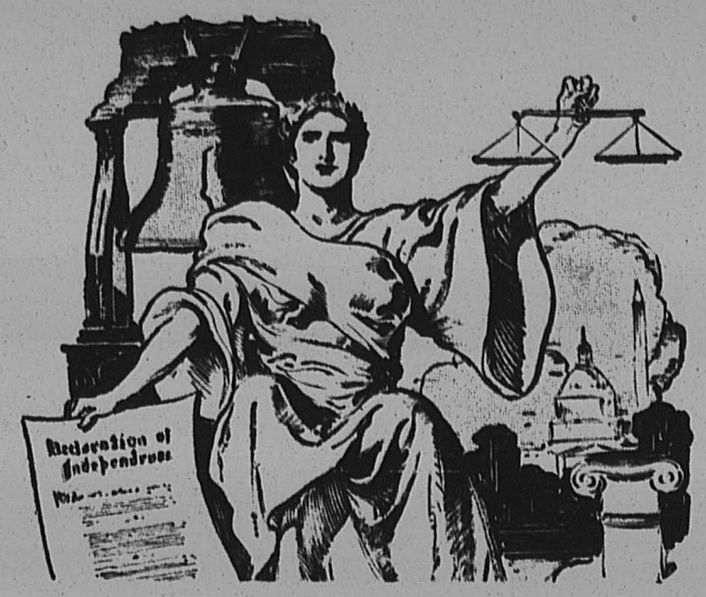
The Chinese have a very true saying that going to law is like sacrificing a cow for the sake of a cat.

A thorn in the hand gathers no moss.
—Apologies to Bill Shakespeare.

Carelessness, even in little things, is the worst moth in business.
—John Wanamaker.

Next to war, business litigation is the greatest economic waste in our civilization.

"I record only the Sunny Hours" quoth the Sundial.



INDEPENDENCE

There is no day in the history of the world that compares in greatness to that day in American history when Thomas Jefferson and his far-sighted confreres signed the Declaration of Independence. From that day on, America has progressed further than any other nation in the world. You, too, may know a measure of independence by making your own declaration to save a part of your weekly income by subscribing to shares in the 19th series of the

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RAYMOND McGIVNEY KILLED BY SHELL

Served In Ambulance Company and Showed Great Coolness Under Fire

Raymond Thomas McGivney, 23 years old, son of Mrs. Mary Moser, who resided at 648 Main Street, Riverton, was killed in France September 28th, 1918.

His death occurred while on duty at Varville sur Haye on the St Mihiel front and the boy was buried in the village churchyard which was quite near the dressing station. Unfortunately, it was impossible to bury any of our boys who were killed at the front in caskets. There were none to be had and no one to make them nor anything to make them with. We were fortunate frequently to find a Catholic cemetery wherein we might place our boys, but as to coffins, well, it was such an impossibility that we never even thought of them. A blanket served as a shroud and we were glad to have this much as a covering at times.

If, however, you decide and the Government permits the transfer of bodies in later years, it will be an easy matter to distinguish your brother's grave because of its marking and registration.

I thank you for your kind wishes and prayers and ask you to kindly remember me in the manner also for the future.

Trusting that this little information will give you additional consolation I remain with best wishes to you and your mother,

Sincerely in Christ,
(Signed) Father Berge.

*The body was later removed to Kingston, N. Y.

Raymond Thomas McGivney was attached to the 311th Ambulance Company, and the following letters were received by Mrs. Mary Moeser, which in itself should be sufficient reason for Riverton to be proud of one of its boys who gave his all for the great cause.

Letter from the Red cross
Bureau of Community
Jan. 6th, 1919

My Dear Mrs Moeser:

I am enclosing a copy of the account sent to us from the other side about your son, Private Raymond Thomas McGivney, 311 Ambulance Company.

It is a record of bravery and manliness that will, I know, fill you with pitiful pride.

Very sincerely,
(Signed) Wm R. Cassle

November 27, 1918

Mrs C E Moeser,
Riverton, N J.

My Dear Mrs. Moeser:

This probably seems to you rather a late date to be receiving a letter giving you circumstances of your son's death, but it is due to the fact that we are not permitted to send out details prior to publication of the casualty list.

I take this means of conveying to you, Pvt McGivney's mother, my sincere and heartfelt sympathy in this hour of your bereavement.

Your boy was struck by a piece of high explosive shell which severed one of the main arteries of his chest, so that his death was practically instantaneous, i. e., he died three minutes after he was struck, in the dressing station of the company of which he was a member.

It will no doubt be a great source of motherly pride to you to know that the night previous to his death, just preceeding a a corps drive, he spent the greater portion of the night coolly and bravely searching through the woods in an attempt to locate a Battalion Air Station which had moved. He was looked upon by me and other officers of the company, as one of our brightest and best men, and had it not been for his untimely death, would have been on the Verdun Front one of the dressing station personnel, engaged in actively taking care of the wounded.

Again expressing my sincere sympathy, believe me to be

Sincerely,
(Signed) Russell G. Witman
Captain, M. C., U. S. A.
Commanding Ambulance Co. 311

House of Representatives
Washington

Mrs. Mary Moeser,
Riverton, N. J.

My Dear Madam:

I notice in the list of casualties the name of Raymond T. McGivney, who is reported as having died from wounds received in battle on the fields of France.

Permit me to extend to you and the members of his family my deepest sympathy and sorrow and to express the hope that your grief may be tempered by the righteousness of the cause for which he did.

As the Representative of the District in which he lived, I mourn with you in your loss, but even while we mourn may we not well feel proud of the unselfish devotion which prompted him to offer his life in a cause so sublime?

His sacrifice was a most noble one for to die for one's country is at once a great honor and a great privilege which only comes to a real soldier.

If I can be of service to you I trust you will not hesitate to call upon me.

With profound respect, I remain,
Very truly yours
(Signed) Isaac Bacharach

He who turns his face heavenward and spits upon God, it will fall back upon and soil him.
—From the Chinese on Profanity.

KILLED BY SHRAPNEL



PVT RAYMOND T McGIVNEY

Attached to the 311th Ambulance Corps A. E. F., who won the respect of his officers and comrades

Lieutenant Allison Reported Wounded

(Issue New Era, November 1, 1918)

Mrs. John F. Allison has received word from the War Department that her husband, Lieutenant Allison, has been severly wounded in action, but it is thought to be the same "gassing" of which he wrote in a letter to her some time ago.

Lieutenant Allison is at present in the Machine Gun Company, 110th U. S. Infantry, formerly the old Third National Guard of Pennsylvania. He has been in military work for a number of years, having graduated from the Maryland State College, which is a military school; has been a member of the Pennsylvania Guards since 1912 and served on the Mexican border in 1916. He has been a member of the faculty of the engineering department of the University of Pennsylvania since 1912. Lieut. Allison went into service again in March 1917, trained at Fort Hancock, and sailed for France in April 1918. He attended an automatic weapon school until he went into active service early in July. He was gassed September 6, and is in the Red Cross military hospital No. 4, Paris.

Every day save something; every day "A penny a day keeps the poorhouse away."

CROSSES

Each life must have its crosses,
And a soldier get his share,
From a trip across the ocean
To the envied Croix de Guerre.

There are crosses by the Censor,
Far too many, so it seems;
There are crosses in the letters
From the girlie of his dreams.

There's a cross that's worn by heroes
Who have faced a storm of lead;
There's a cross when he is wounded,
There's a cross when he is dead.

There's the little cross of Mercy
That very few may own;
For a soldier it is second
To the cross of God alone.

It's a cross that's worn by women
When we see it we believe
We can recognize an angel
By the Red Cross on her sleeve.

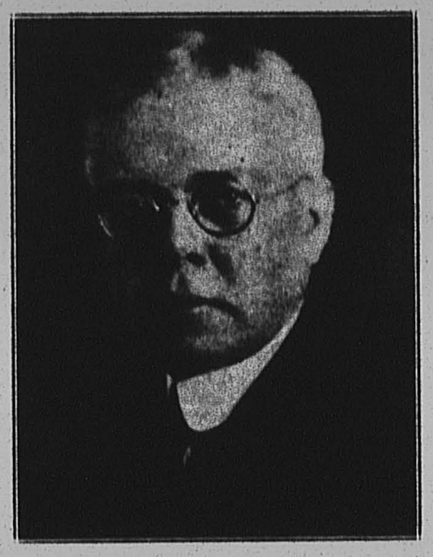
Pvt Harry H St Louis,
U S M C

"Capitalist—anyone who spends less than he earns."

A nation is like a bee; when it stings it dies.—George Bernard Shaw.

The eloquent man is he who is no beautiful speaker, but who is inwardly drunk with a certain belief.
—Emerson

WORKED FOR MEMORIAL PARK



H. H. MURRAY

Member of Council who was appointed a Committee of one to arrange for purchase of a portion of the Dreer property for a Memorial Park.

We don't know a millionth of one per cent about anything.
—Thomas A. Edison.

This puts Edison side by side with Socrates who argued himself the wisest man because he knew he knew nothing.—N. Y. Times.

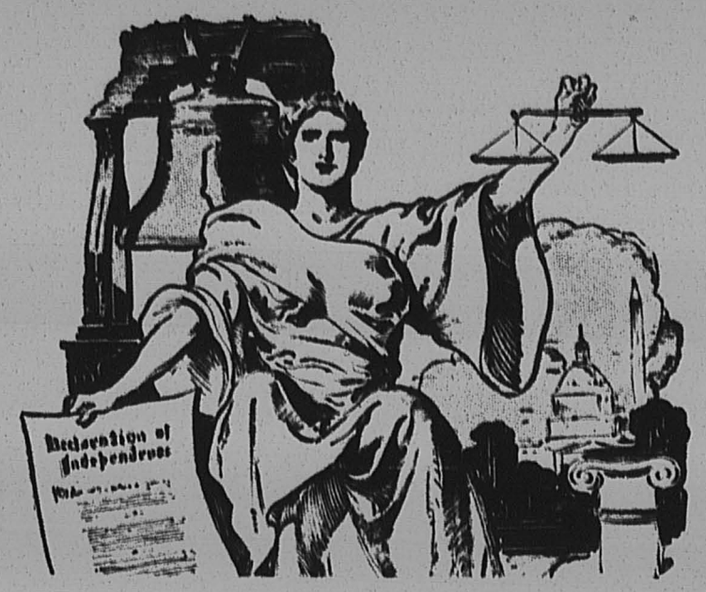
The Chinese have a very true saying that going to law is like sacrificing a cow for the sake of a cat.

A thorn in the hand gathers no moss.
—Apologies to Bill Shakespeare.

Carelessness, even in little things, is the worst moth in business.
—John Wanamaker.

Next to war, business litigation is the greatest economic waste in our civilization.

"I record only the Sunny Hours" quoth the Sundial.



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C. A. WRIGHT SAW NEED OF LEGION

The need for some such organization as the American Legion was apparent to one of Riverton's leading citizens long before the Legion was founded.

In 1917 Charles A Wright addressed the following open letter to American Soldiers in France:

To The Boys Wearing the U. S Uniform

"You will shortly be among us, after making the grandest sacrifice that mortal man can make, holding yourselves in readiness in some instances, and in others, fighting, bleeding and suffering, that this, our Grand Flag can still wave, saving your country not only from disaster, but absolute enslavement by the German Empire.

"God bless those of you that the fortunes of war admit of returning to us, and may all honors of a grateful Nation be bestowed on those whose life's blood sanctifies the fair soil of France. May Heaven ordain that their dying moments were assuaged by a knowledge of the debt of gratitude the Nation owes them for the grand and noble sacrifice made in our behalf.

"The best guard against National peril of the future, would be to analyze and rectify our mistakes of the past, a process of reasoning that would drive us to the conclusion that if our Allies had been no better prepared than we were upon entering this war, they would have been defeated before they struck a blow.

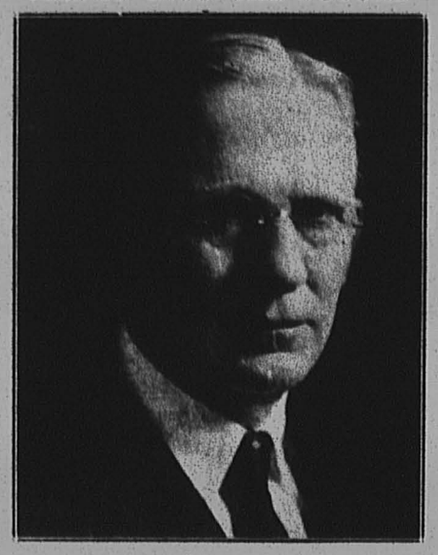
"It is only hoped the boys, on their return, will band themselves into an Organization, something similar to the Grand Army, and by this means keep this Grand Country of ours in the custody of a pure and a resolute electorate that will never admit of its getting into the defenseless position we occupied in 1914.

"Boys, nothing is too good for you, the Country belongs to you who saved it, administer it wisely, rule it justly and equitably, on the basis of the greatest good to the greatest number, but above all, keep the fires of patriotism burning on the Altar of Liberty, by instilling into the very soul of every growing American boy, the imperative necessity of a thorough military training. Teach him to love the Flag above all earthly things, and that to die for our Grand Country is a coveted privilege."

It is something of a coincidence that it was another Riverton man who actually started the American Legion.

Following the signing of the Armistice, Franklin D'Olier saw the necessity for something to hold the troops together until they could be transported home, and he and a number of friends worked out the plan which culminated in organization of the American Legion.

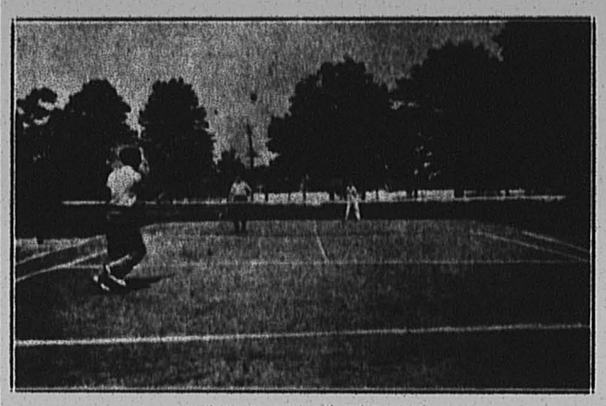
PEEPED INTO THE FUTURE



CHARLES A. WRIGHT

who, in 1917 soon after the American Troops entered the World War, saw need of some such organization as the American Legion.

MEMORIAL PARK TENNIS COURT



ACTION PHOTOGRAPH

of the latest improvement to Memorial Park. Installed as an experiment. This court is constantly in use and usually has a waiting list. Another year will probably see more courts built along the railroad frontage of the park.



IN the dedication of Memorial Park to the Riverton Boys who served in the World War, the citizens of the Borough are paying a richly deserved tribute to those who, in the maelstrom of the greatest conflict in history maintained the finest traditions and highest ideals of our town.

All honor to those who served, and congratulations to those who have paid their homage in an enduring monument which will perpetuate the memory of their heroism as long as the memory of man shall endure.

Chas A. Wright



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on the dedication of a fine Memorial Park to the Boys from Riverton who served in the World War.

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Municipal progress has been watched with keen interest, and we believe no civic improvement has been of greater value than the purchase of a Community Park, to serve at once as a Memorial to the brave boys who carried the American Defense of human Justice and Liberty into the World War, and as a place of recreation for our citizens of all ages.

Riverton has a fine park, indeed.

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NATIONAL RECREATION ASSOCIATION
315 FOURTH AVENUE
NEW YORK CITY

July 1, 1931

TO THE CITIZENS OF RIVERTON

Heartiest congratulations to you on this occasion of the dedication of Riverton's Memorial Park - your living memorial to those men who gave their lives to their country's service in the World War.

You are dedicating this beautiful Memorial Park, not only to their memory today, but are dedicating it to the happiness and health of the boys and girls, and to all citizens of your community - to the welfare and enrichment of your community life.

How much more intelligent - how much more worthwhile it is to set up a memorial which not only adds to the loveliness of your town, but which gives opportunities for healthful, happy play to its citizens. How much more worthwhile this is than to have erected a memorial consisting of granite and bronze alone. You are to be congratulated heartily for the vision and the wisdom which guided this choice.

It is our hope that each year, not only the beauty of this memorial may be increased, but what is even of greater importance, that increasing leadership and facilities for wholesome and happy play may be provided. May the time come when Riverton will provide for its children and adults the necessary leadership, facilities and opportunities throughout the year for play and recreation. A city's use of its leisure, more than its part in great wars, or its place in the industrial life of the nation, determines its moral worth.

We rejoice with you at this dedication, and we mourn with you over the sacrifice this park memorializes.

Very sincerely yours,
National Recreation Association

J. W. FAUST

COMMUNITY HUT IS HUGE SUCCESS

Social Centre During War When Everybody Rubbed Elbows In Common Cause

(Issue New Era, December 13, 1918)

The Community Hut is a success judging by the attendance and enthusiasm of the opening night. It was estimated that there were over two hundred people in the Parish House when the Community Jazz Band struck its first crash for the dance.

The Community Hut was formally opened by the chairman, H. E. Moyer, who made clear the purpose of the Hut. Mr. Moyer introduced Secretary Goodall, of Camp Dix, who emphasized the necessity of such a place for the boys as they came back, as well as for the community. Then the Hut was given over to the pleasures provided chief of which was dancing.

The music was by a group of musicians who styled themselves the "Community Jazz Band," and too much praise cannot be given for their excellent performance. The members are Glen Eisley, violin; Allan Shannon, banjoker; E. Mercer Shreve, drums; Miss Winifred Eisley, piano.

Too much credit cannot be given the various committees who had charge of the arrangements, especially when it is understood that the whole project was only a week old.

A National Community Hut proposition is resulting from the initial effort in Riverton and Palmyra.

(Issue New Era, February 7, 1919)

Last Tuesday evening the Community Hut, in addition to a goodly number of our own and neighborhood boys entertained nine marines from League Island Marine Hospital. These men have served from the very beginning of our entrance into the war, and all had been seriously wounded, gassed or poisoned; some had suffered all.

(Issue New Era, April 4, 1919)

Oh, Boy!
Some Feed!

The Community Hut gave its banquet to the service boys of Riverton and Palmyra last Tuesday evening, and it was a tremendous success.

Mr. Worrell, as vice-president, gave the word to begin, and presented Mr. Charles Wanger as toastmaster. The Rev. John Rigg asked a blessing on the banquet and those present and then the order to "fall to" was given.

The ladies of Riverton never did better than that night, under the leadership of Mrs. H. C. Worrell, chairman of the Hostess Committee.

One hundred and sixteen persons were served. Three hundred cigar-

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The Literary Digest suggests that science may give us a new religion; but most of the religions we already have, have been used so little they are almost as good as new.



Riverton's Big Day

The dedication of Memorial Park will be something for the boys and girls of today to tell the next generation of boys and girls about, and may the memory of the brave deeds of those to whom the Park is a tribute live on forever!

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Riverton's Memorial Park

is a valuable municipal asset, and its dedication to those who served in the World War is a fitting testimonial to their valor and patriotism

We can all join hearts and hands on this occasion in honoring the American Soldier, and in paying loving tribute in particular to those who entered the service from Riverton

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IT will require the judgment of posterity to determine just how important a part the dedication of our Memorial Park will play in the development of Riverton and what it will mean to the health and happiness of her citizens.

That it will increase in value as a Recreation Centre and beauty spot as the years slip by, is certain.

Riverton is to be congratulated on the selection of this type of Memorial to those who served in the World War.

ROSS E. MATTIS





WRITING a message of congratulation on an occasion like this is a good deal like trying to select a Christmas gift for a very particular friend — the farther I look the more undecided I become.

After making several attempts and discarding them all, I am right back where I started.

And so, I am just going to say that you are lucky folks to have such a dandy park, and that you are doing just the finest possible thing in dedicating it to those magnificent boys of yours who so splendidly took their part in the Big Scrap.

May you one and all live to a ripe old age to enjoy your park and your beautiful town!

HAROLD B. WELLS
Bordentown



THE RIVERTON AND PALMYRA WATER COMPANY

whose privilege it is to serve the people of this community, congratulates the Borough of Riverton on the dedication of its magnificent Memorial Park to the Veterans of the World War.

PARK CHOSEN AS MEMORIAL

(continued from page 1)

desire that the coming year should see some real progress in the matter of a memorial to the service men, something of a permanent form that would be worthy of Riverton. He urged that a real beginning be made, and that if possible the memorial be completed before the end of the year.

There was a strong feeling on the part of the mayor and members of council, that since it was to be a town memorial, the citizens at large should have a voice in determining what form it should take. In order to stimulate public interest and at the same time secure the advantage of many different view points, it was decided to appoint a large citizens' committee.

Large Citizens' Committee

On January 8, 1920, Councilman H. H. Murray, offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted.

Whereas, It is the desire of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton to bring to definite action the effort to provide a suitable memorial in honor of those who served their Country from the Borough of Riverton during the World War, and,

Whereas, the Mayor and members of Council desire that said Memorial should be an expression of the citizens in general therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Mayor appoint a committee of twelve citizens with power to act, to decide just what will constitute a proper Memorial, the cost thereof and plans for the financing and erection of same.

Acting under this resolution, on February 12, 1920, the mayor appointed a citizens' committee consisting of Edward H. Flagg, Jr., H. H. Murray, Mrs. Murray C. Boyer, Mrs. N. Myers Fitler, Dr. Harry L. Rogers, Charles A. Wright, James S. Coale, Oliver G. Willits, Walter L. Bowen, George K. Clark, Datis Reed, W. A. Hendrickson.

Many Plans Considered

The larger committee produced many new ideas, and a great variety of plans were considered at the weekly meetings which were held at the Riverton Country Club. These plans included a memorial shaft to be erected in the centre of the town, a community hut, a town hall with a room for Legion meetings, another for war relics, facilities for housing the fire company and its apparatus, an auditorium, etc.

After four months of careful deliberation this committee agreed on a community park as the memorial it would recommend, and on May 13, 1920, Mr. Flagg, chairman of the committee, presented to the Mayor and Council the following report in the form of a resolution.

Memorial Park Recommended

Whereas, the Memorial Committee of the Borough of Riverton, appointed by the Mayor for the purpose of learning what the men who served in the World War from Riverton would be pleased with, and what the Borough of Riverton would be pleased to give, as a Memorial to these men, and

Whereas, after numerous consultations and investigations, it seemed to be the opinion of the greatest number that a plot of ground, a part of which at least may be used as a baseball ground, football field and athletic field will be the most satisfactory as a tangible proof of the feelings of the citizens of Riverton, therefore, be it

Resolved, that this Memorial Committee recommends that steps be taken by the Council of the Borough of Riverton to procure a plot of ground to be used for a Memorial Athletic Field, preferably not less than five acres nor more than fifteen acres, and recommends as suitable for such purpose a part of the Dreer Tract lying South of the railroad and bordering on Pompeston Creek.

Signed, Edward H. Flagg, Jr. Chairman.
Attest: George K. Clark, Sec'y.

"Welcome Home" Program

This committee also recommended that a "Welcome Home" be arranged for the service men, which was done. An elaborate program was arranged for the Fourth of July, at which time an address was made by Judge John Kates, of Camden, who was introduced by Mayor Bennett, and the service men were entertained at lunch at the Community Hut, the refreshments being served by the ladies of the hostess committee.

In compliance with the report of the Memorial Committee, Mayor Bennett on June 10, appointed a committee to work out the details of the purchase of a Memorial Park and to ascertain the cost of the site suggested in the report of the committee. This committee was composed of Councilman H. H. Murray, Joshua W. Atlee, John C. Geiss and the following citizens, Charles A. Wright, Edward R. Williams and James Cunningham.

The committee's work covered a mass of detail incident to such transactions, and the accumulation of information was finally laid before the Mayor and Council.

Starts Negotiations for Purchase

On March 10, 1921, Mayor Bennett appointed H. H. Murray a committee of one to negotiate with the Dreer Estate for a suitable piece of ground containing not less than five nor more than fifteen acres between Cedar St. and Pompeston Creek, and Eighth Street and the railroad.

Failing to arrive at a price that was mutually satisfactory to the borough and the owners of the land, application was made for the appointment of a commission of appraisal.

This commission was composed of Judge Harold B. Wells of Bordentown, George N. Wimer, of Palmyra, and Henry P. Thorne, of Medford. A hearing of the interested parties was held December 23, 1922. The price decided upon for a tract of 13.4 acres was $11,500.

Purchase Authorized by Ordinance

On March 30, 1923, Councilman Murray offered a resolution that the land be purchased at this price, and on May 10, 1923, an ordinance was passed authorizing the issuance of term notes in the sum of $13,000 to pay for the tract of land and incidental expenses. This note was paid off at the rate of $2600 a year, the last note being paid in 1928.

Soon after the ground was purchased a baseball diamond and football field were laid out, and nothing more was done toward the development of the park until 1930, when Councilman Francis B. Elwell, who had been appointed chairman of the borough property committee, laid before Council a comprehensive plan for the development and improvement of the "people's playground."

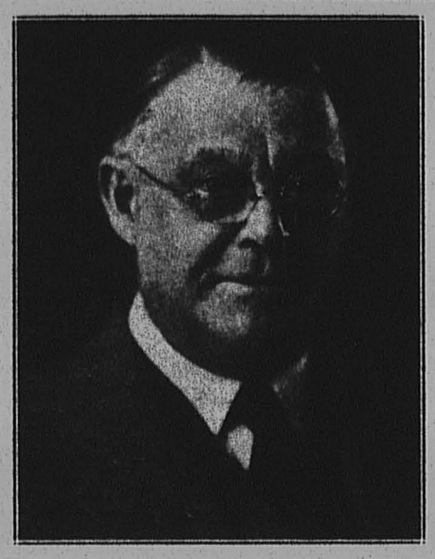
From the time of purchase until 1929 $1000 a year was appropriated for maintenance. In 1930 this was increased to $2700, and the issuance of improvement notes in the sum of $15,000 authorized to provide funds for a grandstand, open air pavilion, planting of trees and shrubbery, the construction of a dam to form a lake, the construction of tennis courts and roadways and the purchase of playground equipment.

The grand stand and pavilion have been erected, a tennis court constructed, playground equipment bought, and two play supervisors directed juvenile activities at the park during the school vacation last year. The same program will be followed this year with the same instructors—Richard Snyder for the boys and Miss Maxine Meitzner for the girls.

Memorial Park is a most valuable asset to the Borough and its value will increase as the years go by and this section becomes more closely built up.

In a recent address Carlton W. Tillinghast, Field Secretary of the Regional Planning Federation, said that Riverton had the best park of any community in the county.

MAYOR WHEN PARK WAS PURCHASED



KILLAM E. BENNETT

who was Mayor at time Memorial Park was purchased and who urged that the Memorial take some worth while form.

Mr Bennett is Chairman of the Dedication Committee.

COMMUNITY HUT HUGE SUCCESS

(continued from page 1)

cakes and two hundred cigars were smoked.

When at last the tables were cleared and cigars lighted, Mayor Killam E. Bennett welcomed the boys in the name of the Hut and the borough of Riverton. John M. Davis, chairman of the Palmyra Township Committee told how proud both Riverton and Palmyra were of their defenders. Mr. Clark as secretary-treasurer, outlined the origin, purpose and plans of the Hut. Captain Brunt advocated the formation of an organization of the service, to become a unit of the national organization.

It was midnight before the festivities ceased. A rising vote of thanks, followed by three rousing cheers, were given the ladies of the Hostess Committee for their most successful efforts.

(Issue New Era, June 11, 1919)

Riverton and Palmyra made no mistake when they put the matter of the Fourth of July parade of service boys in the hands of the Community Hut. The "Hut" has a reputation of "putting things over right" when it undertakes anything.

It was a great sight when fifty Marines from League Island Navy Yard under the leadership of Charles (Dad) Butler "landed."

One hundred and eighty-one boys ate lunch under the trees.

Lt. Col. D'Olier is still looking for the man or men who kept moving the Arch street station further away during the parade. We agree, it was a mean trick for a warm day.

The Memorial to the Dead, carried by Boy Scouts in the parade was designed and made by Miss Mary E. Knowlton and George K. Clark, the wreath being furnished by Harry S. Betz, florist, 1026 W. Lehigh avenue, Philadelphia, formerly of Riverton.

The "Hut" has entertained 2000 service men since it opened last December. This is a record, and complete details of all it has done have been asked for to put on file at the War Camp Community Service Headquarters, Washington, D. C.



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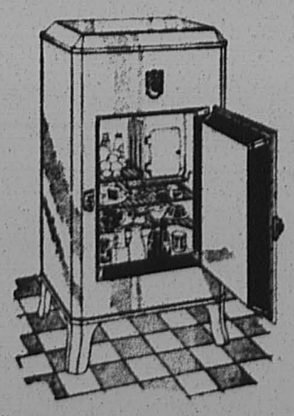
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JAMES A. CLAFLIN CITED FOR BRAVERY

Showed Great Courage Under Heavy Fire While Removing Wounded to Safety

(Issue New Era, January 31, 1919)

Extract from letter dated December 31st from JamesA. Claflin:

"You remember some time ago I told you that I was recommended for the D. S. C. (Distinguished Service Cross.) Well, yesterday I was presented with it General LeJeune shook hands with and congratulated me, etc. It was very impressive, the band was playing and there were four thousand men in line. There were twenty-five of us to receive the decoration out of the entire second division. The words, "For Valor," are inscribed on the cross, the ribbon is red, white and blue. When I get home I will tell you what I was awarded the D. S. C. for, but between you and I, it was such a narrow shave for me that I hate to think about it even now.

(Issue New Era, February 7, 1919)

While details are missing the official order of General Pershing awarding the D. S. C. to James A. Chaflin, as noted in our last issue, indicates that it was well earned. The order reads:

"For extraordinary heroism in action near Weancourt, France, September 15th, 1918.

"In a territory swept by the direct fire of two German batteries, Sergeant Chaflin displayed great courage and devotion to duty, in giving first aid to the wounded and in superintending their removal to a place of safely."

Sergeant Claflin enlisted July 3, 1917, and was sent to Syracuse, N. Y. for special training in the Medical Corps. After six weeks' study he went to France and was assigned to the Fifth Machine Gun Battalion, Medical Corps, Second Division.

In December 1917, he was recommended for a lieutenant's commission in the 23rd Infantry, but was found to be over the age limit of twenty-eight by three years. He was promoted to brst sergeant in August, 1918, this being the highest rank a medical corps man can obtain unless he is a physician or surgeon.

He was in all the fighting with the Second Division from Chateau Thierry to Sedan, and was recommended for the D. S. C. in September, 1918. He was the only one of the twelve men who trained with him at Syracuse to reach Sedan at the war's end.

TROOP TRANSPORT ATTACKED BY SUB

A. C. Lloyd Describes Exciting Time When Periscope Is Sighted

(Issue New Era, January 31, 1919)

Seaux, France
January 9, 1919

Dear Mr. Bowen:

Just a line to let you know I have received another copy of your paper. Am glad to get them, as it gives me all the news from my home town, which I am glad to know.

It may interest you to know how we enjoyed our trip across. It only took us sixteen days to make the trip, and everything went fine until we were two days out of port and we met some of Jerry's submarines, and that was where we heard the first guns of the big war. That was on Sunday night, June 2nd. Well, the British destroyers had met us by that time—about twelve in number. We were sailing along fine, when the look out on the bow of the ship sighted the periscope of a submarine and yelled to the old skipper on the bridge. With six sharp blasts of the whistle, the British destroyer H-21 came near our ship and dropped a few depth bombs, and we could see the oil come to the surface of the water. And then we knew that it was all off with that gang of Dutchmen that was laying and waiting for us. There were about sixteen ships in our convoy, and about three subs after us, but the destroyers did fine work, and all the ships got in safely. It certainly was interesting to watch the destroyers work, and when we saw the oil and wreckage of the sub there sure was some cheering from all the ships that were near.

We landed in Southampton, and went from there to Folkstone and stayed there about a week, and went across to France, and from the time we landed in France until the Armistice was signed, we all saw lots of excitement. Jerry would shell us, and come over in his planes and bomb us at night—of course the Allies were doing the same. One thing you soon learn is to take cover, and I think from experience, that a hole in the ground is about the best place, and over here anywhere near the front, you could most always fine one to get into.

Three other fellows and I were sent into a woods, and we stayed there about four weeks. We found a shanty in the woods where Jerry had been for some time, and we thought it would be a fine place to stay in as there was no other place, except we pitch our shelter tents. We lived in the shanty for a few days, and the French artillery was in the woods all around us, firing day and night, and Jerry started to shell back. Well, he made it too uncomfortable for us, and after all, we had to move out and dig a hole and stay in that the rest of our time in that woods.

For some time after we were in France, Joe Keating and I were together, but I was sent away from my old outfit for a while, and Joe being sent to an officers' training school, we got separated, and have been for about five months. Well, good luck to Joe.

Things are very quiet over here now and we are all expecting to come home soon, maybe I had better say some time in 1919.

I will close now, thanking you for the copies of your paper, I have received.

As ever,
A. C. LLOYD

SOLDIERS LIKED JAM

Riverton Parent-Teacher Association Added to Christmas Cheer at Camp Dix

Mrs. George H. Smith, president of the Parent-Teacher Association, received this week the following letter from Ivan P. Flood, secretary of Y. M. C. A. building No. 2, Camp Dix, which shared in the jams and jellies contributed by the Christmas party of the Association:

Camp Dix, December 27, 1917

My Dear Mrs. Smith:

Many thanks to your association in the name of the men here for fruits and jellies received. We are sending some to the hospital today and will use it all as wisely as we can.

Certainly appreciate your thoughts and good wishes.

May we extend to your association the same greeting given our men here:

Cordially,
IVAN P. FLOOD

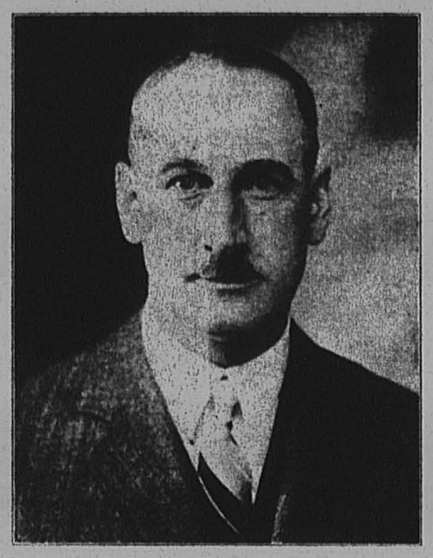
The "greeting" referred to was neatly printed on a card and read as follows:

I would be true for there are those who trust me,
I would be pure for there are those who care,
I would be strong for there is much to suffer,
I would be brave for there is much to dare.
I would be friend to all the poor and friendless,
I would be giver and forget the gift,
I would be humble for I know my weakness,
I would look up and love and laugh and lift.

Harold Arnold Walters

She: "Where have you been all evening?"
He: "At the office. Why, darling?"
She: "You must be made of asbestos. Your office burned down two hours ago."

APPOINTED PARK DEDICATION COMMITTEE



HOWARD M. ROGERS

Mayor of Riverton, who appointed Committee to arrange for dedication of Memorial Park July 4, 1931, and who will preside at the dedication exercises.

It's easy to recognize an American at a bull fight; he cheers for the bull.
—Twin Twinkles.

"That girl's so dumb," said a Webster City Shiek, "that she thinks Joan of Arc was Noah's sister."

Do what you can, with what you've got, where you are.

The one who seeks for happiness
By buying cars and clothes and rings,
Don't seem to know that empty lives
Are just as empty filled with things.

Table scraps can be converted into many useful things, advises a writer. For instance, if the scrap ends in tears the Little Woman can convert it into a spring hat.



IT gives me great pleasure to extend to the Borough of Riverton and its citizens my hearty congratulations on the occasion of the dedication of a Memorial Park to those who served in the World War from Riverton.

HENRY I WORRELL
Steward of Burlington County Almshouse

WE congratulate our neighbors on this occasion when they are paying tribute to the gallant boys who so nobly answered our Nation's call.

The community park dedicated in appreciation of their services will be a lasting reminder of the valiant part they played, as well as a valuable asset to the borough in providing a playground and recreation centre.

FRANK A. SNOVER
Funeral Director
Palmyra

IT having been my good fortune to be associated with Riverton for many years, it is with genuine pleasure that I join in congratulating the Borough on the dedication of its Memorial Park to the soldiers from Riverton who served in the World War.

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Interior View of Bowker's Tak-Aboost Shop

RIVERTON'S MEMORIAL PARK

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Riverton is to be congratulated!

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INDEPENDENCE DAY

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JULY 2 IS REAL INDEPENDENCE DAY

Lee's Famous Resolution Was Endorsed by 12 Colonies On That Date

July 2 has been neglected as an anniversary date of importance by the American people; yet it is one of the most significant dates of our history. For it was on July 2, and not on July 4, 1776, that American independence was really voted by the Continental Congress then in session.

The United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission calls the attention of the Nation to this fact and suggests that, when the people throughout the land celebrate Independence Day in 1932, during the Celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington, July 2 as well as July 4, be recognized in the merry-making and thanksgiving which the anniversary of that great document brings forth.

Before 1775, independence was not thought of by most American leaders or by the American public at large. The colonists were interested in righting wrongs inflicted by the British, but not in breaking away completely from the mother country.

Several attempts at conciliation were made, all without result. But many of the Colonists were still anxious to close the breach rather than widen it. As late as January, 1776, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Maryland instructed their members in Congress to vote against independence.

As the months went on, led by the more radical colonial statesmen, the demand for independence began to crystallize. Soon it became the goal. Complete independence from England was to be the reward for American sacrifices.

January 1776 brought to Congress news of the burning of Norfolk, Virginia, by the order of Lord Dunmore. About that time Thomas Paine's "Common Sense" stirred the Colonists to fever pitch. Also, reports reached Philadelphia in May that England was hiring Hessians to coerce the Colonies. There was also the stigma of being proclaimed "rebels" and treated as such. All these events and conditions had their effect in arousing public opinion to the point of demanding independence.

George Washington, at the head of the Continental forces, was urging the Colonists to declare independence. He thought that the time for parleying and compromises was past. Complete severance and independence from the mother country, he thought, would help bring the struggle to a successful end.

On June 7, 1776, Richard Henry Lee introduced in Congress three famous resolutions. The first of these declared the United Colonies free and independent States, one of the most momentous resolutions ever introduced in Congress.

Lee's resolution was tabled for the time being but Congress created a committee, with Thomas Jefferson at its head, to draw up a declaration of independence. Lee's resolution for independence was brought up in Congress for debate on July 1. On the next day, July 2, 1776, the vote was taken and it showed twelve states in favor of independence, New York not voting.

It was, therefore, on July 2, 1776, that independence was really declared. Thomas Jefferson's declaration of independence was then taken up, and, after several changes were made, the Declaration of Independence as we know it was adopted by Congress on July 4, 1776.

The one privilege of royalty and for those whose means have enlarged their opportunities, is to behave better than others.

The first sign of a wise man is that he doesn't argue.

AMBULANCE SENT BY STATE P. T. A.

Mrs. Alex. Marcy, Jr., Was Chairman of Committee That Raised Funds

Mrs. Alex. Marcy, Jr., took a very active part in Red Cross work and other activities during the World War.

She was chairman of the committee of the New Jersey Congress of Parents and Teachers which raised funds to send an ambulance fully equipped to France.

Mrs. Alice K. Bechtel, of Haddonfield, was State President of the Congress at the time.

Mrs. Marcy also had charge of raising funds for Belgian Relief and other charities.

The following letters are self explanatory.

War Department
Office of the Surgeon General
Washington

Apr. 26, 1918.

Mrs. Alexander Marcy,
New Jersey Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations,
Riverton, N. J.

Dear Madam:

Replying to your favor of the 16th inst., I take great pleasure in advising you that the Medical Supply Officer, Port of Embarkation, Newport News, Va., reports the arrival at that port of the ambulance which your organization has so generously given to Ambulance Co. No. 33.

This ambulance will be forwarded overseas as soon as available shipping space at Newport News can be obtained for it.

If I can be of any further assistance or furnish you any further information in the matter, I shall be very pleased to do so.

Very sincerely yours,
EDMUND T. WOLFE,
Colonel, Medical Corps.

The Touraine, 9 East 39th Street,
New York, January 2nd, 1918.

Dear Mrs. Marcy:

I have been very happy to receive through Mrs. Bayard Henry, chairman of the Belgian Relief Committee of Philadelphia, a check for $500, which has been contributed for our Belgian children by the New Jersey Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations, being a surplus from the money subscribed for an Ambulance for the New Jersey boys in France, and of which fund you are the chairman. This donation will be forwarded soon to "La Sante de l'Enfance" (Health of the Belgian Children) which is doing wonderful work for our little ones.

Please accept my grateful thanks and convey to the members of the Congress, the expression of my gratitude for their thoughtfulness in remembering our Belgian children.

With kind regards,
Very sincerely yours,
LOUIS de SADELEER,
Minister of State for Belgium.

Mrs. Alexander Marcy, Jr.,
Chairman Ambulance Fund;
New Jersey Congress of Mothers,
Riverton, N. J.

On May 9, a second contribution of $500 was sent, and gratefully acknowledged.

According to Josh Billings, an essential to teaching a dog a trick, is that the teacher must know more than the dog.

ACTIVE IN WAR WORK



MRS. ALEX. MARCY, JR.

who headed Red Cross in Riverton, and was chairman of State Parent Teacher Association, which sent ambulance and equipment to France.

THE dedication of Memorial Park to the veterans of the World War is a tribute to our boys from Riverton which deserves the highest commendation.

It will serve as a useful memorial more beautiful than stone, and will ever keep alive in the minds of our youth the great debt of gratitude owing to these Riverton soldiers and sailors who participated in the strife for liberty and human justice.

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OUR Memorial Park is a splendid community center for the better and bigger Riverton that the near future will bring.

We congratulate our fellow-citizens on the selection of a memorial that will perpetuate in such fitting manner the memory of our boys who served in the World War.

WILL K. BOWEN
Decorator
516 Main Street Riverton, N. J.

THE Dedication of Memorial Park officially marks the addition of another civic improvement of which Rivertonians can justly be proud.

Those men from Riverton who served in the World War and to whom this beautiful park is dedicated, merit this public expression of appreciation of their many sacrifices in the conflict for liberty and human justice.

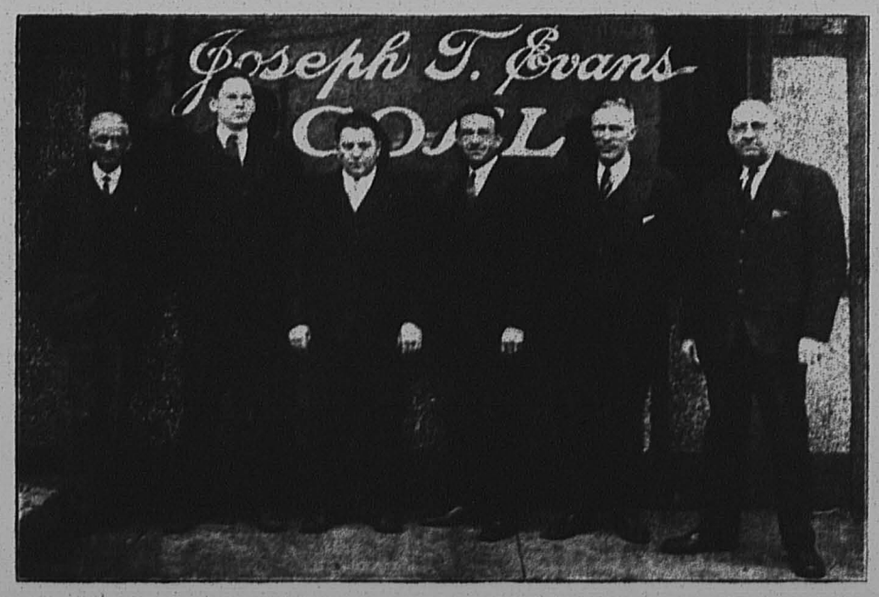
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THE dedication of Memorial Park on July Fourth, will bring to completion a plan started at the close of the World War to provide a fitting tribute to those who served under the Stars and Stripes, and Riverton is fortunate in having provided a Memorial which will become more and more a part of the community life as time goes on.

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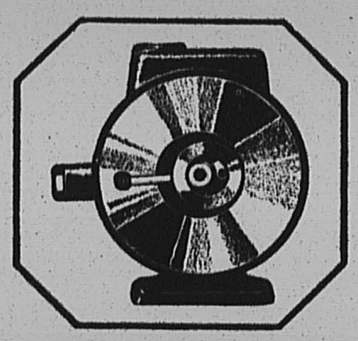
THIS ORGANIZATION
joins in congratulating the Borough Officials and the Citizens of Riverton on the dedication of Memorial Park to those from Riverton who served in the World War.
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ED AND DICK IN DONKEY BUSINESS

War Was Not All Big Berthas and Tear Gas. Some Funny Things Happened

That the World War at its best, was a grim, serious piece of necessary patriotic endeavor is not to be denied. And that every human token of respect is due the boys who served their country in it, is repeated for emphasis. But the war was not without its Donkey Business, and to enhance the tension of the more serious reading matter within this issue, the author of this article, quite voluntarily, takes his pie in his hand and prints that which was told him, but not intended for publication.

The scene is laid in France. The time, during the war. The principal character is a typical, top eared, dippers, cantaloupious army mule. The supporting characters, our well known Riverton boys, Ed Yerkes and Dick Armstrong, together with a self impressed "Second Louie" or "shave tail" a French pullman car (commonly referred to as a 40 and 8) and others.

The scene opens with "Ed" and "Dick" receiving their first assignment in the Medical Corps, namely the above mentioned army mule. They receive their instructions from the "shave tail" who appoints them exclusive chauffeurs to said mule with orders to keep him clean without, and well fed within, upon pain of death. The boys were overjoyed with their assignment and dropped big tears of gratitude.



As soon as they had sufficiently recovered from their elation they took "Theodore" aside and set about to smoothize his hide and check up on the mule. The end of their effort found "Theodore" securely mounted to a stake shining like a new dollar as the sun settled in the west. "Ed" and "Dick", exhausted and thoroughly dirty but radiant with pride in the transformation of "Theodore," feasted on a delicious repast of warmed over baked beans and doughnuts. With the few remaining ounces of energy left in their tired bodies "Ed" and "Dick" dragged out their pup tents and pitched them with a rapidity that would have made Barnum and Bailey blush with shame. And so as the evening shadows descended both boys said their prayers, shinnied into their tents and with both feet pointed Kaiserward settled into a cooty troubled sleep.



Now as was previously mentioned, "Theodore" was cantankerous, and thanks to Webster we learn that the word means, "ill tempered" or "cross grained," and among his many other faults "Theodore" very probably furnished Webster with the inspiration for the word, which in itself was a mean trick. Now that we understand the mule let us go back to the snoring Rivertonians.

"Ed" awoke in time to break up a convention of cooties gathered in the small of his back and was slightly disappointed to find "Dick" sitting shirtless on a stump executing vermin between his thumb nails and ahead of "Ed" by a margin of sixty-seven bugs.

Their morning toilet finished, both boys simultaneously stared wide eyed at a spot on the ground where instead of the usual "X" a hole marked the spot where "Theodore" had been mounted the night before.

With an apprehensive glance toward the "shave tail's" quarters, both instituted a frantic search for "Theodore" emitting muffled grumbles that were like unto the distant rumble of heavy artillery. Both stopped stark still on the crest of a little knoll to behold "Theodore" blissfully removing the shiny vestige of their previous day's labor by rolling playfully in the muck of a shell hole.



Historians differ, but knowing the two boys as we do, we are apt to think that "Ed" started it. However, it started, and eloquent adjectives increasing in venom and volume were hurled at "Theodore" till "Ed" exhausted, sat himself on a stump and busted out a crying. "Dick," unable to restrain his disappointment took up the job where "Ed" left off, and mild tempered as he is, "Theodore" blinked under the volley of "Dick's" complimentary remarks. By this time "Ed" had cooled off to the point where he had the use of his muscles and in one lurch reached a nearby sapling which he extracted by the roots and pounced upon "Theodore."

The mule was subsequently re-finished; but no sooner was the job completed than orders came to move to another sector.

Civilizations have come and gone, of some but a trace remains. Those civilizations best survive which best express universal friendship and co-operation.

An enemy can partly ruin a man, but it takes a good-natured injudicious friend to complete the thing and make it perfect.—Mark Twain.

LIEUTENANT NEVIN GASSED AND SHOT

Writes to Mother from Hospital at Bordeaux Assuring Her He is Recovering

(From New Era, November 7, 1918)

Mrs. Charles Nevin has received a letter from her son, Lieutenant Chas. W. Nevin, 3d, dated September 26, from a Bordeaux hospital, describing the injuries which have put him out of action temporarily. First he was gassed, and on recovering from that and returning to the firing line, he received two bullet wounds, one in the thigh and one in the ankle. He is recovering nicely, the letter says.

Lieutenant Nevin was formerly an ambulance driver in France. When America entered the war he returned home, took a course at Plattsburgh, N. Y., and attended the Officers' Training Camp at Fort Niagara.

He was assigned to Camp Greene, and in October 1917 was commissioned a first lieutenant. His regiment sailed in April and on July 15 he was hostilities ceased. He was soon back with his unit, Company B, Fourth Infantry, but in a charge on a German machine gun nest on July 21 he was hit by two bullets.

Frank Coddington Writes to Mother

(From New Era, June 7, 1918)

Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Coddington celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary Wednesday. On Monday Mrs. Coddington received her "Mother's Day" letter from her son, Frank who is in the Motor Car Division of the Quartermaster Corps, "somewhere in France." The following extracts have been made.

11 a. m. Sunday. Was to the services held at the Y. M. this morning. They were very good, had a fine attendance and lots of singing.

There is a French professor teaching us some French. He says it in French, then English, and we repeat it after him. He's good but gives us too much at a time, makes it hard to remember.

6 p. m. Well, Mother, I hope that you have had as pleasant a day as I have. After dinner one of the boys and I went down town for the afternoon (about 20 minutes walk) and walked along the beach front for awhile, then went up to the Y and enjoyed a little set out especially for the boys today. There were good home-made cakes, two and three layers deep, small fancy cakes, burnt almonds, grape juice with lemon, all to the time of a big band, so you see it was quite some treat. It reminded me of Jacksonville. Oh, yes! I nearly forgot to mention the American ladies who served us. They certainly are doing a good work over here. I am now at the ramp for the 7.30 services.

Adjoining the camp there is a beautiful garden in the backyard of a Frenchman. I have been in there two of three times before on Sunday and know about what he has, so I went in this afternoon and asked them to give me a few of the enclosed forget-me-nots. He has a big bed about 10x15 feet, a solid mass of blue; so his daughter went down with me and helped me pick a few.

MASTER MINDS



PERSHING AND FOCH

The above photograph was loaned by L. L. Keating and represents the visit of Marshal Foch to headquarters of General John J. Pershing at Val des Ecoliers, near Chaumont, France.

HEADQUARTERS
GENERAL OF THE ARMIES
WASHINGTON

June 13, 1931

Mr. Walter L. Bowen, Editor,
The New Era,
Riverton, N. J.

My dear Mr. Bowen:

In the absence of General Pershing, who is abroad, I am acknowledging the receipt of your letter of June 8th, requesting a message to the citizens of Riverton for publication in the "Memorial Park Edition" of the New Era.

The date of the General's return to this country is quite indefinite and your communication could not reach him in time to permit compliance with your request, but I shall be pleased to hold the letter for his attention and know that he will be interested to learn of Riverton's tribute to its World War veterans.

The picture of Marshal Foch and General Pershing, copy of which you enclosed, was taken June 17, 1918, on the occasion of Marshal Foch's visit to the General's chateau, "Val des Ecoliers" near Chaumont, France.

Yours sincerely,

G. E. ADAMSON,
Captain, U. S. A.
Secretary.





PERMIT me to add my congratulations on the dedication of this fine Memorial Park to those who served in the World War.

It is a well-deserved tribute, and a great civic improvement.

HOWARD RUSS
Director Burlington County Board of Freeholders



IT is with real pleasure that I take this opportunity to congratulate the citizens of Riverton on their splendid tribute to the Veterans of the World War in the Memorial Park which will be dedicated to their memory on July 4.

WILLIAM H. HEISLER, JR.
Member
Burlington County Board of Freeholders





OUR hearty congratulations to the people of Riverton for their fine tribute to the veterans of the World War.

PEEL POINDEXTER
VALETOR
RIVERTON NEW JERSEY





RIVERTON must take great pride in its magnificant Park and in the memory of those to whom it is to be dedicated as a tribute to their services in the greatest war the world has even seen.

May the example of these brave men serve as an inspiration to this generation and the generations to come, to the end that the love of liberty and the courage to defend that liberty may never cease.

J. LLOYD WRIGHT
Member
Burlington County Board of Freeholders





MUNICIPAL improvements reflect the character of the people, and are an index of the civic consciousness of the community.

In the dedication of a Municipal Park to those who served in the World War, the citizens of Riverton confer honor upon those whose deeds they would commemorate, and a blessing upon those who will enjoy the benefits of a public playground in this and succeeding generations!

Riverton is to be congratulated!

EMMOR ROBERTS
Moorestown, N. J.

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RIVERTON TO VOTE ON NEW SCHOOL

Special Election Will be Called on July 14 to Decide Between Plans

The voters of Riverton will be asked to decide at a special school election to be held on July 14 whether they will authorize the school board to remodel the present school building at a cost of $220,000, to erect a new building on a new site at a cost of $300,000 or reject both propositions.

At a meeting of the school board Monday night Mr. Cooper, supervising principal, presented for the approval of the board a statement which he had prepared setting forth the necessities for doing something with the school plant, and the cost of the two propositions.

In connection with the proposed building program, Mr. Cooper reported that he had visited the new Barnegat High School which has eight classrooms, and built at a cost of $143,000 including equipment. This school, Mr. Cooper said, is about one-half as large as the one Riverton will require.

Visit to Moorestown

He also reported on a visit to the Moorestown Friends' School recently built at a cost of $275,000 including land and equipment. This school, he said, is about the size needed by Riverton but lacks a cafeteria and a gymnasium separate from the auditorium.

Following Mr. Cooper's remarks, Mrs. Mayfield, president of the board, stated that in view of the fact that so much opinion had been expressed recently in favor of doing something about the school situation, it was thought advisable by a majority of the board not to wait until fall before bringing the matter before the voters in a special school election.

At this point Mr. Cooper presented copy for a leaflet which it is proposed to distribute to the citizens of Riverton acquainting them with the cost of two propositions—remodeling on the present site or a new building on a new site.

After this had been read by the members, Mrs. Mayfield asked if they were willing to accept this as their views and present it to the public with their approval including the clause in which the board recommended the erection of a new building.

Asks for Definite Information

Before the vote was taken, Mr. Mattis called attention the fact that a committee had been appointed at the previous meeting to learn the cost of adjoining properties which it might be desirable to buy in order to enlarge the playground.

In Mr. Cooper's presentation, the cost estimated for this proposition was $30,000 but Mr. Mattis insisted on knowing how this figure was arrived at, and on having a definite report from the committee.

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COMMUNICATED

To the Editor of The New Era:

The article endorsing the oiling of the streets in Riverton, which appeared in your paper recently is not justified by the manner in which the streets were oiled and sanded or in the condition of the streets since it was done.

The sand was not screened as the contract called for, and as I have learned the sand should have been placed on the streets before the oil was spread, of course this would have taken more oil, and there would have been less profit in it for the contractor, but we would have had a better job and the streets of Riverton would not be so dusty as they are now, which I have not seen since the Borough of Riverton has started to oil its streets.

Very truly yours,
C. W. WEYGAND,
211 Elm Ave.

Wright — Dickinson

A very pretty wedding took place in Christ Church, Riverton, Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock when Miss Mary Evans Dickinson, daughter of Mrs. Malcolm M. Dickinson, of Riverton, became the bride of Mr. John Maxwell Wright, son of Mrs. John W. Wright, of Merchantville.

The bride, who was attended by Miss Dorothy A. Stewart, was given away by her brother, Malcolm M. Dickinson.

Miss Dickinson was gowned in deep cream satin of the Princess model trimmed with lace worn by her great-grandmother. The veil was of tulle. Her flowers were white roses, orchids and lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor was dressed in blue satin, and wore a blue horse hair hat trimmed with pink, pink slippers and carried a bouquet of blue delphinium and pink roses.

The flower girl, Miss Jean Bartle, niece of the groom, was dressed in pink and carried an old fashioned bouquet of pink rose buds and forget-me-nots.

The groom was attended by Brooks Evert, of Merchantville.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Arthur S. Lewis.

A reception for the members of the immediate families was held at the home of the bride's mother, following the ceremony.

After a two weeks' wedding trip in the Adirondack mountains, Mr. and Mrs. Wright will reside in Merchantville.

FIRST LEGION HEAD



COL. FRANKLIN DOLLER

Former resident of Riverton, who helped to organize the Legion, and was elected its first National Commander.

NEW UNDERPASS OPEN TO TRAFFIC

New Structure Supplants Former Dangerous River Road Grade Crossing

The underpass of State Highway S-41 at the West Palmyra intersection of River road was opened to traffic last week.

The completion of the underpass eliminates one of the most dangerous crossings in this vicinity and also offers a straight route from the Tacony palmyra bridge to Berlin, without causing the motorists to go through Palmyra traffic.

In appearance, this concrete and steel elevation has far exceeded the highest hopes of West Palmyra residents. When the project was first discussed it was the subject of much unfavorable comment. It was thought such an elevation would necessitate the erection of a "Chinese Wall" along the railroad track on both sides of the underpass. The present structure has no side wall facing the West Broad street residences.

Used Arch Street Crossing

During the construction of the underpass traffic was shifted to the railroad crossing at Arch street station, from which it followed Public road to the intersection of the State highway.

A concrete roadway from this intersection to the bridge plaza was completed last year, but was not opened to the public until the completion of the underpass. Since its opening there is a concrete road from the bridge to the new round-point near Berlin.

The road is free from main cross roads with but two exceptions. The King's highway, which makes an intersection a short distance outside of Moorestown, and Marlton pike, which crosses near Marlton. Other main roads are either bridged or tunneled.

Finished On Schedule

The underpass at Palmyra has been completed according to schedule. In the spring it was announced the structure would be finished by July 1.

The completion of the new route will do much to aid the handling of traffic by Palmyra police over the Fourth of July week-end. Despite the lessening of traffic in the center of Palmyra, the police will be faced with the new problem of handling traffic at the River road and State highway intersection each week-end.

The difficulty of handling the cars is increased by the fact that cars using the River road must make two turns, one to the left before they use the underpass, and the other to the right, before they can continue on the River road.

Council Takes Stand

Palmyra Borough Council, in its session two weeks ago, refused to take the responsibility for the handling of traffic at this point, although co-operation on the part of the borough's officers was promised. Mayor George N. Wimer stated it would take at least two officers to manage the heavy traffic at this point each week-end. He said the size of the Palmyra police force does not warrant the assigning of two men to this intersection, when there are other points in the town which must be taken care of.

CHANGES PLEA

Henry Hilton Pleads Guilty to Assault Charge at Court Session

At a hearing before Judge Charles A. Rigg in County Court last week, Henry O. Hilton, colored, of West Palmyra, made a retraction of his former plea. He had formerly pleaded not guilty to indictments charging him with assault and battery with intent to kill, and resisting arrest. At last week's hearing he pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery.

He was arrested after he had shot Margaret Harris, also colored, a neighbor, during an altercation with his wife. He will be sentenced at a court session on July 9.

DRIVER IS FINED $50 IN ABSENCE OF PERMIT

Charged with operating an automobile without a license, Phillip Morris, of Trenton, was fined $50 and costs last week by Police Recorder Joseph C. Kingdon, of Mount Holly.

D. R. LEMON GETS BRIDGE CONTRACT

Lowest Bidder in Field of Four: $45,000 State Aid for County Roads

The Burlington County Board of Freeholders received bids on the reconstruction of the bride S-4-13 on North Lake Shore Drive, Browns Mills, at their regular meeting last Friday.

Daniel R. Lemon was awarded the contract with the lowest bid of $1574. The other bids were Charles Moses, $1987.00; Hill Construction Company, $1800; William C. Cook, Inc., $1883.

Director of Roads Charles R. Stout made the following report concerning his visit to the State Highway Commission to apply for funds from the state to be used in construction of the Pemberton Browns Mills Road.

Hon. Board of Chosen Freeholders,
Burlington County, N. J.
Gentlemen:

Pursuant to a motion authorizing me to appear before the Highway Commission in connection with securing additional state assistance in the construction of the Pemberton-Browns Mills Road, I desire to report the following:

On Tuesday, June 16, I visited the State Highway Commission and made arrangements, according to the requirements of the State Highway, that the $35,000 special allotment made each county from the Motor Vehicle Funds be applied to the Pemberton-Browns Mills Road, the County raising an amount equal to this.

Allow Only $10,000

On Tuesday, June 23, accompanied by the County Engineer and Road Supervisor, I again visited the State Highway Commission and requested an additional $25,000 from Surplus Funds to further assist the county in the construction of the above named road.

The State Highway Commission, after a conference, agreed to allow us $10,000 from their Surplus Funds. They further stated that they only had available in this fund the sum of $250,000 and they could not see their way clear at this time to grant us over $10,000.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES R. STOUT,
Director of Roads.

A resolution by Director Stout was passed authorizing the use of $35,000 given the county by the Motor Vehicle Department and also the $10,000 mentioned in the foregoing report.

Upon resolutions by Director Stout, the Public Service was granted permission to erect 23 poles along the State Highway 39; 13 poles on Pomona Road between Cinnaminson and Moorestown; 13 poles on Church Road, all work to be under the supervision of Director of Roads and County Engineer.

Ziegler to Draw Plans

Another resolution presented by Mr. Stout and adopted by the board requested the enlarging of the county garage. The plans are to be drawn by Herbert Ziegler, of Riverside.

On suggestion of Mr. Stout, a resolution was adopted to have the clerk prepare a resolution to be presented to the family of the late Macajah E. Matlack, in appreciation of his years of faithful service to the county.

A communication was received from the State Association of Freeholders that they had been invited to hold their next regular meeting at the State Insane Asylum, Holmdell, at Hillsdale, Monmouth county, on Friday, July 10, at 1 p. m.

Robert Cox, former head of the Burlington Couty Hospital for the Insane, is the superintendent of the new institution and he will welcome the Burlington county delegation which will be made up of the freeholders, county officials and guests.

The following department bills were ordered paid: Finance, $45,252.04; Roads, $16,406.09; Buildings, $10,305.44; Bridges, $5,339.73; Affairs, $2,868.72; total, $80,171.01.

Thomas Leonard Lewis,

Thomas Leonard Lewis, sixty-two years old, died at his home, 713 Lincoln avenue, Palmyra, Friday evening following an illness of nearly two months.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning from the Snover Funeral Home. Interment was made in the Monument Cemetery, Beverly.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Mervine Lewis, and one daughter, Mrs. Paul VanSant.

Henrietta B. Shinn

Mrs. Henrietta B. Shinn, widow of the late Howard C. Shinn, formerly of Riverton, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles B. Durburow, of Edgewater Park.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2.00 p. m. from the late residence. Interment will be made in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Shinn is survived by her daughter and a sister.

RIVERTON LIBRARY TO CLOSE FOR REPAIRS

The Riverton Library will be closed for repairs from Wednesday, July 8th to Monday, August 3rd. Borrowers may take for this period four books on a card.

From July 8th to July 11th the Library will be open from 4 to 6 p. m. to receive books ONLY.

MESSAGE FROM AMBASSADOR EDGE

EMBASSY OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Paris, June 24, 1931

My dear Mr. Editor:

I am just in receipt of your letter of the 13th advising me that the citizens of Riverton will dedicate on July 4th to the veterans of the late war a memorial park.

This proposed ceremony brings back most vividly to my mind the war days when I had the privilege of being Governor of New Jersey. Well do I remember the unrestrained patriotic impulses from the citizens of New Jersey which followed our entrance into the war.

It is indeed well that these memories be kept alive by such practical memorials as Riverton is inaugurating. Won't you convey to your citizens my warm and hearty congratulations?

Very truly yours,
WALTER E. EDGE

Mr. Walter L. Bowen, Editor
THE NEW ERA
Riverton, N. J.

Editor's Note—The above letter was received this morning just as The New Era was going to press, and owing to lack of time we could not reproduce it in fac-simile, as was done with the letters of President Hoover, Governor Larson and J. W. Faust.

SEEL'S LAWN SCENE OF CHARMING GARDEN PARTY TUESDAY EVE.

With the spirit of the old-fashioned garden party and the most modern forms of entertainment, the members of the choir of the Central Baptist Church were the guests of the Misses D. Helene Johnson and Virginia Seel at a unique garden party Tuesday evening.

The event took place on the lawn of Miss Seel's home on Cinnaminson avenue, Palmyra. The place was very attractively decorated. Games were played even to the ultra-modern miniature golf and deck shuffle.

The colorful scene effects and the summer attire of the guests engaged in the numerous games gave the party a Hollywood aspect. George J. Seel took motion pictures of the affair.

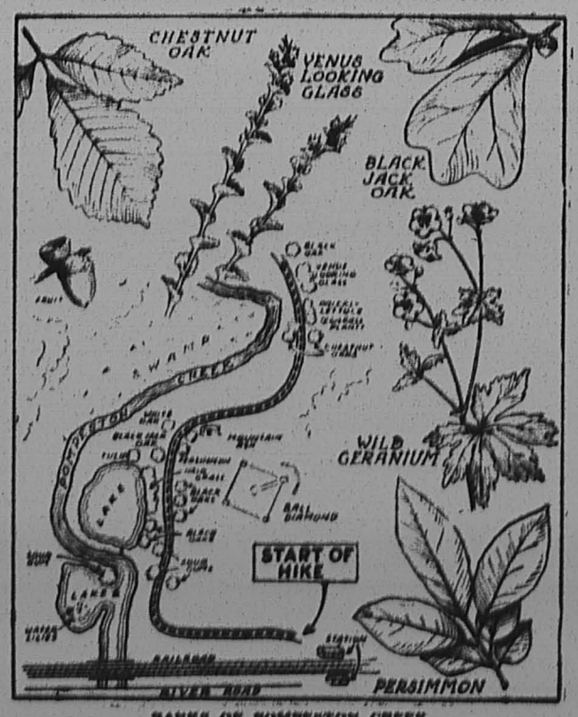
As a part of the evening's program, which proved to be a truly successful surprise, was the miscellaneous shower, rendered Miss Florence Harvey, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. George I. Harvey.

Miss Harvey, whose engagement to Edward Hoyt, of Riverton, was recently announced, was the recipient of many lovely as well as useful gifts.

INITIAL DECREE

Mrs. J. J. Lacy, of Lincoln avenue, Palmyra, has received her initial decree in the divorce proceedings against her husband, J. J. Lacy. She will receive her final decree in September.

Memorial Park Chosen for Nature Trail



BANKS OF POMPESTON CREEK

which were chosen this week by the Wagner Free Institute of Science as a nature trail full of plant life interesting to lovers of nature. The diagram reproduced above gives the names of the various specimens of plant life and where they may be found.

NICK BEITZ IN CRASH NEAR WILLIAMSTOWN

Zig-Zag Driver Narrowly Misses Car Ahead Before Hitting Car of Palmyra Man

Nicholas Beitz, owner of the Palmyra Bowling Alleys, narrowly escaped serious injury when the car which he was driving was sideswiped on the Williamstown-Berlin road last Sunday night. Mrs. Beitz, who was also in the car, likewise escaped injury.

Freeman P. Helmes, of Oaskill avenue, Mount Ephraim, driver of the other machine was fined after the accident, for reckless driving.

Frank Lafferty, 1008 Walnut steet, Collingdale, owner of the auto, was also fined when it was found that his car was improperly registered. Three other passengers who were in the Pennsylvania machine fled from the scene of the accident, together with the owner and driver, but all were captured by State Police.

At the stretch of road where the accident occurred, repairs to the highway were being made, and a portion of the road was blocked by sand used in making the repairs. The Beitz machine was forced into the sand while trying to avoid the other car Helmes, who was zig-zagging across the road, narrowly missed hitting the automobile of Peter Lambing, also of Palmyra, who was about a hundred feet ahead of the Beitz machine.

Mrs. T. C. Marshall testified in a St. Paul court that her husband put his shoes on the hall rack and took his hat to bed, proving that he was drunk.

ARREST OF MORE DRUNKEN DRIVERS

Two Taken Over Weekend, Each Fined $221, Which Was Promptly Paid

The war on drunken drivers continues unabated in Riverton, with Officers Gootee and Robinson both on the job. They must have a highly developed sense of smell because as soon as a drunken driver comes over the bridge at Pompess Creek he is doomed to the clutches of one or the other of these minions of the law.

Two o'clock Sunday morning John Sawyer, of Torresdale, was blissfully "winding" his way homeward when he must have realized after crossing the bridge at Dreer's Nurseries that Riverton possessed an extra vigilent cop, namely Bill Gootee, (who had arrested him in April for reckless driving) so John being in "high spirits" thought he'd pull one over on Bill, and with a couple of side slips and tail spins managed to steer his Chevrolet sedan down Fulton street, intending to detour around Bill.

But Bill is not so easily detourred, as John Sawyer noticed when he found Bill had slipped down Howard street and, with whistle between his teeth, formed a one man reception committee.

Sawyer was taken before Dr. Harry L. Rogers who pronounced him drunk and unfit to operate an automobile.

At a hearing before Police Recorder Cecil A. Bowers, Sawyer was fined $200.00 and $21.00 costs. Friends later paid his fine and secured his release.

Robinson, believing that one good turn deserves another, tilted his nose skyward about 11:30 Sunday night and scented another customer tacking down Broad street with a couple sheets in the wind.

When apprehended at Broad and Main streets, the offender gave his name as Stanley Stirzle, 306 North Fifth street, Philadelphia.

He was put through the mill in the regular fashion, Dr. Rogers pronouncing him drunk. Cecil A. Bowers fined him $221.00. He paid the fine and went about his business.

Earlier in the evening Gootee arrested Andrew Harrigan, of 1906 Tioga street, Philadelphia for pulling out of line on the red light at Broad and Main streets, and charged him with reckless driving. At a hearing before Police Recorder Cecil A. Bowers Harrigan was fined $5.00 and costs, which he paid.

To Be Married

Miss Edith Boureau, of East Main street, Moorestown, will become the bride of Howard Devlin, a real estate broker, of 274 West Eleventh street, New York, next month. They secured a marriage license at the Municipal Building, N. Y., and the wedding will take place at St. Joseph's Church.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Boureau, of Moorestown. Mr. Devlin's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Devlin, of Chicago.

A pink and white "flower garden" patchwork quilt which he is making for his sister, keeps Andrew Rineheimer, 70-year-old farmer of Beloit, Wis., busy after chores are done.

RIVERTON PLANS BIGGEST FOURTH IN ITS HISTORY

Dedication of Memorial Park to be Feature of Program Saturday

EXERCISES TO TAKE PLACE AT 2 O'CLOCK

Borough Officials and Legion Leaders to Speak; Fireworks in Evening

Riverton's celebration of Independence Day this Saturday will be the most elaborate in its history.

Councilman J. Elmer Hahn, who heads the Fourth of July Committee this year, has planned a day's program full of interest, with the dedication of Memorial Park to the veterans of the World War as the crowning feature.

The American Legion Post Rodgers, No. 136, Palmyra, under the leadership of W. Rex McCrosson, National Committeeman of the Legion, will form a parade at Legion Hall, Palmyra, and march to Memorial Park, Riverton, to participate in the dedication exercises.

Order of Parade

The order of the parade is as follows: Color Bearers of various organizations carrying the Stars and Stripes, followed by Grand Marshal Frank A. Mathews, Jr., past State Commander of the American Legion, and W. Rex McCrosson, visiting Legionnaires, the Palmyra Riverton Bugle and Drum Corps of the American Legion, uniformed unit of the Junior Order American Mechanics from Burlington, Riverton Volunteer Fire Company in uniform, Moose Band from Camden, Palmyra Fire Company in uniform, Boy and Girl Scouts from Riverton and Palmyra and a group of Palmyra citizens led by the Lyric Band of Camden.

The dedication exercises are to be held at 2 p. m., at the park with Mayor Howard M. Rogers presiding.

Former Mayor Killam E. Bennett, under whose administration the park was purchased, will give a brief resume of the acquisition of the community's playground, and addresses will be made by W. Rex MacCrosson, National Committeeman, American Legion, and Hon. Clifford R. Powell, State Senator and Legionnaire.

Mayor to Preside

Mayor Howard M. Rogers will preside at the exercises, which will be opened with prayer by the Rev. Charles T. Bates, of the Calvary Presbyterian Church, Riverton.

The community singing will be led by Robert F. White, and the Drum and Bugle Corps of Post Rodgers will put on the famous drill with which it has won many prizes.

The morning program will be similar to previous years. Prizes will be given for the various classes in the children's parade. These prizes are now on display in the windows of Mrs. Smith's and Keating's stores.

The Riverton Yacht Club is putting on an attractive program of sailing races and aquatic sports, in the morning.

The athletic events will be held on the river bank immediately following the patriotic exercises. Prizes for these events may be seen at Keating's.

Fireworks will be displayed on the riverbank in the evening.

Music will be furnished by the Moose Band of Camden.

VOTERS OF RIVERTON

On July 14 the decision will be made as to whether Riverton children shall have the benefit of a new and modern school with adequate grounds for sports, and up to date equipment, or whether the present school building shall be remodeled, enlarged, a new heating plant installed, and made to comply with the fire regulations.

The detailed data of the comparative estimates on these projects and the comparative cost involved to taxpayers has been printed in pamphlet form for your information. These pamphlets will be mailed to every voter a week before the election, and it is devoutly to be hoped that every one privileged to vote upon this issue, will read carefully the data compiled.

Conservatism is not the policy by which America was discovered, nor the West conquered and annexed. There are still opportunities for daring in the acquirement of worthwhile things. The board of the Parent-Teacher Association feels there is now a choice to make as to whether our votes shall place us on record as content with what has been and "good enough," or as daring to demand for our children the best modern educational facilities possible and for our town a progressive and adequate school.

THE BOARD OF THE PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION OF RIVERTON.

BIDS FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Bids will be received by the Board of Education of the Township of Cinnaminson, N. J., for general supplies for the school year 1931 1932, including paper, pens, pencils, etc. Specifications may be secured from the District Clerk.

EMMA D. FRANK,
District Clerk.

ZEP SURVEYORS AT MOORESTOWN

Dock Foundation Tests Are to Follow Extensive Meteorological Studies

An advance party of Goodyear-Zeppelin engineers, accompanied by Fred W. Johnson, service manager of the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, arrived in Moorestown Tuesday afternoon to make arrangements for the engineers who will spend the next six weeks studying the proposed site for the American terminus of a trans-Atlantic dirigible line.

H. A. Sivaslian, of the Goodyear-Zeppelin Corporation's engineering staff, who will be in charge of the crew of six to eight engineers in Moorestown, announced that the surveys of the Washington and Richmond tracts have already been completed and his staff will arrive in Moorestown this Saturday and will go to work on the Philadelphia site next Monday. Baltimore will be the last site to be visited.

The engineers' headquarters will be in the old Burlington County Trust Company building East Main street, during their six weeks' stay in Moorestown. They will live in the community during that time.

"Our surveys," said Mr. Sivaslian, "will tie in with the meteorological studies which have been in progress here for the past several months. The Moorestown site will be studied in detail with special attention given to grading requirements, draining requirements, soil conditions, railroad conditions, highway transportation facilities, and geological formations which might affect the plans for the foundation of the airship dock.

Dock Planned

"Special interests are the engineering problems in connection with the Airship Dock, similar to the one recently built in Akron, Ohio. This building is 1175 feet in length, 325 feet in width, 211 feet in height and is the largest structure in the world without interior supports.

"In the study of the site special attention will be given to geological formations affecting the hangar structure. On some sites, it will be necessary to consider the use of concrete piles, in which case 1300 would be necessary, carrying a load of 30 tons each to support this enormous structure. Considering the magnitude of this engineering task, it is expected that the engineers of the International Zeppelin Transport Corporation and the Goodyear Zeppelin Corporation will require the greater part of six weeks to complete the necessary engineering data here."

Mr. Sivaslian, during the course of his conservation, remarked that it would be necessary for his staff to consider a railroad spur to the terminal, for not only will helium cars be run into the dock after it is completed, but between ten and twelve thousand tons of material will be used in the construction of the gigantic hangar.

Mr. Johnson interrupted him at that point. The service manager declared that the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce has already had the Pennsylvania Railroad make a survey, and full facts concerning a spur to the local site on Union Mill Road, between Mount Laurel Road and Church street, in Mount Laurel Township, are now available.

Aerial Cross-Roads

"In the event that the Zeppelin terminus comes to the Philadelphia district," said Mr. Johnson," we have made arrangements that will make Moorestown the aerial cross-roads of the world. We have received assurance from New York, Philadelphia and Washington Airways, Eastern Air Transport, Inc., Trancontinental and Western Airways, Inc., and Pittsburgh Airways, Inc., of readiness of each to include in their schedule stops on the Zeppelin Terminal in Moorestown for the receipt and discharge of overseas passengers. Similar arrangements can be made for mail and freight.

"We attach no small significance to this ship-to-ship transfer to passengers to and from airways of Canada, the entire United States, Mexico, Central America, Cuba, the West Indies and both coasts of South America."

"Location of a base for an airship terminal is analogous to the selection of proper docking facilities for ocean-going vessels," Ward T. Van Orman, chief meteorologist for the Goodyear Zeppelin Corporation, said in a communication received recently by the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce.

"In addition to the usual docks required at any location, a natural harbor is always selected. These harbors, provided by nature are tangible things whose suitability may be quickly judged.

Natural Air Harbor

"In the case of aircraft, we maintain that there exist similar natural air harbors, however invisible. By meteorological and climatological analyses the location of these natural air harbors may be ascertained."

Accompanying Mr. Van Orman's communication was a series of graphs which disclosed that the choice of the trans-Atlantic airship terminal has narrowed to a district slightly north of Moorestown and to the approximate vicinity of Richmond.

Conditions Summarized

They disclosed summaries of precipitation, fog, clouds, winds under all conditions, average summer and winter temperatures, daily temperature ranges, snowfall, and other conditions favorable or unfavorable to docking airships.

While the Philadelphia area appears high in the optimum district, certain wind and temperature conditions are shown to be more favorable at Baltimore and Washington. On the other hand, Moorestown, where hourly observations have covered the last year, has the advantage of position in relation to passenger and mail traffic, and in the convergence of rail and motor lines.

"Fleming's Castle" Built in 1756



—Photo by the Pathfinder of the Motor Club of New Jersey

Not so pretentious in these days, but a magnificent piece of architecture in 1756 is Fleming's Castle in Flemington. The building was erected by Samuel Fleming, who had come from Ireland, and was the first frame house in the village. The house still stands in Bonnell street and was recently restored and given to Colonel Lowrey Chapter, D. A. R., whose members use it as a headquarters. Samuel Fleming's house was at first called "Fleming's Castle" because it was the finest mansion in the whole region and the countrymen came from many miles around to marvel at the building. Tradition has it that many military leaders stopped at Samuel Fleming's house during the Revolution and that Washington, also, was a guest there.

Burlington Co. Parks Council Makes Enjoyable Tour of Fine Recreational Areas of Central Jersey Communities

Union county is proud of its parks. Not only that, but it is more than pleased to show them to visitors who are interested in conserving the recreational areas of their own counties.

Burlington county folk who made a tour of inspection were deeply impressed by the parks system of that progressive county and equally impressed by the interest and courtesy shown them by officials of the park commission.

A motorcade of 14 cars, carrying more than 50 people, made the trip last Saturday. The group was escorted to Rahway by state police from the Columbus barracks. Here they were met by officials of the Union County Park Commission, who provided an escort of park guards to show the visitors about the county's extensive park system.

Every consideration was given to the Burlington county folk by their Union county hosts. The guards kept the motorcade moving without interruption, often holding up traffic at important intersections. In addition to this they provided a service car which followed the other cars all during the day to offer aid if needed.

W. Richmond Tracy, secretary of the Park Commission acted as guide to the delegation, and left nothing undone to show his guests the utmost courtesy throughout the day.

The Burlington county group, making the tour under the auspices of the Burlington County Parks Council, gathered at Bordentown about nine o'clock Saturday morning and arrived at Rahway about 10:00. The rest of the morning was spent in inspecting the parks in the Rahway-Elizabeth section of the county. A dining room had been reserved in the Winfield Scott Hotel at Elizabeth. After the luncheon the party was welcomed by the president of the parks commission, Caxton Brown, who expressed his regrets at not being able to complete the tour with the Burlington county people.

The Rahway River Park, the first visited, was built on the site of the former city dump. Like the other parks in the county, it contains playgrounds, baseball diamonds, soccer and soft ball fields, quoit and horseshoe pitching courts, swimming pool and sand beach, wading pools, and skating areas.

The swimming pool at this park was one of the most attractive visited and is said to be more than self-supporting. Children are admitted free in the mornings, except on Saturday, Sunday and holidays. A fine bath house is a part of the equipment. The entire area of the park, mostly undeveloped at the present, is nearly a thousand acres.

The second point visited was the John Russell Wheeler Park. A swimming pool is under construction here along lines similar to the Rahway park. Nineteen acres comprise the area of the grounds, which are devoted to various recreational uses.

Warinanco Park, a large tract in the suburbs of Elizabeth, is the largest of the fully developed areas. In addition to the many other facilities this park has twelve tennis courts and a cinder track and football field, with a fine stadium of 4300 seating capacity.

At Galloping Hill Park is located the public golf course. This spot is nothing less than ideal. A chummy little club house is located atop a knoll overlooking a beautiful country-side and the Watchung mountains in the distance. The entire course is ideally landscaped and makes a veritable golfer's paradise.

Twenty-seven holes comprise the present layout with nine more to be added to complete two eighteen hole courses. A moderate fee is charged residents of the county, with the privilege of bringing friends from out of the county at double price. This venture is also said to pay a profit to the park commission.

The Watchung Reservation is by far the largest park area in the system. This tract, largely undeveloped, consists of some 1900 acres of mountainside. While on the tour the party visited an old observation tower which gave a splendid view of the adjacent territory with the metropolitan area in the distance.

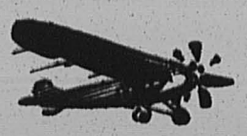
Suprise Lake, a popular swimming resort, is located on this tract. Probably five hundred cars were parked near the lake while their occupants bathed in the cool waters of the pool.

Echo Lake Park was one of the most picturesque of the many beautiful spots visited and much used by the people of the surrounding territory.

Green Brook and Cedar Brook parks, in the vicinity of Plainfield, were the last visited. The interest of the delegation was divided between a beautiful Shakespearean garden and a game of cricket at the latter place.

The garden is said to be an exact replica of the one at the home of the famous playwright at Stratford-on-Avon, England. A quaint English house served as headquarters at this park and as a place for the cricket players to drink tea.

The Moorestonians to make the trip were Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton Driscoll, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Sherman and W. J. Shederick, Jr.



PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER
Founder, Burlington County Aero Club

Everything is all set for the big show at the Moorestown Airport of the Burlington County Aero Club on Saturday and Sunday, July 4 and 5. A very attractive program has been arranged including parachute jumps, stunt flying and bomb dropping. It is all free so pile the whole family into the car and come over. And don't forget, on these two days you can take an enjoyable trip in the air for "a cent a pound."

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Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tatem, of Haddonfield, left the Moorestown Airport in Mr. Tatem's Waco F. flew to Roosevelt Field, Long Island, where they had lunch, and on the way home landed at Flushing, Long Island and Red Bank, N. J. They were in the air five hours and report a most delightful trip.

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Henry Mathers, of Riverside, chairman of the Field Committee of the Burlington County Aero Club, received his Private Pilot's ticket on Monday. A good old cheerio and salutations, Henry.

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"Woozy" Lippincott and a Miss Wagner, of Riverton, left the Moorestown Airport on Sunday morning in "Woozy's" Waco 9 for the good old ocean at Atlantic City. It is getting to be quite the thing to do to fly to the shore for a dip in the ocean.

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The annual Ford reliability tour will start from Detroit on July fourth. This year the tour will cover a flight through eighteen states and visit forty cities. The tour will end at Detroit, on July 25.

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For almost three years we have been trying to sell aviation to one of our neighbors and he has always fought shy. The other night he agreed to take his initial flight provided we would accompany him. The first Sunday we are home we are going to handcuff this chap and take him up with the birds. When he comes down his only regret will be that he did not fly before.

Grosch — Shea

Miss Bertha E. Shea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shea, of Moorestown, became the bride of Paul Grosch, of Cristobal, Panama, Central America, Wednesday.

Miss Shea sailed from New York on Tuesday of last week aboard the S. S. Cristobal, and immediately upon her arrival the ceremony took place. The young couple will live in the Panamanian city.

The bride is well-known in this vicinity and has been principal of the Hartford-Masonville schools for several years.

Frafield Bean was given a marriage license on credit by the county clerk, at Detroit, and paid for it when he got his pay envelope the following Saturday.

Test Airplanes in War on Jersey Mosquitoes

An airplane, zooming 60 miles an hour at a 10-foot elevation across flooded swamps, spreading death in the form of poisonous liquids to millions of mosquito "wrigglers," is a new weapon now being tested by fighters of New Jersey's best known insect pest.

Although the several test already conducted in Morris and Middlesex counties have destroyed millions of the "wrigglers" or larvae, the practicality of the airplane as an instrument to apply poisonous larvicides has yet to be proved. This is because to date the estimated "kill" of the pests has been only 50 per cent or less.

A "kill" of 80 or more per cent must be obtained before the airplane can be considered an effective and practical weapon, Dr. Jospoh M. Ginsburg, biochemist in entomology at the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station, said.

OCKANICKON SEEN IDEAL FOR GIRLS

Camp Near Medford Meets All Requirements of Exacting Mothers

When a mother considers a summer camp for her daughter, what are the things for which she seeks?

First of all, she seeks simplicity. It should be as far removed as possible from the complexities of our highly organized and mechanical life which in these modern days even a child does not quite escape. A child does not want luxury. A dip in the lake, a hike through the woods are no more fun because the camp fee is high. Sunshine is sunshine, trees are trees, and no "turbelows" can make them more enchanting.

Then, a good camp needs beauty; it needs to be especially blessed by nature. Woods, a lake, country trails all leave lasting records on the sensitive mind of youth.

Next, one wants a varied program. Youth wants scampering space, a chance to exercise a growing body in active games and sports; to exercise a growing mind in the lore of birds, flowers and woodcraft; to exercise an awakening social instinct in making friends, developing personality, learning to fill its place in the absorbing and happy little world of camp.

And finally, there must be intelligent supervision. A good camp knows the difference between grim rules and regulations, and wise guidance by leaders skilled in the things young people admire, and possessed of traits of character worth imitating. Mother is perfectly right in wanting to make sure that responsible leaders are in charge of the camp, capable of looking after the health and directing the play of her daughter.

These are things that a mother looks for when she goes camp hunting. No camp can give more; none should give less. There are more expensive camps than the Y. W. C. A. camp at Ockanickon; more elaborate camps; more luxurious camps, but in the elements that really count for health, happiness and Christian character, the Y. W. C. A. Camp Ockanickon is blessed among camps.

Mothers who are interested in this kind of camp for their daughters should register for them now at the county Y. W. C. A. office in Mount Holly.

Mrs. Benjamin R. Faunce

Mrs. Benjamin R. Faunce died at the Zurbrugg Hospital Thursday afternoon at 1:35 o'clock, following an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Faunce was formerly Miss Mabel Lewis, who taught in the Riverside schools a few years ago. Her parents reside in Tidionte, Pa., where the funeral was held Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Faunce was the second wife of Benjamin R. Faunce, prominent Riverside druggist and proprietor of the famous soft drink, Tak-Aboost, which has stores in many South Jersey towns.

Named Camp



ARTHUR G. RAYMOND, Jr. Member of Moorestown Troop 2, who named the county Boy Scout camp near Wrightstown which officially opened its season last Saturday after the Cubs had enjoyed a week's stay there. Arthur selected the name, Camp Mahalata, and wrote the prize winning essay on the new name.

JURY GIVES $15,250 IN DAMAGE SUIT

Action Result of Accident in Which Hockey Star Died

A $15,250 verdict was given in a damage suit at Mount Holly, late Thursday afternoon, the climax of an accident in which a Haddonfield art student and ice hockey star was fatally injured.

The suit was on hearing before Judge Henry H. Eldridge two and a half days. The action was brought by Edward Lehr, Sr., his wife, Mrs. Mary Lehr and their daughter, Mrs. Alice Geary, all of Haddonfield, against William F. Wolfer, of Philadelphia, and George and Elizabeth McCarthy, of Philadelphia.

The fatal accident in which Edward Lehr, Jr., a student at the University of Pennsylvania and a member of the Haddons, Atlantic City hoop ice hockey champions, died, occurred on the White Horse Pike near Pomono, June 10 of last year.

Both the Wolfer and McCarthy cars it was brought out, were proceeding toward Atlantic City, when Wolfer made a left turn into a side road. The Lehrs were passengers in the McCarthy car. Mrs. Lehr, Edward, Mrs. Geary and her daughter June, 5, had been picked up in Haddonfield.

The hockey star died in the Atlantic City Hospital a month later. Mrs. Lehr's spine was permanently injured, it was charged. Mrs. Geary lost several teeth while her baby escaped with cuts and bruises.

Edward C. Lehr, Sr., father of the dead youth, was the principal plaintiff in the suit and the jury was called upon to fix damages due him for the loss of his son, expenses incurred and also the possible earning power of the young man who was studying architecture. Suit was brought against both car owners in order to determine responsibility for the accident, it was said.

The verdict returned by the jury held both defendants responsible and gave Edward Lehr, Sr., as general administrator for his son, $3000, as well as $7500 additional as administrator and prosequendum. Individually Lehr was awarded $500. Mrs. Lehr was awarded $3500, June Geary, $500 and her mother, Mrs. Alice Geary, $250.

LIFE SAVING DRIVE OPENS IN COUNTY

Ergood and Hartshorn Again Head Red Cross Water Campaign

Beginning July 1 and continuing until August 22, the life saving campaign under Burlington County Chapter, American Red Cross, will be carried on at the various bathing beaches of the county, with Clifford W. Ergood, Mount Holly, acting as county director, and Victor H. Hartshorn, Trenton, instructor.

The proposed schedule of classes is as follows:

Monday—New Lisbon, 2:30 p. m.; Browns Mills 7:00 p. m.

Tuesday—Riverton, 2:00 p. m., Moorestown, 4:00 p. m., Mount Holly, 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday—Cedar Lakes, 3:00 p. m., Virginia Lakes (Bridgeboro) 6:30 p. m.

Thursday — Burlington, Riverfront, (near Talbot street) 3:00 p. m.; Bordentown, Canal, 6:30 p. m.

Friday—Camp Mahalata, Boy Scout, 10:00 a. m.; Medford Lakes, 4:00 p. m.

Saturday—Sylvan Lakes, Burlington, 3:30 p. m.; Hainesport, Shady Rest, 6:00 p. m.

Classes in other localities may be arranged for on application to either the county director or instructor, or the chapter secretary, at 24 West Union street, Burlington.

WITHSTANDS EFFECTS OF 4150 VOLT SHOCK

Riverside Man Suffers Only Slight Burns From Accident at Burlington

Thomas Smith, 40 years old, of Bem Street, Riverside, came in contact with a live wire while working as a linesman for the Public Service Company in Burlington last Friday. It was estimated that 4150 volts of electricity passed through his body. He suffered only a small burn on the chest. Smith was working on a three-phase line on a pole at East Federal street and the State Highway. Fellow workmen saw him slump back against his safety belt, unconscious.

Alex Samor, another lineman, went up the pole immediately to Smith's rescue. He lowered the man to the ground with ropes. In the meantime, another employe had run to the city garage, where Herbert Freeh telephoned Sergeant of Police George Bowley, at the Burlington city hall. The sergeant went to the scene of the accident and had the man transferred to the city emergency hospital.

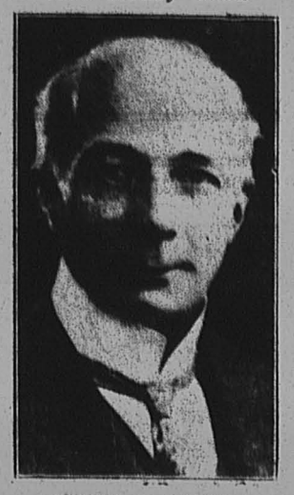
Dr. John S. Conroy was summoned and revived Smith. It was found he had touched the live wire over the left breast, a few inches from the heart. His shirt, undershirt, and skin were burned.

Dr. Conroy, when he learned that 4150 volts had passed through the man, said that was almost twice as much as is used in the electric chair at Trenton. The voltage there is 2400.

Smith was taken to his home in Riverside. He is married and has two small sons.

Smith has been employed by the Public Service Company for the past four years. Prior to that time he worked for the Eastern New Jersey Power and Light Company. The accident was the first of the kind that has occurred in Burlington in years.

New Rotary Head



SYDNEY W. PASCALL
London business man, first president of Rotary International from Europe, who is serving from July 1 of this year to June 30, 1932.

BORDENTOWN MAN HURT IN GLIDER

Novice Airman Suffers Serious Injuries in Motorless Craft

Edward Porawski, 25 years old, of Farnsworth avenue, Bordentown, was seriously injured when he crashed in a gliding airplane Sunday. He suffered a fractured skull, a broken arm, and numerous bruises and lacerations.

Porawski was flying a glider owned by the Bordentown Aero Club, on the club's flying field, along the White Horse-Bordentown road. He is a member of the club and was making a flight at 8 o'clock Sunday evening while hundreds of spectators and motorists looked on.

The glider was towed by an auto, and reached an altitude of 40 feet when the glider suddenly dropped. The pilot was pinned under the motorless ship, which was demolished.

Other members of the club rushed to the wrecked ship and it was necessary for them to pull the front end of the glider apart to extricate Porawski.

After he was treated for his injuries, Rev. Harold Green, hospital chaplain, was called and administered last rites.

Porawski is married and has one son, 4 years old. He is employed by Fitzgibbon and Crisp, auto repair concern, of Trenton.

The glider Porawski was using was the newer of two owned by the Bordentown Aero Club. The club is made up of young men of Bordentown, interested in flying. Several other accidents of less grave consequences have occurred at the club's flying field during flights of the amateur airmen in their gliders. Two home made gliders have been wrecked.

It is not known whether the accident was caused by some mechanical defect or if Porawski lost control of the ship.

HARRY ANTHONY TO TEACH AT LAFAYETTE

At the recent graduation exercises at the University of Alabama, Harry Louis Anthony, 3rd, of Edgewater Park, was awarded a Master of Science degree. The Edgewater Park youth also was given a fellowship in mine engineering at the same institution. Anthony is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Anthony.

Mr. Anthony has been appointed a member of the faculty of Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., and will begin his duties there at the opening of the 1931-32 school year in September. He will teach mine engineering and mettaiurgy.

Anthony was graduated from Burlington High School in the class of 1926 and was a prominent sports' figure during his last three years at the school, captaining the football squad in his senior year. He entered Lafayette College in the fall of 1926 and graduated last June. He was a member of the Lafayette grid squad for two seasons.

Among the societies Anthony is a member of the Calumet Club, honorary society at Lafayette, and Tau Beta Phi Fraternity.

Samuel A. Lishman

Samuel Albertson Lishman, 69 years old, died at his home in Marlton on Wednesday morning of last week after a prolonged illness of a complication of diseases.

Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Madeline H. Leeds, of Locust avenue, Marlton, with the Rev. John Sryer, pastor of the Marlton Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was made in the Haddonfield Baptist Cemetery.

Mr. Lishman was a well-known contractor and builder and for more than 30 years was building foreman and supervisor of the J. S. Rogers Company, of Moorestown. He was a member of Marlton Baptist Church and for several years superintendent at Evesboro Sunday School. He was also a member of Haddonfield Jr. O. U. A. M.

Surviving the deceased is his widow, Mrs. A. Margaret Lishman, another daughter, Mrs. Pearl L. Hiles, of Moorestown, and two sons, Harry C. Lishman, of Haddonfield, and Clifford J. Lishman, of the Naval Air Service, Santiago, Calif.

Roy Miller is the only pupil at the Lynchburg School, near Girard, Ill.

PHILCO LAUNCHES HUGE CAMPAIGN

Million Radio Sets to be Manufactured by Company This Year

With a quota of 1,000,000 Philco sets to be sold out of an estimated output of 2,500,000 for the entire industry, the Philadelphia Storage Battery Company is embarking on a huge advertising campaign, covering both national and local fields.

Philco's schedule for the remainder of this year calls for the most extensive advertising ever staged by the company. The company's manufacturing output at the beginning of this year raised the corporation's status from third to first among the radio producers of the world.

Belief that American buying power is on the upgrade is responsible for continued production in large quantities and the attendant campaign for greater sales volume, according to official statement.

Under the new advertising plan space used in the current year will be 29 1-2 per cent in excess of that for 1930, which in turn was 74 per cent in excess of the 1929 schedule.

Newspaper advertising, placed over the local dealer's name for greater effectiveness, will show a corresponding increase. A new local advertising system has been devised to keep local copy up to the national schedules.

According to the plan, the country is divided into sections, each of which has its own advertising agency in charge of local copy for the district. Actual field knowledge is combined with agency technique inasmuch as the agencies work directly with distributors and Philco branch officers in their territory. National advertising, now under direction of Erwin, Wasey and Co. however, is not affected.

Philco's ambitious program is part of an expansion which has been under way for some time. Late last year it became known that the company was producing more than 4000 radio sets daily and employing 2500 men. At that time the company had just purchased the Holmes Mill, at Allegheny avenue and "A" street, increasing floor space by more than 200,000 square feet.

One of the company's most recent developments has been the manufacture of automobile radios produced through a subsidiary, Philco Transitone. Last February it was announced that a five-story factory building was in process of erection to accommodate the enlarged manufacturing activities. Cost of the new building was estimated at approximately $300,000.

WORLD'S CONFERENCE OF YMCA IN AMERICA

First Time in Existence of Organization Meeting Will Be Held Here

For the first time in its 75 years of existence the World's Alliance of the Young Men's Christian Associations will hold its World Conference in America. There will be three separate but carefully coordinated conferences, starting July 27 in Toronto, Canada and continuing in Cleveland, Ohio, to August 9.

Seven steamship parties have been arranged from Europe, South America, India and the Orient.

The delegates will travel to many states in the East where they will be the guests of the local associations and camps until July 26 when they will re-assemble at the Toronto University, where the assemblies of workers with boys and young men will be held.

Oscar Claesson, Upsala, Sweden, a 19 year old boy who graduated this spring from high school and is active in YMCA boys' work in his country together with Stefan Bleisko, of Czecho Slovakia, 18 years of age and one of the leading boys in the association work in his country and Robert Laberre, Montevideo, Uruguay, South America, 16 years of age and a student in the association of his city have been assigned to New Jersey. The two boys from Europe speak French, German and English and the Montevideo lad speaks Spanish and English.

Charles R. Scott, state secretary boys' work, will be their traveling companion on a twenty day tour of the state which includes several places in Burlington county.

Kathryn R. O'Brien

Miss Kathryn R. O'Brien, 21 years old, died at her home on North Church street, Moorestown, Tuesday morning, after an illness which kept her confined to her bed for nearly eight months.

Funeral services will be held from the Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel, Moorestown, on Friday morning, with solemn high mass at 9 o'clock. The Rev. Thomas F. Rudden, rector, will be in charge. Interment will be made in Mount Carmel Cemetery.

Miss O'Brien was a graduate of Moorestown High School in the class of 1929. She was well-known among the younger set of Moorestown, and had made a wide circle of friends with her sunny smile and pleasing personality.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Brien, five sisters, Mary, Sue and Alice, of Moorestown, Mrs. Ernest A. Burch, of Merchantville; and Mrs. Horace A. Richman, of Palmyra. She also is survived by three brothers, Joseph and John, of Moorestown, and James, of Wenonah.

PHILA. DRIVER FINED ON FAKE TAG CHARGE

Charged with driving a car with fictitious tags, Charles Rego, of Philadelphia, was arrested by Motor Inspector Wilson, of Camden, last week, and was fined $10 and costs by Recorder Joseph C. Kingdon. The inspector trailed the man from the Ocean county line to Mount Holly and then placed him under arrest.

AMANDA FAUNCE WAS ARMY NURSE

Served Two Years in France Administering to the Sick and Wounded Soldiers



AMANDA FAUNCE

Amanda D. Faunce, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Michael Faunce, who resided at 502 Howard street, Riverton, was the only woman from Riverton who received a war service ring from the borough.

At the very outbreak of the war, Miss Faunce volunteered her services to the United States government and was sent to France on May 9, 1917.

Her group of nurses left on the steamship St. Paul and made up the second unit of nurses to leave this country. The unit with which she sailed was composed mostly of nurses from the Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, of which she was at the time a member of the nursing staff.

Arriving at Liverpool, England, Miss Faunce and other nurses were entertained, in London by the American Ambassador to England and later at Taplow, by Lady Astor.

From there the group sailed for France and were stationed at an English hospital at Le Treport, nine miles behind the front line trenches.

The hospital was composed of temporary wooden shacks and tents where soldiers were brought after the emergency dressings they received at field dressing stations. They were kept at this hospital only long enough to be operated upon and were immediately sent back to hospitals in France and England to recover.

Miss Faunce's work was with the English soldiers alone until our boys arrived on the scene, and from then on both English and American soldiers were treated. Most of the American boys in her care were from the 27th, 30th and 35th divisions.

Many nights Miss Faunce and other nurses were forced to spend down in trenches built around the hospital, when the drone of "Jerry's" bombing planes could be heard overhead. For a year and a half Miss Faunce was exposed to hard work, the constant danger of shells and bombs, the incessant roar and rumble of heavy artillery, and saw nothing but pain and suffering all about her.

On the German drive to Paris made in March 1918 they had to evacuate within 24 hours, but the Germans got only as far as Arras when they were stopped.

The hospital unit then went back and re-occupied their hospital which was directly in the path of the famous German offensive.

Miss Faunce was greatly impressed by the courage the wounded boys displayed in the hospital. Their patience and appreciation while under her care made it a pleasure to administer to their suffering.

In April, 1919, Miss Faunce returned to America after having served two years in France as an Army nurse.

Miss Faunce's record of courage and self-sacrifice in the Great Conflict is one of which she can be justly proud and Riverton is indeed privileged to claim her as one of its own.

WILL ASSIST IN MEMORIAL PARK DEDICATION



RIVERTON VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY

who will be in uniform and parade with apparatus on the Fourth of July. Assisted by the Palmyra Volunteer Fire Company.

SCRAPS FROM A SOLDIER'S DIARY

We Don't Know Who Wrote This Article or Where it Came From

There were many pathetic, tragic and humorous incidents connected with the World War which history probably never recorded but might prove of interest to our readers.

The following items were gathered from some of the boys who had seen service overseas and whose names will not be mentioned at their own request.

Cootie Supply Department

At a certain relief camp in France it was possible for incoming soldiers to secure new shirts and underwear provided they could prove to the supply department head that their own were infested.

One outfit came in that had not had a bath for a few moons and were very desirous of a good scrubbing and a fresh supply of undergarments.

Word of the requirements soon spread among the boys and those who had quite a colony of cooties on their person were the envy of the rest.

One chap, a very good natured and generous sort of fellow, happened to be heavily infested and in a moment of abandon gave a buddy of his enough of his private cooties to establish a colony of his own which would result in the acquisition of the coveted underwear.

The generousity of this boy soon spread through the company and he was beseiged with applications for cooties, such as "Hey Ed! how about loaning me about six fat cooties?" "Will six be enough, Bill?" "Sure! Added to what I got there will just be enough for a new shirt." So Ed would dig into the recesses of his shirt and produce the coveted cooties and win another friend.

Ed miscalculated, however, and before he knew it he was entirely out of cooties and his buddies were all sporting new shirts and Ed was forced for lack of evidence to wash out his old shirt and make the best of it. There are lots of "Eds" in Riverton, so don't make any guesses.

Then on the other hand there is a little story told of a hard boiled, dyed in-the-wool, regular army sergeant who to all outward appearances could hardly be affected by many of the grim incidents that go with war.

During a hand-to-hand conflict this sergeant came across an enemy lying on his back in a shell hole with both hands cupped and held a few inches from his face. The sergeant, experienced and alert to trickery, was poised for action and watched the fellow for a few seconds. The man's hands trembled and his eyes went wide and then fell back, dead. The sergeant stooped over and saw a Crucifix clutched in the dead fingers. He swallowed hard and went about his grim business.

Then again another incident happened that might have brought about a war with England.

A certain detail of sergeants were assigned to British quarters just after their arrival in France. The British equivalent of American sergeants met them and invited them to their mess.

They sat down to an English mess a short distance behind the lines. The English said nothing about it, but a big artillery piece was parked outside the mess quarters.

Just as our boys had taken their first knife full of beans, a mighty roar split the atmosphere as the big gun sent another message to the Germans.

The way the story gies, the green Americans nearly swallowed their eating implements as they bounced high off their chairs, to the great amusement of the Englishmen.

But the worst was yet to come. At the close of the meal the Englishmen presented a very pretty young lady to a big, he-man American sergeant.

The sergeant was quite naturally elated with the presence of a bit of feminine charm after being isolated with thousands of his own kind, and entered into an interesting conversation with the young lady, in the soft glow of a candle stuck in the neck of a catsup bottle.

A few minutes of this and the young "lady" removed her wig and was none other than an English soldier.

The Yank bit his lip, mumbled a few verses from Shakespeare, dug his nails into the palms of his hands and was poised to fly at the throat of the practical joker who nervously said, "I 'ope you 'ad a bally good time old chawp!"

This broke up the party and the offended Yank was dragged from the mess hall—arms oscillating wildly in the air, and placed in a straight jacket till his blood had cooled to normal. And another war was averated.

SEAPLANE RIDES ON THE 4TH

Among the other events on the Fourth of July program, Frank Mills will again be in Riverton with his "Wace" seaplane to take passengers up during the afternoon at a rate of $3.00 per person. The Riverton Yacht Club is sponsoring this feature and will be selling chances on the pier at 50c apiece for rides up and down the river in Mills' plane.

Riverton's War Record

Riverton made a proud record during the World War.

More than a hundred of the flower of her youth, both men and women, followed the Stars and Stripes into the fight for human rights.

In a financial way she responded as follows:

Liberty Bonds	$996,000 00
War Saving Stamps	50,000 00
War Relief Campaigns	96,000 00

BIG PROGRAM AT AIRPORT FOR 4TH

Parachute Jumping, Stunts and Cent-a-Pound Hops Over Weekend

Burlington County Aero Club will put on a big "air show" at its Moorestown airport over the Fourth of July weekend.

One of the big features on the program will be parachute jumping by "Buddy" Batzels, experienced young jumper who spent the winter barnstorming in Texas and New Mexico and who has been thrilling the crowds at Mercer Airport, near Trenton, this summer.

"Buddy" will jump at four and eight o'clock Saturday and again at five o'clock Sunday afternoon. One of the jumps will be for a speed record. This is accomplished by dropping half the distance without opening the parachute, and then opening it only part way until just before landing. While this is very thrilling, it is also exceedingly dangerous unless the jumper is throughly experienced.

At three o'clock each afternoon there will be bomb dropping to a mark from an altitude of 500 feet by Lieutenant C. Victor Williams and "Winnie" Lippincott, formerly of the Naval Air Corps Reserves.

There will be stunt flying each afternoon with Chief Pilot "Jim" Erdman, one of the best fliers in the section, at the controls of Lt. Williams' fast plane.

Passengers will be flown Saturday and Sunday for a cent a pound with a minimum charge of $1.00 with Chief Pilot Erdman or Senator Enmor Roberts flying the planes.

It is expected that there will be loud speaker equipment on the field both days so that the crowds may be kept informed as to what the next event will be.

Emil Pope was arrested and fined $1 a foot for driving his automobile over 500 feet of newly laid concrete on a highway near Sherwood, Wis.



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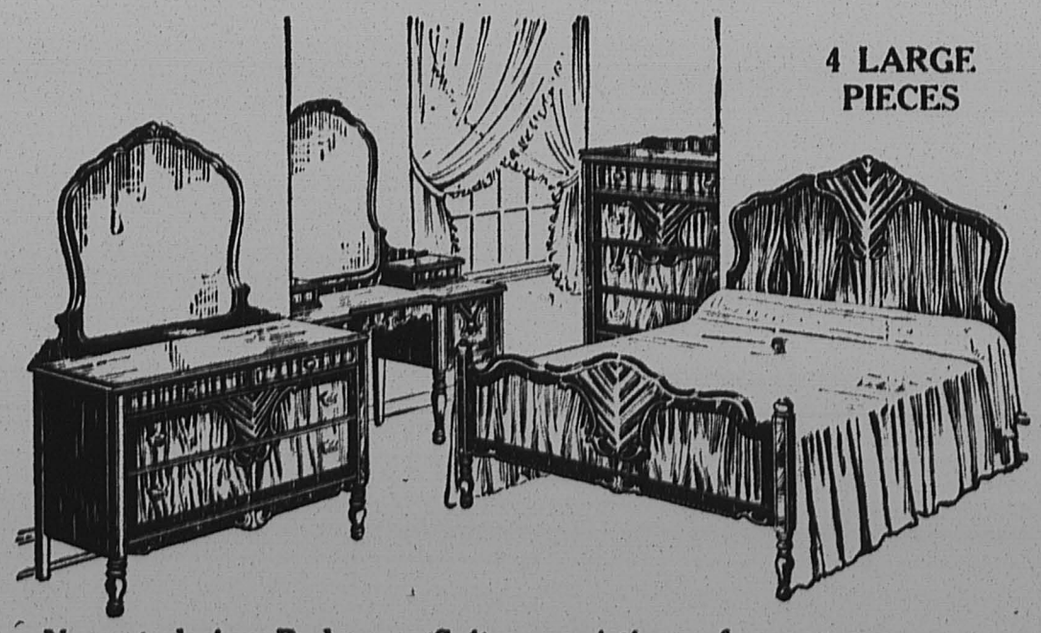
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TROOP 50 B. S. A. RUNS AMUCK

Revolution breeds in Riverton! Plots and counterplots are rife! Dire disaster threatens The New Era. Low voiced conversations in obscure corners, threats of vicious vengeance, fleeting forms in the night, haunt the town.

An exceedingly active group of citizens have been insulted beyond belief. Are they "to take it like cowards" they demand — and with the Raven they croak "Nevermore!" So the embattled citizens gather while Ye Editor quakes in his chair and trembles 'til the building rattles!

Now he hastens to make his apologies. Last week, on the front page of the paper was a "harmless" story of the Scouts. About how the Riverton Troop No. 1 was now Palmyra Troop No. 1. And about how this Troop was taking great interest in nothing less than the Needlework Guild.

Mothers read the story and pondered, then made remarks about washing dishes. Sisters had things to say about making beds. Dads darkly commented upon petticoats. And so the storm broke!

But how was the Editor to know that the story was about GIRL Scouts—and not about the sterling young citizens of Riverton Troop Fifty, Boy Scouts of America? And if he has forced any young gentleman to wash a dish or make a bed or feel uncomfortable, he regrets it very much.

Such is the burden that falls upon an editor's bowed shoulders. Our Riverton Troop of Boy Scouts has been so active that he has learned to think that all Scouts are BOY Scouts. "If only" he wistfully wishes, "the American Girl Scouts had followed the practice of their sisters in England and named themselves "Girl Guides."

But perhaps it isn't such a bad break after all! Perhaps even the lordly BOY Scouts ought to know how to make a bad or wash a dish! What do they do when they go to camp? Perhapes . . . it wasn't . . . such a bad . . . story . . . after all!

LAST OF THE PLUMED KNIGHTS

It is a far call from these days of round-the-world airplane flights and World War moriatoriums back to the eighties when the "plumed knights" marched, sang, shouted and sometimes used their fists for James G. Blaine.

Yet that was the span of life of "Cage" Matlack, Burlington county's late Surrogate.

"Cage" was in his early twenties when he organized the "plumed knights", which took their name from the Republican presidential candidate whose shock of silver hair had gained him the sobriquet of "plumed knight."

Men took their politics seriously in those days. They marched for miles, with torches flaring, bands blaring and hearts beating high. Voters made personal issues of their politics. Heated words there were aplenty and rumors flew thick and fast.

It was unfortunate and ill-chosen phrases and campaign slogans that robbed Blaine of his lifetime ambition to reach the presidency, although he was regarded as a sure victor at the time of his nomination.

Matlack's penchant for the military effect in his early political activity was due to his long association with the National Guards. He was of soldierly bearing, quick in action and in making decisions and aggressive and energetic in executing them.

In the latter years of his life he devoted all his energies to serving the public in his office of Surrogate and his advice and counsel was of inestimable value to hundreds who had suffered bereavement and needed kindly help in straightening out the estates of their departed loved ones.

CRASH AT MOORESTOWN AIRPORT

The crash at Moorestown airport last week was most unfortunate and it is hoped that it will not harm the Burlington County Aero Club's good reputation.

This is the fourth summer the club has operated the airport at Moorestown, the first in Burlington county, and last Wednesday's accident was the first in which even as much as a scratched finger was suffered.

The club is attempting to build up confidence in flying. It engages only the most efficient and careful pilots, and a close watch is kept over the student fliers. A student is never permitted to solo until the pilot is positive in his own mind that his pupil is fully capable of handling a plane alone in the air. No chances are taken, and at times, an enthusiastic student, grumbling because he has not been allowed to fly alone as soon as he thought he should have been, complains "they are too blamed careful out here."

The accident, althought it occurred on the club's field, had no connection with the flying operations at the airport. The owner, John Curtis, merely requested permission to keep his plane on the field for a short time. He was not even a member of the club and was no more a part of it than a child who happened to lean his bicycle against the side of the hangar would be.

It is too bad that Curtis, who had never flown a plane or received any instruction should have conceived the foolhardy idea that it is possible to fly without instruction. It is unfortunate that he should have picked Moorestown airport as the scene for his absolutely ridiculous stunt.

But Burlington county has not lost its faith in its aero club because a fool tried to do the impossible.

BETTER CONSIDER THE RISK

The enthusiasm of the members of the Bordentown Glider Club for amateur flying may be quite commendable from the scientific viewpoint, but the number of near fatal accidents which the club has suffered would indicate that this enthusiasm should at least be tempered by more caution and common sense.

TODAY and TOMORROW

ANTIQUES

The craze for "antiques" has reached the point where almost any piece of furniture that was made before 1890 can be sold at a fancy price to somebody. There are not enough "colonial" pieces to go around, so the latest craze is for "Victorian" antiques.

In a New England antique shop the other day I saw kerosene lamps, china dogs, walnut "what-nots" and haircloth-covered chairs and sofas, which might have come out of my grandmother's parlor, marked at fancy prices as "antiques." Alongside of them were a leather-seated cobbler's bench, a home-made bootjack and a high-wheel bicycle.

"We'll sell them all," said the dealer, confidently. "Most people haven't any taste. They'll buy anything that looks old."

BOOKS

It is a widespread belief that Americans generally read nothing but fiction.

As this is written, the most popular book in America is "The Education of a Princess," written by the former Grand Duchess Marie of Russia. The Grand Duchess, reared as a member of the imperial family of the Czar, married a Swedish prince from whom she was later divorced, and came to America to earn her living. She got employment in a fashionable dress establishment in Fifth Avenue, and wrote the story of her life, which reveals the inner workings of the Czar's regime, at the suggestion of friends, never dreaming that it would sell so many copies as to make her rich.

Actual personal experiences, if well told, are far more interesting than the best fiction. The trouble is that few persons who have had interesting experiences can tell them interestingly.

GLIDERS

The nearest approach to flying the way a bird does is the glider plane, which is an airplane of special design without any engine. Once it gets off the ground it navigates on the air currents just the way the big soaring birds do, without moving their wings.

A Canadian, Lieut. Lisant Beardmore, was the first to fly across the English Channel in a glider, a few days ago. A German experimenter recently covered 162 miles in a single glider flight.

There is no likelihood of the glider displacing the engined plane, but every flight made in one increases airmen's knowledge of air conditions and navigation and so tends to make flying safer.

MOVIES

The Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, Inc., which is the organization of which Mr. Will H. Hays is president, takes exception to my statement in this column recently that "Two-Gun" Crowley admitted that he got the idea of being a "bad man" from the movies.

Whether he did or not, however, does not seem to me to affect my contention that children and persons of immature minds who see crime and criminals exploited in the films are much more seriously affected than they can possibly be from reading crime news in the newspapers. For one thing, the immature do not read newspapers outside of the big cities, whereas they go to the movies everywhere.

I have no animus against Mr. Hayes or the motion picture industry as such, but I do maintain that in presenting life as it is not in the films the movie magnates give youth a distorted impression of values and do immeasurable harm.

SPEED

The world is moving at a faster pace than ever before. A few years ago thirty-five miles an hour was considered high speed for automobiles. Four-wheel brakes and smooth roads make 75 miles a safe speed today and many cars can do 100 an hour or better.

The other day the fastest speed ever made on rails was achieved by the new German air-propelled "rail Zeppelin." Driven by gasoline motors which whirl an air propeller, the car made the 173 miles from Hamburg to Berlin at an average speed of 106 miles an hour, and for one stretch made over 143 miles an hour.

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"Mama," said little Dorothy, "sister don't tell the truth."

"Why, Dorothy, you mustn't say such things," reproved the mother.

"Well, last night I heard her say, 'Charlie if you do that again I'll call mama.' And he did it twice more and she didn't call.

Ambitious Writer—What magazine will give me the highest position quickest?

Editor—If you contribute a fiery article—a powder magazine.

Dubb—I believe I shall have to give up taking part in amateur theatricals. It always makes me feel that I am making a fool of myself.

Chubby—I know; everybody feels the same way.

Tamale—I can't afford an auto.

Carnie—But I thought you had one.

Tamale—I have. That's how I discovered that I can't afford one.

Rounder—I sure need advice, old man. I'm in love with a Chicago gangster's wife. What would you recommend?

Bounder—Well, the Prudential or the Postal are both good companies.

Young Scribbler and his bride were alone for the first time in their new home. "Darling," she cried, "I must make a terrible confession to you—I can't cook."

"Aw, that's all right, dear. I've a confession to make too. I'm a poet and there won't be anything to cook."

Urey—How many have you dependent on you?

Fuqua—None to mention.

Urey—I thought you had a large family.

Fuqua—I have a large family but they are the most independent bunch of people you ever saw.



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SHARPERS

It's a good plan when visiting New York to keep moving right along. A stop is likely to lead to anything, including a chance to spend or give away some of your hard earned money. Nowhere else in this country are there so many people living by their wits as in this city.

These men can be found everywhere, from the ritziest hotels and most elegantly furnished Wall Street offices to the sidewalk curbs and they are all after the same thing—your money. Back in one's home town, practically the only unexpected appeals that come to you for money are from book agents and backdoor solicitors. These men are avowedly after your money and you can slam the door in their faces and end the attack.

KID BUSINESS MEN

Even the children here intercept one on the streets in the unending game of trying to separate you from your coin. Most of them are bootblacks of the kind Horatio Alger made famous two generations ago. They are usually worthy little chaps and well deserve the nickel they charge for polishing your shoes.

They are much the same type as Alger drew as a picture of New York life, except that few of them nowadays are ragged, like his heroes, but instead are well-shod, aggressive little chaps with a keen eye to business. Their shines might be a little more lasting, but that is the penalty one pays for dealing with a sidewalk merchant.

STREET PERFORMERS

At night most of these little lads go in for street performances. Their favorite stamping ground is the sidewalk outside of a theatre during the intermission of a play.

When the theatre-goers come out to smoke a cigarette or get a breath of fresh air, these youngsters go into action. One of them starts playing a mouth organ and the others jig. Some of them turn cartwheels and occasionally one is seen doing a clever little juggling act with a worn derby or an orange. Then the hat is passed and quite a few dimes drop into the hat. Their act is often so interesting that the spectators are late in getting back to their seats, causing more than a little annoyance. But it is one of those things one soon gets used to in this city.

EVICTED CATS

Radio City, which is being built right in the heart of the theatrical district and which will cover several blocks, is not being built without some suffering. Most of this exists among the cats who have been driven from home.

They have not only lost their homes, but lost all their feline contacts, their neighbors and families alike being forced to shift quarters. Thrown on their own resources and their regular mode of life broken into, these hundreds of cats are going hungry and are growing more and more gaunt as time goes on. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is trying to round them up and put them out of their misery, but is finding it extremely difficult to lay hands on the sufferers.

A MODERN CITY

Radio City will probably look like a dream picture out of a movie when it is erected. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is to spend many millions on the project and it is to be built so all its parts will harmonize with each other. Viewed as a whole it will probably be an exciting and stupendous sight.

Across the way from where it is built will be old St. Patrick's Cathedral, said to be the eighth largest building in seating capacity in the world. Its twin spires; once the pride of New York and which used to tower above all other structures, will be dwarfed by the solid masonry of the new development. The new beauty will outshine the old in sheer solidity. But there will be a slight ache in the heart of those who make the comparison between the lace-like architecture of the Cathedral and the modern, towering skyscrapers.

CHILD STRUCK BY AUTO OF SHERIFF SHINN WINS SUIT

A consented verdict of $324 was given Mrs. Agnes M. Hackett, of Mount Holly, and $176 for Paul Hackett, also of Mount Holly, in Circuit Court Thursday. Mrs. Hackett was awarded the amount as the next friend of Paul who was struck by an automobile operated by Sheriff Roscoe Shinn. The action had been brought against the Board of Freeholders and Sheriff Shinn jointly. Another case in which a consented verdict was given Thursday was that of Mary McNulty and others against Louis B. Kumpf, of Mount Holly, and Charles Kauderer, of Riverside. The suit was the outcome of a crash of the Kumpf car and a school bus owned by Kauderer. A $1500 verdict was given, $1000 for the father of John McNulty and $500 for a daughter, Mary McNulty, both injured in the bus, according to testimony.

A year and a day at Atlanta penitentiary was preferred to nine months in jail at New Haven, Conn., by Benny Siegle, because, he told the court, "the food would better agree with my diabetes."

Sewing buttons on his skin and calling it an eruption has put a French soldier named Didelet in jail.

RED CROSS NEWS

The following extracts taken from The New Era during the war traces the growth and work of the Red Cross in Riverton.

Red Cross Chapter Organizes in Riverton

(From New Era, March 9, 1917)

The Burlington Chapter of the American Red Cross held a meeting in the public school auditorium Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Wilbur Bell told of the work of the Red Cross, showing how it would be much needed in time of war, and also the successful work it accomplishes in times of unusual calamities.

Mrs. Mulford, chairman of the Burlington Chapter spoke of the objects of the Red Cross and how branches were formed. Forty-five members joined the branch which was organized here. Mrs. Alex Marcy was elected chairman. The vice-chairman, secretary and treasurer will be elected at the next meeting, Wednesday, the 14th, at 4:30 in the school auditorium.

Mrs. Marcy, Chairman

(From New Era, March 16, 1917)

The Riverton Branch of the American Red Cross effected permanent organization at a meeting held in the school auditorium Wednesday afternoon by electing Mrs. Alex Marcy, Jr., chairman, Mrs. Datis Reed, vice-chairman, Mrs. Edward Rich, secretary and Mrs. A. M. Ellsworth, treasurer.

Committee heads were appointed as follows:

Cutting Out Committee, Mrs. Walter Spackman; Packing Committee, Mrs. H. P. Wyman; Press Committee, Mrs. W. L. Bowen; Finance Committee, Mrs. Franklin D'Olier; Purchasing Committee, Mrs. Robert Biddle; Membership Committee, Mrs. Ogden H. Mattis.

Classes in elementary hygiene and first aid will be under the direction of Miss Mary Biddle.

Meetings will be held every Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Christ Church parish house to prepare supplies.

The membership is now about 75, and every woman in Riverton is urged to become a member. It will not be necessary to attend every meeting, but become enrolled and do what you can. The membership fee is $1.00 and may be sent to Mrs. A. M. Ellsworth, treasurer.

(From New Era, March 30, 1917)

Twenty-seven new members were enrolled at the meeting of the Riverton Branch of the Red Cross yesterday afternoon, beside a number joined during the week.

Course In First Aid

(From New Era, April 6, 1917)

The membership is now 150 and steadily growing. Another sewing machine has been loaned and work in all lines is being pushed rapidly.

The class in first aid held a meeting last evening to prepare for the course of study under the direction of Dr. G. L. Alexander, who is well acquainted with the work and eminently qualified for the service he will render.

First Box Shipped

(From New Era, May 25, 1917)

As a result of two months' work the Riverton Branch of the Red Cross has packed and shipped its first box of hospital supplies, consisting of 874 articles of gauze dressing, absorbent cotton, etc., and the second box which will be a much larger one containing bandages of every description, hospital clothing, etc., is well under way.

The urgent necessity for this work is brought home by a cable message received in New York, Tuesday night stating that French soldiers were using newspapers to stop the bleeding of their wounds owing to the lack of proper supplies. Rather than bleed to death, it was stated, the soldiers run the risk of gangrene and other infection.

The membership of the Riverton Branch is now 363, but there is need for many more.

(From New Era, June 29, 1917)

Fourteen members of one of the classes in first aid which have been instructed by Dr. G. L. Alexander, took their examinations on Wednesday. Their papers have been sent to Washington and it may be a week or two before they will receive their awards.

(From New Era, August 3, 1917)

The first sewing day of the Riverton Branch of the Burlington Chapter of the American Red Cross was held on March 22, 1917. Two boxes have already been sent, Nos. 1 and 3, and No. 4 is nearing completion.

Box 1 contained 689 articles, comprising gauze bandages, compresses, rolls, wipes, knitted wipes, drains, laparotomy pads and absorbent cotton, and is known as "Gauze Box."

Box 4, or the "Muslin Box," held 1122 articles, made up of muslin bandages, crinoline and flannel bandages, four tailed head T bandages, triangular slings, abdominal binders and basswood splints.

Box 6, which is about to be sent, will contain 180 garments as follows: 48 pairs pajamas, 24 bath robes, 24 hospital bed shirts, 60 pairs of socks, and 24 pairs of ward slippers.

In addition to this list, have been completed 1000 other articles to go in various other boxes.

Subscribe for Liberty Bonds

(From New Era, November 9, 1917)

A letter from Captain Franklin D'Olier, American Expeditionary Forces, serving "somewhere in France" says that he was designated by his commanding officer as chairman of a Liberty Bond Committee, having charge of the entire matter.

Captain D'Olier writes: "In a few days I succeeded in having every man at this station, officer and enlisted man, subscribe, to at least one bond.

100 per cent subscriptions! The result pleased the commanding officer so much that he wired to General Pershing who replied at once, congratulating us. We are most anxious to have you people at home know how splendidly the soldiers have backed the Loan, so that you will realize how the boys expect the people at home to support them and back them up!"

Captain D'Olier adds, "Please knit as hard as you can, socks, sweaters, and then more socks and sweaters! I am sleeping in my campaign hat, and overcoat, and writing with my gloves on."

The knitting committee reports 21 sweaters, 9 pairs of socks, 24 mufflers, 8 wristlets and two blankets received this week.

Membership Drive

(From New Era, December 7, 1917)

Beginning Monday, next, Riverton will start the drive for the new members for the Red Cross. The committee is asked to get 10,000,000 new subscribers, 10,000,000 at least!

Riverton's quota is 1000 members if possible, which means Work! We have now 800 members, and we want to double the membership.

The following note was received from a young man to whom a set of knitted garments were sent by our knitting committee:

"I received the outfit you sent me and it is a most acceptable and serviceable gift. I immediately put them on. The sweater fits fine, and it is a very good thing to have in the fresh morning breezes."

(From New Era, December 21, 1917)

A week after the drive for Red Cross members was supposed to have closed it is still impossible to give the total result for the reason that new members are still coming in. Fourteen voluntarily joined yesterday. It is known, however, that the total membership is now well over 900.

Riverton Reaches Goal

(From New Era, January 4, 1918)

The Red Cross drive netted 500 new members for the Riverton Branch making a total of 1002.

This is a splendid record, nearly half the population of our borough enrolled in this magnificent organization.

(From New Era, February 25, 1918)

On Wednesday Jack Morris and Malcolm Dickinson went to the Red Cross headquarters and volunteered their services as "runners" for the Riverton Chapter.

(From New Era, May 23, 1919)

Wednesday and Thursday, May 28 and 29 are the last days of the Red Cross work, as the rooms are to be closed June 1. All members are urged to come so that we may go over the top in this, our final effort.

(From New Era, June 6, 1919)

The Riverton branch of the American Red Cross held its last meeting Thursday afternoon, May 29, all work except knitting having been suspended. The branch adjourned to meet only at the call of the Burlington County Chapter chairman.

During May there were 137 workers in the rooms, and many others took garments home in order that our allotment of work might be finished by June 1. Gauze and aprons were given to the visiting nurse, as well as gauze to the nurse at the Summer Home.

Perhaps it is not generally known that the Public Service Corporation has given the Red Cross the use of its building at Broad and Main streets since October 1917, in spite of the fact that the corporation has had several good offers for the same.

It may be of interest to know that the treasurer has taken into the branch treasurery $10,487.20 in the two years and three months since we were first organized and expended $9,240.60, which leaves a balance of $1,246.80.

During the same period of time about 40,000 surgical dressings have been made, 50 boxes packed and sent off, containing in all about 60,000 articles, including surgical dressings. The various cutting out committees have cut over 500 articles. About 400 different members have done work for the branch, but about 9000 pairs of hands have been at work; this represents the number in the rooms and those also who do work at home. It is not possible to make any definite statement with regard to the amount of knitting done, but we know that at least $4500 worth of wool has been knitted into sweaters, men and children's stockings, helmets, scarfs, trench caps, baby caps, etc., and that this amount of wool represents about 3000 articles.

Since March, 1917, thirty-five women have served the Red Cross 800 hours or over, seven women 2400 hours or over, seven women 2400 hours or over, and two women 3500 Riverton.

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U. S. ARMY FIELD MESSAGE

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To C. O.

Enemy Retreating is run near Theaucourt

By Sergt Rogers

Joseph E. Keating picked up the original of the above message after an American drive. The message reads: "Enemy retreating is run near Theaucourt" and was written by a American advance scout 600 yards South West of Noviant. The original may may be seen framed in Keating's window.

A DOUGHBOY'S PRAYER

(On the Lines of Communication)

He walked his post at midnight, and the night was dark as mud,
And the winds and rain were mixing in a way to freeze his blood
There was rust upon his rifle, and his "wraps" were coming loose.
He was not so much religious, but the doings of the day,
And the darkness, and the wetness, made him feel that he should pray.
So he stiffened to attention, presented arms, then port,
And he made his earnest prayer like a soldierly report.
"Sir," he prayed, "the Lord has written that the humblest guy should come
And complain about his troubles when his soul is on the bum.
Sir, the Lord must be a-knowin' what a soldier has to do,
How he has a million duties and exists on soup and stew,
While he gets an education in a way that's wild and new.
First, the soldier signs his papers; in the arms and legs he's "shot",
They tell him whats important, and they tell him what is not.
He is issued his equipment and a lot of woolen clothes,
And it's like a Chinese puzzle for to find how each thing goes.
He is taught the facin's, marchin's, and the proper way to rest.
The way to throw his rifle, and, of course, squads east and west.
In the morn he swiftly rises and gets out for revil-ee,
And he goes through calisthenics, or some other misery.
He's drillin' and he's hikin', and sometimes he's peelin' spuds,
Or he's standin' some inspection, or he's washin' dirty duds,
He learns his General Orders and how to do 'em right.
And he gets the proper spirit and he works with all his might.
Then he's sent across the ocean and he thinks he'll get to fight
But they put him standin' guard on a job that's soft as lard,
And its gets so goldarn dreary that he's bound to take it hard.
Sir, this is the experience of each man in Company "D".
And, while we want to do our duty, whatever it may be,
It ain't no harm to ask the Lord to help the infantree.
Deliver us from guardin' lumber piles and engineers,
And the joints that peddle cognac 'stead of wines and sloppy beers:
Deliver us from chasin' soldiers through the mud and grass;
Deliver us from grabbin' every guy without a pass;
Deliver us from caffy and all the booze that's French;
And have our whole gang ordered to a good old bloody trench!
We're not over here for pleasure, we're not over here for fun,
We want to get some action; we want to bust the Hun!
So, if the Lord has influence with our High Command in France,
Won't He take our application and see we get our chance.
I ain't so darn religious, but if good comes of this prayer,
I'll give up girls and gamblin' and be a saint for fair,
And—Sir, I'll have to finish, and I'll call sometime again;
For my relief's a-comin'—if I'm excused—Amen!"

CORP. JAMES STEVENS, Infantry.

MOORESTOWN

Aaron E. Stratton, of East Third street, is driving a new Chrysler roadster purchased from Shafer Davis Motor Company, local dealers.

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Mrs. Mary Derrick, and daughter, Helen, of East Second street, spent Sunday in Ocean City.

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Mrs. William B Jobes, and daughter Grace, of East Oak avenue, are leaving for an extended trip abroad, on Friday.

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William Paul, and a party of men from Moorestown, enjoyed a fishing trip at Tuckerton on Sunday. They caught 25 flounders.

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Mrs. Frances Settle, of Washington, D. C., is spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. Charles Whitmer, of Bridgeboro road.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Sheldon, of East Central avenue, are in Marathon, N. Y., for a short visit.

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The annual picnic of the Burlington County Odd Fellows Boosters' Association will be held at Cedar Lakes on Thursday, July 11.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lester Collins entertained at a very attractive dinner on Saturday evening at their home on Chester avenue. There were 12 guests present, coming from Merion, Pa., Edgewater Park and Moorestown.

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Arrested last week in Mount Holly on a charge of attempting to sell "courtesy cards," protecting persons in New Jersey, Jack Simon, 32, of Paterson, was committed to the county jail in default of $500 bail by Recorder Kingdon. The man, who was arrested by Sergeant Cox, of the Columbus barracks, is said to have offered the cards as premiums with magazine subscriptions. The cards promised immunity to arrest.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Norman Lippincott have returned to their home on East Oak avenue from an extended trip to California.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Culin have returned to their home on East Oak avenue, after spending a few weeks at their Seaside Park cottage.

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Mr. and Mrs. John T. Evans, of Chestnut street, have left for Ocean Grove for an indefinite stay.

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Miss Grace Bauer and Miss Muriel Burgmann, both of Riverton and well known in Moorestown, are spending a week in New York as the guests of Miss Bauer's aunt, Mrs. William Roll.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Matlack, of West Main street, have been spending a few days in Atlantic City. They are registered at the Chalfonte-Haddon Hall.

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Dudley Perkins, of "Evergreen Lawn," left on Monday on the Dude Ranch express for Lake Trail Ranch, Wyoming, where he will spend the summer.

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The semi-finals for the women's championship of the Moorestown Field Club were played on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Mrs. J. W. Price defeated Mrs. William T. Walker and Mrs. Horace T. Greenwood defeated Mrs. Herberton Williams. The championship matches will be played either Thursday or Friday of this week.

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Dr. Lawrence Powell, of Chester avenue, returned on Monday from a trip to Bermuda.

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Miss Mabie Reynolds and Miss Betty Jay, of Frankford, and Joseph Juliana, Jr., and Thomas Murphy, of Moorestown, were among those who enjoyed the moonlight excursion sponsored by the Red Men's Association on Thursday evening.

SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION JULY 14

Riverton Board Will Ask for $300,000 for Ground and Building

A special meeting of the Riverton Board of Education was held Tuesday night to complete plans for holding a special election on the purchase of ground and the erection of a new school building.

It was decided to hold the election on July 14 at the school house from 8 to 10 p. m. Daylight Saving Time.

The necessary resolutions were passed authorizing the clerk to issue notices for the election at which voters will be given an opportunity to vote for or against the purchase of a 45 acre plot of ground on the Dreer estate, and the erection thereon of a new school building at the cost of $274,000.

The alternative of remodeling the old building will not be given on the ballot.

A resolution was also passed authorizing the printing of a pamphlet setting forth in detail the proposition of rebuilding and the proposition of a new school, with the recommendation by the board favoring the new building proposition.

The members of the board present were, besides the president, Mrs. Mayfield, Mrs. Blair, Mr. Barclay, Mrs. Hemphill, Mr. Mattis and Mr. Steedle. Mr. Steedle voted against the proposition of new building.

Mr. Mattis said that he did not feel the questions raised by the citizens' committee which waited on the board several weeks ago had been properly answered in the pamphlet which is about to be issued. He thought they were entitled to accurate figures as to the cost of land to be purchased for playground purpose as a part of the plan of remodeling the old building. He said that the prices estimated for the property on Howard street opposite the school building had been arrived at without getting a figure from all of the property holders involved, that no figure had been given for the property to the rear of the school which, if secured, would keep the school building and playground in an unbroken unit.

He voted for the special election and the issuance of the pamphlet but was not satisfied with the way in which the mater is being handled.

FIREMEN'S CAMPAIGN IS WELL RECEIVED

Palmyra Company Appreciates Liberal Contributions Made By Citizens

The result of the Palmyra firemen's annual campaign for funds has been most gratifying. Fire Chief Joseph Stack said yesterday.

Despite the business depression, the Palmyra residents were generous in their donations to the firefighters in their drive last month, and the firemen are highly appreciative of their support.

A few of the houses have been missed, usually because the inhabitants were not at home at the time the drive was made. A few persons pledged amounts to be paid in the future. Chief Stack said any person wishing to make a contribution need not think it is too late.

Contributions may be mailed to Dennis Bradley, Park avenue, Palmyra, secretary of the firemen's association, or may be handed to Police Chief C. Morris Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Prichard, of New Albany road, entertained at a card party on Monday evening in honor of their house guest, Miss Gwendoyn Prichard, of Shamokin, Pa.

A sign on the outskirts of Jump, Ens., reads: "To Jump—A Mile."

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8.08 A. M. / 12.38 P. M.
9.38 A. M. / 1.38 P. M.
10.38 A. M. / 2.38 P. M.
Additional train July 4 and September 7 only 6.03 P. M.
Returning leave Atlantic City
WEEK-DAYS
Except July 4 and September 7
Monday to Friday: 6.15 P. M. / 8.15 P. M. — Saturdays: 9.15 P. M. / 11.15 P. M.
SUNDAYS
Also July 4 and September 7
5.15 P. M. / 9.15 P. M.
6.15 P. M. / 10.35 P. M.
7.15 P. M. / 11.15 P. M.
8.15 P. M.
FOR WILDWOOD
Leave Camden
WEEK-DAYS except July 4 and Sept. 7: 6.58 A. M. / 8.48 A. M. / 9.48 A. M.
SUNDAYS Also July 4 and Sept. 7: 7.53 A. M. / 10.08 A. M. / 2.13 P. M.
Additional Saturday Trains
Until September 5: 10.08 A. M.
July 11 to September 5: 7.53 A. M.
RETURNING
Leave Wildwood
WEEK-DAYS Except July 4 and Sept. 7: 1.38 P. M. / 4.25 P. M. / 8.22 P. M. / 1.25 P. M. / 5.12 P. M. / 9.02 P. M. / 6.22 P. M. / 6.02 P. M. / 9.02 P. M.
SUNDAYS and Sept. 7: **4.25 P. M. / 9.02 P. M. / ***7.27 P. M.
*Saturdays only July 11 to September 5.
**Runs July 4 and September 7 only.
***Will not run after September 7.
Pennsylvania Railroad

RIVERTON TO VOTE ON NEW SCHOOL

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It transpired that Mr. Hemphill, the district clerk, had been appointed by the president a committee of one to get this information.

Under questioning, by Mr. Mattis, Mr. Hemphill stated that he had received prices from three out of four properties in question and that the total amount asked for these three was $22,000, therefore he estimated that the four properties would cost $30,000.

Further discussion brought out the fact that the properties referred to were on the opposite side of Howard street, and that he had not secured prices on those properties back of the school building facing on Howard street and Fourth street, although Mr. Mattis said he was strongly of the impression that the resolution included both sets of properties.

Takes Stand for New School

Following this discussion, Mrs. Blair offered a motion that Mr. Cooper's presentation of the matter be accepted by the board as the stand they decided to take and that it be printed and distributed to the citizens of Riverton recommending the erection of a new building.

This motion was seconded by Mr. Barclay. When the vote was called, Mr. Mattis, Mrs. Blair and Mr. Barclay voted for it. Mr. Steedle voted against it and Mr. Hemphill did not vote.

A motion by Mrs. Blair, seconded by Mr. Barclay, was passed, to issue a call for a special meeting to be held July 14.

Repairs During Summer

Reporting for the property committee, George D. Steedle, stated that there was a bad leak of gas somewhere in the heating and ventilating system which would have to be found and corrected during the summer and recommended that the ventilators in both building should be painted, the stave in the new building repaired, the flag pole painted and the floors of the office and kindergarten varnished. He also said that the fence in the rear of the building would have to be rebuilt and the approximate cost would be $250. He was authorized to have the work done.

On recommendation of the supervising principal, G. J. Eyth, of Philadelphia, was elected to teach health education and physical training two days a week.

Will Buy New Equipment

In submitting his report, Mr. Cooper recommended the purchase of a ditto machine, 60 movable desks and chairs, one set of books, "Other Lands", one Keystone Lantern (a projecting machine for slides), a moving picture machine and film service, a lathe and the installation of ten electric outlets in classrooms in order that the lantern and moving picture machine could be used for instruction.

The business committee was authorized to purchase the articles requested.

On motion of Richard D. Barclay, seconded by Mr. Steedle the arrangements concerning sending pupils to high schools was confirmed as it existed last year.

Mr. Steedle reported than 75 tickets for the Philadelphia Zoo had been secured for the use of pupils in the Riverton Public School through the courtesy of John C. Geiss, a former resident, and on his motion, the clerk was instructed to send a letter of thanks to Mr. Geiss.

The following bills were ordered paid:

American Book Co., books	$136.95
Baker & Taylor Co. books	44.52
D. Appleton & Co., books	15.49
Doubleday, Doran & Co., books	1.12
E. P. Dutton & Co., Inc., books	4.95
Hall & McCreary Co., books	6.69
Henry Holt & Co., books	1.96
Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge, Inc., books	1.52
Houghton Mifflin & Co., books	3.14
Iroquois Publishing Co., books	19.32
Laidlaw Bros., books	23.04
J. B. Lippincott Co., books	3.09
John C. Winston Co., books	5.45
Scott, Foresman & Co., books	54.59
Silver Burdett & Co., books	.83
University Publishing Co., books	3.22
A. N. Palmer Co., scales	4.36
Stoll Blank Book and Stationery Co., supplies	95.70
Public School Publishing Co., supplies	38.77
Milton Bradley Co., supplies	328.33
World Book Co., test papers	58.20
Frank C. Cole, milk	5.19
W. F. Becker, groceries, etc.	30.93
W. R. Dunn, dental service	91.00
Brodhead Garret Co., lumber	118.68
Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Co., interest	13.90
Singer Sewing Machine Co., machines	140.00
J. D. E. Turner, services	25.00
Board of Education, Palmyra tuition	5,325.00
Board of Education, Moorestown tuition	625.00
R. McAllister, coal	295.62
Walter L. Bowen, printing	15.00

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Mackerel ..... lb 19c
Sea Bass, Porgies, Sea Trout ..... lb 15c

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Valley Forge, Hornung, Esslinger's Beer 3 bots. 25c
Blue Anchor Ginger Ale ..... qt. bot. 15c
Booth's Pale Dry Ginger Ale and Assorted Fruit Drinks, qt. bot. 17½c
Kellogg's Grape Juice ..... pt. bot. 19c; qt. 35c

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RIVERTON ITEMS

Mrs. Harold Johnson entertained at cards Monday evening.

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Miss Ernestine Stewart is enjoying the week with her sister Mrs. Arthur Johansen, of Brooklyn, New York.

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James Burr, who has been teaching at Patchogue, Long Island, is home for the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanley Patterson and daughter Miss Ruth were Sunday visitors at Beach Haven.

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Mrs. E. E. Yenney is back in Riverton after enjoying a week's visit with her son, Warren W. Yenney, of Ocean City.

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Miss Dottie May Mark underwent a tonsil operation at the Hahnemann Hospital last week.

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Miss Gertrude Burr left Monday for Atlantic City where she will spend the summer.

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Miss Dorothea Patterson enjoyed Sunday in Oak Lane.

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Mrs. Fred Truchsess, of Ventnor, is spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Mark.

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Miss Mary Patterson is enjoying several days with Miss Dorothy Richman at her home in Yardley.

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Miss Eleanor Friday, Agnes Weber and Ellen Smith are enjoying the week at the Girls Friendly Holiday House in Island Heights.

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The following were guests from Riverton at the tea given Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Ruth Austermuhl, at her home in Moorestown: Misses Alice Parish, and Alice Lippincott, Mrs. C. Brooks Wallace, Jr., Misses Frances Allen, Elaine Hatch, Mildred Collin, Andrea Van-Steenbergh and Mary Tyler.

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Mrs. G. Harold Baker entertained the Lucky 13 Sewing Circle Friday evening.

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Miss Kate Albright, of Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, and Miss Ada James, of Riverton, were the winners of $5 in gold given by the Alphi Phi Lamba sorority at the Tak Aboost Shop Wednesday evening.

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Mrs. Henry Fox and daughter, Miss Emily are spending the summer at Ocean View.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sim and daughter, Miss Betty, left Wednesday for Atlantic City where they will spend the summer.

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Mrs. L. W. Hampton entertained Mrs. Andrew Robinson, of Chicago; Mrs. Maud Holman and Miss Florence Muller, of Philadelphia, Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Morris Robinson, of Delanco, will be the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Friday.

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Arthur DeLaney, of Camden, will spend the Fourth of July with his brother, Charles DeLaney, of Thomas avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hampton and daughter, Miss Doris, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hampton, of Ridley Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeLaney and son Buddy motored to Beach Haven Sunday.

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Miss Alys Ziegler, of New Brunswick, will spend a week as the guest of Mrs. Ralph Perkins.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mann, of Cheltenham, Pa., and Miss Millie Fuernstein, of Philadelphia, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sauers.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Danserau, of Haydenville, Mass., were guests of Mrs. Mary B. St. Laurent from Friday until Tuesday.

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Mrs. Nora Ames, of Lakeland, Florida, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Stratton.

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Miss Dorothea Hood, of Glen Ridge, is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Harvey E. Stewart.

Engaged

Mrs. C. M. Griffith, of West Main street, Moorestown, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Marie Brown, to Charles Lawton Lafferty, of Penn avenue, Collingswood.

Miss Brown is a graduate of Camden Catholic High School and Mr. Lafferty finished at Moorestown High School and attended Cincinnati University.

No date has been set for the wedding.

While Lyle Bower, of Coldwater, Mich., slept, thieves stole a cook stove and electric plumbing fixtures.

Ruben Stripes of Waukegan, Ill., charged William O'Bee was released when he exposed a set of toothless gums.

Aircraft Co. Cuts Force, Slashes Pay

Former employes at the Keystone Aircraft Company's factory near Bristol, say that between 300 and 600 men have been laid off by that company during the past week or ten days.

Besides that, it is understood, a general wage cut of about 10 per cent. became effective this week at the plant.

Keystone Aircraft Company is engaged exclusively on United States government work. The company recently has been awarded several large contracts. At the time these contracts were received, it was claimed they assured more than a year's steady work.

LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

EPWORTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Ira S. Pimm, B. D., pastor

Church School at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. We begin our summer schedule in the adult school by having the lesson taught from the desk. The pastor will conduct the study on Sunday morning. The Wesleyan Men's Bible Class meets at the same hour. R. Z. Poinsett, teacher.

Divine worship at 11 o'clock. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. At the evening service at 7:45, the pastor will begin a series of sermons on "Vacation Experiences in the Bible." This Sunday evening the theme will be "A Fishing Trip."

Prayer service is held on Wednesday evening where we are resting under the "Trees of the Bible." This Wednesday "Under a Juniper Tree."

FIRST LUTHERAN

(Rev. Harold L. Creager.)

The Light Brigade will not hold their regular meeting tomorrow afternoon. They will have their picnic next Wednesday (or, if it should rain that day, then on Thursday), in Memorial Park, Riverton.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid will be held next Tuesday afternoon, starting with a covered dish luncheon at 1 o'clock.

Episcopal Church

Rev. George J. McCormack

"In my ideal church all would be welcome who accepted the Golden Rule, there would be no other test—I vision a church as all-embracing as Christ's affection, accepting all and rejecting none.

"It would honor truth and beauty, as well as goodness, this church of mine; it would nourish every art, and make its every chapel and cathedral a citadel of adult education bringing science and history, literature and philosophy, music and art to those too old for school and yet young enough to learn.

"But, it would hold knowledge barren, without brotherhood; it would allow every division and every doubt, except that in the end love is the highest wisdom." Will Durant, in the "Mansions of Philosophy."

The regular monthly meeting of the St. Agnes Guild will be held Monday evening in the parish house at eight o'clock.

The rector would like everyone to make a special effort to be present at the celebration of the Holy Communion on Sunday at 11:00 a. m.

Services fifth Sunday after Trinity: 11:00 a. m., Holy Communion and sermon. "America's Call."

"Every morning lean thine arms awhile
Upon the window sill of Heaven—
And gaze upon thy Lord!
And, with the vision in thy heart—
Turn strong to meet thy day."

Presbyterian

(Charles T. Bates, Minister)

Calvary Presbyterian Church will hold its morning service of worship at 11 o'clock. All departments of the Church School will meet at 10 a. m., including the Men's Bible Class in the church transept.

There will be no mid-week service and no evening service on Sunday until October.

Baptist

Rev. George Lockett, B. D., Pastor

Sunday School at 10.00 a. m. Classes for all ages.

10.45 a. m. Morning Worship. The pastor will preach the third of the series of sermons on the Book of Nehemiah. Subject, "Building the Wall." This will be the regular Communion service.

7.45 p. m. Evening Worship. Sermon subject, "Our National Birthday." Gospel hymn service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Service: 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, July 5.

The Golden Text is: "God is the Lord, which hath shewed us light" (Psalms 118:27).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and not be afraid: for the Lord JEHOVAH is my strength and my song; he also is become my salvation" (Isiah 12:2).

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 prayer that reforms the sinner and heals the sick is an absolute faith that all things are possible to God,—a spiritual understanding of Him, an unselfed love" (p. 1)..

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH
Riverton
Rev. Arthur S. Lewis

Holy Communion 7:30 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon 11:00 a. m.

Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00 p. m.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Creager, Pastor

10.00 a. m. Sunday School.

11:15 a. m. "A Hero For Christ."

7.00 p. m. Luther League.

8:00 p. m. "Will the Idols Fall?"

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, "Christian Science."

Wednesday 8 p. m.

Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2.30 to 4.30 p. m. All are welcome.

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.

Epworth M. E. Church
Rev. Ira S. Pimm, Minister

10:00 a. m.—Church School and Wesleyan Class.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship.

6:45 p. m. Epworth League.

7:45 p. m. Church Service.

Wednesday 8:00 p. m.—The Helpful Hour.

Wednesday 4:00 p. m.—Junior Epworth League.

SETTLEMENT ASKED IN FAIR GROUND SALE

Writ Sought to Force Through $10,000 Deal on Mt. Holly Ku Klux Tract

An order to show cause why the public sale of the old Mount Holly fair grounds to Andrew M. Cella, Trenton lawyer, for $10,100 should not be confirmed by the Court of Chancery, has been granted by Vice Chancellor Malcolm G. Buchanan.

A motion made before him at Trenton last week by State Senator Clifford R. Powell, of Burlington county, receiver, for the Burlington County Progressive League, Inc., holding corporation of the Ku Klux Klan, former owner of the property.

The order was made returnable on July 7 next in Trenton Chancery Court when Cella, the stockholders of record of the Burlington County Progressive League, Inc., and creditors who have filed claims against the corporation with Senator Powell, the receiver, are to show cause why the sale should not be confirmed and conveyance of the premises made by Powell to the Hally Development Co., to whom Cella assigned his bid at the public sale, upon the latter company's compliance with the terms of the sale.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

By Nancy Hart

SPINACH JELLY SALAD

Mix together a half cup of chopped drained spinach in a cup of soup stock. Heat thoroughly and add to it a tablespoon of granulated gelatin that has been dissolved in a quarter cup of cold water. Stir until dissolved, season with pepper and salt and a few drops of onion juice if desired, put into small molds and set away to cool. When they are formed place one mold on each bed of lettuce leaves; add mayonnaise before serving.

SPINACH AND LIMA BEAN SALAD

To French dressing add chopped parsley and a few drops of onion juice; pour over cold, cooked lima beans, mix thoroughly and let stand in cool place to become chilled and seasoned. Reheat the left-over spinach, drain and, while still very hot chop very fine and pack firmly in a deep bowl, when cold invert bowl over center of salad plate; remove bowl, leaving spinach; surround with the prepared lima beans and garnish with hard-cooked eggs.

FRIED SPINACH BALLS

Three cups cooked, chopped spinach; 2 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons grated onion, 2 tablespoons grated cheese, 1 egg, 1-8 teaspoon allspice, 1 cup fine dry bread.

Combine ingredients and let stand ten minutes to swell the bread crumbs. Then dip the balls in egg which has been slightly beaten with one half cup cold water and roll again in crumbs. Fry in deep fat. Serve at once or reheat in oven when desired.

HASHED SPINACH WITH HARD BOILED EGGS

Wash spinach very carefully. Cook in boiling salted water until tender, about 30 minutes. Lift the spinach out of the water. Chop fine and season with butter. Serve in vegetable dish with a border of hard-cooked eggs cut into quarter sections.

LIONS CLUB PLANS QUOIT TOURNAMENT

Beginning next week, the Palmyra-Riverton Lions Club will conduct a quoit tournament for the members of the club. Challenges have been issued by several aspirants and an opportunity will now be given to these members who have been boasting of their ability to display their skill. Quoit courts will be constructed under the supervision of Dave Schwartz and Jack Etris.

BEVERLY MAN IS HELD AFTER FIGHT AT CREEK

Accused of kicking Samuel Caruso, hitting him with bricks and attempting to throw him into Rancocas creek, George Decker, of Beverly, was arrested last week by State Trooper Francis Caisse, Delanco. Justice of the Peace Harry McCloskey, of Beverly, held Decker in $200 bail to await action by the grand jury.

Carl Moeller, who saved two girls from drowning, has had to flee Switzerland to escape from women who wanted to marry him.

PALMYRA NOTES

Herbert H. Parsons, Jr., and Billy Parsons, of Garfield avenue, will spend the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. Oscar Parsons at her cottage in Beach Haven.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. G. March, of Philadelphia, will be the weekend guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Walter D. Lamon, of Cleveland avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Goad, of Garfield avenue, will visit their daughter, Mrs. Roy Ott, of Roxborough, Pa., over the weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Lilley, of Philadelphia, and Miss E. Cunningham, also of Philadelphia, will spend the weekend with Mr and Mrs. H. C. Cheney, of Horace avenue.

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Lieut. H. R. West, of Morgan avenue leaves Saturday to spent two weeks with the National Guard at Sea Girt.

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George Dickerson, of Scranton, Pa., spent the weekend with Dr. and Mrs. A. J. White, of Morgan avenue.

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James Johnson, colored, of Jefferson and Arch streets, was badly scalded Tuesday evening, when he accidentally fell into a tub of scalding water. He was given first aid treatment by Dr. Dean H. LeFavor and rushed to the Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly, in the Palmyra ambulance.

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Barbara Jane, little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. White, of Morgan avenue, is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Reed, of Scranton, Pa.

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Miss Edna Neville, of Cleveland, Ohio, is enjoying two weeks with Mrs. C. F. Shaw, of Cleveland avenue.

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The Palmyra Ambulance Association gratefully acknowledges the receipt of $5.00 from Robert Moody.

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Mrs. Sara Darnell and little William Powell, left Sunday for Ocean Grove, where they will spend the summer months.

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Frank S. Day and daughter, Miss Bertha Day, of Garfield avenue, left yesterday for Wildwood, where they will spend the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Longport, of Trenton, enjoyed Saturday with friends in Palmyra.

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B. C. Snyder, of Delaware avenue, will leave today for Wildwood, where he will spend a week.

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Mrs. R. E. McManamin and children are at Wildwood for the summer.

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Mrs. Rush Stevens entertained the C. D. C. Monday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond W. Carson are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Sundal, at the Riverside General Hospital.

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Miss Isabel Sager, of West Chester, Pa., is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Marjorie Spahr, of Morgan avenue. Miss Sager will sail on July 16 for France. While there she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hauesler, former residents of Palmyra.

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Miss Sara Garron, of Morgan avenue, will enjoy the holidays at Seaside Heights.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hawkinson, of Woodridge, are enjoying the week with Mrs. Hawkinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Galloway, Jr., of Cleveland avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Buck, former residents of Palmyra, who have been spending the past few months visiting different parts of New Jersey and Pennsylvania, have moved into the property at 104 Morgan avenue, Riverton.

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The Girl Scouts of Riverton, Palmyra and Cinnaminson are cordially invited to take part in the Fourth of July parade. They will assemble at the American Legion Home at 1:40 o'clock. Uniforms or the alternate middy blouses will be in order.

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Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rouse, of Coatesville, Pa., spent the week-end with friends in Palmyra.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Schwering and family, of East Broad street, left Monday evening for Ocean City, where they will spend the next two weeks.

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The New York children who will be sent here under the auspices of the Fresh Air Fund of the N. Y. Herald-Tribune to spend a two weeks' vacation, will arrive today by train at 2:55 p. m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Seel, of West Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Russell Guldin, of Melrose avenue, Sunday.

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Miss D. Helene Johnson participated in a program of music and elocution in Woodstown, N. J., Wednesday evening of last week.

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Fred Wiggins is recovering from a severe attack of poison ivy.

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Misses Nora and Mattie Carpenter entertained their sister, Mrs. Mary Jane Long, of Massachusetts, this week.

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Orlando Simons and wife, formerly of Garfield avenue, Palmyra, now of the Panama Canal Zone, is enjoying a four months' vacation. They were renewing acquaintainces here over the week-end.

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Mrs. Nellie Strang and son, Harry, of Garfield avenue, enjoyed Sunday with relatives in Allentown, Pa.

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Miss Mary E. Young, a member of the Palmyra High School faculty, has returned to her home in Lewisburg, Pa., for the summer months. She was accompanied by Miss Margaret Smith, of Columbia avenue.

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RIVERTON LOSES TO VINCENTOWN

Drops Twilight Contest as "Vincents" Advance in Co. League

Riverton dropped another game in the Burlington County League race Wednesday night of last week when the Vincentown team handed the Rivertonians a 10-3 lacing on the Riverton grounds.

Cooper proved to be little trouble for the Vincentown batters, who collected 16 hits off his delivery. In addition to the hits gathered by the visitors, three free tickets also aided them in their scoring.

The Riverton team was unable to solve the offerings of Bowker for any great damage. He kept their nine hits well scattered and after the fourth inning was in no danger.

The two runs made by Vincentown in the third frame were matched when Riverton pushed across single tallies in the second and fourth stanzas. Starting in the fifth, the "Vincents," coined single markers in their next four times at bat and ended the game by a four-run rally in the ninth. Riverton scored its final run in the ninth inning when Bowker eased pressure on the rival clubbers.

The score:

VINCENTOWN	R.	H.	O.	A.
Haines, 2b	1	0	1	0
Banks, cf	1	1	5	0
Maloy, 1b	2	3	9	0
B. Worrell, lf	2	3	2	0
H. Worrell, 3b	1	3	0	2
Brown, rf	1	2	4	0
Heppard, ss	1	1	0	1
S. Worrell, c	1	1	5	0
Bowker, p	0	2	1	6
Totals	10	16	27	9

RIVERTON	R.	H.	O.	A.
Foulke, 3b	0	2	2	2
Sloan, rf	0	0	0	0
Edge, ss	0	2	2	2
Eisley, cf	0	0	3	0
Harper, c	1	1	8	1
Horan, lf	0	1	1	0
Bartley, 2b	0	1	0	3
Bottger, 1b	1	0	11	1
Cooper, p	1	2	0	5
Totals	3	9	27	14

Vincentown	002	011	114—10
Riverton	010	100	001— 3

Error—S. Worrell. Two base hits—Foulke, Edge, Bartley, H. Worrell. Three base hits—Banks, Bowker. Struck out—By Cooper, 6; Bowker, 2. Base on balls—Off Cooper, 3; Bowker, 3. Umpires—Buchanan and Morgan.

Base Stealing With Twilight Leaguers

LEAGUE STANDING

	W.	L.	Pct.
Artisans	7	2	.777
Parry	6	2	.750
Ramblers	6	2	.750
Rogers' News	3	5	.375
Baptists	3	6	.333
K. of C.	0	7	.000

The league leading Artisans team was handed a rude jolt Monday night when the Parry outfit scored late in the game to triumph 6-3. This was the second defeat of the season for the lodgemen and enabled the Parry team to hold second place.

The game was a pitching duel until the final chapter. The Artisans were holding a slim 1-0 lead until Schrader, in the Parry half of the inning, pumped one of Hiltner's choicest curves over the right field fence to deadlock the score. This four-master ruined the game for the toiling Artisan flinger, who was unable to retire the Parrymen until five more runs had been scored. The A. O. M. I.'s tried valiantly to win in their half of the inning but were retired after tallying twice. Runners were on the second and third bases when the last man was retired. Shreve Nelson took over the mound duties for the Parry nine and proved to the skeptics that he still can pitch. On one occasion he struck out five successive batters and then forced the sixth man to raise an infield pop fly.

The winner of the long postponed game between the Ramblers and the Parry team is still undecided. The game, played last Thursday night, was called after the regulation number of innings had been played. The end found the two teams knotted tight at a 5-5 count. An announcement at Tuesday's game stated the game will be played tonight for the third time.

The Ramblers, although a half game behind the Parry outfit last Thursday, drew up on even terms with the Broderson team by virtue of a double win during the past week.

Friday's game with the K. of C. nine ended as expected, with the Ramblers on the long end of a lopsided 19-3 score. The Kaysees reverted to their old habits, after putting up a good game against the Artisans the week before, and slovenly fielding and weak hitting enabled the "Kingpins" to score at will.

Superfine pitching kept the Ramblers in the running in Tuesday's game. Babe Flynn, pitching for the Baptist nine, held the Ramblers to a brace of markers, but with the churchmen's hitting woefully weak, was forced to lose the game, 2-0. Bill Cann proved invincible on the mound for the Ramblers and stopped the attack of his opponents when hits would have meant runs.

The Artisan-Parry game Monday night brought out the largest crowd seen at the Twilight League games this season. The surprise win of the Parry team enabled the race to become more interesting, with the two teams tied for second place only a half game behind the Artisans. The defeat for the lodgemen marked their first defeat since May 19, when they lost by a single counter.

A real battle should be seen Monday night when the fast-stepping but unlucky Rogers' News nine meets the fighting Ramblers. A Rambler victory will enable it to pull even with the Artisans, who are idle until next Friday. The newsboys are also scheduled to play a pre-holiday tilt Friday night when they meet the K. of C. tossers.

Parry also has a chance to enter a tie for first place when they meet the K. of C. ball hawks in a game scheduled for Tuesday night. As the race stands now, three teams have an equal chance to cop the championship of the Razzberry League.

Al Gregor has trained a big police dog to guard the cash register in his store at Spring Creek, Ariz.

To Play in Open



GEORGE B. SMITH

Moorestown Field Club "pro" and former Philadelphia P. G. A. champion, who left Monday for Toledo, Ohio, where he will compete in the National Golf Open tourney. Two years ago George finished in a four-cornered tie for tenth place with four 77's.

RIVERTON BOWS TO DELANCO TOSSERS

Lose Saturday Game by 7-1 Count; Open Second Half Schedule This Week

Riverton dropped its ninth game in the Burlington County League last Saturday when it was handed a 7-1 lacing by Delanco.

The Delanco batters touched "Clayt" Welkman for ten hits, all of them timely swats. The hits coupled with three errors by members of the Riverton club enabled them to score freely. Young pitched in a masterful fashion, limiting his Riverton opponents to five hits which netted a lone marker.

Two of these bingles, one a double, were made by Harper, who was the only member of the Riverton lineup to gather more than one hit. Price, with a single and a two-bagger, and Bauer and Dann, with two singles each, led the attack for the Youngmen.

The opening of the second half of the league schedule Saturday morning finds the Riverton club traveling to Riverside, while the afternoon fracas finds the Riverton nine host to Burlington.

RIVERTON	R.	H.	O.	A.
Foulke, 3b	0	0	2	1
Reeves, rf	0	1	3	0
Edge, ss	0	1	1	5
Eisley, cf	1	0	3	0
Harper, c	0	2	3	0
Horan, lf	0	0	2	0
Bartley, 2b	0	0	2	1
Bottger, 1b	0	0	8	1
Welkman, p	0	1	0	3
*Flynn	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	5	24	11

DELANCO	R.	H.	O.	A.
Prce, 3b	1	2	1	4
Bauer, ss	1	2	0	4
Dann, cf	1	2	1	0
Hunt, lf	0	1	0	0
Wenger, rf	1	1	3	0
Kalbach, 1b	0	0	15	0
Schele, 2b	1	1	2	5
Young, p	0	0	0	0
Quicksall, c	2	1	5	0
Totals	7	10	27	14

*Batted for Bottger in ninth.

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Delanco	010	032	00x—7

Errors—Harper, Bartley, 2; Bauer. Two-base hits—Reeves, Harper, Price.

Swinging With the Local Batsmen

TONIGHT—Ramblers vs. Parry (Postponed game, Palmyra Twilight League).

FRIDAY—Rogers' News vs. K. of C. (Palmyra Twilight League).

SATURDAY—A. M.—Riverton at Riverside—P. M.—Burlington at Riverton (Burlington County League).

MONDAY—Ramblers vs. Rogers' News (Palmyra Twilight League).

TUESDAY—K. of C. vs. Parry (Palmyra Twilight League).

WEDNESDAY—Riverton at Vincentown (Burlington County League).

JOE POWELL REIGNS GOLF CHAMPION AT MOORESTOWN CLUB

Joe Powell, youthful golfer at the Moorestown Field Club, stroked one of the biggest upsets ever recorded on the local links when he eliminated the veteran player, Dr. S. Emlen Stokes, in the finals for the championship of the club on Saturday.

Dr. Stokes, defending champion, and winner of the cup for the past two years, dropped the contest in the final round of the 36-hole match.

Play started in the morning, the opening round ending with Powell four holes in the lead. In the second play, Stokes won back three holes, but could not break through the youngster's lead. The match ended on the thirty-fifth green, two down and one to play.

The exhibition was one of the finest ever witnessed on the Moorestown links. Both players showed fine form but Powell shot more consistent golf to win in match play.

BURLINGTON CO. LEAGUE SCHEDULE FOR SECOND HALF

Following is second half schedule of the Burlington County League, which opens with morning and afternoon games to be played on Saturday, July 4th:

JULY 4, A. M.
Delanco at Medford
Vincentown at Moorestown
R. D. Wood at Burlington
Riverton at Riverside

JULY 4, P. M.
Medford at Vincentown
Moorestown at R. D. Wood
Burlington at Riverton
Riverside at Delanco

JULY 7 (Tuesday)
Delanco at R. D. Wood
Moorestown at Riverside

JULY 8 (Wednesday)
Medford at Burlington
Riverton at Vincentown

JULY 11
Riverton at Moorestown
R. D. Wood at Medford
Vincentown at Delanco
Riverside at Burlington

JULY 18
Medford at Moorestown
Delanco at Riverton
R. D. Wood at Riverside
Burlington at Vincentown

JULY 25
Riverton at R. D. Wood
Moorestown at Delanco
Riverside at Medford
Vincentown at Burlington

AUGUST 1
Medford at Riverton
Burlington at Delanco
Riverside at Vincentown
R. D. Wood at Moorestown

AUGUST 8
Vincentown at Riverton
Burlington at R. D. Wood
Moorestown at Medford
Delanco at Riverside

AUGUST 15
Moorestown at Riverton
Delanco at Burlington
R. D. Wood at Vincentown
Medford at Riverside

AUGUST 22
Riverton at Delanco
Riverside at Moorestown
Burlington at Medford
Vincentown at R. D. Wood

AUGUST 29
Vincentown at Riverside
Riverton at Burlington
Delanco at Moorestown
Medford at R. D. Wood

SEPTEMBER 5
R. D. Wood at Delanco
Moorestown at Burlington
Riverside at Riverton
Vincentown at Medford

SEPTEMBER 7, A. M.
Riverton at Medford
Delanco at Vincentown
Burlington at Moorestown
Riverside at R. D. Wood

SEPTEMBER 7, P. M.
R. D. Wood at Riverton
Medford at Delanco
Moorestown at Vincentown
Burlington at Riverside.

"Y" BASEBALL LEAGUE

The only game played in Division A during the past week was that between the Mount Holly Eagles YMCA and the Moorestown Comrade group. The Eagles won with the score of 7-4. If the Eagles defeat the Marlton Comrade group this week they will have clinched the championship in their division.

In Division C there was a tie between Mount Holly Spartans, Lumberton and Medford for first place at the end of the schedule. In the first of a play-off series Medford defeated the Spartans 6-0. The next game will be played between Lumberton and Medford this (Wednesday) evening.

Standings:

DIVISION A

	W.	L.	Pc
Mount Holly Eagles	8	1	.888
Jacobstown	5	2	.688
Moorestown Comrade	5	3	.625
Marlton Comrade	2	4	.333
Moorestown PathFinder	1	5	.166
Vincentown	1	7	.125

DIVISION B-1

Cinnaminson	7	0	1.000
Beverly	5	1	.633
Delanco	2	2	.500
Bordentown Mojag	2	3	.400
Willingboro	1	6	.142
Riverside (dropped)	0	5	.000

DIVISION B-2

The Pemberton-Jobstown game must be played over before the championship in this division can be decided.

DIVISION C

Medford Thorn	5	2	.E714
Lumberton	4	2	.666
Mt. Holly Spartans	4	3	.571
Marlton Jr.	0	3	.000
Mt. Hol. Bap. (dropped)	0	3	.000

PLANS ARE NOW COMPLETE FOR THE BIGGEST AND BEST FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION IN PALMYRA'S HISTORY

Large Juvenile Parade to Begin Full Day's Program at 10.00 A. M.

PUNCH AND JUDY SHOW FOR KIDDIES AT 11.30

Excellent Display of Fireworks at Riverton Yacht Club to Conclude Celebration

Plans are now complete for one of the biggest and best Fourth of July celebrations Palmyra residents have ever witnessed, according to an announcement made this week by Mayor George N. Wimer, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

Other members of the committee who have done so much to make the day's program a success are: Frank A. Snover and William Vogt, music; C. Nevin Buchholz, finance; Walter D. Lamon, DeWitt Morris, William Engle, George T. Long, Herbert H. Parsons and A. N. Palmer, sports and games; Floyd W. Spahr, Horace Ross and Ralph Rivers, children's parade. George B. Snyder, printing, programs and publicity; James H. Hartley, fireworks; and George M. Durgin, Riverton celebration.

Program

The program for the entire day is as follows:

Morning—10:00 a. m. Juvenile parade. Children will assemble at Weart Boulevard. Route—East on Broad street to Morgan avenue, countermarch to Cinnaminson avenue to Grove. Awards will be made in the Grove immediately following the parade.

11:30 a. m.—Punch and Judy show. In Grove immediately following awarding of prizes.

Afternoon—2:00 p. m. Citizens parade to witness dedication of Riverton's Memorial Park. Assemble at I. O. O. F. of A. Hall.

4:00 to 6:00 p. m. Sports and games.

7:30 to 10:00 p. m. Band concert by Lyric Band, of Camden. William H. Townsend, director.

8:30 to 12:00 p. m. Dancing in I. O. O. F. of A. Hall.

9:30 p. m. Fireworks, Riverton Yacht Club.

Juvenile Parade

A large and elaborate juvenile parade will begin the day's activities. The following prizes will be awarded:

First best costume, colonial times, girl, $10.00; second best costume, colonial times, girl, $5.00. First best costume, colonial times, boy, $10.00; second best costume, colonial times, boy, $5.00. First best decorated baby carriage, with child, $5.00; second best decorated baby carriage, with child, $2.50.

Most attractively dressed girl of 1931, $5.00. Most original costume, boy, first prize, $4.00; second, $2.00; third, $1.00. Most original costume, girl, first prize, $4.00; second, $2.00; and third, $1.00.

First best novelty display, individual or group, $10.00; second best novelty display, individual or group, $5.00.

This parade is open only to boys and girls who are residents of Palmyra. To compete for prizes boys and girls must be in the line of march from the Weart Boulevard to the Grove. Prizes will be awarded only to boys and girls up to and including fifteen years of age. To be judged all must remain in line until dismissed by the judges.

Fourth of July is really a youngster's day and it is sincerely hoped by the members of the committee that a great many of Palmyra's kiddies will find it possible to join the parade and help swell the ranks.

Punch and Judy Show

At 11:30 a. m., there will be a punch and judy show for kiddies in the Grove. This will follow the awarding of the prizes to the contestants in the juvenile parade.

In the afternoon citizens of Palmyra will parade to Riverton to take part in the dedication exercises of Riverton's new Memorial Park.

Palmyra residents will assemble at the P. O. S. of A. Hall at 2:00 o'clock and will march to Riverton, led by the members of Post Frederick M. Rodgers, of Palmyra. The Lyric Band, of Camden, will furnish the music.

Mayor George N. Wimer and the members of council of this borough have been invited to take part in the celebration by Mayor Howard M. Rodgers of Riverton. They will take part in the parade and Mayor Wimer will sit on the platform with the Riverton officials during the ceremonies.

It is earnestly hoped and desired by the governing body of Palmyra that all citizens who find it possible to do so, will take part in these dedication exercises.

Through the kindness of the owners of the Maple View and Little Giant golf courses, it has been made possible for all the ladies of the community, old and young alike, to play golf on this day from four until six o'clock in the afternoon. Valuable prizes will be awarded to the ladies making the lowest scores.

Quoit Tournament

A quoit tournament for men will be held in the rear of the YMCA building at Broad street and Garfield avenue. Prizes will also be awarded the men of the community who take part in this sport.

The races will begin at 4:00 p. m., on the south side of Broad street, between Morgan and Cinnaminson avenues. The following is the schedule:

50 yard dash—Boys, 6-8 years.
50 yard dash—Girls, 6-8 years.
75 yard dash—Boys, 8-12 years.
75 yard dash—Girls, 8-12 years.
Three legged race—men and boys.
Sack race (75 yards)—Boys.
100 yard dash—Men and boys.
75 yard dash—Ladies and girls.
Tug of war (6 men on a team)—Men.
100 yard dash—Boys, 12-16 years.
75 yard dash—Girls, 12-16 years.
Sack race (75 yards)—Boys.
75 yard dash—Fat men.
Pie-eating contest—boys.
Pie-eating contest—Girls.
Miniature golf—Ladies.

4:00 to 6:00 p. m.—Maple View Golf Club, Broad and Maple avenue. Little Giant, Broad and Walnut streets.

Quoits—Men, YMCA grounds, Broad street and Garfield avenue.

Band Concert

From 7:30 until 10:00 o'clock in the evening there will be a band concert by the Lyric Band, of Camden, under the direction of William H. Townsend.

There will be dancing in the P. C. S. of A. Hall from 8:30 in the evening until 12:00 p. m. Music for the occasion will be furnished by one of the leading orchestras in this vicinity.

The day's program will be concluded by an excellent display of fireworks to be set off at the Riverton Yacht Club.

PHILA. GIRL WEDS RALPH H. STEEN

Miss Elsie Frank is Charming Bride in Late June Wedding

A very charming wedding took place Saturday afternoon at four o'clock when Miss Elsie Frank, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frank, of 4424 North Franklin street, Philadelphia, became the bride of Ralph H. Steen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Steen, of Washington avenue, Palmyra.

The ceremony was performed in Dr. Forrest Dager's Reformed Episcopal Church, Broad and Venango streets, Philadelphia, by the Rev. Mr. Dager.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a beautiful gown of white bridal satin, trimmed with lace. Her long cap-shaped veil was held in place by a spray of orange blossoms. She carried a bridal bouquet of white roses and orchids and her slippers were of white satin.

Miss Catherine Frank, who was her sister's only attendant, was attired in a most becoming model of yellow silk, with a turquoise blue sash and slippers to match. Her large picture hat was of yellow horse hair and she carried an arm bouquet of yellow roses and larkspur.

William Ruhl, of Philadelphia, obliged as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Guests were present from Philadelphia, Palmyra and Paulsboro.

Following a honeymoon in Asbury Park, the young couple will make their home at 3216 Wellington street, Philadelphia.

Mr. Steen is manager of the Philadelphia office of Hamilton-DeLisser, Inc., publishers representatives.

ELIZABETH DOWNING BRIDE OF DOCTOR

Announcement Is Made of Secret Marriage On April 18, 1931

Announcement has been made of the secret marriage on April 18, 1931, of Miss Elizabeth Downing, supervisor of nurses at the Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia, to Dr. Frederick T. Seward, who was, at the time of the wedding, an interne in that hospital.

Mrs. Seward is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Downing, of 407 Cinnaminson avenue, Palmyra, and Dr. Seward is the son of Dr. Frederick W. Seward, of Goshen, N. Y.

The announcement of the wedding was made immediately after the younger Dr. Seward had completed his interneship at the hospital, where he had served since his graduation from the Hahnemann Medical College a year ago.

Dr. and Mrs. Seward plan to take up their residence in Goshen, where his father conducts the Interpine Sanitarium. The son intends to practice there.

Recently Mrs. Seward resigned from the hospital service.

ARMITAGE-McNAMARA

Harold S. Armitage, of Philadelphia, formerly of Riverton, and Miss Mary Irene McNamara, of Philadelphia, were married in New York last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Armitage will reside in Philadelphia.

When R. Ramberger, a California police officer, got drunk while on a vacation he was jailed.



FOURTH OF JULY GAME

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VS.
Burlington A. A.
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A Real Game of Ball — on a Real Ball Park.

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NEW APARTMENTS, 304 Broad street, 3 rooms and bath, continuous hot water. Ada Price, 416 Lippincott avenue, or Phone 806.

FOR RENT:—Furnished apartment—2 rooms, bath and kitchenette. Reference required. Apply New Era Office, Box "R."

DRESSES—Pre-holiday sale. Every dress in stock greatly reduced including velvet jackets and Boucle sweater suits. Elsie C. Smith, Broad and Pine streets, Beverly.

LOST:—Man's Elgin wrist watch with silver link bracelet, on Morgan or Bank avenue. Reward if returned to Beltz Delicatessen, Palmyra.

LOST:—On 19th of June, near Keating's Drug Store, a mossagate pin. Size about 1 1-4 x 1 3-4 inches, set in gold. Reward. Phone Riverton 49.

WANTED—Two waitnesses. Apply Riverton Restaurant, Williams Wright Building, Broad and Main streets, Riverton.

FOR RENT—Large furnished or unfurnished room, 724 Garfield avenue, Palmyra.

COLORED GIRL wants housework. Apply 404 Union Landing road, E. Riverton.

FOR SALE—Packing boxes, 50c and up. New Era Office, Riverton.

HOUSE FOR RENT:—Corner of Broad and Cinnaminson street. Apply "W" New Era Office.

FOR RENT:—Two rooms for boarders, no meals. Apply 408 Main street, Riverton.

FOR SALE:—Cabbage, tomatoes, peppers, egg plant, pansies, scarlet sage, snap dragon, larkspur, straw flower and astors. Charles D. Springer, Cambridge. Phone Riverside 68-W.

WANTED:—Man, with selling ability to sell Majestic Electric Refrigerators and a full line of Radios. Car furnished to good reliable man. Call or write Riverside Appliance Co., 15 Pavilion Ave., Riverside, N. J.

WHERE your rags are worth money. The New Era will pay 5c a pound for clean rags (need not be white) free from lint, hooks and eyes, buttons, and snaps.

FOR RENT:—Modern house, with garage, good location, rent reasonable. Box "W" New Era Office.

I desire to commend Rev. Nelson Summers, of East Riverton, as a careful workman in all forms of cement and stone mason work.

Rev. Summers is also a graduate of Martha Schofield School, of Aiken, North Carolina.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING OF BOROUGH OF RIVERTON ON JULY 14, 1931

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of the School District of the Borough of Riverton in the County of Burlington that a Special meeting of the Legal voters of said District will be held at the No. 1 Schoolhouse on the 14th day of July 1931, at 7 o'clock P. M., Daylight Saving Time. The polls at said meeting shall be open until 9 o'clock P. M. Daylight Saving Time.

RESOLVED, That the Board of Education is hereby authorized (a) To purchase for school purposes, the plot of land described as follows: All that part of land belonging to the H. S. Drexel Estate, South of the Pennsylvania R. R. Company's tracks and west of Pompeston Creek, extending into the Township of Cinnaminson containing 12.189 acres, in accordance with map No. 152-5117 dated January 19, 1931 by Sherman and Sleeper, Borough Engineers, and to expend therefor including incidental expenses, not exceeding $25,500.00.

(b) To construct on said plot of land a new school house, to purchase school furniture and other necessary equipment therefor, to improve the said plot of land and to expend therefor not exceeding $274,200.00.

(c) To issue bonds of the district for the said purposes in the principal amount of $299,700.00.

By order of the Board of Education
Dated June 30, 1931.
FRED P. HUMPHILL,
District Clerk



POLICE
TARGET PRACTICE SCORES

Last night a jinx must have prevailed for most everybody's score dropped with the exception of Dorworth policeman at Parry. The scores are given below:

POLICE	
Dorworth	142
Betty	134
Robinson	133
Gobtee	88
Miller	60

CITIZENS	
Loughery	136
Williams	133
Kerns	124
Anderson	124

Burglars who rifled a safe and cash register in a store in Monroe, La., "rang up" the amount taken from the cash register before leaving the store.

When J. W. Wolf, of Le Panto, Ark., awoke from a nap he found a large water moccasin coiled around his thigh.



Ockanickon

BILL BAILEY-



25th Season

CAMP OCKANICKON

June 17 to August 12

Beautiful 530 Acre Site, Indian Mills Road, Medford, N. J.

Camping's the Life

What pictures and happy memories flash before the minds of the fellows who have camped at Ockanickon, as they look forward to this summer! Three camping areas. Beautiful bodies of water—two large lakes and numerous smaller ones. Boating. Canoeing. Fishing. Dandy swimming. Sandy, gradually sloping beaches. Raft. Diving tower. Red Cross Life Saving work. Nature trails to explore. Craft shop fun—building boat models, art concrete work, leather craft, hammered iron work, woodwork, silver work, basketry. "Store is open." Athletics. Ping Pong. Library. Twilight campus games. Volley ball. Tennis. Council Ring Ceremonies. Evening camping programs. Entertainments at the "Bowl." Stunt night. Overnight hikes. Adirondack leanto on top of "Mount." Evening devotions. Taps. Whippoorwills. Sleep—in tents or cabins, or out under the stars. Oh, Boy- Wish it were camping time now! Anyhow, plan now to come.

New 1931 Features

This summer interest in archery will flourish. The new Log Lodge is ready for use as Nature Study Headquarters. Sixteen horses will be available for the use of campers at very reasonable rates, with a seasoned equestrian in charge. Leather work, silver work, basketry and making bows and arrows will be new.

Three Distinct Age Groups

Ockanickon has three age divisions of campers, each with its own special Head Director, in addition to individual cabin or tent counsellors. Each division occupies its own separate area. The divisions are: Juniors, 9-11; Middlers, 12-14; Seniors, 15-17.

The Men in Charge

The General Camp Director is Secretary Ross S. Musselman, of the Gloucester County YMCA, popularly known as "Chief." The YMCA's of Burlington, Camden and Monmouth counties also provide secretaries for various responsibilities. Others, mostly teachers and college men, have charge of such departments as commissary, business, nature study, music crafts, religious programs, evening entertainments, health, overnight hikes, horses.

Ownership and Location

Ownership of YMCA Camp Ockanickon is vested in an incorporated Board of Trustees of the County YMCA'S of Burlington, Camden, Gloucester and Monmouth counties. Medford, New Jersey, is the Camp Post Office.

The entrance to the Camp property is some three and one-half miles south of Medford, down the Indian Mills Road. A large entrance sign on the left-hand side—about a mile south of the Medford Lakes Log Cabin Lodge, directs one where to "turn left." Headquarters is about a half-mile in from the main road.

This Camp was organized in 1906, twenty-five years ago this summer. The 1931 season will be the sixth at the Camp's own beautiful 530 acre site. The spaciousness of Ockanickon's "Acres for Character" makes it easily possible for each of the three Camps to have plenty of room for their own programs and fun.

Camping Dates

The 1931 boys' camp will be eight weeks in length, commencing Wednesday, June 17, and closing August 12.

Cost

The cost at YMCA Camp Ockanickon, to boys residing in the southern New Jersey counties, organized for YMCA work (Burlington, Camden, Gloucester, Monmouth-Ocean) is $10 a week. At the time of enrolling, a fee of $1.00 is payable for each week for which a camper signs up, which is deducted from the $10 weekly rate. It should be borne in mind that $10 a week covers not only "eats," but the privilege of participating in the various interest and craft groups, instruction in swimming and life saving, use of the Nature Study Cabin and of the carpenter shop and woodcraft room, boats and canoes, as well as medical attention by the resident Camp Doctor.

An additional charge is made for materials which are used in the various elective craft enterprises around Camp. These can be purchased reasonably, either at the Camp store or from the instructor. Such materials include leather, tools, archery supplies, iron for bridge lamps, lumber for various articles made in the carpenter shop, silver, reed, etc.

The cost for boys other than from the above mentioned counties will be $12.00 a week, with the registration fee deducted from this amount. At the time such boys register they are requested to send $3.00 for each week they enroll, with their application.

Instructions for Enrolling

The enrollment is on this page. Read the regulations governing enrollment. Fill out, have it signed, and mail, with required registration fee to Guy C. Hendry, Secretary, Burlington County, YMCA Mount Holly, N. J.

Two-Week Enrollments

The 1931 Camping Season is divided into four two-week sections:

Section One June 17—July 1
Section Two July 1—July 15
Section Three July 15—July 29
Section Four July 29—Aug. 12

Fellows should plan to enroll for at least one section, namely, two weeks. Many boys will want to come for four, six and eight weeks, and what a summer it will be for them! Of course, there are some who can come only for one week. They should come one of the first two weeks, and indicate that they will arrive either June 17 or 24.

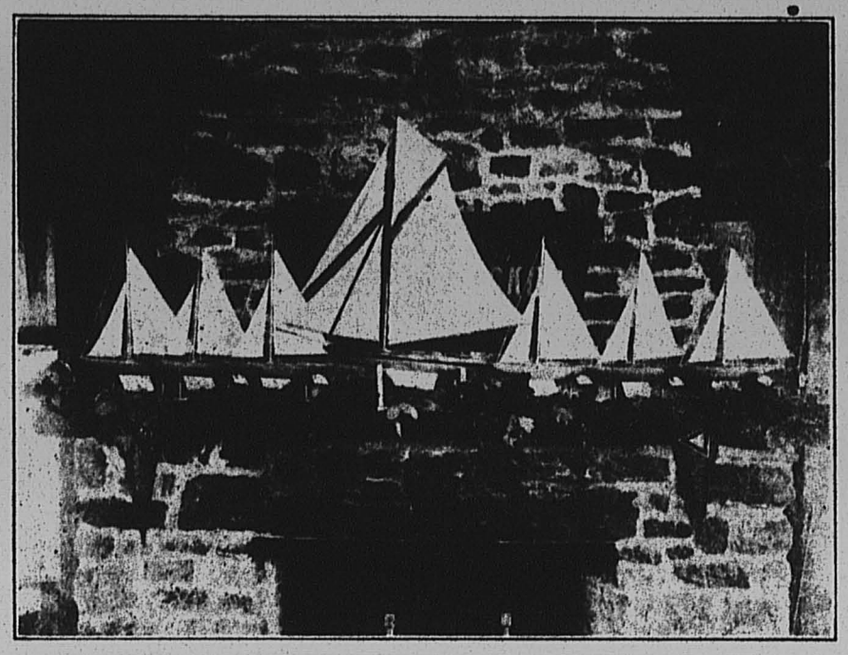
What Fellows Think of Camp Ockanickon

A Beverly Camper—"Camp Ockanickon was full of 'firsts' for me. It was there I first learned what true friendship and clean sportsmanship meant. I did my first swimming there and it was there that I responded to my first challenge to live in the Jesus way."

A Freehold Camper — "I went to Ockanickon the first year because the gang was going. After that I went as often as I could because I wanted to go there more than any other place."

A Fellow's Daily Program at Camp

"I can't get 'em up." "Setting up" exercises. Breakfast at "Ockanick Inn." Morning devotions. Policing. Interest groups, such as camp craft, nature study, construction projects. Morning swim. Instruction class if you're a beginner or can't swim. Preparation of your bunk or cot and camp "home" for inspection. Get ready for personal inspection and dinner. Right after the mid-day meal the store is open. Then come all sorts of things to do; baseball, volley ball, tennis, track, workshop projects, nature study observations and collections, quiet games with two or three of your friends, reading, boating, fishing, hikes, ping pong, etc. Afternoon swim, short rest period and then supper. Store again. During twilight hours campus games, boating, spearing the "sturgeon" contests, match volley ball games, preparation for evening entertainment. Then picture such evening entertainment features as these: Songs and story-telling at the "Bowl", campfire programs for the different "Camps," stunt night by ten groups, a visiting speaker or orchestra or entertainment, movies. Finally comes the call to quarters, evening devotions by the various tent groups, sleep . . . Each new day brings its suggestions of new things to do, new friends to make, old friendships to strengthen. There are discoveries to be made all about in the world of nature, new things you want to learn to do. If you've been at Ockanickon, how it all comes back to you. If you've never been camping there begin now to make your plans. You'll have the time of your young life.



Model Ships on Camp Mantelpiece

Enrollment Form for YMCA Camp Ockanickon

Name _____ Camp No.* _____

Town or Post Office _____ Age _____

Rural Route No. _____ Box No. _____ Street and No. _____

Phone _____

Want to be Assigned with _____

Read all enrollment regulations below before checking weeks you desire to attend

1. Applicant must be at least nine years old.
2. Indicate, by checking below, the exact weeks you desire to spend at Camp. To have Camp mean the most to you, enroll, wherever possible, for at least two weeks. If you can come for only one week, plan to arrive June 17 or 24.
2. Accompany enrollment with required registration fee of $1.00 for each week you sign up.

Check here weeks you desire to be at Camp	June 17	June 24	July 1	July 8	July 15	July 22	July 29	Aug. 5
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th

Have your parent or guardian read the following and sign below

This application is made with my approval and consent. I desire to have the applicant conform to all the rules and regulations of Camp. I understand that no board rebate will be allowed in the case of dismissal, withdrawal or late arrival, except in the case of physical illness. I also understand that SATURDAY of each week is visitors' day.

(Signed) _____ Parent or Guardian

1931 *If a former camper give old number

Cut along dotted line

Mail enrollment, with required registration fee, to the BURLINGTON COUNTY YMCA HEADQUARTERS, 39 Main Street, Mount Holly, N. J.

You will then receive:

1. Camp number for marking clothes and belongings (if a new camper). Former campers use old number.
2. Instruction sheet, telling what clothes, bedding, equipment, etc., to take. No standard uniform is required but suggestions regarding a serviceable inexpensive outfit will be given.
3. A Health Certificate form for your Doctor to fill out and for you to present at the General Camp Director's Office immediately upon arrival, at the same time board is paid.
4. A form for you to fill out in making application to enroll in the horsemanship instruction group. Arrangements have been made to have sixteen riding horses at Camp this summer.

PALMYRA ARTISTS ON WPEN RADIO PROGRAM

Several of Palmyra's promising musicians were heard in a musical feature program over radio station WPEN last week.

Those participating in the program were Ruth Stager, pianist; Carrie Haines, violinist; George Durgin and George Comegys, accompanists of Miss Haines in an instrumental trio; Charles Rader and Howard Monroe.

All those taking part in the broadcast are pupils of Mrs. Ruth Peterson Bell and Mr. Harold Mueller, of Riverton. The musicains were on the air for a half hour period Wednesday from 12:15 to 12:45 p. m.

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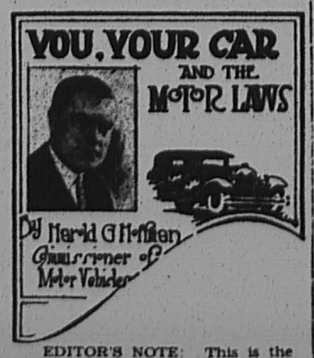
It operates on any electric outlet. You sit comfortably while you put the articles into the machine.



$79.50 cash and $84.25 on terms of $5 down and eighteen months to pay balance.

PUBLIC SERVICE

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EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fifty-third of a series of articles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles written to familiarize New Jersey motorists with the regulations which govern their conduct and increase their safety on the highways.

53. AGAIN—SPEED

Speed is always an engrossing topic for motorists. Moreover, it is the most controversial problem in motor vehicle administration throughout the country. It is a duty of those engaged in motor vehicle administration to keep abreast of the times, and I believe that, notwithstanding experiments in other states, a searching study should be made in New Jersey before we abandon the numerical limitations we have placed upon the rate of travel on our streets and highways.

The State Highway Commission has made a great contribution toward safety in New Jersey. Roads are being freed from obstructions such as embankments, trees, shrubbery, billboards and other structures which lower visibility at points of intersection with other arteries. Our highways are being built with the express purpose of permitting traffic to flow smoothly, swiftly and without any of the dangers inherent on the older types of roads.

Automotive engineers, too, have made contributions of value. We have cars with four wheel brakes, high compression engines, more sensitive steering and other features which make them more easily controlled. These developments clearly indicate a trend toward the permission of higher speed on the open road.

To Take Up Problem

Whether New Jersey should increase its limit arbitrarily to a higher figure, or adopt a prima facie limit that should apply in case of accidents only, or place no numerical restriction but govern driving solely upon conditions prevailing at the same time, is a problem, as I see it, which we should endeavor to solve.

The National Safety Council in its "Traffic Officer's Training Manual," says:

"There are two opposite views with regard to legislation on the subject of speed. One is that it is impossible to name any speed limit that will be satisfactory under all conditions, and that there should be only a general rule making it unlawful to drive at any speed which may be dangerous. According to the other view, such a rule is too vague, leaving too much to the judgment of the driver, and therefore a fixed limit is recommended.

"Out of these views has grown the prima facie speed law, by which definite speed limits are established, but beyond which a careful driver may go with impunity if conditions are favorable. Under the prima facie law, the court would assume that a man arrested for speeding was guilty as soon as it was established that he exceeded the legal limits. If the driver could prove that the conditions under which he was driving were such that he was not endangering anyone, the court would find him not guilty. The officer would be compelled to show, that someone's life, limb or property was materially endangered by the speed at which the defendant drove his car.

Another Theory

"Another interesting theory has been developed that speed limits should be based upon the clear space ahead. The idea is that the farther ahead and to each side an operator can see, the faster he should be permitted to go, so long as he is able to stop his car in time to prevent a collision."

The speed regulations in the 1930 revision of the Uniform Code represents a combination of these ideas. The basic rule requires that speed shall be "reasonable and prudent" under existing conditions and shall not be greater than will permit the driver to control the vehicle and avoid collision with any other vehicle or person lawfully on the highway. Certain "indicated speed limits" are specified. If a driver is convicted of violating either the basic speed rule or any other of the rules of the road, such as driving on the wrong side, passing a standing street car and similar offenses, and was also going faster than the indicated limits, such combination offense is given a heavier penalty, the same as for reckless driving.

It is probable that state legislation on speed will gradually tend toward this type of regulation which corresponds closely to the actual driving habits of careful drivers, and at the same time places a heavy penalty on the sort of speeding that causes accidents and confusion.

Walking 12 miles a day is the job of Peggy Davis and Phyllis Robertshaw, testers of sport shoes and boots for a shoe factory in Liverpool.

Brick — Goble

The wedding of Miss Beatrice Wolbertson Goble, of White Plains, N. Y., and Joseph Daniel Brick, son of the late Dr. Benjamin K. and Mrs. Brick, of Main street, Marlton, was solemnized on Monday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Bernard's Church, White Plains, before a large number of friends and relatives from Marlton, Moorestown, Crosswicks, Ocean City, Philadelphia, Fox Chase and Plainfield, as well as from New York State.

Miss Margaret Grace Brick, sister of the bridegroom, and Willits P. Haines, Jr., of Ocean City, were the only attendants.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Goble, of Greenridge avenue, White Plains.

The young couple then left on a wedding trip. Upon their return they will live in New York.

The bride is a graduate of Barnard College and Mr. Brick is a graduate of Moorestown High School and Cornell University.

After a fistic encounter with his neighbor, John Goodhouse, justice of the peace at Pierre, S. D., fined himself $10 and is now serving a self-imposed 30-day sentence.

AMERICAN BIOGRAPHIES in MINIATURE

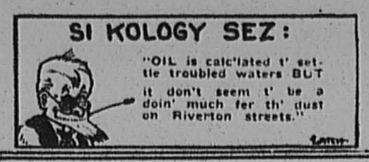
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RIVERTON'S BIG FOURTH OF JULY

Twelve-Hour Program Crowded With Events; Hany Handsome Prizes Awarded

Riverton's biggest Fourth of July celebration was a complete success. The rain which threatened in the morning did not materialize, and ideal weather prevailed throughout the day.

Following a formal flag raising ceremony by Troop No. 50, Riverton Boy Scouts of America at Memorial Park at 9 o'clock, came the usual children's flag parade at the river bank, patriotic songs led by R. F. White, addresses, athletic events which lasted until about 1 o'clock, and a sail boat race.

In the afternoon Memorial Park was dedicated at 2 o'clock, ball game at 3:30, water events at the river at 4 o'clock, outboard motor boat races at 8 o'clock and the final number on the program was the magnificent display of fireworks at 9:15.

The music throughout the day was furnished by the Moose Band, of Camden.

Riverton 90 Years Old

In opening the exercises on the bank Mayor Howard M. Rogers gave a brief historical sketch of Riverton in which he said, "On this holiday—the greatest of the year, this river bank has become an annual gathering place for those who live in Riverton and nearby towns. It is a great reunion for our townspeople, the first having been held in the latter end of the 19th century. History and important milestones in the careers of nations have been responsible for celebrations such as this one. Our speaker of the day will dwell on the importance of this holiday from a national viewpoint. I, however, would like to give you a few brief items of purely local history of Riverton.

"Riverton was actually started or founded by nine men in 1851, Caleb Clothier, Robert Biddle, Daniel L. Miller, Jr., Wm. C. Biddle, Wm. D. Parrish, Dillwyn Parrish, J. M. McKim, James Clothier and Rodman Wharton. These men drew lots for locations upon which to build, the land having been purchased from Joseph Lippincott. These names are not unfamiliar to you—we still have Biddles, Lippincotts, Parrishes, Millers as residents; some of the other names can be found in directories of Philadelphia and vicinity.

Steamboat Transportation

"Transportation was different in those days—there was a flag stop at Dreer's, but it became necessary to build a wharf and arrange transportation to Philadelphia by steamboat. The pier, the site of the present yacht club, was still being used by steamers when I first came to Riverton. The trolley line was built in 1901 and abandoned this Spring, a short thirty years of existence. We are now about 90 years old, having gone from oil lamps and deliberate transportation to our present system of electricity and motorized travel.

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APPRECIATION

The Fourth of July Committee of the Borough of Riverton takes this opportunity to thank everyone who assisted in the successful accomplishment of Riverton's finest Independence Day.

The dedication of Memorial Park was impressive and executed in a manner befitting such an occasion.

Only the hearty support of the citizens of both Palmyra and Riverton, coupled with the willing assistance of the various organizations, made possible such a celebration and dedication.

Therefore, on behalf of the Fourth of July Committee I wish to express my appreciation and thanks to everyone who helped in any way.

J. ELMER HANN,
Chairman,
Fourth of July Committee,
Riverton.

THANKS!

The following letter was received this week by Mayor George N. Wimer.

Mayor George N. Wimer,
Palmyra, N. J.

Hon. Sir:

May I take this means of conveying to you the appreciation of Riverton's Fourth of July committee for your kindness in participating in our dedication ceremony.

I would also like to convey, through you, to the members of your Borough Council and the citizens of Palmyra, for all theq did to help make this ceremony a success, the sincere thanks of the citizens and officials of the Borough of Riverton.

Sincerely,
J. ELMER HAHN,
Chairman.

AMPLIFIER IS USED AT PARK

Dedication Exercises, July 4th Broadcast Over All Parts Of Memorial Park

The amplification unit used during the dedication exercises at Memorial Park last Saturday was built, installed and operated by the C & C Public Address Company.

Ellis Clifton of Riverton and H. A. Conaghy of Philadelphia are in the business together.

This outfit, entirely portable, was built in Riverton by these two men last week. They started work on it Wednesday night and it took about 24 working hours to complete the job.

The unit consisted of three horns, 36 inches across and 48 inches deep with baffle speakers. The Victor Dynamic speakers were used to carry the amplification.

Five stages of amplification were used which amplified the speakers' voices about 6,000 times. The voltage required for this was approximately 800.

A small speaker was carried with the amplification set in an automobile so that the operator could hear the broadcast and keep the tones properly regulated. The power for the set was brought from Cinnaminson street and carried 110 volts into the set.

Clifton and Conaghy have also built an addition to this set which will enable them to play 20 records on both sides without the records being touched. This apparatus is especially desirable where portable music is desired.

At the present time the Company has one of its sets in operation on the boardwalk in Wildwood, N. J.

Clifton said the Company would furnish a set for single occassions or they will build, install and operate the sets where this is desired. He also added that no job was too big or too small.

The C & C Public Address Company has headquarters in Philadelphia, and Ellis Clifton is the local representative.

Fidelity of tone is the one big factor in an amplification set of any kind. It is the belief of these two young men that they have perfected a set which will give a good even and enjoyable tone at all times.

The set used Saturday was designed to be heard over at least 15 acres.

Many favorable comments have been heard about town in regards to the results obtained with this set at the Dedication Services.

LETTER FROM RIVERTON GOLD STAR MOTHER

Haddonfield, N. J., July 6, 1931

Editor of The New Era

I wish to thank the Mayor and Council, the Park Committee and the citizens of the Borough of Riverton. I cannot tell how much I appreciate all that they did to make July 4, 1931, an honored day for me, to be remembered as long as I live.

Gratefully,
ANNA B. KENNEDY

WILL HE ESCAPE?



THOUSANDS AT PARK DEDICATION

Former Mayor Bennett Makes Presentation; Accepted by Mayor Rogers

The dedication of Riverton's Community Park on July 4 was the culmination of plans started in 1918 to provide a fitting memorial to its sons from Riverton who served in the World War, the exercises which were held in the park at 2 o'clock were in charge of a committee composed of Killam E. Bennett, chairman, H. H. Murray, and Charles C. Seemuller.

Each of the Gold Star Mothers was presented with flowers by the Mayor and Council.

Five thousand people from Riverton and surrounding towns thronged the park, and the program could be distinctly heard on all parts of the field by means of an efficient system of amplification installed by Ellis D. Clifton.

Mayor Howard M. Rogers presided, and on the platform with him were the three Gold Star Mothers, Mrs. Mary Moser, Mrs. Cecil Kelley and Mrs. Samuel E. Kennedy; Mayor George N. Wimer, of Palmyra; Killam E. Bennett, H. H. Murray, Rev. Charles T. Bates, Senator Clifford R. Powell and W. Rex MacCrosson.

A delegation from Palmyra marched to Riverton to assist in the dedication exercises. The line was made up as follows: State Police, Legion Bugle and Drum Corps, Drill Team of the Jr. O. A. M. of Burlington, Moose Band, Riverton Fire Company, Palmyra Boy Scouts, Riverton Boy Scouts, K. of C. Cadets, Palmyra Girl Scouts, Lyric Band, committee of Palmyra citizens led by Mayor George N. Wimer.

In opening the exercises Mayor Rogers said, "We are here assembled to dedicate our Memorial Park to those in whose honor this beautiful plot of ground was purchased in the year 1923. This ceremony of dedication has been postponed from time to time, but in the interim our boys and girls have made good use of these premises. More activities are in evidence year after year. We now have baseball, football, swimming, tennis as well as organized play, which was inaugurated in 1930 and is being carried on in the present year.

"Those who fought and fell have indeed a monument, though not expressed in bronze and stone.

"On the platform we have, Mrs. Mary Moser, Mrs. Cecil Kelley and Mrs. Samuel E. Kennedy.

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COMMUNICATED

The citizens of Riverton next Tuesday will decide by their vote whether their boys and girls shall have the advantage of the modern up-to-date educational faculties made possible by the erection of a new school building.

This project for several years, has had the careful consideration of Riverton's Board of Education—a group of representatives citizens elected by the people. Its members have spent much time in studying educational problems and how they are being met elsewhere. They are truly specialists, and their recommendations should have the same weight of authority which is accorded any other specialist on a subject which by the very nature of things, the average individual cannot find much time to look into.

Such a proposal naturally brings questions into the minds of those concerned, most of them reasonable and answerable if opportunity offered, but which would require more space than is available in the four page folder mailed to each voter. For instance, how much more school tax will I actually have to pay on my home?

The following table shows the increase in cost for a thirty-year $300,000.00 bond issue at 4% interest on properties of various assessed valuations.

Assessed Valuation of Property	Additional School Tax
$2,000.00	$12.80
3,000.00	19.20
4,000.00	25.60
5,000.00	32.00
6,000.00	38.40
7,000.00	44.80
8,000.00	51.20
9,000.00	57.80
10,000.00	64.00

Another important question in the minds of some, is whether we really need a new building. An attempt was made in the pamplet to show why our present quarters are inadequate, but it was impossible to explain in a few words the outstanding reason for a change.

Since 1910 methods of education have progressed tremendously. Scientific data have been found which show the study, health and play needs of children. As a result there is nation-wide shift of emphasis in the curriculum and courses of study themselves. Where once school was thought of only as the place to learn the three R's, it now embraces many of the activities of adult life. From New York to San Francisco, the better communities are putting up school plants which include the items given on the above-mentioned pamphlet. Gymnasiums and medical rooms, because Amercian children must know how to take care of themselves; auditoriums, where they man not only hear talks, see movies, hear great music but most important of all, put on things they have written or prepared themselves.

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EDITORIAL

Does Riverton Need a $300,000 School?

On July 14 the people of Riverton will be asked to vote on a proposition authorizing the Board of Education to spend $300,000 for a new school building and a plot of ground on which to erect it. If authorized to erect a new building it is the purpose of the board to tear down the present building and sell the ground on which it stands when a favorable market can be found.

The project of improved school facilities has been before the School Board for several years.

At one time it took the form of a consolidation with Palmyra and Cinnaminson Township. This fell through.

Next, it was proposed to build a Junior High School to which Cinnaminson Township was asked to agree to send its seventh, eighth and ninth grade pupils. This also failed to materialize.

The plan now endorsed by the School Board, and on which they ask a favorable decision by the voters, is the erection of a new grammar school on a site to be purchased from the Dreer Estate on Cedar street, facing the creek, at a total cost for land and building of $300,000.

Board Issues Statement

The Board has issued a statement setting forth the cost of two plans—that of remodeling the present building and the erection of a new one.

The voters are given a week in which to make their decision.

While these plans were being considered, and within the last few weeks, a committee of citizens called on the Board and requested that the cost and practicability of remodeling the present building be investigated and a report made.

The statement just issued by the Board places the cost of remodeling and new equipment at $200,000. In giving this figure $30,000 is allowed for the purchase of three properties on Howard street across from the school, and one on Fifth street, back of the Howard street properties. This would mean that the school house would be on one side of the street and the playground on the other. The cost of the properties to the rear of the school, which, if purchased, would keep the entire unit within a block bounded by Fourth, Fifth, Cinnaminson and Howard streets, is not given.

No Vote On Rebuilding

While the citizens' committee asked for information relative to remodeling the present building, but one proposition is being submitted to the voters—that of a new building.

Granting that there is need for improvement in the school facilities in Riverton, there are several things to be considered in determining what form these improvements shall take, and how far they shall be carried.

In the twenty years from 1910 to 1930, the population of Riverton increased 39%.

The enrollment in the public school during that period increased but 23%.

From the school year of 1926-1927 to the end of the school year of 1930-1931 the enrollment has steadily decreased from 390 to 340.

Hence, it will be seen that there is no increase in enrollment to support the demand for a larger school. Rather, there is likely to be a further decrease.

Relief From Parochial School

When the new Parochial School opens it will take 35 to 45 pupils out of the public school, but the full effect of this school on the attendance in the public school will not be felt for three or four years, owing to the fact that pupils now in the higher grades of the public school will not be removed at this time, but will be allowed to finish in the school where they started. Catholic children, as they come of school age, will naturally be entered in the Parochial School, further reducing the public school attendance.

Under these conditions, cannot the present building be made to meet every **necessary requirement** at a reasonable price?

Board Not Unanimous

The School Board is not unanimous in its recommendation of a new building. One member believes that the present building can be remodeled at very much less cost than the figures given, and another feels that the request of the citizens' committee for a report on what it would cost to remodel the present building, and what would be received for the money thus expended, has not been answered in the spirit in which it was asked.

The bonds on the present building still have sixteen years to run—$16,000 and interest.

It is probable that in another ten or fifteen years both Riverton and Cinnaminson Township will be in better position to know how to meet their school requirements. Meanwhile the thought of co-operation between the two municipalities will be growing.

Cinnaminson May Co-operate Later

That Cinnaminson Township is not averse to working with Riverton in this respect is shown by the careful and friendly consideration given the Junior High School plan in the very short time allowed them in which to come to a decision.

Some practical plan of co-operation with an adjoining school district would help to reduce the cost of operation in Riverton, where, owing to its limited area and small attendance, the cost per pupil is high—**seventh highest** in the county, out of 38 school districts.

There are 523 children of school age in Riverton—35%, of whom do not attend the public school.

The need of a new school building may be the answer—**or it may not.**

The people of Riverton should be given time and opportunity to find out.

What Does Riverton Really Need?

A fine building with modern equipment is not the most essential part of a school system so far as getting results that will be useful in the adult life of the pupil is concerned. Results that compare favorably with anything turned out by educational institutions of today came from one-room school houses.

Not that it would be desirable to return to the methods of a generation ago by any means, but the vital factor in a school is the personality of the faculty, and not the building or equipment, however helpful and useful they may be.

To Summarize:

How much additional room will the Riverton School need within the next ten or fifteen years, based on its growth in the last twenty years, and taking into consideration the pupils who will go to the Parochial School?

What additional equipment is required to bring it up to modern standards IN THE ESSENTIALS?

What is the most practical way to achieve these ends—a new building or remodeling the present one?

What is the cost of remodeling, after revising the plans to include only those things actually needed for efficient work?

These questions should be fully answered before the people are asked to pass judgment.

That the School Board has arrived at a decision (not unanimous) that a new building on a new site is the answer, is not necessarily final.

Efficiency With Economy

To vote against the new school building proposition as submitted at the special school election to be held on July 14, **will not be voting for an antiquated school system** in Riverton (which nobody wants) but it will be a demand on the part of the voters, who will have the bill to pay, **for more complete information, and for time in which to give this important matter careful investigation and consideration.**

There is but one issue before the people in this election—**a new school building.** If the citizens who asked for information about rebuilding, and others of like mind, are not satisfied with the answer they have received, and desire to **have rebuilding seriously considered,** they can vote down the present proposition and go back to the School Board with a **second request for information in detail, and cost of the ground to the rear of the present building.**

It is to be sincerely hoped that there will be a full vote polled at this special election in order that the School Board may have the advantage of a real expression of the desires of the people, either for or against the plan they are submitting.

To this they are entitled.

JOSEPH M. ROBERTS ILL

Joseph M. Roberts one of Riverton's oldest residents, was taken seriously ill this morning, just as The New Era was going to press.

Mr. Roberts is about 75 years old, and has been a resident here for many years.

He formerly operated two grocery and general stores—one in Palmyra on the first floor of what is now P. O. S. of A. hall, and the other in Riverton in the brick building at Broad and Main streets, now occupied by the A & P store.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Thomas L. Lewis and family desire to thank their friends for the many expressions of sympathy received during their recent bereavement.

James Thomas, small grocery store keeper on Pear street, East Riverton, awoke 6 o'clock last Sunday morning to find his store in flames. He jumped through the window and telephoned for the Riverton Fire Company which responded and extinguished the flames confining the damage to the store and kitchen. According to Chief Armstrong the apparatus was at the scene of the fire four minutes after the alarm was turned in.

BOARD ASKS FOR $300,000 SCHOOL

Special Election Will Be Held July 14 to Vote On Proposition

The Riverton Board of Education has issued the following statement and recommendation to the voters of Riverton.

To the Citizens of Riverton:

The need for some improvement in the Riverton School Plant becomes apparent when our out-of-date building and equipment are compared with modern schools in nearby communities.

Briefly, respects in which our building is lacking may be summarized as follows:

1. Shortage of rooms. We already have two rooms housing two grades each.

2. Fire Hazard. The present school has NO fireproof exits.

3. Heating System. The heating system has always been inefficient, and in addition is now worn out.

4. Auditorium. It is totally inadequate.

5. Gymnasium. There is no gymnasium.

6. Storage Space. There is practically no provision for the storage of supplies or equipment.

7. Playground Space. The playground is too small, and divided by a street on which there is traffic.

8. Physical Equipment. The desks are of a type which has been replaced in the better schools, there is cross-lighting in all of the main classrooms, etc.

9. Sanitary Conditions. The toilet rooms are not sanitary; plumbing trouble is not uncommon and such pipe replacements as have been made, show pipes nearly stopped with the deposit of years.

10. Lack of Standard Units. There is no drawing and music room, no library, no medical room, no private office, etc., and both shop and home economics laboratory are placed in rooms too small, and not designed for the purpose.

11. General Rating. The building is far below the standard found in residential districts, and scores very low (646 out of 1000, lowest score permissible being 800) on the scale used by the State Department of Public Instruction.

12. Community Usefulness. The present plant does not lend itself to community use, an important function of a modern school.

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COMMUNICATED

Citizens and Taxpayers:

On Tuesday next, July 14th, you are called upon to cast your vote either for or against a new school.

This should have your careful consideration, and weigh well the facts before your vote is cast. The school board and many of our citizens are asking that we taxpayers vote for a new school which will approximately cost in the neighborhood of Three Hundred Thousand dollars. In addition to this cost, the maintenance will almost double the present school budget. I personally am in accord with higher education, and would like to see an institution of learning in our borough that would be in keeping with other municipalities, but the serious thought today is taxes, one which is being heard all over the country.

Can we afford to build a school at this time? Are we in a financial condition to warrant this added burden to our already heavy taxes?

Our total borough valuation is approximately Three Million Dollars, and yet we are called upon to further burden ourselves for ten per cent of our total valuation.

We have other things staring us in the face which will mean still higher taxes. For instance should the State demand that our Borough proceed with the sewage disposal plant, which is likely to occur at any time, we would have a bonded indebtedness which would take years to pay.

No matter whether you are a landlord or tenant, it is your duty to vote on this question. If taxes go up, naturally the tenant must carry the load.

I believe that our present school, with some alterations, is adequate to carry on our educational system for years to come. With the parochial school nearing completion, it means that a number of students will be taken from our present school, thereby giving more room for incoming students.

Personally I am opposed to the expenditure of any money that will increase the burdens of the taxpayers, and it is of vital importance that you be present and cast your vote.

EDWARD R. WILLIAMS

KIND WORDS

Mr. Walter L. Bowen,
Riverton, New Jersey.

Dear Mr. Bowen:

The special Memorial Park edition of "The New Era" was a splendid piece of work and many people have made complimentary remarks about it.

May I not add my congratulations to the many which you must already have received?

Cordially,
HOWARD M. ROGERS,
Mayor.

LAW OBSERVANCE GROUP ORGANIZED

B. Henry Jones President of Moorestown Branch of Citizens' Federation

The Moorestown branch of the Citizens' Federation of New Jersey for Temperance and Law Observance was organized here at a meeting at the Community House on Tuesday of last week.

B. Henry Jones was elected president. Other officers include A. J. Frohock, and Howard J. Taylor, vice-president; Roy D. Cole, treasurer, and Miss C. May Johnson, secretary.

Mrs. Miriam Lee Early Lippincott, of Camden, chairman of the state organization, was the main speaker on the program. She told of the beginning of the movement when various prohibition forces met on January 18, at Newark. The organization is non-political, according to Mrs. Lippincott, and its primary objective is the education of citizens in the facts of prohibition.

The actual work of the organization did not get underway at this meeting and the group adjourned last week, to meet again at the call of the executive committee.

Members of the executive committee are the officers, chairman of the various committees, ministers of the various churches, and members-at-large, who are Alfred L. Deyo, Harry W. Britton, Harvey H. Brown, Kate J. Aitken, Sarah R. Haines, Mrs. O. P. Mitchell, Mrs. Nina G. Frantz, Edward Hollingshead, R. C. Lockwood, John McNinney, Edward A. Mechling, Harold Otter, Edward M. Ross, Dr. Nathan Thorne and William C. Coles.

The committee on secular education includes George C. Baker and Chester L. Reagan, while the committee in religious education is headed by Richard C. Brown.

Howard C. Darnell is chairman of the enrollment committee. Included in the group working with him are John Proud, Baptist; R. C. Hallock, Methodist Episcopal; Mrs. John Alden, Episcopal; William Avery, Presbyterian; Dr. Rebecca Lippincott, Friends, and Horace Edgar, Methodist Protestant.

William E. Boudwin is chairman of the law enforcement committee.

PALMYRA SCOUTS PLAN BIG TIME

Troops No. 1 and 2 Will Hold "Mid-Summer Jamboree" On Tuesday

Boy Scouts of Palmyra troops No. 1 and 2, will leave Saturday for Camp Mahalala, official scout reservation of Burlington County. About 40 from Palmyra ar eexpected to attend, with enrollment of from one to five weeks.

The County scouts are staging a "Mid-Summer Jamboree" at the camp next Tuesday. With this exhibition the scouts will endeavor to show the parents and friends who have made the camp possible, just what activities the scouts follow while there.

The campers and the camp leaders have planned for the benefit of the visitors a complete program of swimming, boating, and campfire activities. In addition to the camp events, the authorities have arranged to serve a regular camp supper to the visitors. Reservations for the meal must be made to Scoutmasters W. Fry, A. Branson or to Elwood Hoepfner, on or before Saturday. The charge for the meal, which will be served at seven o'clock, is fifty cents.

The camp is located two miles east of Wrightstown, and within easy reach by automobile. Cars leaving for the jamboree next Tuesday will meet at the Palmyra station at 5:45. Transportation is promised for those who wish to attend but have no means of making the trip. The journey to the camp is slightly more than 25 miles from Palmyra.

LICENSE REVOKED FOR TRANSPORTING LIQUOR

Palmyra Man One of Three County Residents Punished by State Department

Three Burlington County motorists had their licenses revoked by Motor Vehicle Commissioner Harold G. Hoffman last week along with 14 other South Jersey drivers for various offenses.

The county offenders to lose their driving privilege were Jones Clark, of Florence, for a traffic violation; J. McGarvey, 28 West Broad street, Palmyra, transporting of alleged liquor case; and William Brown, of Pemberton, motor law violation.

Of the total lists of 17 drivers to have their licenses revoked, four were for drunken driving, seven for reckiessness, one for manslaughter, and five for other offenses.

Engaged

Mrs. Mabel K. Roberts, of Moorestown, announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Rebecca Coles Roberts, to J. Maurice Farron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice H. Farron, of Kelton, Pa., at a luncheon on Friday, July 3.

Guests were present from Landsdowne, Yardley, Merchantville and Moorestown.

Miss Roberts is a graduate of George School. Mr. Farron is a graduate of Kenneth Square High School and he also attended George School.

When old John Wanamaker was a young man he promised a pious friend that he would never sell playing cards. To this day it is said that playing cards can not be bought in Wanamaker stores. But they sell poker chips and dice in any quanity.

Men Left This Church for Lexington



Photo by the Pathfinder of the Motor Club of New Jersey.

The Hopewell old school Baptist Church built shortly after the organization of the congregation in 1715, one of the few organizations of its kind left in the state. Near this church is erected a memorial to Joab Hought. It was on Sunday, April 23, 1775, when the news of the battle of Lexington reached Hopewell while people were worshipping in the First Baptist Church. Joab Hought, at the close of the service, climbed to the top of a rock nearby the church and exclaimed, "Men of New Jersey, the Red Coats are murdering our brethren of New England. Who follows me to Boston?" Every man present, history relates, answered "I," and with his company Hought set out for Boston. Between this memorial and the church building stands the grave of John Hall, signer of the Declaration of Independence.

COUNTY WOMEN TO MEET LARSON

Republican Club Plans Trip To Sea Girt Next Thursday

Plans are being made by the Women's Republican Club to have a large representation on hand at the annual Burlington County Day at Sea Girt next Thursday.

All members of the club and their friends are extended a cordial invitation to make the trip. Buses have been engaged to take all who wish to go. It is very necessary that those wishing accomodation notify either the local chairman of the club or Mrs. Pearl Bridegum, of Hainesport, not later than Monday.

Arrangements have been made to pay half the cost of the buses, but the baiance will have to be paid by those making the trip. This amount will be fifty cents and should be paid at the time of notification. The buses will make several stops in the county if possible, but if not they will start from Burlington and Mount Holly.

Following his usual custom, Governor Morgan F. Larson will be on hand to greet the various delegations. David Baird, Jr., candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, will also be present, and Republican workers from this county will have an opportunity to meet him.

It is hoped to have at least a hundred make the trip this year from Burlington county. Box luncheons will be taken.

The county national guard units are now encamped at Sea Girt and will participate in the maneuvers held during the day.

The officers of the Women's Republican Club of Burlington county are as follows:

President, Mrs. Pearl Bridegum, Hainesport; vice presidents, Mrs. Nellie Russell, Burlington; Mrs. Irene Powell, Delanco; Mrs. M. W. Newcomb, Brown's Mills; Mrs. Florence Haines, Vincentown; Mrs. Mary Krupnick, Mount Holly; Mrs. Nellie Worrell, New Lisbon; recording secretary, Mrs. Nettie Smith, Bridgeboro; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Florine Finley, Mount Holly; treasurer, Mrs. Margaret Taylor, Bordentown.

FOUR FROM PALMYRA INJURED IN ACCIDENT IN WHICH DRIVER DIES

One person was fatally injured and six others, four of whom are from Palmyra, were injured in a head-on collision on the Hammonton-Buena road near Folsom Sunday night.

William Pell, 36 years old, of Hammonton, driver of one of the machines, died Monday from internal injuries and cuts about the face received when he drove his car head-on into the other machine.

Mrs. Marion Roberts, 35 years old, 105 Memorial avenue, Palmyra, was so seriously hurt that physicians were afraid for her life. She suffered a crushed chest, broken left shoulder and deep cuts on both legs.

Her husband, Van Roon Roberts, 38, suffered a broken left leg, cuts and bruises. A daughter, Ruth, 4-10, was cut on the nose and mouth. It required 50 stitches to close her wounds. Another daughter, Edith, 14, was cut on the legs.

Mrs. Mildred Mulford, of 26 Seventh avenue, Haddon Heights, suffered a broken right ankle, bruised leg and cuts on the face. Her husband, Stanley R. Mulford, 31, Audubon real estate broker and driver of the car, suffered a broken left leg and cuts of the face and arms.

All were treated at Dr. Esposito's Hospital, Hammonton. Mulford later was taken to Cooper Hospital, Camden.

Pell was pronounced drunk at the Newcomb Hospital, Vineland, by Dr. Charles Cunningham, after he had been removed to that institution following the accident.

Because the bride whispered "not" after an outspoken "I will" during the marriage ceremony, Henry A. Rupert, of Cleveland, O., won a divorce.

H. Goldbergh, of Waterproof, La., is the owner of a duck that is said to lay eggs that are jet black, both inside and outside.

NEW ARRIVALS IN CAMP INITIATED

Counsellors Take Part in Affair Conducted Around Ceremonial Fire

The new arrivals at Camp Ockanickon for the second period of the camping season were initiated in a counsel ring ceremony on Friday evening. Various counsellors had part in this affair which was conducted around a large ceremonial campfire.

Saturday, July 4, was celebrated with many interesting happenings. In the morning the regular camp program was followed. During the afternoon a special aquatic program was conducted. There was a water polo game between fellows from the senior area and the intermediate area. This was won 2-1 by the intermediates.

At the same time a contest known as "spear the sturgeon" was held for the junior area. This contest is somewhat like harpooning whales from small boats. Following these there were canoe races and swimming races for the counsellors, seniors, intermediates, and juniors. Many visitors took advantage of the opportunity of swimming with the campers at the regular recreational swimming period, following the aquatic events.

Just at dusk, gayly decorated boats and canoes were around flagpole point and proceeded down the bathing beach and the headquarters area for the benefit of the many visitors. A large boat, supposed to represent a Viking ship, was awarded the first place. Second place was given to a canoe decorated with King Neptune upon a throne, and third place was awarded to a group of counsellors who are doing a number of special projects about the camp. These fellows are termed the "Mules." They had decorated a boat and canoe with as much of the equipment which they use in their projects as they could asemble. Special mention was made of a canoe of Ockanickon "braves."

Following this procession campers and visitors assembled in the bowl for the evening program. This consisted of songs and special scenes taken around the camp this year thrown on the screen. Following this Daniel Ross, personnel director of the John A. Roebling's Sons Company, at Trenton, told two stories—first a ghost story which held the audience spellbound and gave them all a thrill at the climax; the second a story of the Canadian Northwestern Mounted Police.

H. R. "Pop" Roney, of Haddonfield, was the speaker at the Chapel service on Chapel Island Sunday morning. There was also a special musical number by a choir of boys and a newly-acquired organ, which was accompanied by several violinists in leading the singing. The evening vesper services were conducted by two visitors representing the Friends' Committee in the Interest of World Peace. They presented some very interesting data in connection with the cost of past wars and what future wars might mean to civilization.

Electricity has been extended to the craft shop and will help tremendously in the program carried on there. Under special projects just completed in the craft shop is an Indian tom-tom to be used in the council ring ceremonies.

In the senior area campers completed last week a float which has been placed in the lake between the senior beach and the diving tower. This will aid much in the swimming, as it will make a stopping place for those who are swimming out to the diving tower.

A corral has been completed in connection with the horsemanship program. This will make the teaching of beginners in horsemanship much easier than out on the roads through the woods.

Two visitors from Germany arrived in camp on Monday. These young men are in this country as delegates to the World's Conference, which will be held in August at Toronto and Cleveland. They will stay at Ockanickon for some time and serve as counsellors so that they might become acquainted with some of the camp ideas of the Y.M.-C.A. of America.

The marker for the stone fireplace in the new nature study building, indicating that it is a memorial to Dr. and Mrs. Elmer D. Prickitt, presented by Miss Anna R. Deacon, of Mount Holly, has been received and is being affixed thereto.

MUCH INTEREST IN BEACH CAMPAIGN

Guards at Burlington Lakes Save Two Lives As Result Of Training

Unusual interest is being displayed in the Red Cross Life Saving Campaign this year, which on July first started on full time schedule under Victor H. Hartshorn, Trenton, as Instructor.

This is Mr. Hartshorn's fourth year as Instructor in Burlington County and it is largely due to his conscientious work and popularity that the activity is so successful.

This is what is known as "Beginners' Week," when those having charge of the various bathing beaches will endeavor to have as many children as possible pass the Beginner's Test. This consists of jumping into the water over their own head, levelling off, swimming 25 feet, making a sharp turn, and returning 25 feet; any kind of a stroke is permissible. Those passing this test will receive a large button, with the word "Beginner" thereon, which is issued by the National Red Cross.

John Knight, Jr., 87 Church street, George Rhawn, Jr., Riverbank, and William Taylor, Jr., all of Beverly, passed their Junior tests at Camp Mahalala, Wrightstown, during the past week; this camp has for its Examiner this year H. L. Hipple, Jr., of Ambler, Pa.

On June 27th James Pinto, Trenton, saved a girl of 17 from drowning at the Sylvan Lakes, Burlington, and Lawrence A. Hurl rescued a small child of 5, to whom first Aid had to be administered; both of these young men are Life Guards at the Sylvan Lakes, Burlington, and in 1930 passed their senior tests under Hartshorn.

Miss Mona J. Eckhardt, Moorestown, passed her examiner's test under the Burlington County Instructor and will have charge of the water activities at Camp Barta, Casco, Maine, for the summer.

J. Borton Wills, Media, Pa., who was formerly stationed at Camp Darkwater, Burlington County, will this year occupy a similar position at Pocono Lake Preserve, Pa.

CAMP HEADS PLAN FOR GIRLS' SEASON

Counsellors Outline Unique Program With Freedom to Choose Activities

Miss Susan Thomas, of Philadelphia, director of the Y.W.C.A. Camp at Ockanickon, August 13 to September 3, met with the camp leaders on Monday evening, June 29, at the Y.W.-C.A. in Camden.

The program this year will be unique in its opportunity of self-government and freedom in the choice of activities entered into by the girls. If a girl desires, for example, to spend a great amount of her time in developing her knowledge in nature she will be permitted to do this and thus perhaps spend only a small amount of time in handicraft, dramatics, or water sports. With the guidance of the many counselors, most of whom have had experience at Ockanickon, a girl will not spend all her time in an interest which is well known to her, but will be directed into some new activity.

Among the counsellors from Burlington county who are to be at Ockanickon, and who attended the meeting Monday night, are Margaret Jenkins, who returns for her third year as a member of the swimming staff; Ethel Townsend, of Columbus, who returns as office secretary, and Grace Whitelock, of Juliustown, who will again work on the religious program. Lydia McIlvaine, of New Lisbon, who has camped at Ockanickon for a number of years, goes back this year as a counsellor assisting in swimming.

Two new leaders from Burlington county are Mrs. Howard Sleeper, of Mount Holly, who will assist in canoeing, and Mary Clayberger, of Vincentown, who will be an assistant in horseback riding. Mrs. Edwin A. Russell, of Moorestown, will be the hostess for the first week, August 13 to 20.

Reports at the meeting showed a great interest on the part of girls as shown by the registration. The final date for registering is July 23, and girls who wish to register should get in touch with the county Y.W.C.A. office in Mount Holly as soon as possible.

Club Notes

Miss Margaret Jones, of Moorestown, who was the speaker at the supper meeting of the Mount Holly Business Girls at the Y.W.C.A. on Monday evening, June 29, led a most interesting discussion on "Our Place as Individuals in World Affairs."

The Rancocas Woman's Club met on Tuesday, June 30, at the home of Mrs. Florence Irwin, at one o'clock. The club was served a delicious luncheon following which they enjoyed a social time.

MT. HOLLY MAN DIES

Beverly C. Kingdom Victim of Heart Attack

Beverly C. Kingdom, Sr., 56, trust officer of the Farmers Trust Company of Mount Holly for many years, died of a heart attack Monday.

He was a son of Recorder Joseph C. Kingdom. He was organist and choir leader of St. Andrews' Episcopal Church until several years ago and was well known as a tennis and baseball player. He was a graduate of Mount Holly High School and Drexel Institute.

He suffered a heart attack Sunday night after visiting a girl's camp near Bristol, Pa., operated by his wife, Mabel.

In addition to his widow and father he is survived by two sons, Joseph C. Kingdom, Camden court stenographer, and Beverly C. Kingdom, Jr., a student at Drexel Institute.

CARRY SPARE AUTO LIGHT BULBS WHEN MOTORINNG IN PA.

Local motorists who visit Pennsylvania are advised by the Keystone Automobile Club of New Jersey to carry "spare" headlight bulbs in event of failure of their lighting equipment.

A strict campaign of headlight-enforcement has been inaugurated by the Highway Patrol, but the officers have been instructed to show leniency to drivers of "one-eyed" cars if they can show good faith by producing extra bulbs and remedying the defective light when it is called to their attention. Those who have not taken precaution against burned-out bulbs are deemed to be negligent and face arrest.

A maximum speed limit of 25 miles an hour is being enforced in Atlantic City and surrounding seashore points, while in Ocean City police are devoting considerable attention to enforcement of the "Stop street" law. As all the cross town streets between the ocean and the bay are marked with these signs, it is important that motorists be on the alert.

POWELL SUPPORTS CANAL PROJECT

State Senator Gets Promise That Borings Will Be Made

The fight for the proposed $100,000,000 ship canal across the State of New Jersey, as a link in the Atlantic inland water way system, has been renewed.

State Senator Clifford R. Powell, of Burlington county, and Walter Wood, rich utility man of Millville and Philadelphia, have obtained a promise from Maj. Gen. Lytle Brown, chief of army engineers, that "borings will be made and a detailed report on the project made to the next congress."

Powell and Wood called upon Brown and urged an early report on the progress of the project and said "New Jersey is prepared to carry out its promise to purchase right of way for the canal at a cost of more than $4,000,000.

The canal which would connect the Raritan Bay with the Delaware Bay would start at a point near Trenton. It is planned to use some existing waterways and terminate near Perth Amboy.

Completion of the proposed canal, would cut the distance from New York to Philadelphia by water from 274 miles to 87 miles proponents point out.

The New Jersey canal project has been under consideration for several years. Among the first to sponsor the move was Mayor Frederick W. Donnelly, of Trenton, and former Mayor J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, president of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association.

NEW LAW AFFECTS CAR BILL OF SALE

Papers Must Be Drawn By Authorized Automobile Dealers

Under a new motor vehicle law which became effective July 1 justices of the peace, attorneys, notaries and other officers, who formerly drew up bills of sale, lose that authority.

The new law provides that bills of sale must be drawn by authorized new car dealers. The forms are being provided by the State Department of Motor Vehicles.

The new law is aimed to put a stop to the sale of stolen automobiles in the state. The state commissioner of motor vehicles and his agents are charged with the strict enforcement of the law.

The penalties provided are severe, as a person may be fined for violating its provisions or serve two years in prison or both and the cancellation of title papers.

When individuals sell cars both the buyer and seller must go to the motor vehicle agency. The new act provides a bill of sale law division. The regular fee for drawing a bill of sale will be charged and 50 cents additional for filing. That fee is calculated to pay the costs of maintaining the law division.

When a person loses a bill of sale in the future he or she must apply to the motor vehicle agency and not to the seller of the car.

Papers issued by new car dealers to purchasers of automobiles must be filed with the motor vehicle department within five days, otherwise an application must be made to the state commissioner at Trenton for permission for filing.

Where a motor vehicle is in the possession of a garage keeper, dealer or service station a paper signed by the person delivering the car must be presented to the motor vehicle agency. This must be accompanied by the title papers.

Duplicate bills of sale must be filed whether the car is registered or not. Original bills of sale can be issued by authorized dealers for the make of car for which he is the agent, and no other make.

MAN FINED AT DELANCO ON CHARGE BY SISTER

Charged with assault and battery, John McCann, of Forked Landing road, Cinnaminson township, was fined $25 and costs by Justice of the Peace Harry McCloskey, of Beverly. McCann was arrested by Troopers Joseph Armino and Thomas Forkin, of the Delanco State Police barracks, on the complaint of his sister, Anna McCann, of Philadelphia, who alleged he beat her. A counter-complaint charging her with disorderly conduct was preferred against Miss McCann by her brother and she was fined $7.50 and costs by McCloskey.



PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER

Founder, Burlington County Aero Club

If you were not among those present at the Moorestown Airport of the Burlington County Aero Club over last weekend, you missed a mighty good show. The three parachute jumps made by "Buddy" Baetzel were thrilling and brilliantly executed. The bomb dropping contest was exciting, and considering the boys had never bombed a mark before they did good work. The aerial acrobatics performed by Chief Pilot Jim Erdman were the work of a master. It is estimated that close to 3,000 automobiles were parked on the field during the two days. We hope you enjoyed the show and that you will come over often.

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Viva! Post and Gatty, Hoirlis and Hillig. Your flights were magnificent and surely thrilled the entire world. Who is next?

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Remember the note in this column last week about our neighbor who wouldn't fly? Well, he went up on Sunday while we were away. Can you imagine that? Did he enjoy his flight and does he go for flying in a big way now? The next time you see Wally Hawley, of North Washington avenue, Moorestown, just ask him.

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One of the officials of Pitcairn Aircraft, Inc., is commutting daily to his summer home in Ocean City in an Auto-Giro. He lands the ship on the beach, taxies up to his front door and ties down the ship for the night. Some people get all the breaks. Of course, we are envious. Who wouldn't be?

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We welcome Albert Dotts, of Audubon, and R. B. Kitzinger, of Philadelphia, to membership in the Burlington County Aero Club. Dotts is a photographer and took motion pictures of the flying activities and parachute jumping at the Moorestown Airport last Saturday and Sunday.

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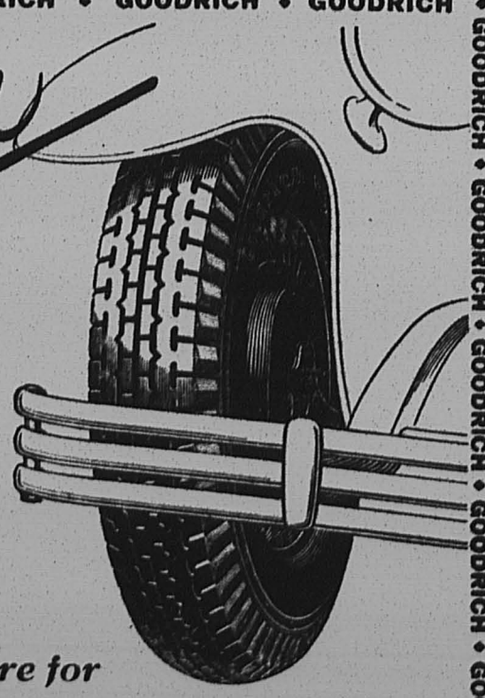
Through the medium of an excellent loud-speaking unit and amplifiers it was possible to keep the crowd at the Moorestown Airport entertained every minute. All the air maneuvers, etc., were explained in detail. This, together with radio music, was thoroughly enjoyed by the big crowd.

C. G. Swan, of Chicago, is not only honest but has a good memory. He recently sent a Polk street restaurant $2 for a 30-cent lunch he ate there 36 years ago and failed to pay for

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33,000 CARS USE PALMYRA BRIDGE IN HOLIDAY RUSH

Set New Three-Day Record, Carrying 8,000 More Than For Same Period in 1930

NEW MARK ALSO SET ON PHILADELPHIA SPAN

Local Police Handle Unusually Heavy Traffic on New Road Without Accident

The Tacony-Palmyra bridge carried its full share of the 1,000,000 persons who are estimated to have traveled to New Jersey shore resorts last weekend.

During the three day period beginning last Friday, more than 33,000 automobiles crossed the Palmyra span, either to or from the numerous seashore cities. This mark by far eclipses the mark set at the same period last year.

For the three-day holiday of 1930, 24,600 automobiles used the Palmyra bridge. This number was greatly increased because of the fact that the Fourth of July fell on Friday and enabled many to make a prolonged weekend pleasure trip.

Last season's mark for this period was the highest to be attained up to that time, the previous record being set on the weekend of the bridge opening.

Most of the traffic last week used the newly completed underpass at West Palmyra and police reported no difficulty in handling the heavy traffic.

Over the same three day period last week, the Camden bridge handled a total of 153,162 vehicles without an accident. This mark is also higher than last year's, when 149,012 automobiles used the span. The bridge police at the Camden span said that not even a single bumping of cars was reported, although it was one of the heaviest travel periods in the history of the bridge.

The passenger automobile traffic was greatly augmented by the bus lines, which used all vehicles available to carry the holiday pleasure seekers. A ten-minute schedule was followed by many of the lines. Ferries also reported heavy traffic, many persons using them to escape bridge traffic jams.

It was estimated that 300,000 people journeyed to Atlantic City to spend the holidays, while 200,000 others traveled to Wildwood over the weekend. The West Jersey and Seashore branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad reported 165,000 persons traveled over the lines in the three day rush, necessitating the use of 375 cars, 60 Pullman cars, 60 locomotives, and 80 train crews. The Reading carried 70000 passengers in the holiday jam.

In addition to these, numerous excursions from New York and other points brought large numbers to the shore resorts. On some branches it was impossible to find enough railroad cars to accomodate the shore bound travelers and train schedules were badly disrupted.

The management of the Crescent airport reported that nearly 400 persons had traveled to the shore via airplane.

OWEN MERRILL IN OCEAN RACE

Riverton Man on One of Ten Yawls in Trans-Atlantic Contest

Riverton can claim a real sailor, the kind boys thrill to read about in the days of clipper ships and four-mast schooners.

Owen Merrill, 22 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Merrill, of Third and Main streets, Riverton, is now upon the broad expanse of the Atlantic scudding along in a 52 foot yawl, one of a fleet of ten racing across the Atlantic.

Young Merrill is assistant navigator on the yawl "Dorade" and is one of a crew of seven. The "Dorade" is dependent entirely upon the winds for her propulsion, having no auxiliary power.

The fleet left Newport ten o'clock last Saturday, with Plymouth, England, as its goal a distance of 2950 nautical miles, estimated to be covered in from three to six weeks.

Two of the fleet of ten boats are English ships. Upon arrival this fleet expects to participate in the Fastnet race off England.

The crew of the "Dorade" is made up of young men who have been in at least two of the Bermuda races, and who are able to qualify as experienced sailors.

Their only communication with the outside world is by means of a small wireless receiving set which enables them to keep posted on the weather reports. Passing ships will probably flash news of their progress from time to time.

The ships are provisioned for a voyage lasting not longer than six weeks.

Young Merrill is a natural born sailor, a lover of ships who already has had many lively experiences following the sea.

Merrill graduated from Palmyra High School in the class of 1926, and has shipped with Laddie Dickinson on several voyages to the Orient.

BANK VICE-PRESIDENT

The directors of the First National Bank and Trust Company of Beverly have elected T. Sherman Borden of Beverly, vice-president to fill the vancancy caused by the recent death of John T. Morrell. Borden has been a director of the bank for 22 years.

GOLD STAR MOTHERS



(Left to right) Mrs. Mary Moeser, Mrs. Cecil Kelly, Mrs. Samuel E. Kennedy, who were the honored guests at the Dedication Exercises at Memorial Park, July 4th. Each is holding a bouquet of rose buds presented by Killam E. Bennett from the citizens of Riverton.

FINE ATTENDANCE AT PLAYGROUND

Total for Five Days Reaches 1250—Many Contests Planned

The Riverton Memorial Park playground which was opened on Monday, June 29th for the summer, has already proven its popularity as a recreational center. A total attendance of 1250 was recorded for the five days from June 29 to July 3, inclusive. The method for computing the attendance is the same as was followed last summer; that is, if a boy or girl was present during all three sessions of the day, he is counted three times.

Among the many activities which the park has to offer, swimming and tennis have proven overwhelming favorites, although the various other games, including paddle tennis, croquet, quoits and volley ball are in almost constant use.

Many boys and girls are expected to qualify for the various awards given by the playground. The Red Cross Swimmers' and Life Savers' badges will probably find many new wearers before the end of the season as daily practice in these events is being held.

The Athletic Badge Tests of the National Recreation and Playground Association are being practiced for diligently by the boys and girls who plan to win these awards. The winning of any of these badges may be considered as a real feat, as the tests are national in scope and the passing of them requires considerable skill.

The tennis court is constantly in use, and tournaments for men, boys and girls have been arranged. Practically all the first round in the boys' class has been completed with the following results: R. Borer defeated H. Reynolds, 6-0, 6-1; R. Wallace defeated R. Cole, 7-5, 6-1; J. Reynolds defeated H. Turner, 7-5, 6-4; E. Dunlap won from R. Teeple by default; G. Reynolds defeated J. Gibson 6-1, 6-0; I. Brennan defeated E. Wallace, 7-5, 6-3; R. Troutman defeated P. McDermott, 6-0, 6-1.

Three matches in the men's division have been played. R. Gros defeated C. Ellzey 6-0, 6-2; E. Wallace, defeated E. Hutchins, 6-0, 6-1; and V. Hackett turned in a hard-fought victory over G. Lathbury 6-1,6-4. The later rounds of these tournaments should provide some real entertainment for devotees of the net game.

Several other interesting events are planned for the weeks to follow, including tournaments in quoits, hop scotch, paddle tennis and croquet.

Supervisors Maxine Metzner and C. Richard Snyder are planning a big special surprise feature for the middle of the summer, and they hope special surprise feature for the midst to be able to announce what the nature of this surprise will be by next week. With the excellent interest that has already been manifested in all the activities of the park, a busy and interesting summer is predicted.

MRS. MATLACK FIRST WOMAN SURROGATE

Widow Will Serve Out Term of Late Official's at $6,000 Per Year

Governor Larson last week appointed Mrs. Elizabeth Matlack, widow of the late Surrogate Micajah E. Matlack, to serve out the unexpired term of her husband. This action was taken after Senator Powell and Republican County Chairman Stout, speaking for the county organization, had recommended Mrs. Matlack's appointment. Confirmation by the Senate was not required.

County Judge Rigg administered the oath of office to Mrs. Matlack and she became the first woman Surrogate ever to serve in Burlington county and, probably in the state.

The new official immediately announced that Miss Mary E. Weest, would be continued as Deputy Surrogate. The latter has had long experience in the office routine and Orphans' Court matters and will doubtless relieve Mrs. Matlack of many of the cares and responsibilities of her important post.

Mrs. Matlack will hold office until after the election of her successor at the general election in November. Coroner George B. Bitting, of Mount Holly, whose election is conceded, and the Democratics have put up former Prosecutor Jonathan H. Kelsey, who while having many friends in the county can hardly expect to make much of a dent upon the twelve thousand or more normal Republican majority.

The Surrogate's salary is $6,000 per annum and the full term is for five years.

RIVERTON COPS ARREST THREE

Disorderly Cases Furnish Most Material for Police Docket This Past Week

Several minor offenses were handled through the Riverton police court this past week.

Lee A. Williams, of 902 Main street, Riverton, was arrested by Chief of Police Miller and was charged with being disorderly. At a hearing before Police Recorder Cecil A. Bowers he was fined $7.00 and costs.

July 3rd Rider Coleman, colored, residing at East Riverton, was arrested by Officer John Robinson and charged with being drunk and disorderly. At a hearing before Recorder Bowers he was discharged on a suspended sentence and placed on three months' probation.

About 10:00 p. m., July Fourth, Philip Rusciti, of 111 Grant street, Riverside, reported that his car had been stolen while watching the fireworks. Robinson and Gootee soon located his car parked at Fourth and Thomas avenue, apparently where he had left it. In the meantime Chief Miller had flashed messages to nearby towns through the State Police teletype system.

Narzzoreno Nearino, of 4702 North Worth street, Philadelphia, was arrested Monday by Officer Robinson charged with being disorderly. Before Bowers he was fined $3.00 and released.

Chief Miller reports that he has at headquarters a pair of tortoise shell glasses found at Memorial Park on the Fourth. The owner may have them by communicating with Chief Miller.

JAP BEETLE MAY STILL BE CHECKED

Use of Proper Sprays Can Definitely Restrict Insects' Destruction

Japanese beetle destruction of garden plants foliage, which already has reached a stage alarming to residents of many parts of southern New Jersey, can be definitely restricted by the home gardener through the use of proper sprays, according to advice issued by the State Department of Agriculture.

Ornamental and shade trees, flower plants, and most non-bearing fruit trees and berry bushes should be sprayed with coated lead arsenate at the rate of two level teaspoonfuls per quart of water, the department points out. The home gardener can use inexpensive spraying equipment, although where spraying equipment with high pressure delivery may be obtained, its use is preferable.

The use of mosquito netting is the most effective way of protecting the opening blooms of roses and other flowers, the department says. Roses intended for indoor display should be removed from plants before the opening of the blossoms. Other information on the treatment of garden plants and non-commercial fruit holdings are given in Circular No. 176, "Japanese Beetle Spraying Recommendations for the Protection of Ornamental Trees and Shrubs and Non-Commercial Fruit Holdings," which may be obtained without charge by writing to the Department of Agriculture, Trenton.

In addition to spraying, the placing of baited beetle traps on premises heavily infested with Japanese beetles is commended by the department. However, because the traps attract beetles, their use is not advised on lawns or in gardens where only few beetles are present. The traps are effective in diminishing the beetle population.

Where traps are used and in other places where beetles are abundant, the females lay quantities of eggs just below the surface of the soil. The grubs which hatch from the eggs do great damage to lawns and the Department of Agriculture advises that steps be taken to check their destructive work. Commercial lead arsenate applied at the rate of five pounds per 1,000 square feet is effective in this respect.

An explanation of Japanese beetle control measures and an account of the life history of the insect are given in Circular No. 180, "Facts About the Japanese Beetle," which also may be obtained without charge by writing to the Department of Agriculture, Trenton.

DEFENDS AMERICA AND ITS IDEALS

Fourth of July Speaker Points Out Dangers Within Our Gates

The following address was delivered by the Rev. George Lockett, of Palmyra, at the patriotic services on the river bank, Riverton, Fourth of July morning.

"Today we celebrate the 155th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. From those early days, when our numbers were few, we have grown to be a great nation with more than 120 million people. One hundred and fifty-five years ago we declared our independence from the mother land. A few days ago, the Prime Minister of that same country said, 'The United States is the greatest Nation which now exists on the face on the earth.'

"There are various views regarding the greatness of a nation, some think wealth makes a nation great. If that is true we have that requisite for greatness; for, notwithstanding the depression through which we have passed, we are the best fed, the best clothed, the best housed and the most accustomed to luxuries of all the people of the earth. Only a few weeks ago a visiting English financier said, "If what I have seen in the United States is depression, I wish we had it in our land; we could pay some of our National debts with it."

"Some think speed makes a nation great, if so, again we can claim greatness. It seems the slogan is 'step on the gas.' You hear it everywhere. We can speed things up in this country and just to prove how speedy we were, two men circled the world, covering a distance of 15 474 miles in 8 days, 15 hours and 51 minutes.

"But neither wealth nor speed decide a nation's greatness, for wealth may mean ease and luxury and perhaps decay. 'Woe be that land to every ill a prey, where wealth accumulates and men decay.' And perhaps speed is not always to be desired. The question is this, is the man who can drive his automobile 60 miles an hour any better himself than the men who drove the ox team 8 miles an hour? For the strength of a nation is in its citizens; that nation is great that has a great citizenship.

"The history of this land can be written around great personalities; our neighboring town, Burlington, recently celebrated its 254th anniversary. What are the names of its famous men? William Penn, Captain Lawrence; John Woolman who was interested in the cause of freedom and helped to establish the first Indian Reservation in the United States.

"The need of the present hour is great personalities, outstanding men. We have a great leader in Herbert Hoover. The nations of the earth have acclaimed him as a world benefactor, **but his great fight and ours is not against foreign powers, but enemies within; those who would destroy law, American institutions, business and life itself; the racketeer, the gangster, the bootlegger, these are our great enemies; we must battle against them. The true American is law abiding, has high ideals, he loves his country.**

"Texas alone could hold and support the entire population of Great Britain, but our country is too small for those who will not obey our laws, we have no room for those who would destroy character, law, our American institutions and those things which are fundamental for the success of this Republic.

"The battle is within our own land. We must hand down the flag to the next generation with the same honor and glory it was handed to us. We shall win the victory, for millions upon millions in the great Republic have not bowed their knees to the gods of evil and to those things which debase and destroy; but still keep the Faith of the Father of this Republic and swear their allegiance to the Flag and for the Republic for which it stands."

COUNTY ODD FELLOWS TO PICNIC SATURDAY

100 From Palmyra Expected to Attend Annual Affair at Cedar Lake

The Palmyra lodge of Odd Fellows is expected to be well represented at the annual picnic which is scheduled to be held Saturday.

Cedar Lake is the place chosen for this year's affair. The yearly event takes the form of a rally for members throughout the county and about 500 county members are expected to be present. Of this number, more than a hundred are expected to make the trip from Palmyra.

The cars leaving from Palmyra are scheduled to start from the station at two o'clock, in order to give members making the trip a long afternoon and evening in which to enjoy themselves.

INTOXICATED DRIVER CAUGHT NEAR BRIDGE

Companion Also Arrested Sunday Night on Charge of Drunkenness

Two intoxicated occupants of a motor car were arrested by Officer Joseph Rodgers, of Palmyra, Sunday night.

Gus Scheerbaun, 139 East Westmoreland street, Philadelphia, the driver was arrested on a drunken driving charge after he was seen steering unsteadily on the bridge road. At a hearing before Justice of the Peace William L. Pichter Monday morning, he was committed to 30 days in the Mount Holly jail in default of $200 fine and costs.

His companion, George Gamble, of the same address, was fined $5 and costs by Pichter for drunkenness. He paid his fine and was released.

CO. BIBLE CLASSES HOLD LARGE MEETING

The Rev. Dr. Elwood A. Harrar Addresses Gathering at Marlton

About three hundred persons attended the meeting of the Burlington County Federation of Men's Bible Classes held in the Grove of the Marlton Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

The Rev. Dr. Elwood T. Harrar, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Camden, was the speaker of the occasion. His topic was "Will A Man Rob Society?"

The Rev. Mr. McGeorge, of Moorestown, and the Rev. Mr. Tomlinson, of Marlton, also made a few remarks to the gathering.

The boy's Band of the N. J. State Colony at Four Mile rendered some excellent music for the occasion.

Those from Palmyra and Riverton who attended were as follows: George N. Wimer, president of the County Federation; A. C. Giberson, Mr. Lucas, Thomas VanOsten and Walton Taylor, all of Palmyra; and Capt. William Tyler, of Riverton.

The next meeting of the association will probably be held at the Delanco Camp Meeting grounds Sunday, August 2. More details of the meeting will be printed later.

RECEIVES PATENTS

Riverton Man One of Burlington County Inventors Granted Rights

Two inventors, William D. La Rue, of Maple Shade, and Herman Hollerith, Jr., of Riverton, have been awarded rights by the United States Patent Office for their inventions designed for use on phonographs and talking machines.

Hollerith was granted his patent for an invention of a casing-cover locking device designed to support talking machines covers.

La Rue received recognition for his invention of a stroboscopic testing system and apparatus.

Both men have assigned the rights to the use of their inventions to R-CA Victor Company.

Benjamin F. Seaman

Benjamin F. Seaman, 63, caretaker of the old schoolhouse on Church road, near Medford, for William H. Seybolt, 2638 Clearfield street, Philadelphia, died in Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly, Saturday three hours after he was admitted.

Dr. Frank Wood and Dr. R. D. A. Bisson said the man's death was due to poisoning and a post-mortem was ordered by Coroner William P. Young.

Seybolt found Seaman ill in the house and gave first aid for an hour before taking him to the hospital.

Temporary Officer Assumed Duties This Week on Palmyra Police Force

John Ryan Has Excellent Army Record at Mexican Border and In France: Is Native Philadelphian, Has Resided in Palmyra for Over Two Years

The Palmyra police force has been augmented temporarily by the appointment of another officer within the past week. The new officer will serve during the summer months when traffic is heaviest and when the other officers are off duty enjoying vacations.

The "cop," John Ryan, is a native of Philadelphia. He has made an acquaintance with firearms and patrolling duties as an enlisted man in the United States army.

Ryan left his first position, that with the Postal Telegraph company, when trouble started on the Mexican border. He was sent to aid in restoring order along the Mexican line, and was a "buck" private in the Sixth Infantry.

When the Mexican issue had been settled he was honorably discharged from the army on March 2, 1917, to be almost immediately recalled when war was declared with Germany. As a member of the same organization he was among the first to reach France.

He served on foreign soil for more than a year, receiving two wounds during that time. During his continued service as a member of Uncle Sam's fighting corps, he was promoted to a corporal's rank and later to the rank of sergeant. A further promotion was made when he was made "top" or first sergeant, the highest non-commissioned officer's rank in the army.

At the close of the war, Ryan attended Temple University for one and a half years, at the end of that time accepting a position with the firm of Albert Gentel, Inc., electrical contractors of Philadelphia.

After five years service with the Philadelphia concern, he moved to Riverside to accept a job with the Riverside Metal Company. He was working at the Riverside company until six months ago when he was among the large number of employees laid off because of the business depression. From that time until his appointment to the Palmyra police force he has been unemployed.

He has been a member of the Post Rodgers' Bugle and Drum Corps almost since its organization. He has been active in the corps since the time of his joining the musical unit. Ryan, in speaking of the corps, said, "I get a bigger kick out of the Legion Bugle Corps and police duty than out of anything else I ever did."

Ryan moved to Palmyra slightly more than two years ago, and he and Mrs. Ryan are now living at 31 Pear street.

All the 250 waitresses of a chain of London restaurants bobbed their hair within three days after rules against bobbing were rescinded.

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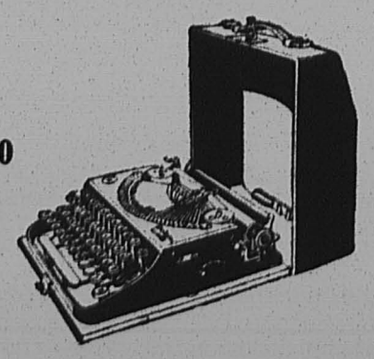
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BURLINGTON COUNTY PARKS

The Burlington County Parks Council does not approve of the expenditure of any large sum on the immediate construction of a parks system.

It has no intention of asking the voters to undertake any large improvement program at this time. The underlying purpose is to make preparation for the future so when an increased population finds itself with need of open spaces there will be ample recreational areas available, without the purchase of expensive land.

No one should be led to believe the council expects Burlington county to duplicate the marvelous parks system of Union, or other North Jersey counties. There is, as yet, no such need for an extensive park development.

But the time will come when this section will need recreational areas even more than our sister communities do now. The parks council hopes to provide the means to meet this need when it arises.

A more immediate objective of the council is the creation of a Burlington County Parks Commission. This can only be done with the consent of the voters of the county.

Such a commission would have the necessary legal status to accept gifts of land and otherwise form the nucleus of a parks sytem.

It is said there is now a considerable acreage of land along the stream valleys of the county which owners would be glad to give to such a commission. Other ground could be acquired from time to time as conditions would permit.

In the beginning a parks commission would probably limit itself to providing small parks, such as was opened at Riverton on the Fourth, in the vicinity of the county's largest communities.

HE WASN'T DEAD

Newspapers this week featured the sensations of a Philadelphian who had been "dead" nine hours.

"Peaceful oblivion and a long sleep in which there are no dreams," was his description of his near journey into the Great Beyond.

All of which is of no particular value to folks who are curious as to what are the experiences of those who depart from this life.

In the first place, the man was not dead. A sufficient spark of life remained for expert medical attention to bring him back to conscious life.

What he experienced during his period of unconsciousness was the same that anyone who has become unconscious undergoes.

Even the dreams which we think we have when we are asleep are said by many scientists to occur in the brief period of awakening, the borderland between real sleep and wakefullness.

Perhaps the physical experience of those who pass over into the bourne from which no man returneth are the same as those who merely become unconscious, but to be sure one must try it for himself and he will not be able to regale his friends with an account of his sensations.

SEVENTEEN YEARS AFTER

In discussing the Hoover Moratorium plan, the Camden Courier says, editorially:

"With statesmen everywhere admitting that Germany was not solely to blame for the war; with a report resting in vaults at Washington which is said to show, officially, that all the European nations were equally at fault, stumbling into the conflict through clumsiness rather than intention."

Seventeen years after that dread July and August of 1914 when the nations of Europe were declaring war on one another and the sympathy of the United States had veered strongly to the Entente Allies, newspapers can print such statements and not be criticised.

But then it was all Germany's fault, and anyone who dared say otherwise was little short of "traitor."

The one big thing at the outset of the war which set the neutral nations of the world, especially the United States, against Germany, was the violation of the neutrality of Belgium, which had been guaranteed by treaty.

Berlin claimed there was proof that France and England, with the acquiescence of Belgium, planned to march through Belgium to attack Germany on her most weakly defended border. This France, England and Belgium stoutly and indignantly denied. Yet, since the war is now history, there have been many statements tending to prove there was some truth in the German contention.

But when nations are set on sending their men to die on the battlefields, and to burn up the toil of future generations in the munitions and machines of war, it seems that truths are not always welcome.

Revelations of later years cause one to wonder if all that bloodshed and sacrifice could not and should not have been averted, perhaps merely by common honesty.

TODAY and TOMORROW

MIGRATION

There is a "back-to-the-land" movement actively in progress in the East. Within the past three months sixteen farms within five miles of my own have been sold to people who have been working in the factories in the industrial cities of Massachusetts.

I talked with one of these newcomers the other day. "I'm an electrician," he said. "When times are good I have a job in an electrical equipment factory. When times are bad I'm out of a job. We have been saving, my wife and I, to buy a house in town. Then we began to consider what good a town house would be to us if I didn't have a job. On the farm we can at least feed ourselves and our three children, and we're near enough to town so that when things pick up I can go back to my job and come home every night. I'm not a farmer, but my wife is country bred and I'm not afraid of work."

We are going to hear more of this sort of thing. In the old days the "landless man" was regarded as a social outcast. The only really independent man today is the one who can get his own living, in a pinch, from his own land.

HOUSES

I saw the beginning of a revolution the other day in Wilmington, Delaware. It is a house, a small, one-family house, the frame of which is made of pressed steel shapes. Two young men put the frame of the house together with bolts in a couple of days' time. It was as easy as a boy playing with one of the popular structural toys.

These amateur builders are using only materials which call for no skilled labor in completing their house. Factory-made roofing, siding, insulating material, wall-board and flooring will give them, they say, a more substantial house than most, and at much lower cost than a house built in the usual manner.

I heard of other experiments in factory-built homes. Engineers, architects and manufacturers are about ready to offer better homes at less money.

WORK

The five-day week for factory workers is already established in many large industries and in some of the building trades. It will not be long before nobody works on Saturday.

The eight-hour working day, for which the labor unions fought for so many years, seems about to be shortened. The Kellogg Company of Battle Creek is the first large concern to try the six-hour day. The factory runs twelve hours, in two shifts. There is no time out for meals. The company reports that even with an increase of one-eighth in the basic wage rate the overhead and operating cost per unit of production is lower than under the eight-hour plan.

Watch for the shortening of the working day by other industries.

SHOES

Shoes are cheaper than ever before, and the tendency is still downward.

At the same time, a fashionable Fifth Avenue custom shoemaker has recently raised his minimum price for a pair of ladies' shoes from $75 to $100 a pair.

The latest thing to make shoes cheaper is the glued-on sole. A new adhesive, developed in the DuPont laboratories and now in use by some 70-odd shoe factories, fastens the sole to the upper without the use of tacks, pegs or stitches. It is said to be waterproof, flexible and permanent.

There will always be a few people who will pay fancy prices for handmade goods, but the big money is made by those who find a better way to make things cheaper.

FISH

Fish ought to be the cheapest of all foods, instead of being one of the most expensive, as it is in all large cities and in towns away from the commercial fisheries. It is one food crop which requires no planting or cultivation.

The reason for the high cost is the perishable nature of fish and the expense of keeping it iced. Experiments with the quick freezing of fish by carbon dioxide snow or "dry ice" indicate that the flavor can be preserved and deterioration prevented in a way which makes the cost of handling and shipping much lower than previously.

Before long fresh fish of the most popular food varieties will be available everywhere at a cost to compete with meat. But no fish ever bought in a market tastes half so good as the ones you catch yourself!

TRENTON NEWS LETTER

Trenton—July 1—Solidarity of the Republicans of the state was never so clearly or so emphatically demonstrated as in the special session of the legislature when the bills creating a new Delaware River Joint Commission and assuring rapid transit for South Jersey were put across in swift time and without a word member in either house.

The Democrats made a futile gesture of opposition, playing the political game to the limit, but they were so overwhelmingly outvoted that they gave up in complete surrender. In the final action the main bill, transferring the power and authority over the Delaware river bridge, at Camden, from the old board to the new—with the same efficient personnel—the vote in the Assembly was 53 to 3 and in the Senate 16 to one.

During the debate in the house Democratic Leader Greenburg made a boomerang break when he claimed that the whole scheme was sponsored by David Baird, Jr., the candidate for Governor, for political reasons. Assemblyman Bleakley, of Camden, shot back that there was no politics in the movement, but only a plan to make progress in the the lower part of the state. It was, indeed, true that Mr. Baird had devoted much time and energy to the accomplishment of the desired result and the people of the whole state would undoubtedly give him all due credit for the effective work he had done.

The new act gives the new commission power to construct all necessary connections over the bridge with the rapid transit system in Philadelphia, with a terminal in Camden, thus affording accommodations for many thousands of people in the lower counties and giving more thousands from Philadelphia and Pennsylvania better, quicker means of travel into New Jersey. The only objections raised by the Democrats appeared to be that the present Commission is retained, but even Mr. Greenburg was obliged to admit that the board had always been above criticism and had performed a splendid piece of work.

He endeavored to tack on amendments giving the appointive power to the Governor and launched forth into cheap political palaver which called forth the objections of Mr. Altman, of Atlantic. Mr. Greenburg also seemed to desire to give the Governor the veto power over the the board, but Br. Bleakley fully explained that this power remains with the Legislature since the board cannot undertake any new projects without the authority of the Legislature, subject to the approval of the Governor.

It was rather significant that after the amendments were defeated Mr. Greenburg himself voted for the measure and only three Democrats opposed it, showing that they were not in unison.

WAY OF LIFE
BY
BRUCE BARTON

What Does It Matter?

Last summer there was a water shortage in a town where I was visiting.

I happened to be chatting with my host, who is a noted man, while he was shaving, and I noticed how careful he was to use very little water.

"It seems sort of silly for you to be so conscientious," I remarked. "After all, the few drops that you conserve won't make any difference."

"They don't make any difference in the final result," he said, "but they make a lot of difference to me."

When he saw from my expression that I did not quite get his meaning, he proceeded to give me his philosophy of life.

He said that when he graduated from college ,a quarter of a century from college, a quarter of a century popular emphasis upon so-called "social service."

Science had begun to introduce wonderful new inventions for increasing human happiness. Men were stirred by the hope of a quick millennium. Young people graduated with the notion that a few years of earnest effort would transform the world.

My friend was one of the most eager of the reformers. He organized, and voted, and agitated, and did all the things that he should. But nothing happened. The good candidates for whom he cast his vote were defeated. The good causes made slow progress. Human nature showed a discouraging unwillingness to change.

"I went through a period of deep disillusionment," he said. "I thought to myself, what's the use of doing anything when one's single effort seems is futile?

"One day while I was in this mood I discovered these words of Socrates:

'I, therefore, . . . consider how I may exhibit my soul before the judge in a healthy condition. Wherefore, disregarding the honors that most men value, and looking to the truth, I shall endeavor in reality to live as virtuously as I can; and when I die, to die so. And I invite all other men, to the utmost of my power; . . . to this contest, which, I affirm, surpasses all contests here.'

"That flashed across my mind like a bolt of lightning," my friend continued. "It clarified everything.

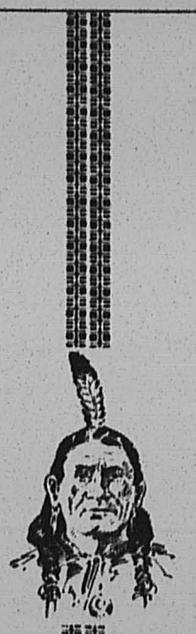
"I realized that I am not responsible for the success or failure of any good cause. All I am responsible for is my own best effort in that cause. Whether my vote be effective or not; whether the amount of water I can save will make any difference—these are not the questions.

"The only question is: Am I doing my best?

"That discovery gave me great comfort," he concluded. "Maybe you could use it in one of your editorials?"

"Many thanks," I answered. "I can."

Describing himself as the "world's happiest man," George L. Norris, of Chicago, ordered the following sentence on his tombstone: "G. L. Norris never knew his advice to go wrong."



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EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fifty-fourth of a series of articles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles written to familiarize New Jersey motorists with the regulations which govern their conduct and increase their safety on the highways.

54. HUMANS TO BLAME

The record of motor vehicle accidents in this country last year discloses a triumvirate of increases covering the number of accidents, fatalities and injuries. With the registration of cars showing a gain of less than 1 per cent and the consumption of gasoline a decrease of around 10 per cent, carelessness and overconfidence are found as the result of a study of state reports to be the principal cause of the greater number of mishaps, deaths and injuries, a recent insurance company bulletin points out.

Nearly 89 percent of the 32,500 persons killed in automobile accidents last year were the victims of motor vehicles that were apparently in good mechanical condition at the time of the mishap, it is shown by an analysis of state accident statistics extended through mathematical calculation by insurance actuaries to cover the whole country.

This means that in the death of more than 28,000 persons, the cars involved had nothing wrong with them which contributed to the cause of the accident.

No Apparent Defects

By far the largest percentage of persons injured in automobile accidents during the year were either the occupants of cars or hit by cars that had no apparent mechanical defects. The analysis indicates that nearly 95 per cent of the injured toll of more than 960,000 were the victims of automobiles in good condition.

In only about one-fifth of the total number of fatal cases did weather conditions play any part, as the study of the records as based upon state reports reveals that fully 80 per cent of the fatal accidents happened under clear weather. Nearly 83 per cent of the non-fatal accidents occurred under clear weather conditions.

Road conditions in both fatal and non fatal accidents were also ideal for the most part, the figures revealing that in practically 80 per cent of the mishaps causing fatalities road surfaces were dry, and that in more than 80 per cent of the non-fatal accidents the same thing was true.

Night Driving Increasing

That night driving is becoming more prevalent and therefore may be taken as one reason for the increase in accidents is indicated by the record of mishaps as to the time of day. Nearly 53 out of every 100 persons killed during the year were involved in accidents during the presence of daylight. Five persons out of every 100 were killed in accidents which happened in the twilight zone between the passing of daylight and the fall of night, while 42 out of every 100 fatalities occurred during night time. The statistics are only slightly different when it comes to an analysis of the non-fatal accident victims, slightly more than three-fifths of the injured toll of more than 960,000 being hurt in daytime accidents, 4 per cent during the falling of dusk, and 35 per cent at night.

For every two so-called minor injuries suffered by the victims of accidents during the year, it is found that one severe injury was sustained. Out of the total of more than 960,000 persons hurt, more than 12,000 suffered fractured skulls, while nearly a thousand suffered fractures of the spine. Nearly 78,000 fractures of other parts of the body were sustained, while concussion of the brain numbered more than 8,000. The number of persons suffering from severe general shock contusions and lacerations was around 240,000. Internal injuries totalled more than 10,000 cases. Among the so-called minor injuries there were more than 210,000 victims of dislocation and sprain.

In a divorce suit in Chicago, Jay D. Weaver charges that his wife tried to take his life with gas but his dog saved it by arousing him.

Accustomed to tea since his childhood, John Rodgers, of Los Angeles, said in a divorce suit that his wife insisted on giving him coffee and thereby spoiled his pleasure in life.

Dr. Judge's Josh.

Chlorinda—So there was some hot necking at your house last night?

Ehmeralda—Yeah. Uncle George got too near the gas jet with his celluloid collar!

Movie Director—We want an audience for the opera scene.

Casting Director—Any particular types?

Movie Director—No, just anybody who can cough.

Lawyer (taunting witness)—Have you ever been in jail?

Witness—Yes, sir; once.

Lawyer—Ah! For how long?

Witness—Just long enough to whitewash a cell which was to be occupied by a lawyer who had robbed dozens of his clients.

Passenger (asking for third time)—Have we reached No. 234 Prospect street yet?

Conductor—Yes, ma'am. Here you are. (Stops car).

Passenger—Oh, I didn't want to get out. I wanted to show my little doggie where he was born.

Three billion dollars in cash and securities were safely transferred from an old bank building to a new one in New York. The only precautions taken were the use of 18 steel, bullet-proof vault cars, each with five guards armed with machine guns and tear bombs, and a number of policemen along the route carrying sawed-off shot guns.



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PALMYRA NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hartung, of Baltimore, Md., enjoyed the weekend with relatives in Palmyra.

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The St. Agnes Guild of Christ Church, Palmyra, will hold no meetings during the month of August.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Scandlin and daughter, of Seminole, Okla., spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. George Malley and son, of Palmyra.

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The In-As-Much Bible Class of the Epworth M. E. Sunday School will hold its annual picnic next Wednesday at Wissonoming Park, Frankford. Members will meet at Palmyra station at 10:00 a. m. Box luncheons will be taken.

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Little Jean Griscom, of Fifth street and Horace avenue, had the misfortune to fall and break her left arm while at play last Thursday. She was treated by Dr. Dean H. LeFavor.

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Mr and Mrs. Theodore Meyer and son, of Egg Harbor, Miss Josephine Parthemore, of Harrisburg and Mr. and Mrs. George Cross, of Frankford, were Fouth of July guests at the home of Julius Woidill.

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Miss Dorothea and Miss Ruth Patterson enjoyed the holidays in Beach Haven.

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Bayard Brunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Brunt is enjoying the summer at camp near South Casco, Maine.

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Floyd Smith, recent graduate of Palmyra High School, left Monday for his fourth year at the Citizens Military Training Camp, Plattsburgh, N. Y. He will be attached to Company E with the rank of Sergeant.

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Herman Hollerith, of Moorestown, formerly a Riverton resident, was awarded rights by the United States Patent Office designed for use on talking machines. Mr. Hollerith was granted his patent for an invention of a casing cover, locking device designed to support talking machine covers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Brunt entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lewis, of Philadelphia, over the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bauer and John Saar, Sr., and family, of West Broad street are spending the day with Mr. Saar's daughter, Mrs. Helen Holbrunner, of Cape May.

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Lemuel S. Faunce, of Philadelphia, and Albert C. Faunce, of New York were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel M. Clifton, Saturday.

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Mrs. Jennie Ryan entertained the Moose Band, of Camden, for lunch and dinner, Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Cummings, of Lambertville, and Warren Cummings, of Newton, were holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Datis Reed.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roberts have returned to their home on Lippincott avenue, after enjoying three weeks at St. Paul.

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Miss Mildred Denneler, of Cinnaminson, and Miss Eleanor Harrison, of Riverton, motored to Princeton and spent the weekend visiting friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fisher, of Morgan avenue, enjoyed the weekend visiting friends in Baltimore, Md., and Washington, D. C.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Maloney, of Plainfield, were guests of his parents on the Fourth.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stager and son John, of Audubon, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. St. Clair and daughter Marian, of Philadelphia, were guests of Mrs. F. A. Tompkins on the Fourth.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Metzer and children returned home Sunday from Ocean City, where they had been spending two weeks.

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Miss V. I. Fairchild, a member of the Palmyra High School faculty, is spending the summer in Nanticoke, Pa.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Pike and family returned home Friday after spending ten days in Ocean City.

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Miss Vera Brower, who is principal of Palmyra High School, is enjoying the summer in Federalsburg, Md.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fluck and son, Henry, and Mr and Mrs. Harold Hamilton enjoyed the holidays in Wildwood.

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The Philathea Class of the Central Baptist Sunday School will hold a class picnic and luncheon on the lawn of the home of Mrs. M. M. Klotz, 736 Highland avenue, next Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock. All members and their friends are cordially invited to be present. Fifty cents per plate. Those desiring to attend please call Riverton 552-W.

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Mrs. F. N. Johnson and daughter, Miss Kathryn, of Morgan avenue, returned home Sunday evening after spending the past two weeks visiting relatives and friends in Nanticoke, Wilkesbarre, Berwick, and Shamokin, Pa.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dhoerr, of Washington, D. C., enjoyed the weekend as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Branson, of Washington avenue.

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Raymond Green, successor to Paul Wolfschmidt, announces the removal of his barber shop from 25 West Broad street to the Warner Building, 535 Cinnaminson avenue.

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The regular meeting of the Palmyra Branch of the Needlework Guild of America will be held at the home of Mrs. William T. J. Purnell, Morgan and Cleveland avenues, Tuesday morning at 10:30 a. m. A covered dish luncheon will be served.

The Palmyra Girl Scouts will meet at the home of Captain Ross, 913 Washington avenue, Wednesday mornings during the summer months. Meetings will be called to order promptly at ten o'clock.

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Mayor George N. Wimer, William T. J. Purnell and Thomas Bromley representing the Lamon Investment Company motored to Beach Haven yesterday to inspect that company's real estate holdings at the resort.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Denneler, Miss Gertrude Brewer and Nelson McHenry, of Riverside, enjoyed the Fourth of July as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lester Brewer, of Morgan avenue.

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Mrs. George B. Snyder and son, George, Jr., of Leconey avenue, returned home Tuesday after enjoying a month in Ocean City.

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Miss Louise Fisher of Berkley avenue, returned home from Atlantic City Sunday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kemmerle and son, of Riverside, spent Independence Day with Mr. Kemmerle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kemmerle, Sr., of West Broad street.

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Miss Marjorie Spahr, of Morgan avenue, left yesterday for West Chester, Pa., where she will spend some time with relatives.

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Camp No. 3 P. O. S. of A., will hold installation of officers in Society Hall this evening. All officers are urged to be present.

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DeWitt Russ and son, Nelson, and Paul Warren, of Morgan avenue, enjoyed a fishing trip at Beach Haven yesterday.

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Samuel Spahr of Philadelphia, visited his son, Floyd W. Spahr, of Morgan avenue, Saturday.

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George Tucker, a former Riverton resident, was in town on the Fourth of July.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bowker and Mr. Bowker's mother, Mrs. L. C. Bowker, of Absecon, visited friends in Phillipsburg yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Shaw and family, of Cleveland avenue, and Miss Edna Neville, of Cleveland, Ohio, are enjoying two days in Ocean City.

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Mrs. Conrad Friday, of Morgan avenue, entertained the following guests at bridge Monday afternoon: Mrs. Beatrice Anderson, Mrs. Arthur Wright, Mrs. Palmer Adams, and Mrs. C. F. Shaw, of Palmyra; Mrs. Earl Windhovel, of Riverton; Mrs. Raymond Anderson, of Bridgeboro; and Miss Edna Neville, of Cleveland, Ohio.

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Officer Lawrence Betty, of the Palmyra Police Force, is enjoying his vacation this week.

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Mrs. L. C. Bowker, of Absecon, N. J., is spending some time with her son, Arthur Bowker.

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Miss Gladys Billman, of Rowland street, and Carl Paulus, of Riverside, enjoyed the weekend with friends in Atlantic City.

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Henry M. Torbett, of Richmond, Va., is spending some time with his son, B. S. Torbett, of Morgan avenue.

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Mrs. Virginia Criddle entertained Miss Thelma Jallyhuise, of Philadelphia, over the weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sutphin, of New York, enjoyed the weekend with relatives in Palmyra.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Eldrige, of Morgan avenue, Miss Minna Renshaw, of Pennsylvania avenue, and Louis C. Hahle, of Riverside, spent the Fourth of July at Beach Haven.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Paine, of Trenton, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beadle, of Pleasantville, and Mr. and Mrs. William Randall, of Public road, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Chares Bowen, of Pear street.

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Mrs. Frank Hartman, who will be remembered as the former Miss Elizabeth Beitz, received as one of her wedding presents a wicker sewing basket made and given to her by a 12 year old blind girl of Philadelphia.

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Romm's Department have recently adopted the slogan "To Buy Right, Buy Right From Romm's." They have also announced the receipt of the latest models in Jantzen swimming suits. These include all models, shades, and sizes. An equal variety in suits of lower price is also kept on hand.

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Some perron left a baby's bonnet in the Beitz's Delicatessen store last Friday. Mr. Beitz said he is unable to make use of the hat and wishes the owner would claim the article.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Quigg, of Cuthbert road, were visitors in Seaside Park on the Fourth.



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LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

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"Tis a good old world when the sun is high, a fine old world with a summer sky, it's a fair old world when the roses bloom and the breeze is sweet with faint perfume; with health in the house and joy outside we all forget that we've ever cried. But let it rain on our picnic day and our mouths droop down in a dismall way. Let trouble come for a little while and pluck soon goes and we lose our smile.

There's never a door that care goes by; there's never a heart but must sometimes sigh; we're quick to frown when the skies are grey and we've little faith for the darkened way.

But when the lamps have flickered out. And earth lights are declining. To deck God's altar round about His tapers are still shining."

The summer School of the Diocese of New Jersey for Sunday School workers is being held this week at St. Mary's Hall, Burlington. Eleanor Taylor and Alice Hoare are the representatives from our parish. Eleanor from the Woman's Auxiliary and Alice from The Burlington County Sunday School Association.

The Guild of St. Agnes met on Monday in the Parish House and received all returns from the Strawberry Festival. There will be no meeting in August.

The services during the Rector's vacation will be taken by Mr. Clark of the Diocese of Pennsylvania. We are sure many will be glad to welcome him: Remembering his helpful sermon's of last year.

Services 6th: Sunday After Trinity. 11:00 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

"The Conquest Of Happiness."

There are some who think that science is inhuman. They speak as though students of modern science would destroy vererence and faith. I do not know how that can be said of the student who stands daily in the presence of what seems to him to be the Infinite. Science is not setting forth to destroy the soul, but to keep body and soul together."

Sir William Henry Bragg, president of the British Association for the advancement of Science.

FIRST LUTHERAN

Rev. Harold L. Creager, Rector

Sunday the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated. The preparatory service of confession will be held in connection with the service at 10:45, and also in the evening.

The sermon theme in the evening will be "Clothing the Soul." After this Sunday, evening services will be discontinued until the first of September.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Service: Sunday, 11 a. m.: Sunday School, 11 a. m.

Wednesday Evening Testimonial Meeting 8 p. m.

"SACRAMENT" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 12, 1931.

The Golden Text is: "Jesus saith unto them, My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish his work" (John 4:34).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time: Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you" (I Peter 5:6,7).

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 divine must overcome the human at every point. The Science Jesus taught and lived must triumph over all material beliefs about life, substance, and intelligence, and the multitudinous errors growing from such beliefs" (p. 43).

Mike Kaplan, an Irish barber, retired recently when he was notified he had inherited $35,000 from a relative in Dublin.

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH
Riverton
Rev. Arthur S. Lewis

Holy Communion 7:30 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon 11:00 a. m.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00 p. m.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Creager, Pastor

10.00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:15 a. m. "A Hero For Christ."
7.00 p. m. Luther League.
8:00 p. m. "Will the Idols Fall?"

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

Sunday School 9.30 a. m.
Sunday services, 11 a. m.
Wednesday 8 p. m.
Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2.30 to 4.30 p. m. All are welcome.

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.

Epworth M. E. Church
Rev. Ira S. Pimm, Minister

10:00 a. m.—Church School and Wesleyan Class.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
6:45 p. m. Epworth League.
7:45 p. m. Church Service.
Wednesday 8:00 p. m.—The Helpful Hour.
Wednesday 4:00 p. m.—Junior Epworth League.

MOORESTOWN

Ruth Elizabeth Love, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Warner E. Love, of East Oak avenue, was baptized on Sunday morning at the Trinity Church, with the Rev. Edgar L. Sanford, rector, officiating.

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The Rev. Edgar L. Sanford, rector of the Moorestown Trinity Church, and the Rev. Thomas L. Ridout, of Mount Holly, will spend three days next week in Norfolk, Va.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boyer, and family, of East Second street, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Groner, of Sumerton, Pa., spent the Fourth of July in Ocean City.

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Frank W. Reamer, desk sergeant at Moorestown police station, returned to duty last Saturday afternoon after enjoying ten days' vacation with relatives in Trenton. Night Desk Sergeant John W. Lowden started his vacation Saturday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Otto A. Bihn, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Andrews and Henry Weber, of Camden, spent the week-end with Mrs. John Olenschlager, of Valley View Terrace. Mrs. Thomas Andrews is Mrs. J. Olenschlager's sister.

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E. Russell Perkins, and family, of Kings Highway, are spending the summer at their cottage at Seaside Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Irving Staub, of Valley View Terrace, left on Saturday for a week's stay at Canadensis, Pa. Upon their return they will spend a week at Goshen, N. J., with Mr. Staub's aunt, Mrs. Urban Baymore.

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Miss Celia Fitzgerald, of West Second street, and Russell Atkinson, of Mount Holly, spent last weekend at Seaside Heights with Miss Ruth Hullings and John Widmyer, of Mount Holly.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webster, and family, of East Second street, spent the Fourth of July with Mr. Webster's brother, Lewis Webster, of Doylestown, Pa. Ralph Webster remained at his uncle's for his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown, and family, of East Main street, spent the Fourth of July at Seaside Park at the Cottage of George Brown, of Lenola.

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Seldom does one have an opportunity to see a nicer field of potatoes than is growing on the farm owned and operated by J. Hansell Lippincott, and his son, Richard. One of the reasons for the fine condition of this field is the care that it is receiving, particularly with reference to spraying. Last week the fifth application of Bordeaux was applied to this field. The vines are so large that it is difficult to see between the rows, yet Richard is going ahead applying his sprays at regular intervals just the same. He is using a Farmall tractor with vine spreaders to draw his sixrow sprayer. With this outfit, about 25 acres of potatoes can be sprayed in seven or eight hours.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Greer, of Albany, N. Y., are spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Greer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Greer, of Union street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Byron McKell, of West Second street, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Shreve, of North Church street, motored to Atlantic Highlands on the Fourth of July, stopping at Sea Girt on the return trip.

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Miss Vernette Price, of West Central avenue, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haines, and family, of Germantown, at their camp at Silverton, N. J., near Seaside Park, for the week of July 4.

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Mrs. Paul Froelicher, of West Main street, entertained the members of her club on Tuesday evening. There were six guests present.

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Clement Webster, Jr., left on Wednesday of last week to join his mother at Buck Hill Falls. He will spend the remainder of the summer there.

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Mrs. Harvey E. Stewart and daughters left today (Thursday) for Atlantic City where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

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Mrs. Lillian Rogers is enjoying the summer at Lake George Assembly, New York.

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Jack Siddall was the lucky winner of the cup in the Father and son Golf Torunament sponsored by the Harvard graduates in their '06 reunion at Essex County Club, Manchester-by-the-sea, Massachesetts, the latter part of June.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Garwood were visitors in Browns Mills over the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kats, of West Philadelphia, were holiday visitors of Mrs. Rachel Rieger.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Yost enjoyed a motor trip to Washington Court House, Ohio, last week.

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Charles Kahler, of Philadelphia, is spending the week with his grandmother, Mrs. Oscar Kahler, of Thomas avenue.

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Miss Irene Kershaw, of Delaware, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Albert Hudson.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schadt, of Allentown, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Clifton.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Muechner and small daughter, Sue, of Camden, were week-end guests of Mrs. John Murphy.

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Miss Marie Woldill, of Pleasantville, is visiting her grandfather, Julius Woldill for several weeks.

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Mrs. Charles Yost and children are enjoying the week in Clearfield.

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Miss Kathryn Metzler, of Germantown, is spending some time with Miss Florence Gorman.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson Black, of Harriman,Pa., spent several days with her father, Mr. J. Atkinson, last week.

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Mrs. P. B. Caldwell and sons, Porter, Jr., and Richard have left for Ocean City where they will spend the season with Mrs. Caldwell's mother, Mrs. Stellwagon.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Henry visited in Cape May during the holidays.

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Mrs. Shannon entertained her mother of West Philadelphia over the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Geelan were Sunday visitors in Lavalette.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Stewart and family entertained the following guests over the holidays: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johansen, of Brooklyn, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evert and sons, Brooks and Jimmie, of Merchantville, Walter Leiby and Roy Myers, of Woodbury, Nelson McCleary, of Germantown, Joe Bell, Pete Wentz and Miss Helen Hess, of Easton; Miss Jeanette Chew, of Merchantville, Mr. and Mrs. George Becton, Riverton, Harris Sacks and Miss Adelaide Van Steenbergh, of Palmyra, Charles Trendley, of Long Island, and Miss Jennie Giancamillo, of Camden.

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Lloyd Unland had the misfortune Monday evening to slip while pole-vaulting and cut three deep gashes around his eyebrow.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. Heath, of Flemington, Mr. and Mrs. Schubiger and son, of Frenchtown, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hoffman.

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Mrs. John Strohlein and children left Monday for Wildwood where they will spend the season.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanley Patterson enjoyed the week-end in East Orange.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Morris visited their son, Jack, in Pittsburgh over the week-end, where he is employed. Later in the month Mr. and Mrs. Morris will leave by boat for California where they will spend some time.

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William Evans and family, of Frankford, were visiting in Riverton on the Fourth.

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P. A. Tompkins spent the weekend at Wildwood.

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William Quigley, Jr., of Fort Totten, Long Island, enjoyed the holidays in Riverton with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gnang.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Bond and two children Samuel Sailor Bond and Barbara Bond, of Evanston, Illinois, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Parry and Mr. and Mrs. Perot Nevin for several days. Mrs. Bond will be remembered as Miss Florence Daniels.

WHEN TIME LIES

Daylight saving, remarks an exchange, just makes some people tired an hour earlier.

Speaking of daylight saving, many people experience difficulty in remembering whether it is forward or backward they have to put their timepieces. A London weekly, realizing this, offered a prize for the best verse helpful to the memory in this respect. The following contribution by Canon Wilson is rather neat:

In Spring the clock springs forward
And lies the Summer through;
For Winter it goes back again
And tells the time that's true.

The prize-winning verse runs:

When April comes with sun and shower
You move your clock along an hour,
But when October's skies grow black
You give that borrowed hour back.

—Boston Transcript.

Proposed New School Building for Riverton



The Riverton Board of Education will ask the voters at a Special Election on July 14, for $300,000 with which to buy the ground, erect and equip this building.

BOARD ASKS FOR $300,000 SCHOOL

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Two solutions of the problem are open to the citizens of Riverton:

1. Remodeling and modernizing the present building.

2. The erection of a new building.

Plans for remodeling and enlarging the existing building have been secured and carefully considered by the Board of Education. The cost of alterations and additions which will make the school fit our requirements is given below, plus the approximate sum necessary to purchase playground space, either at the rear of the plot or across Howard street. This step is necessary because the modernized structure would cover nearly all of the ground now owned between Howard and Cinnaminson streets.

In securing estimates on the less costly of the two plans, three of the four owners adjoining the Fourth and Howard street school lot quoted prices totaling $22,000.00. This figure led to the assumption of $30,000.00 as a conservative estimate for the purchase of the playground space, and the leveling of the houses on it.

Capital Investment

Cost of remodeling present school, fees, etc	$156,350.00
Equipment	12,000.00
Estimated cost of playground space and putting it into shape	30,000.00
Title clearance, surveys, etc.	1,650.00
Total	$200,000.00

Additions to an old building must, by law, be fireproof and bond issues to erect them cannot run for more than twenty years.

Cost to the tax payers for a twenty-year bond issue, at 4%	$200,000.00
Total school tax rate	$ 2.00½
Present school tax rate	1.48
Increase	$ .52½

2. The Erection of a New Building.

Plans have been submitted for the erection of a new school on the highest point of ground directly to the rear of Memorial Park. The Trust Company representing the Dreer Estate is willing to sell its entire holding on that side of the railroad but refuses to dispose of only a part of it. There are in the plot forty-five and a fraction acres, of which about thirty-five are above tide-water level. The ground available will allow for any future expansion of educational needs and will provide ample playground space in a very suitable spot. In the event of the purchase of the property, the Board of Education will dispose of acreage not needed for school purposes as favorable opportunity opens.

It is intended to level the present building and to sell the land now owned by the school district. Funds realized from its sale, and that of ground adjacent to the proposed new site, will be applied to reducing the bonded indebtedness, and hence the tax rate. There is no reason why almost all the total cost of the new site cannot be paid for in such a manner.

To meet community requirements the new building, (or the remodeled school) must contain a kindergarten, sixteen classrooms, an auditorium to seat 700-750, a gymnasium with a basketball floor and seats for 250-300, a shop, a home economics laboratory, a library, a small cafeteria (for the new school only) a room for music and drawing, a medical room, an office, a rest room for teachers, and several storage rooms.

As designed it will be fire-safe, and constructed of red brick along Colonial lines; the roof will be slate. The architect has incorporated in it all of the features which have proven by actual test to be desirable, yet it possesses no extravagant features. Heating, lighting, plumbing, ventilation, physical equipment, etc., will be of high quality and adapted to Riverton's needs. The plan now under consideration is T shaped, one part being 260 ft. x 60 ft. and the other 200 ft. x 70 ft.

For new buildings thirty year bond issues are advised by the State Department of Public Instruction, and forty year issues permitted. This fact obviously reduces the carrying cost to the district in the case of a new school.

A new building will enable us to employ four more teachers, thus providing two sections for each grade, and will require slightly higher operating costs (fuel, light, power, etc); insurance premiums and supplies will also be increased somewhat.

A summary of costs is given below.

Capital Investment

For site	$ 25,000.00
New building—construction, fees, etc.	251,000.00
Equipment	23,200.00
Clearance of title, surveys, etc.	500.00
Total	$299,700.00

Increase in Budget (in either case)

Cost of four new teachers	$ 5,000.00
Cost of increased insurance premiums, operating expenses, etc.	2,000.00
Increase above present operating budget	7,000.00

Carrying Charges

Cost to tax payers for a thirty-year $300,000.00 bond issue at 4%, and increased operating costs	$ .64
*Total school tax rate	$ 2.12
Present school tax rate	1.48
*County average $2.25	
Increase in rate for new school	.64
Increase to remodel building	.52½
Difference	.11½
Cost to tax payers for a forty year $300,000.00 bond issue at 4%, and increased operating costs	$ .51
Total school tax rate,	$ 1.99
Present school tax rate	1.48
Increase in rate for new school (basis of 40-yr. bond issue)	.51
Increase to remodel building	.52½
Difference in favor of a new school	.01½

It would actually cost less to build the new school on a forty-year bond issue than to remodel the present building, and the thirty-year rate is but 11½ cents greater.

After considering the project from all angles over a period of several years, the Board of Education has decided that a new school plant will best meet the needs of Riverton. Among the reasons for this decision are:

1. The Cost. The difference between remodeling and building are so small as to be practically negligible.

2. The Present Low Tax Rate. At present but two of the thirty-seven school districts in Burlington County have lower school tax rates than Riverton, while on the other hand we have the greatest amount of assessed valuation per pupil.

3. The Low Bonded Indebtedness. Riverton has the seventh lowest bonded indebtedness in Burlington County.

4. The Manifold Benefits to Children and Community of a Modern School, some of which are:

a. Proper teaching conditions.
b. Proper playground conditions.
c. Proper health conditions.
d. A plant usable by the community.
e. A probable increase in ratables.
f. A probable influx of desirable citizens.
g. Probable building activities in the vicinity of the new school.
h. Increase in property values.

5. The ideal building conditions existing at present.

a. Low rates of interest on bonds.
b. Low cost of building materials.
c. Desire of contractors for work.

6. The very real and expensive difficulties of taking care of the children while the old school is being remodeled.

The Board of Education feels that the present school is a drawback to Riverton in that it is far below the standard of other civic enterprises such as streets, Memorial Park, churches, fire department, homes, etc. A modern building will enable us to compete on favorable terms with other metropolitan, residential boroughs in New Jersey, as a desirable place to settle and raise a family.

Election

The special election to vote on the proposal will be held on July 14, 1931, at 7:00 p. m., in the Riverton School. A large and representative vote is desired, so that the sanction of the citizens will be given to the project, which is recommended by the Board

THE MURGATROYDS ENJOYING FINE TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. William Murgatroyd, of Lincoln avenue, are enjoying an extensive motor trip to Nova Scotia. Following is the route they have planned, July 4th, New York, Hartford, Connecticut; Boston, Massachusetts; July 5, Portsmouth, New Hampshire; Portland, Maine; Bangor, Maine; July 6, Calais, Maine; St. John New Brunswick; July 7, Amherst, Truno, Halifax, Nova Scotia; July 8 Kentville, Digby Nova Scotia; St. John, New Brunswick; July 9, Bangor, Maine; Showhegan, Maine; July 10, Littleton, New Hampshire; Burlington, Vermont; Platisburg, New York; Au Sable Forks, New York. They will leave Au Sable Falls on July 17th for home.

When officers asked a farmer near Arlington, Tex., why he was making his wife pull the plow, he answered, "Because I haven't got a horse."

COMMUNICATED

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It is becoming increasingly evident that many of the activities once experienced at home, are now looked upon as belonging in school. We have, therefore, shops, and cooking and sewing laboratories, in which instruction is given in the manual arts, and a library where children may find the type of reading they like best. Because the importance of a proper mid-day meal is recognized, a cafeteria is provided for the children. This is particularly advantageous to those who cannot get home to lunch.

The actual buildings themselves are no longer built to look like factories, for citizens of the United States have learned to appreciate the aesthetic, as well as the practical side of life.

At most a child spends but six hours out of twenty four in school; to bring about all the desirable changes in him during this short period is a gigantic task. Teachers can do much, but the proper surroundings are increasingly important; if school is to approximate life, then that life must be made a model of what we want Americans to live. It has been truly said, "What the best citizen of a community wants for his child, the community should demand for all its children."

The Board of Education spent much time on plans for a remodeling of the present school plant. Several different architects were considered, but the idea was rejected as unsatisfactory. Among the most important reasons for this action was the fact that any alterations which would make the existing school suitable, would make it occupy almost the whole plot of ground on which it stands. Even the less costly of the two available plans for the purchase of property within the heart of the borough, to secure playground space including as it did, the necessity of leveling or removal of houses, was found to be an expensive proposition.

State laws also require a shorter term bond issue, so that there is but little difference in the cost of financing either project. Furthermore, the location of the proposed new school in back of Memorial Park is infinitely better. The Board, from contacts with citizens, feels that a majority realize the need for some improvement of our school facilities, and hence has chosen the new school, as little more expensive and much more distrable.

It must not be overlooked, that even though fire towers, a new heating plant, and new classrooms might be added to the present school, a bonded indebtedness would be incurred, which would prevent building for many years to come and hence would place the borough at a disadvantage when compared with its neighbors, because it could not compete with them in educational opportunities offered. People looking for a place to settle are influenced by the school facilities in the towns considered for home sites.

The whole project boils itself down to a few questions.

Do the people of Riverton wish their children to have the educational advantages that are generally available in residential communities of its type?

Are they aware of the community benefits that are attendant upon a modern high grade school?

Are they willing to assume the moderate financial obligation necessary to secure these advantages and benefits?

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Spinach Salad

Chop cooked spinach. Add chopped boiled egg and a little chopped cold tongue or ham. One egg to two cups of the spinach should be allowed and for the same amount a half cup of chopped meat. Add a half cup of toasted bread crumbs. Pack in small cups or molds and chill. When ready to serve turn out on beds of lettuce leaves and dress with mayonnaise.

When his watch woudn't run, A. E. Haggett, of Windsor, N. C., took off the back cover and a boll weevil hopped out.

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MOTION PICTURE THEATRE CLOSES

Palmyra Playhouse Will Reopen After Remodeling About September 1

Theatre-goers in Palmyra and vicinity next fall will be able to view their favorite stars in what is said will be the most beautiful theatre in Burlington county.

The Broadway Palace, the only moving picture house in Palmyra and Riverton, will close Saturday night for a two months' period, in which extensive alterations will be made.

In addition to a larger and higher theatre, the installation of the best cooling and ventilating system possible to obtain, will do much to add to the comfort and enjoyment of the theatre patrons.

The present front of the building will be replaced by an all-marble facade, extending the width of the building. A 48-foot marquis will extend from the building over the sidewalk to the curb. A galaxy of electric lights will illuminate the canopy.

Rest Rooms

A 28-foot lobby, in which the ticket window will face on the pavement, will be situated between a ladies' and men's lounge and wash room. The rest rooms will be furnished with comfortable chairs and expedsive curtains. Terraza floors and tile walls in the wash rooms will be the other distinguishing features.

The entire building will be made larger and more attractive. The stage end of the theatre will be moved back 35 feet and the new stage will be equipped with a larger screen. New projecting machines will enable "daylight pictures" to be shown. A brilliant picture can be shown on the screen by the new apparatus whether the theatre is dark or partly lighted.

The pipe organ will be moved back with the stage and all will be draped with new curtains. New draperies will be furnished throughout the building and new carpets have been planned for the floors in the auditorium.

Special acoustic wallboard will be used to aid the patrons in hearing the "talkies," and both walls and ceiling will be decorated by experienced handpainting artists. The small group lights now in use in the playhouse will be supplanted by two large chandelier type lights, ten feet in diameter.

400 More Seats

The change in the location of the stage will enable almost 400 additional seats to be installed. The increased number of seats will raise the capacity of the theatre to approximately 1,000 people.

One of the biggest jobs facing the workmen is the raising of the roof. The ceiling of the playhouse will be raised seven feet, thus providing better facilities for the new ventilation system and beautifying the entire structure. It will also make possible more elaborate decorations on the interior. With the space thus made there will be a manager's office built on the mezzanine, which will also house the projecting room.

The stores formerly located on each side of the theatre, but in the same building, will be done away with, the lounges taking part of the space occupied by the shops. With the remodeled front of the building, will be new doors, ornamental plastering and fancy wall decorations. A new electric ticket machine will be installed in the ticket booth.

The entire renovation process is expected to be completed by September 1, with the re-opening scheduled for that time. The general contract has been given to Calvin Stow, Riverton contractor, with a few smaller contracts given to Philadelphia companies who specialize in theatre work.

David Supowitz, Philadelphia architect who planned the alterations, told the owners of the theatre that the remodeled building would be unsurpassed for beauty by any theatre in Burlington county.

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PALMYRA'S 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION PROVES BIG SUCCESS: MANY TAKE PART

Large Number of Town's Kiddies Participate in Excellent Juvenile Parade

Palmyra's Independence Day celebration came up to expectations in every way, in that it surpasses any previous observance of the Fourth in the history of the town.

The day's program was begun with a Juvenile parade at 10:00 a. m. The judges were as follows: Colonial Costume, girl, the Misses Helene Johnson and Esther Blaser. Colonial Costume, boy, Mrs. J. Sandoz and Miss Mary Prisco.

Best decorated baby carriage with child, Mrs. William McCamy and Mrs. Horace Ross. Most attractively dressed girl of 1931, Miss Florence Suar and Mrs. Florence Hengler. Best original costume, boy, Mrs J. C. Mallory, Mrs. George Rivel and Mrs. N. S. Beckley. Best original costume, girl, Mrs. Richard Hunter and Mrs. L. O. Hannum. Best novelty display, Miss Pearl Coombs, Mrs. Milton Jewett and Mrs. Lillian Hamelman.

Awards were made as follows: First best costume of colonial times, girl, Esther Hoepfner, $10.00; second best costume of colonial times, girl, Rose Arndt, $5.00. There were no entries for boys' colonial costumes.

Baby Carriage Awards

First best decorated baby carriage with child, Betty Anne Hoepfner, $5.00, second best decorated baby carriage with child, Carol Marie Yerkes, $2.50. Most attractively dressed girl of 1931, Betty Roben, $5.00.

Best original costume, boy, first, William Yerkes; $4.00 second, Leslie Redfield, 2.00; third Sonny Kates, $1.00. Best original costume, girl, first, Beatrice Johnson, $4.00; second, Dorothy Blackeby $2.00; third, Beatrice Anderson, $1.00.

First best novelty display, Marcia and Dick Durgin, $10.00; second best novelty display, Norma and Thomas Schwink, $5.00.

Immediately following the awarding of prizes, a punch and judy show for children was held in the Grove. This event was thoroughly enjoyed by the kiddies, as well as some of the grown ups.

The Lyric Band of Camden, under the direction of William H. Townsend, rendered an all-day program of delightful concert music.

At 2:00 p. m. a delegation of citizens marched to Memorial Park, Riverton, where they took part in the dedication exercises.

Order of Parade

The order of the parade was as follows: color bearers of the various organizations, carrying the Stars and Stripes, followed by Grand Marshal Frank A. Mathews, Jr., past State Commander of the American Legion, and W. Rex MacCrosson, and visiting Legionnaires. The Palmyra-Riverton Drum and Bugle Corps of Post Frederick M. Rodgers, uniformed unit of the Junior Order of American Mechanics, of Burlington, Riverton Volunteer Fire Company in uniform, Moose Band, of Camden, Palmyra Fire Company in uniform, Palmyra and Riverton Boy and Girl Scouts and Palmyra Citizens, led by the Lyric Band.

Games were played on Broad street between Morgan and Cinnaminson avenue between four and six o'clock. The following contestants were awarded prizes.

Fifty yard dash, boys: first, Rene Sandoz; second, Mike Caruso; third, Frank Marconi. Fifty yard dash, girls: first, Louisa Lewis; second, Janet Carson; third, Mary D'Amato.

Seventy-five yard dash, boys, Douglas King; second, Joseph DeMarco; third, Caton Marconi. Seventy-five yard dash, girls: Ellen Bradly, Jane Cooper and Ruth Craig.

Three-legged race, men and boys: first, Sonny Freeman and Stanley Killian; second, Morris Griggs and Nathaniel Person; third, Douglas King and Lawrence Belford. Sack race, Boys: first, Buddy Feldman; second, Joseph DeMarco; third, Sidney Fisher.

One hundred yard dash, men and boys: first, Hayes B. Brady; second, James Davidson; third, Charles K. Wynkoop Seventy five yard dash, ladies and girls: first, Etta Fries; second, Minnebell Lewis; third, Frances Bradley.

Tug o' War

Tug of war, men: won by Frank Dilacqua, Horace M. Watson, John A. Walker, Ludwig Dinn, T. Bond hose. Warren McLaughlin Edward Love, William C. Wells, Thomas Laing and Louis Pike.

One hundred yard dash, boys: first, Ralph Dages, second, Lawrence Belford; third, Arthur Bohus. Seventy-five yard dash, girls: first, Frances Bradly second, Edna Heeter; third, Florence Kleme.

Sack race, girls: first, Minnebell Lewis; second, Florence Kleme, third, Jane Cooper. Seventy-five dash fat men: first, James Bradley, second, Dennis Bradley; third, Walter Hansen.

Pie-eating contest No. 1, boys: first, Mongomery Simons; second, Ernest Prisco; third, Joseph DeMarco. Pie-eating contest, No. 2, Boys: first, James Fisher, second, Buddy Feldman; third, Sidney Fisher

Pie-eating contest No. 1, girls: first, Minnebel Lewis; second, Margaret West; third, Cecelia Stone. Pie-eating contest No. 2, girls: first, Bertha Beech; second, Frances Gaffney; third, Ellen Bradley.

There were no contestants on Maple View Golf Course. Sixteen ladies contested on the Little Giant Golf Course. Awards were made to Jeanne Haring, first prize; Emma Hilton, second prize; and Lydia Mervine, third prize.

A quoit tournament was held on the Y. M. C. A. grounds The winners were: Edwin A. Griscom and Gerald Smith, first; Arthur Wright and C. F. Shaw, second; William Hoare and Fred Hoare, third.

A band concert was rendered by the Lyric Band from 7:30 until 10:00 p. m.

From eight thirty until twelve there was dancing in the P. O. S. of A Hall, which was well attended by the younger folk of the community.

Excellent Fireworks

An excellent fireworks display at the Riverton Yacht Club concluded the day's celebration. Riverton shared the expense of this display with Palmyra in order to have a bigger and better showing.

The following members of the committee on arrangements deserve a great deal of credit for preparing and carrying out such a fine program: Frank A. Snover and William Vogt, music; C. Nevin Buchholz, finance; Walter D. Lamon, DeWitt Morris, William Engle, George T. Long, Herbert H. Parsons and A. N. Palmer, sports and games; Floyd W Spahr, Horace Ross and Ralph Rivers, children's parade. George B. Snyder, printing programs and publicity; James H. Hartley, fireworks; and George M. Durgin, Riverton celebration.

CONOVER HEADS ROTARY CLUB

Local Banker Assumes Duties Of President at Last Meeting

At the last meeting of the Palmyra-Riverton Rotary Club, held Thursday, July second, President Clem Lewis surrendered the reins to Howard B Conover who took office as president.

Clem Lewis, the retiring president, did much to stimulate interest in Rotary with the result of an increased attendance percentage.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: vice president, Rev. George Lockett, secretary, Joseph Seel, treasurer, Ross E. Mattis.

The Rev. Mr. Lockett gave a stirring address appropriate to the celebration of America's 155th anniversary of her independence, which was rendered in his usual good style.

It just so happened that the last meeting of Rotary was the first anniversary of the catering service of Mrs. Sharpless. Rotarians have stood around in little groups with protruding belt buckels marveling at the splendid meals served by Mrs. Sharpless for the past year. This week, however, Mrs. Sharpless outdid herself by surprising the boys with an extra special full course chicken dinner that ranged from soup to nuts, to celebrate the first year of her catering to Rotary.

Rotarians were overcome, both from the splendor of the repast and the vast quantities they stowed away. Some who yielded to the temptation of such a feast misjudged their capacity and humor has it that some were wheeled to their cars in a wheelbarrow, but this has not been verified.

That the club appreciated Mrs. Sharpless' splendid service was evidenced by their presentation of beautiful palm plants and potted flowers at the close of the dinner.

Because her husband would not eat his meals at home, Mrs. A. C. Davidson, of Tulsa, Okla., filed a divorce suit.

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INAUGURATE LAST HALF OF SEASON IN BURLCO LEAGUE

Medford and R. W. Wood Take Lead With Double Holiday Wins

WOODINGTON HURLS FIRST NO-HIT GAME

Hands Moorestown Second Shut-Out of Day in Winning Contest, 3-0

BURLINGTON COUNTY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pc.
Medford	2	0	1.000
R. D. Wood	2	0	1.000
Burlington	1	1	.500
Vincentown	1	1	.500
Delanco	1	1	.500
Riverside	1	1	.500
Moorestown	0	2	.000

SATURDAY'S SCORES

Morning Games

R. D. Wood, 8; Burlington, 6.
Medford, 9; Delanco, 4.
Riverside, 12; Riverton, 7.
Vincentown, 12; Moorestown, 0.

Afternoon Games

R. D. Wood, 3; Moorestown, 0.
Medford, 10; Vincentown, 7 (11 innings).
Delanco, 14; Riverside, 2.
Burlington, 6; Riverton, 2.

This Week's Schedule

Tuesday—Riverton at Vincentown.
Wednesday—Delanco at Burlington; Moorestown at Riverside.
Thursday—Medford vs. R. D. Wood at Florence.
Saturday—Vincentown at Riverton; R. D. Wood at Delanco; Riverside at Medford; Burlington at Moorestown.

The second half of the Burlington County Baseball League was opened with double headers by all eight of the league teams last Saturday.

Medford, first-half champions, took both the afternoon and morning games, although pushed for eleven innings in the post-luncheon fracas. The final score read 10-7, favoring the Farmers. The a. m. game with Medford ended with Delanco on the short end of a 9-4 score.

By far the outstanding performance of the day was turned in by Bill Woodington, peakman of the R. D. Wood club. Woodington turned in the first no-hit, no-run game in the loop when he turned back Moorestown, 3-0, in the afternoon holiday contest. He narrowly missed a perfect game of no man reaching first, but this record was marred by the issuance of one pass and an error by Ted Frankenfield. The Florence team was held close by Hollingshed, Moorestown flinger, who allowed them only four hits. The Woodmen's triumph over the Quakers followed a morning victory over Burlington, who, with "Reds" Kean pitching, dropped the game 8-6.

The "Burls" came back and defeated Riverton, 6-2, in the afternoon game, after the Riverton club dropped the morning tilt, 12-7, to Riverside. The snappy, new uniforms of the Riverton club failed to impress the opposing players as much as they did the spectators, and Riverton is sharing the cellar with Moorestown, who was also shut out in the morning game by Vincentown, 12-0.

Riverside, after turning in a victory in its morning game, was swamped by by Delanco in the nightcap. Schele and Carruthers proved easy for the Youngmen, who accounted for 18 bingles, including three doubles and a three-bagger.

The feature tilt of the second half will probably take place tonight when Medford and R. D. Wood are scheduled to meet at the latter's field. The two teams, after waging a torrid battle for the first half honors, won both their games in the second round and seem to be the ones to battle it out for the league title. The Medford "Olympics," by winning three games in six days, one of them being over the Woodmen, gained first round honor.

Swinging With the Local Batsmen

A HANDY SCHEDULE FOR THE BASEBALL FAN

TOMORROW—Baptists vs. Artisans (Palmyra Twilight League).
SATURDAY—Vincentown at Riverton (Burlington County League).
MONDAY—Artisans vs. Ramblers (Palmyra Twilight League).
TUESDAY—Baptist vs. K. of C. (Palmyra Twilight League).

SCHROEDER WINS PRAISE

John Broderson, manager for that hard hitting Parry A. A. ball club, states in a letter to this paper that he considers Emil Schroeder a first class hitter. Out of 18 games, ten of which were in the Twilight League and eight Sunday ball games, Schroeder has hit in each of the 18 and batted out 33 hits for an average of 585. Futhermore, according to Broderson, he can field with the best of them and has a nifty throwing arm.

Lady Alexander of London, from whose home a thief stole two famous snuffboxes, expressed the hope that the miscreant would sneeze to death.

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Two Yacht Clubs Plan Annual Swim Event

The inauguration of an annual swim from the Riverton Yacht Club to the Keystone Yacht Club, of Torresdale, Pa., will be made on Saturday July 18.

The event was announced at the Riverton club Sunday. The event will be open to all members of both clubs.

PALMYRA GIANTS COP SLUGGING MATCH, 10-6

A savage batting attack enabled the Palmyra Giants to win, 10-6, over the Maple Shade nine Sunday afternoon at the latter's field.

Twelve hits were pounded out by the Palmyra tossers, Seymour accounting for four of them, and Pratt, Young and Nelson hammering out two each.

Guthrie led the attack for the "Shaders" with three hits, while McCafferty and Nichols were good for a pair of bingles. The contest was a slugfest as the Maple Shade team turned in ten hits. Scoring of both teams was aided by errors on the part of the two infields.

MAPLE SHADE

	R.	H.	O.	A.
Guthrie, 3b	3	3	3	0
Madden, 2b	1	2	3	2
Brill, lf	1	4	0	0
Brown, c	1	4	0	0
McCafrey, 1b	2	12	0	1
Royce, ss-p	1	2	2	0
Nichols, cf	2	2	0	0
Kaufman, rf	0	0	0	0
Oosborne, p-2b	0	1	1	0
Totals	10	27	11	4

PALMYRA GIANTS

	R.	H.	O.	A.
Pratt, 1b	2	9	0	0
Myers, ss	1	2	1	1
Hall, 3b	1	0	3	1
Harris, c	0	10	0	0
W. Myers, lf	0	2	0	0
Seymour, 2b	4	0	3	0
Young, rf	2	0	0	0
Nelson, cf	2	2	0	0
Marshall, p	0	2	4	0
Moses, cf	0	0	0	0
Totals	12	27	11	2

Palmyra Giants	021	023	200—10
Maple Shade	300	100	110— 6

Base Stealing With Twilight Leaguers

LEAGUE STANDING

	W.	L.	Av.
Ramblers	8	2	.800
Artisans	7	2	.777
Parry	6	3	.667
Rogers' News	4	6	.400
Baptists	3	6	.333
K. of C.	0	9	.000

Last Week's Results:

Thursday—Ramblers 8, Parry 5.
Friday—Rogers' News 10, K. of C. 7.
Monday—Ramblers 7, Rogers' News 6.
Tuesday—Parry-K. of C. postponed, rain.

The postponed and replayed game between the Ramblers and Parry was finally played last Thursday night, with the Ramblers coming out on top of an 8-5 score.

Parry, after holding a slight advantage in the beginning of the game, was forced to bow after Shreve Nelson's arm weakened, and neither he nor Schultz, his successor on the mound, were able to curb a late rally of the Ramblers.

The victory for the Ramblers enabled them to tie the Artisans for first place in the league standing.

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The Kingmen were not content with the tie gained by their victory over Parry but jumped into first place with a half game advantage by a win over Rogers' News on Monday night.

The Ramblers waited until the final inning to win the game. The "Newsies" after making a belated spurt to tie the score at six-all bowed at the last moment when Harper was safe on an easy tap to second base, stole second and then came home on Elsley's drive to center.

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The Ramblers have been undefeated by any team except the Artisans who twice turned the trick. The first game on May 8 ended in a 5-4 win for the Lodgemen and the second win, occurring on June 8, favored the A. O. M. P.'s by an 8-1 tally. The newly demoted second place team has lost both its games by one run differences. Their first loss came at the hands of Rogers' News on May 19 by a 3-2 count, while Parry administered the second defeat on June 29 by a 6-5 score.

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The K. of C. team took its ninth successive defeat at the hands of Rogers' News last Friday night. Showing improved form over the game which they lost by a lopsided score the week before, they nevertheless bowed to the newsboys by a 10-7 score.

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The game scheduled for Tuesday night between Parry and the K. of C. was postponed because of the deluge which came at game opening time. The game may be played tonight, although such a fact has not been assured.

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The longest drive seen in the league thus far was made by "Lody" Orcutt Monday night when his Ruthian swat cleared the wires on the outside of the right field fence. The drive would have been a home run in any park and the chubby player-umpire received a big hand as he circled the bases.

RIVERTON DROPS HOLIDAY TILT

Morning Game Lost to Riverside by a Score of 12-7 Played at Riverside

Riverton made a bad start in the beginning of the second half race of the Burlington County League when it dropped two contests last Saturday by scores of 12-7 and 6-2.

The morning game with Riverside turned out to be a slugfest, the Riversiders finally winning out by a 12-7 score. At the beginning of the fourth inning the Rivertonians held a 6-2 edge over their rivals but a sustained attack in the last five frames enabled the Riverside tossers to win the contest by a comfortable margin. Carruthers was touched for twelve hits, three of which were doubles, and issued but a single pass, although he hit one batter. Neither of the Riverton pitchers were effective, 14 hits made off their combined deliveries. Six passes by Coles and 9 by Woodington aided considerably in the scoring.

MORNING GAME

RIVERSIDE

	R.	H.	O.	A.
Headman, 3b,	3	2	0	3
Freynick, ss,	3	2	0	2
R. Edge, cf,	1	0	1	0
Broderson, rf,	1	2	2	0
Hughes, lf,	0	2	3	0
Carruthers, p,	2	1	1	2
Aurick, 1b,	1	11	0	0
Mick, 2b,	0	1	3	4
Nolte, c,	0	2	7	0
Young, cf,	1	1	0	0
Totals	12	14	27	11

RIVERTON

	R.	H.	O.	A.
Fraike, 3b,	2	2	0	1
Krause, rf,	1	1	0	0
B. Edge, ss,	1	1	2	3
Bartley, 2b,	1	2	1	4
Harper, c,	1	1	3	1
Horan, lf,	1	2	2	0
Eisley, cf,	0	1	2	0
Boett'r, 1b,	0	1	11	1
Coles, p,	0	0	2	0
Woodington, p,	0	0	1	1
Reeves, rf,	0	0	1	1
*Sloan	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	12	24	11

*Batted for Boettger in ninth.

Riverton	303	001	000—7
Riverside	200	132	22x—12

Errors—Headman, Freynick, 2; B. Edge, Reeves. Two-base hits—Headman, Hughes, B. Edge, Bortley, Horan. Struck out—By Carruthers, 6; Coles, 3. Base on balls—Off Carruthers, 1; Coles, 6; Woodington, 9. Hit by pitched ball—By Carruthers (Horan). Umpires—Arenz and Adams.

BOAT RACES ON FOURTH OF JULY

Sail and Outboard Provide Much Excitement to Onlookers On River Bank

A regular part of Riverton's celebration of the Fourth of July is the sail boat races sponsored by the Riverton Yacht club.

At noon three 16 foot Hill one designers crossed the line for a close start. They followed the triangular course to the lower black buoy, across to the Keystone Yacht Club and thence to the Riverton Yacht Club, twice around, a distance of approximately three miles.

Rodman Merrill, with Jimmie Story for a crew, won the race with Henry Seabrook, sailing the club boat, coming in for second place.

Five minutes later the L. I.'s started, using th elonger racing course namely the lower black channel buoy and the upper red bouy.

Jerry Hatch was first over the line at the start of four boats and maintained his lead in the boat to windward to the weather mark. The run down the wind furnished considerable excitement, with all four boats close and blanketing one another during the entire second leg.

Ogden Mattis, veteran sailor, finally reached the second mark first, and with the ebb tide in his favor had very little trouble in maintaining his lead to the finish.

The outboard races were held at eight o'clock and provided some excitement for those who had gathered early upon the river bank to witness the fireworks display which came later.

Only two boats were entered, one piloted by Edson Carhart and the other by Douglass Stewart. The 2½ mile course was covered in 4½ minutes.

Both got off to a close start and Carhart managed to obtain the lead which he maintained throughout the race, coming in first.

These bobbing, bouncing, busy little crafts provided much excitement to onlookers as well as to their pilots.

RIVERTON BOWS 6-4 TO VINCENTOWN NINE

Riverton lost its third straight game in the second half of the Burlington County League Tuesday to Vincentown by a 6-4 tally on the Vincentown field.

Weikman was rapped hard by the "Vincents" who collected 14 hits off his delivery. His teammates were able to gather but 6 bingles off the slants of Kissinger. The Vincentown flinger considerably aided his own cause by four hits on his own account. These included a double and a home run.

Four of Riverton's hits were of the extra base variety, Edge, Bartley and Eisley rapping doubles and Harper accounting for a homer. The remaining two bingles were made by Foulke. The wins puts Vincentown even with the leaders in the number of wins, although they have dropped one game.

"Y" BASEBALL LEAGUE

The Mount Holly Eagles won the championship in Division A of the Burlington County Y.M.C.A. Baseball League by defeating Marlton last week 7-0. This team won nine games and lost one, giving them the percentage for the series of .900.

The standings of all the teams in Division A are as follow:

	W.	L.	P.C.
Mount Holly Eagles	9	1	.900
Jacobstown	5	2	.688
Moorestown Comrades	5	3	.625
Marlton Comrades	2	5	.285
Moorestown Pathfinders	1	5	.166
Vincentown	1	7	.125

Division B-1 championship will be decided this week at Y.M.C.A. Camp Ockanickon when Cinnaminson and Beverly groups meet.

The standing to date is as follows:

	W.	L.	P.C.
Cinnaminson	8	1	.889
Beverly	6	1	.857
Delanco	2	2	.500
Bordentown Mojag	2	4	.333
Willingboro	1	6	.142
Riverside (dropped)	0	5	.000

In Division B-2 Jobstown has been awarded the championship and will have to play the winner of Division B-1 for the championship in Division B.

The final standing of Division B-2 is:

	W.	L.	P.C.
Jobstown	5	1	.833
Pemberton	4	2	.667
Moorestown	3	3	.500
Mount Holly Edw. Bok.	0	6	.000

Lumberton is champion of Division C since the Medford Thorns and the Mount Holly Spartans forfeited both games scheduled with Lumberton last week.

The final standing is:

	W.	L.	P.C.
Lumberton	6	2	.758
Medford Thorns	5	3	.625
Mount Holly Spartans	4	4	.500
Marlton Jr.	0	3	.000
Mount Holly Baptist (dropped)	0	3	.000

BURLINGTON WINS FOURTH-OF-JULY

Riverton Nine Defeated in Fast Ball Game, Harper Gets First "Homer"

Following the dedication exercises at Memorial Park, the Riverton A. A. played Burlington in a fast nine innings. Even though Burlington took the local boys over to the tune of 6 to 2, the Riverton nine played a good game of ball.

Harper was the sensation of the day, when, in the second inning, he smacked the apple for a home run, bringing in a run with it to tie the score with Burlington, who had made two runs in the opening inning.

RIVERTON

	R.	H.	O.	A.
Foulke, 3b	0	2	1	1
Reeves, lf	0	0	1	1
Edge, ss	0	1	4	4
Bartley, 2b	1	1	4	2
Harper, c	1	2	3	0
Sloan, rf	0	2	1	0
Eisley, lf,	0	1	0	0
Bottger, 1b	0	1	9	0
Weikman, p	0	1	1	5
Totals	2	11	27	13

BURLINGTON

	R.	H.	O.	A.
Stamp, 3b	1	2	1	2
Arenz, 2b	0	1	2	3
Sholl, lf	0	0	1	1
Kean, rf	1	1	1	0
Loveland, c	1	2	7	0
McCarthy, 1b	1	2	6	0
Pitkoe, ss	1	1	5	1
Nelson, cf	1	3	2	1
Guthrie, p	0	0	2	3
Totals	6	12	27	10

Riverton	020	000	000—2
Burlington	200	010	030—6

Errors—Foulke, Edge, Eisley. Two-base hits—Kean, Weikman. Home runs—Harper. Double plays—Edge to Bottger; Foulke to Bartley to Bottger; Guthrie to Arenz to McCarthy. Struck out—By Weikman, 1; Guthrie, 4. Bases on balls—Off Weikman, 3; Guthrie, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Loveland. Umpires—Luker and Perkins.

CHILD SLIGHTLY HURT WHEN STRUCK BY CAR

Girl Visiting Palmyra Receives Cut on Head After Accident on Cinnaminson Ave.

A small child narrowly escaped serfious injury when struck by an automobile on Cinnaminson avenue near the Parry avenue intersection, Palmyra, Monday night.

The child, Jean Keller, 8 years old, of Columbia, Pa., a visitor at the home of Gus Feldman 608 Parry avenue, was running across Cinnaminson avenue when hit by the machine of Harry M. Beach, of Cuthbert and Oxford Roads, Palmyra extension.

The child was taken to Police Physician Dean H. LeFavor and treated for cuts of the head and arms, and shock. Dr. LeFavor ordered her taken to the Burlington County Hospital at Mount Holly for an X-ray examination. Witnesses say Beach was going slowly and tried hard to avoid hitting the child.

Beach was given a summons to appear for a further hearing today, pending the outcome of the girl's injuries.

Mrs. Mary Roedig

Mrs. Mary S. Roedig died suddenly at her home, 502 Cinnaminson street, Riverton, Thursday morning of last week.

Funeral services were held at the late residence Monday morning at eight o'clock and Solemn Requiem Mass was held at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Riverton, at nine o'clock. Interment was made in the Holy Cross Cemetery, Philadelphia, under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

Mrs. Roedig is survived by her husband, August Roedig; two daughters, Mary and Adelaide, and one son, Francis.

THOUSANDS AT PARK DEDICATION

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"To these ladies this day means more than to many of you. They are our Gold Star Mothers. Their sons made the supreme sacrifice. Today the grief of such loss is softened by the years and their pride in the memory of their sons' bravery."

Invocation was offered by the Rev. Charles T. Bates.

In introducing Mr. Bennett, the Mayor said, "It is more than fitting to have as our next speaker one who has been identified with the park from the very beginning. He worked in its interest untiringly, not only in connection with the Park is he known to you, for he was Mayor of Riverton when this purchase was made."

Mr. Bennett's Address

In dedicating the park, Mr. Bennett said:

"I appreciate being asked by Mayor Rogers to address you today, which is the day we dedicate this Memorial Park to those of Riverton who served our country in the World War.

"It is my privilege at this time to give you a brief history of the events leading up to making it possible for Riverton to possess this fine park, which we are today dedicating as a memorial in honor to our noble young men and women who gave their services; and some their lives, to our country in 1917 and 1918.

"Many of you remember the difficulties we encountered in endeavoring to come to a definite understanding as to what would be the best and most appropriate memorial for the present as well as for all future time; but for the benefit of our more recent residents, I shall turn back the pages.

"Your Mayor, in his address to Council on January 1, 1919, less than two months after the Armistice was signed, said in part,—"I have appointed a committee to consider ways and means of providing a suitable memorial for the men and women from Riverton who have been engaged in the Military and Naval services of the United States; and especially to those who have given their lives to the cause. While your Mayor does not propose to make any definite suggestions as to the form this Memorial shall take, he does believe it should assume the form of something useable and beneficial to the community, and that the money appropriated shall be so expended as to be of a real service to our people, as well as a permanent memorial. I believe the citizens will approve and support a memorial of this type.

"Your Mayor at that time appointed a committee, consisting of Councilmen Allee, Corner and Murray, and citizens E. H. Flagg, Jr., Robert Biddle and Carl De La Cour, which did some splendid work, reporting that: (1) the Dreer property might be purchased as a recreational park; (2) that the American Legion requested consideration of a site and a hut for their use, which would be shared with the Boy Scouts and other organizations for meetings; (3) that a municipal building be erected and maintained for the borough. No definite recommendation was offered, but it is to be noted that the committee's first suggestion was a park.

"Inasmuch as there were such diversified views as to what would be the most lasting and worth-while memorial, a resolution was offered by Councilman Murray, and unanimously adopted, authorizing the Mayor to appoint a citizens committee. At a later date your Mayor appointed the following Citizens' Committee: Mrs. Murray Boyer, Mrs. Myres Fitler, Harry Rogers, Charles A. Wright, James S. Coale, E. H. Flagg, Jr., Oliver Willits, Walter L. Bowen, George K. Clark, Datia Reed, and William A. Hendrickson, to glean from the public and decide, as a well-balanced committee, what Riverton really wanted. To this end they worked untiringly.

"In May, 1930, this Citizens' Committee reported their unanimous recommendation that the borough purchase not less than five acres, or more than fifteen acres for a Memorial Athletic Field and Play Ground; and that the Dreer Property be purchased for this purpose.

"After this committee's report was duly considered and full accord given its recommendations, your Mayor appointed Harry Murray, a committee of one, to confer with the Dreer estate. This was the beginning of a prolonged procedure, the owners of the property declining to sell, thus making it necessary to condemn the Dreer property. The final consummation of the purchase of these 13 4-10 acres was accomplished June 4, 1923, at a price of $13,000.00.

"Today this beautiful park is free from debt, a play-ground for this and for all future generations. So in behalf of all of the citizens of Riverton, I take this opportunity to dedicate this park as a fitting memorial to those who gave their services, and some their lives, for our country."

In accepting the park on behalf of the Borough, Mayor Rogers spoke as follows: "As Mayor of Riverton and on behalf of the Borough Council and its citizens, I hereby accept this park, which has been so eloquently dedicated by Mr. Bennett.

"May its useful purpose grow with the years—I look forward to the time when this property will be further beautified by a lake along its boundary, which may be used for bathing and canoeing—a development which will add much to the enjoyment on the part of the people of the town, as well as those who reside in the immediate neighborhood."

The next speaker was W. Rex MacCrosson, who was introduced by the Mayor as one who is well-known to Legionnaires of Palmyra, Riverton, the State of New Jersey and even nationally. He was Commander of the Frederick M. Rodgers Post a short time ago and now is National Committeeman. When Legion affairs are going on he is present and always functioning in a most efficient manner.

The final speaker was Senator Clifford R. Powell. In presenting Senator Powell, Mayor Rogers said, "A speaker to fit the occasion is hard to find, but there is no one who is better adapted to an affair of this kind than our next speaker. He is a veteran of the World War, with an excellent war record, a member of the American Legion, but best known to you all as State Senator.

"It is hardly necessary for me to introduce Senator Powell, perhaps better known to many as "Cliff."

Senator Powell recited some of his war experiences in France. He spoke feelingly of the sacrifice made by the Gold Star Mothers and congratulated Riverton on its fine memorial to the veterans of the World War.

Following the addresses, the field was cleared and the Legion Bugle and Drum Corps put on its famous drill, which was received with much applause.

RIVERTON'S BIG FOURTH OF JULY

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"In the past five years three bridges have been built across the Delaware, making us more nearly a part of Philadelphia. Who will predict what changes will take place in the next 75 years of our progress? We started as a summer colony—well removed from the city—now in terms of time we are closer than many of the Main Line and Germantown sections.

Our population has increased from 700 in 1883 to approximately 3,000 at the present time. With high speed rail lines over the Camden bridge, this section of New Jersey is bound to become more popular and in time we will find the section between Camden and Riverton thickly populated. I hope that Riverton will maintain its character of a residential town as this progress goes on."

The speaker of the day was the Rev. George Lockett, B. D., who delivered a most inspiring and patriotic address.

Athletic Events

Following the patriotic exercises came the athletic events.

A large number of contestants entered.

The events and winners were as follows: 50 yard dash for small boys, Elmer Sutters, first, Essex rubber ball; Seymour Barker, second, Essex rubber ball; 50 yard dash for small girls, Catherine Conwell, ring; Dorothy King, Essex rubber ball; 100 yard dash for large boys, Lewis Myers, flash light; Harry Turner, flash light; Egg and Spoon race, Bertha Beach, compact; Edith Ridley, compact; Potato Race, Harry Turner, Scout knife; John Wallace, flash light; 3-Legged race for girls, Dorothy King and Alice Williams, rings; Mary Patterson and Helen Reck, bracelets; Tug-O'-War for boys, Ed. Wallace, Charles Rader, Leonard King, James Webb, Scout knives; Tug-O'-War for girls, Christine Ridley, Virginia Nicol, Edith Ridley and Emily Barclay, necklaces; Balloon Blowing contest, Betty Showell, necklace; Mildred Spear, bracelet; Balloon fight, John Wallace, wrist watch; Elmer Sutters, Scout knife.

Children's Flag Parade

The children in the parade to the Riverbank numbered 552.

There were many different costumes both on foot and on vehicles.

Those winning prizes were: Baby coach, appropriately trimmed, first prize, Virginia Wagner, locket; daintily decorated, Jean Clark, second prize, musical dog; "The Young Bather," Charlott Dallet, third prize, knitted shoes.

Velocipedes: First prize for boy, Bobby Wright, Scout knife; second for boy, George Harold Sylvester, Tootsie toy set; first prize for girl, Phyllis Robinson, silk lingerie; second prize for girl, Eleanor Jones, sun hat.

Bicycles; first prize for boy, John Douglas Clark, Jr., sweater; second prize for boy, Freddie Ulmer, flash light; first prize for girls, Marie Zimmerman, silk lingerie; second prize for girls, Helen McFadden, beret.

Wagons: first prize for boy, Jack Weikel (a firecracker); airplane set Tootsie toy; second prize for boy, Charles Mooney, (the young aviator) waterball.

Most attractively dressed child walking: first prize, Patsie Rowbotham (the Hydrangea Girl) $2.00 bill; second prize, (Miss Petite) Gene Doris Gibson, $1.00 bill.

Most Original: Ruth Coe (Hula Hula Girl) $2.50 gold piece.

Most Comic: Dick Kline (the new school) $2.50 gold piece.

Aquatic Events

The acquatic events, under the direction of the Riverton Yacht Club, were held at four o'clock with Edward K. Merrill and Giles Knight supervising.

The first event, Men's Swimming Race, was won by Dewees Showell with a bill fold as first prize. Jack Naisby placed second with a similar prize.

Few contestants were on hand for the girl's swimming race but four entries plunged off the wharf and the Showell sisters took first and second places. Lenore was awarded a string of black pearls for first and Betty received a pin for second.

In the Tub Races, Henry Naisby placed first with Bertram Shoemaker only "a tub length" behind for second. Both boys received knives as prizes.

The Men's Singles, opening canoe event, went to Gerald Hatch with Jim Crawford second, Gold pocket knives were the awards.

Hatch teamed with E. K. Merrill to pull first prize in men's doubles, with the youthful team of Biddle and Barclay coming in second. The first prize was two pencils and second was two wallets.

Mixed Doubles

In the mixed doubles Dewees Showell and Olga Probsting were across the finsh line first with Giles Knight and Irene Sippel close seconds. The firsts received a wallet and compact respectively, and the seconds a knife and compact.

The next race, Men's Doubles, standing on gunwales, caused some fun as several boats were upset before the race could get underway. Windhovel and Anderson won sets of collar pins for first while Hatch and Naisby were given pearl knives for second.

The Pig-Headed Canoe race was taken by Raymond Anderson who was awarded a set of cuff buttons and Giles Knight won a collar pin for second place.

The Men's Fours, canoe race, resulted in a tie and one crew declined to race it over for first or second place and forfeited the race to the crew of Steedle, Probsting, Hagatoz and Seabrooks. All four boys received key cases for prizes.

Anderson Best Tilter

In the final racing events, Men's Fives, paddling with hands, the honers went to Merrill, Shoemaker, Story, Knight and Davenport. All five men received pocket knives.

There were more entries for the tilting contests than any other of the acquatic events. After a long series of preliminary bouts which were interesting and amusing the the contest narrowed down to Raymond Anderson, piloted by Earl Windhovel, wielding the "lance" against "Bubbles" Merrill who was piloted by Jim Story. After a rather lengthy duel Anderson finally emerged victor. Anderson and Windhovel received bill folds for firsts and Merrill and Story were awarded gold knives.

During the day State Troopers Forkin and Lauterwald, of the Delanco barracks, and Troopers Rinaldi and Erwin, from Columbus were in Riverton to assist with traffic regulation, and in the evening the troopers, Boy Scouts and members of the Riverton Fire Company helped to direct the thousands of cars parked on streets leading to the river. The number of cars is estimated at between 8,000 and 10,000.

Mrs. Margaret Lemon

Mrs. Margaret Lemon died suddenly at her home on Pompess avenue, East Riverton, Friday morning.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock from the late residence with the Rev. Charles T. Bates, pastor of the Calvary Presbyterian Church, Riverton, officiating. Interment was made in Morgan Cemetery, Palmyra, under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

Mrs. Lemon is survived by her husband, Charles W. Lemon.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Rate—10c Per Line

30c Minimum Charge for Each Ad
(Lines Average 6 Words)
CLASSIFIED ADS RECEIVED UNTIL 5 O'CLOCK WEDNESDAY
PHONE RIVERTON 712

COMPANION—Nurse and kindergartiner wishes care of child, aged person or invalid. Best references. 213 Walter avenue, Delanco.

BOARDING:—Business person may have room and privilege of home, $15 per month, garage $3. I will serve evening meals, 5 days a week very reasonable. Saturday and Sunday when I am at home. Call Mrs. Synder, Riverton 1116.

COLORED GIRL wants housework. Apply 404 Union Landing road, E. Riverton.

FOR SALE—Packing boxes, 50c and up. New Era Office, Riverton.

HOUSE FOR RENT:—Corner of Broad and Cinnaminson street. Apply "W" New Era Office.

FOR RENT:—Two rooms for boarders, no meals. Apply 408 Main street, Riverton.

FOR SALE:—Cabbage, tomatoes, peppers, egg plant, pansies, scarlet sage, snap dragon, larkspur, straw flower and astors. Charles D. Springer, Cambridge. Phone Riverside 68-W.

WANTED:—Man, with selling ability to sell Majestic Electric Refrigerators and a full line of Radios. Car furnished to good reliable man. Call or write Riverside Appliance Co., 15 Pavilion Ave., Riverside, N. J.

WHERE your rags are worth money. The New Era will pay 5c a pound for clean rags (need not be white) free from lint, hooks and eyes, buttons, and snaps.

FOR RENT:—Modern house, with garage, good location, rent reasonable. Box "W" New Era Office.

I desire to commend Rev. Nelson Summers, of East Riverton, as a careful workman in all forms of cement and stone mason work.

Rev. Summers is also a graduate of Martha Schofield School, of Aiken, North Carolina.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING OF BOROUGH OF RIVERTON ON JULY 14, 1931

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of the School District of the Borough of Riverton in the County of Burlington that a Special meeting of the legal voters of said District will be held at the No. 1 Schoolhouse on the 14th day of July, 1931, at 7 o'clock P. M. Daylight Saving Time. The polls at said meeting shall be open until 9 o'clock P. M. Daylight Saving Time.

RESOLVED: That the Board of Education is hereby authorized (a) The purchase for school purposes, the plot of land described as follows: All that tract of land belonging to the H. A. Dreer Estate, South of the Pennsylvania R. R. Company's tracks and West of Pompeston Creek, extending into the Township of Cinnaminson, containing 15.189 acres, in accordance with map No. 132-5117 dated January 10, 1931 by Sherman and Sleeper, Highway Engineers, and to expend therefor, including incidental expenses, not exceeding $25,500.00

(b) To construct on said plot of land a new school house, to purchase school furniture and other necessary equipment therefor, to improve the said plot of land and to expend therefor not exceeding $274,200.00.

(c) To issue bonds of the district for the said purposes in the principal amount of $299,700.00.

By order of the Board of Education.
Dated June 30, 1931
FRED P. HEMPHILL,
District Clerk.

RULE TO BAR CREDITORS EXECUTRIX' NOTICE

Estate of William B. Lynch, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that an order has been made by the Surrogate of the County of Burlington, bearing date the eighth day of July, 1931, upon application of the subscriber, Executrix, requiring the creditors of William B. Lynch, late of the County of Burlington, deceased, to bring in their claims against the estate of the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, on or before January 8, 1932, or they will be debarred of any action therefor against the said Executrix.

ANNA GERTRUDE LYNCH,
Executrix.

Proctor, Curry & Purnell.
Dated: July 8, 1931.

MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY

BY ERNEST CAMP JR

CITY FRIGHT

Everybody who visits New York is seized at some time or other with a sense of panic at its immensity, no matter how well travel seasoned they have become. Practically every noted foreigner, from Dr. Albert Einstein to the youngest British flapper, yields at some time or other to this feeling.

People in country towns who may have kept away from the city because of their innate fear of the town ought to conquer this feeling and spend some time here. It is more than a liberal education.

NO REAL DANGER

Life here is as safe as in any spot on earth, in spite of the monsters that roar in the subways, clatter on the elevated railroads and screech on the streets. That noise is what saves lives, probably. At the same time it is nerve-shaking to the stranger, from its potential menace.

Being lost in this enormous city is no great shakes. All one has to do is step up to some one of its 19,000 policemen and let him straighten out your mental tangle. Years ago they earned the name of "The Finest" and there is no reason to think of them as otherwise, even in these days of newspaper exposes.

AUTO TOURISTS

Hardly an hour passes, day or night, that one cannot see an automobile carrying a load of farm folks out to see the sights of a great city, bowling along through the heart of Longacre Square—the focus of all this country's theatrical activities. Nothing is missing on most of these autos; the tent strapped on the running board; camp paraphernalia piled in, rusty old baggage, and dad up front in his shirt sleeves calmly moseying along past the friendly traffic cops; and mother in calico getting an eyeful while soothing her unruly brood.

Everybody they stop to ask for directions takes pleasure in helping them along and, even if they don't stay long in the city but hike right out to some tourist camp, they get to see the greatest show on earth at a minimum of expense and effort. It's a good stunt for anybody in the country who is wondering where to go for a vacation.

TRANSPORTATION

No city in the whole world has as complex a system of street cars. It takes weeks before one learns just where they all go to, the problem being intensified by the subways, where one loses all sense of direction and can rely only upon the verbal directions given by the guards on the station platforms. And a lot of those fellows don't know any too much about the city.

On the Second Avenue Elevated Road the difficulties are added to by the type of trainmen employed. Most of them appear to have left Ireland only a few weeks before and their brogue is often too rich for an ordinary American to understand what they are trying to tell you. The man who hires for that road must be a full-fledged Irishman with an intense love for the Ould Sod.

A BUSY SPOT

Perhaps the busiest spot in the whole world, judging by the number of people who pass by it, is Greeley Square at Thirty-fourth street and Broadway. No fewer than seven double lines of rails cross the intersection. And they run on five different levels, three being underground, three on the street level and one on the Elevated track and besides them are many buses.

Within a block of the corner one may ride in the elevators of the Empire State Building for 102 floors above the street, besides going some six floors below, if one can get by the janitor. To those with a spark of adventure left, this city offers several weeks of gorgeous exploration possibilities and will form an unforgettable experience.

LATCHSTRING ALWAYS OUT

New York has an unwritten law to treat all visitors well. Local drivers are hauled off to court for any infraction of the law and dealt with summarily. But let your license plate bear a North Carolina, Ohio or Iowa license and all you get, unless you kill a pedestrian, is a smiling order from the cop to "watch what you are doing!"

We know one man who moved here from Michigan three years ago who still carries an up-to-date Detroit license—just to get that extra touch of courtesy paid to visitors.

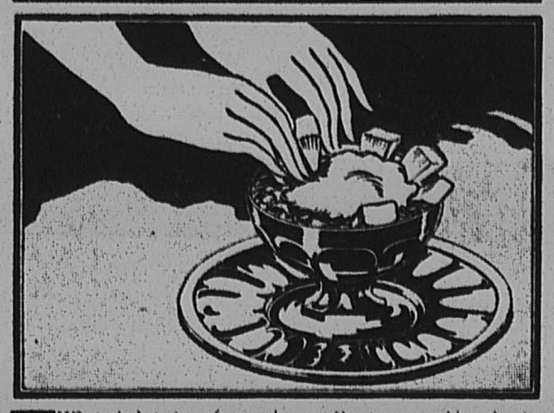
Bacharach's Office Closed For Summer

Congressman Bacharach wishes to announce that his office in Washington will be closed for the summer months.

All communications should be directed to Atlantic City, where they will receive prompt attention. While the Congressman expects to be in Atlantic City most of the time, it is suggested that out-of-town constituents who wish personal interviews with him, write in advance asking for an appointment in order that they may not be put to any unnecessary expense of time and money.

The Congressman's secretary, Mr. Bourke, will be at the Atlantic City office and will be available at all times during the absence of the Congressman.

New Tastes and Tangs



THE typical tastes of many foods are good all by themselves, but there are others which require help in order to appeal to the palate. A fruit or drink may be too sweet and require a tinge of tartness in order to make an appetizing blend. Fortunately, the American housewife has at her command an incredible number of cans of Hawaiian pineapple. The number has grown steadily, year after year, not because the producer wanted to sell more pineapple, but because the American housewife's family demands variety, and she has discovered that she can get it by combining pineapple with many dishes. But the total result has been a great reduction in price.

Just a Little Tartness

The ordinary fruit cocktail, for instance, may be deliciously chilled, but a wee bit flat if it contains absolutely no tart fruit. One way to pep it up is by means of pineapple—either the crushed, the pineapple tidbits which are small pieces of just the right size to eat without cutting, or the sliced.

Ambrosia: Drain a small can of crushed pineapple and reserve the syrup. Quarter maraschino cherries from a small bottle and mix with the pineapple. Place in sherbet glasses. Whip one pint of cream, stir in two tablespoons of pineapple syrup and one of cherry syrup and four tablespoons of ground nutmeats. Add powdered sugar to taste if desired. Place the cream over the pineapple, and place in refrigerator a couple of hours before serving, so that it will be very cold. Top with a maraschino cherry just before serving.

Cantaloupe Cup

Cantaloupe Cup: Cut four cantaloupes in halves, scalloping the tops, remove the seeds and fill the halves with the following fruit mixture: two cups orange quarters, two cups cherries, two cups crushed pineapple, one cup sliced peaches, one cup grapefruit, one cup walnuts. Serve with whipped cream or the following dressing:

Mix one-fourth cup pineapple syrup, one-fourth cup lemon juice and one-fourth cup sugar. Put into a double boiler and when mixture boils, add two beaten eggs, stirring constantly. When thick, take off the fire, cool and fold in a cup of whipped cream.

GARDEN SCIENCE IN PLAIN LANGUAGE

FROM NEW JERSEY COLLEGE of AGRICULTURE and EXPERIMENT STATION

GROWING POTTED PERENNIALS

By A. C. McLean
N. J. Agr'l Extension Service

Gardeners who neglected to start perennials this spring or last fall can make good use of the potted perennials that many nurserymen are offering for planting now in borders, rockeries, or flower beds. These perennials also may be used to replace plants that have died, or to provide late bloom in beds or borders that now have too large a proportion of spring-blooming plants. The gardener who makes use of pot-grown perennials now, especially such late-blooming ones as Japanese anemones, hardy asters, heleniums, and others, can greatly freshen the appearance of his border and still have an abundance of bloom in late August and September.

The gardener who has a rather large piece of land should grow a few perennials in pots in the spring and have them available for replacing other plants that may die. Most perennials potted in the spring can be carried successfully through the summer in pots from 4 to 6 inches in diameter. A number of these plants will bloom in pots and they may be transplanted, even when in bloom, to any garden spot where color is needed.

A fertile soil, yet one containing plenty of sand, is essential to the successful cultivation of perennials in pots. A suggested potting mixture consists of 1 part well-rotted manure or other organic material, 1 part of sand, and 1 part of rich loam. The pots should contain enough stones to provide ample drainage. Plants in pots sunk to their rims in the garden will require less watering, and keep in better condition, than potted plants set on top of the ground.

TREAT IRIS RHIZOMES NOW

By R. P. White
N. J. Agr'l Experiment Station

July, the time for moving and dividing iris rhizomes, is also the best time to control diseases that affect the roots and rhizomes of this popular garden plant.

One of these diseases is soft rot, a bacterial infection that causes a wet, slimy decay of the rhizomes, and a dying back of the fans of leaves. The infection enters the rhizomes through injuries made by cultivating tools and by the iris borer.

Care should be taken to avoid injuring the rhizomes from gardening tools when cultivating about the plant. Equally important is the need to control the iris borer. This is best done in the fall by destroying all old leaves upon which this insect, in the egg form, passes the winter. Soft rot may be present despite effective control of the borer, however, especially in large clumps that are ready to be divided.

Root rot of iris, a desease becoming more prevalent and destructive in the last few years, causes decay of the roots but does not infect the rhizomes. This disease also causes a die-back of the fans of leaves, a symptom that is indistinguishable from the die-back caused by soft rot. In the latter infection, however, the rhizome also is rotted.

Treatment with mercuric bichloride (corrosive sublimate) is recommended if either of these diseases is present. Lift and divide infected rhizomes, remove all diseased roots and adhering soil, and cut away all rotted parts of the rhizomes. Then dip the cleaned rhizome for thirty minutes in a mercuric bichloride solution made up at the rate of 1 tablet to 1 pint of water, or 1 ounce to 15 gallons of water. Still another dip that may be used is one of the organic mercuric preparations available at seed stores, garden supply houses, and in some drug stores. When using one of these preparations, follow the directions furnished by the seller. The treated rhizomes should be planted in fresh soil or in disinfected soil.

SEDUM FOR THE ROCK GARDEN

By A. C. McLean
N. J. Agr'l Extension Service

The gardener who is seeking a desirable plant to add to his rock garden collection, or one to grow in any high, well drained place, can do not better than to grow one or more varieties of the sedum or stone crop. The sedums, which grow from 12 to 18 inches high as ground covers for the bare spots seen in many rockeries, and for dry, sunny areas near dwellings.

The sedums are natives of the northern temperate zone, and they grow naturally in the higher and drier locations. The different varieties are quite similar in most characteristics.

The two common types of this plant are the creeping or dwarf sedums, and the taller-growing ones. Among the latter kind, the common Showy sedum (S. spectabile) is especially recommended.

The most satisfactory dwarf or creeping sedums for New Jersey conditions are Gold Moss, (S. acre), White sedum, (S. album), Sieboldi sedum, (S. sieboldi), Running sedum, (S. Stoloniferum), and Hexagon sedum, (S. sexangulare). All of these varieties are hardy, easily grown plants, and they may be transplanted with little difficulty. Many other varieties of sedums are available for planting in New Jersey, but not all of them are as hardy as the foregoing ones.

Most varieties of the sedum can be planted at pratically any time of the year. They may be started easily by rooting pieces of the plant in sand. This may be done now, providing sufficient moisture is supplied to keep the cuttings from shriveling. Do not let the ground become soggy, however, as the cuttings may rot.

Each of the 100 girls employed in a shoe factory, in Lynn, Mass., wear gay beach pajamas during working hours.

SEND IT IN

If you have a bit of news,
Send it in.
Or a joke that will amuse,
Send it in.

A story that is true,
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VERY LATESTS

By MARY MARSHALL

The present revival of cottons reminds us of the tremendous vogue for cottons that took place following the French revolution in France. Many of the new long, slender evening dresses are distinctly reminiscent of those days. Today we have a far wider variety of fine cotton materials



from which to choose.

Today's sketch suggests how to make a white or colored cotton dress. The flounce on the skirt measures about fourteen inches in depth and the pleats are about an inch and a half in width. You can easily lay them yourself, then base down and press carefully. The frill on the bodice is made from a three inch piece of material laid in pleats about an inch wide. Instead of extending the frilling around the back it is best to let it terminate at the shoulder seams.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for July 12

THE PREACHING OF THE APOSTLES

Acts 4:1-14

Rev Samuel D. Price, D. D.

Faith in any religion is indicated by the way its followers seek to propagate it. Passing the truths of Christianity on to others is one of the basic principles which Jesus Christ proclaimed. Naturally the apostles' teaching aroused the opposition of those who were especially related to the Jewish Sanhedrin. One particular reason for opposing those of the new sect was that they asserted that the body of Jesus had been raised from death. This was a position that the Sadducees denied. It was with real eagerness that the Sadducees saw to it that Peter and John were put under guard for trial the next day. These apostles had wrought a miracle under the power of the Holy Spirit in healing a cripple who had asked alms from them as they were going into the Temple area. Of course a crowd was attracted and Peter used the opportunity of preaching to the people.

The Sanhedrin was summoned and the healed man was present with at least his silent testimony. The question was asked "By what power, or in what name have ye done this?" Again Peter had a lead for further witnessing concerning Jesus of Nazareth and the active work of the Holy Spirit. The climax of the message was in the statement about Jesus Christ: "And in none other is there salvation: for neither is there any other name under Heaven, that is given among men, wherein we must be saved."

The Sanhedrin could not deny the fact of the healed man who was in their midst. Their sentence was that this kind of preaching must stop. Peter's bold answer to that injunction is given in the Golden Text: "We must obey God rather than men," Acts 5:29.

CHECKS FALSE BLOSSOM IN N. J. CRANBERRY BOGS

Spread of the false blossom disease that threatens extensive cranberry plantings in New Jersey "seems to have been held in check fairly well during the last year," Charles S. Beckwith, associate in cranberry and blueberry research of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station, said at Pemberton Tuesday. His report is based on activities of cranberry growers in applying pyrethrum sprays to the vines, and flooding the bogs with water, practices which destroys the blunt-nosed leafhopper. This insect has been found guilty of spreading the false blossom disease from plant to plant and, since the disease itself is incurable, preventive efforts have already completed their spraying operations this season, Mr. Beckwith said, and others will have completed this week within the next few days.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

By Nancy Hart

Cheese on Salad

Did you ever try grated cheese on salad? Use yellow cheese dry enough to be grated and then after you have added a little mayonnaise to the salad sprinkle the cheese lightly on top, or pass in a little dish with the mayonnaise. It is especially good with a salad made from cold cauliflower.

For luncheon some time try a salad from cooked rice that has been set to cool in small individual molds. Place one of the rice molds on each bed of lettuce, and serve with mayonnaise or some made boiled salad dressing with grated cheese sprinkled on top.

For Frying

Next time you have any fish or croquettes to fry—anything that need to be rolled in fine crumbs or flour—try putting the crumbs or flour on a good-sized piece of clean kitchen paper instead of on a platter or molding board. This will give you a larger flat surface than is possible with a platter and will spare you the rather troublesome task of cleaning the molding board. It is an especially good thing when there is fish to fry.

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 a 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 a 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, the simmer for five minutes. Serve on a hot platter, surrounded with strips of toast.

The SCRAP BOOK

TRULY GREAT

By William H. Davies

My walls outside must have some flowers,
My walls within must have some books;
A house that's small; a garden large
And in it leafy nooks.

A little gold that's sure each week;
That comes not from my living kind,
But from a dead man in his grave
Who cannot change his mind.

A lovely wife, and gentle, too;
Contented that no eyes but mine
Can see her many charms, nor voice
To call her beauty fine.

Where she would in that stone cage live,
A self-made prisoner, with me;
While many a wild bird sang around
On gate, on bush, on tree.

And she sometimes to answer them,
In her far sweeter voice than all;
Till birds, that loved to look on leaves,
Will doat on a stone wall.

With this small house, this garden large,
This little gold, this lovely mate,
With health in body, peace at heart
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Except July 4 and September 7
Monday to Friday — Saturdays
6.15 P. M. — 9.15 P. M.
8.15 P. M. — 11.15 P. M.
SUNDAYS
Also July 4 and September 7
5.15 P. M. — 9.15 P. M.
6.15 P. M. — 10.15 P. M.
7.15 P. M. — 11.15 P. M.
8.15 P. M.

FOR WILDWOOD
Leave Camden:
WEEK-DAYS except July 4 and Sept. 7 — SUNDAYS Also July 4 and Sept. 7
6.58 A. M. — 9.48 A. M.
6.58 A. M. — 7.53 A. M. — 10.08 A. M.
8.48 A. M. — 2.13 P. M.
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RETURNING
Leave Wildwood:
WEEK-DAYS — SUNDAYS
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and Sept. 7 — **4.02 P. M. — 9.02 P. M.
4.26 P. M. — 5.12 P. M.
6.22 P. M. — 6.02 P. M.
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THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

RADIO AND HEALTH

Radio, the crowning achievement of its time, and one of our greatest blessings, may be regraded to a mere matter of dollars and cents, when mankind descends wholly to that level. Did you ever think that your receiving set may lead you headlong into the open arms of the nostrum-vender and quack, solely in the interest of his pocketbook? That you are made poorer and he the richer by your own soft gullibility?

It gives me a first-rate case of nausea to hear the blatant yawp of some hired man for a quack concern, pleading with me and you to go to the drug store, first thing in the morning and BUY a bottle of germ-killer that knocks 'em in a specified number of seconds!

These fellows that never crossed the threshold of a pathological laboratory in their lives, presume to tell me about "bacteria." They infer off hand that you and I have a mouthful, beckful, stomachful of potent germs, deadly in character, if not killed off at once by the great bottled savior of mind and body; they juggle handily with laboratory terms, as though they had been raised on test tubes and retorts and chemical reactions; all to get YOU and Me to BUY their gully wash and soak it into our systems.

And do we buy it? We certainly do; we buy stuff of which we know absolutely nothing, at the solicitation of an itinerant who is solely interested in the sum he can extract from your children, into you and your wife—and if you all use it four or six times a day, all the better for the nostrum-vendor. For, nine out of ten, you could use hot water and boracic acid with better results at one twentieth the cost.

Good rule for the rural radiofan is, to believe nothing he hears from a paid propagandist. He has an ax to grind, and you, dear reader, have been picked out to turn the grindstone. Summon your horse sense; that's my advice.

Good Dressings

Sauce Tartare: To one cup of mayonnaise add a tablespoon each of finely minced olives, sweet pickles and chives or onions.

Thousand Islands Dressing: To one cup of mayonnaise add two tablespoons of chili sauce, one tablespoon of chopped onion and one tablespoon of chopped pepper.

Manhattan Dressing: To one cup of mayonnaise add a finely chopped hard-boiled egg, one tablespoon of capers and a tablespoon of finely chopped sweet pickle.

California Dressing: To one cup of mayonnaise add a quarter cup of minced ripe olives and the same amount of minced green olives.

John D. Sloan, coal miner of Kona, Ky., aged 54, is the father of 34 children.

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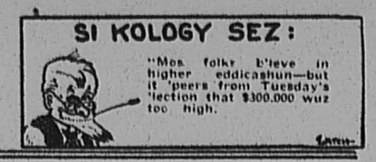
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TO INVESTIGATE STREET OILING

Riverton Work Not Satisfactory and Borough Engineers Will Investigate

The subject of the recent road oiling was given full consideration and discussion at the meeting of the Riverton Borough Council last Thursady evening, when a committee of citizens appeared before that body to protest agains the manner which the work had been done.

The chief complaint was the dusty condition in which the streets had been left. Clouds of dust covered the landscape, the front porches, the side porches and the back porches. The penetrating stuff found its way into the house and spoiled rugs and draperies. It sifted through the second story windows and smooched the bed spreads—in fact, it was worse than the combined plagues of Egypt, and the irate citizens wanted to know what Council was going to do about it.

Citizens Protest

Among the complainants who addressed Council were Wayne E. Ayres, who said he had never seen anything like it since Riverton had begun to oil its streets. Alexander B. Garwood, who backed up what Mr. Ayres said and added that the floor of his front porch, which had been freshly painted just before the street was oiled and sanded, had been completely ruined by the sticky mass which had been formed by the layer of dust mixed with a shower of rain.

Mr. Bennett said he saw the work started on one of the streets, and it seemed to him that the heavy truck which dragged the sanding machine "squashed" the oil off the surface of the roadway before the sand could be applied, and that wherever the wheels went there was no oil, leaving strips covered only with the sand.

It was also stated that in many places the new coating of oil and sand did not adhere to the old surface, where the wheels of the truck had not passed.

Puts It Up to Inspector

William H. Albertson, chairman of the highway committee, said he had heard a lot of unfavorable comment on the work, and that candidly he did not know what the trouble was. He pointed out that when the contract was given to the firm which was to do the work he had asked to have an inspector appointed by the borough engineers, which was done, therefore he did not feel that he was responsible for the miscarriage of what seemed at the start to be a very fine job.

The inspector put on the work was a man by the name of Oldershaw. Mr. Oldershaw was present and said he had carefully watched the application of the oil and sand, and could not see that anything was wrong. He said he had advised the application of a little less sand at times, and that his request had been followed. He had noticed, too, that some of the sand seemed to be a little "velvety."

Contractor Did His Best

Mr. Carroll, representing the Bituminous Service Company, which did the work, said every effort had been made to give the borough a good job, and he was totally at a loss to know what had gone wrong.

Both Mr. Sherman and Mr. Sleeper, of the firm of Sherman & Sleeper, borough engineers, were present, and both were at a loss to know what could be wrong. The oil, they said, had been shipped under the seal of the inspector of the State Highway Department, certified as slow curing oil, and was supposed to be exactly the same kind of oil as has been used on the Riverton streets before.

Referred to Borough Engineers

After considerable discussion the whole matter was referred to the borough engineers for investigation and report as soon as possible. When the report is received a special meeting of Council will be called to consider it and take action.

Albert S. King, a resident of the river bank, who had previously addressed a letter to Council asking that something be done to improve the condition of the roadway on that thoroughfare, wrote to compliment the borough officials on the prompt action taken, as follows.

"A Pat on the Back"

"A pat on the back goes a long way with all of us, and I certainly think that you have one coming to you because of your action in improving the river bank. I, personally, am indebted to you because of the promptness of your decision and of the prompt-

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TROOPERS AT DELANCO NAB FOUR MOTORISTS

Palmyra Driver One of Those Arrested by State Police Over Weekend

Four motorists were arrested Sunday night by troopers of the Delanco state police barracks.

Tony Cugliotta, of Palmyra, charged with illegal parking, was given a suspended sentence by Justice of the Peace Harry McCloskey, at Beverly, after his arrest by Trooper Francis Caisse.

On a similar charge William Baldwin, of Moorestown, was fined $10 and costs at Riverton by Police Recorder Cecil A. Bowers. He was arrested by Trooper Herbert Lauterwald.

Milton Meredith, of Burlington, was given a suspended sentence by Squire McCloskey. He was arrested by Trooper Joseph Armino.

Charged with a traffic violation, John Cliver, of Burlington, was fined $5 and costs by Squire McCloskey after his arrest by Trooper Caisse.

REGISTRATION BAN ON BUSES THAT SPEED IS URGED BY AUTO CLUB

"The only way to curb the bus speed menace is to revoke the registration of buses, instead of merely arresting the drivers for infraction of the speed law. By hitting the bus-owning corporations in a vulnerable spot—the pocketbook—the authorities can accomplish more for highway safety than ever will be gained by the prosecution of bus drivers, who are obliged to operate at high speed to maintain the schedules laid down for them."

That statement was made by Trevor B. Mathews, manager, Camden division, Keystone Automobile Club of New Jersey, in outlining the club's position on the bus speed situation, which is probably the most serious problem confronting state and local authorities today.

"We feel," said Mr. Mathews, "that little has been accomplished by the prosecution of bus drivers. Invariably, their excuse is that high speeds must be maintained to keep up with the schedules."

TWO YOUTHS DIE IN AUTO SMASH

Bridgeboro Man Drives Car Into Pair Who Were Repairing Tire

Two Philadelphia youths were killed when a car driven by Malcolm Anderson, 24 years old, of Bridgeboro, crashed into them while they were attempting to repair a tire on their car near Lakehurst early Sunday morning.

Anderson said the headlights of other cars blinded him and it is also thought that one of the victims was standing in front of the red light of their own car as Anderson's machine approached.

The dead youths were Charles Cannon, Jr., 20, of Umbria street, Manayunk, and Cyril Goldbeck, 21, of Krams avenue Manayunk. Miss Helen Ford, 19, of Westmoreland street, Philadelphia, who was sitting in Cannon's car, was not hurt.

Florence Eldredge, 14, and her sister Mary, 16, both of Moorestown, and Elliston Moore, of Bridgeboro, passengers in Anderson's car, were all treated for lacerations and bruises at the Lakehurst hospital.

Anderson was held on a technical charge of manslaughter by a Toms River Justice of the Peace and young Moore was released under $500 bail after being held for some time as a witness.

It was said that young Cannon was soon to have been married to Miss Ford.

STEAL AUTO, THEN ROB MAN OF $47

Two Riverside Men Arrested After Going on Rampage at Expense Of Two Friends

Chief of Police Voshell and Officers Jack Pitman and Louis Harris, of Riverside, arrested two Riverside men Sunday after they had stolen one man's automobile and robbed another man of $47.

The culprits are Eugene Maleckl, of 209 Madison street, and Joseph Yankowski, of New Jersey avenue.

Early Sunday, according to police, they stole the automobile of Walter Duochouski, 40 Polk street, which was parked in front of his home.

The two then drove to Burlington where they picked up Charles S. Jones, of 244 East Broad street, Burlington, another friend. They brought Jones to Riverside and after reaching Madison street relieved him of $47 at the point of a gun.

Jones reported the affair to the Riverside police. The suspects denied the crimes for several hours but finally admitted them.

Malecki was released in $300 bail while his companion was held without bail for the grand jury by Justice of the Peace Lester Merrill.

Mrs. Mary E. Miller

Mrs. Mary Miller for many years a resident of Palmyra, died at her home, 427 Cinnaminson avenue, Palmyra, Sunday evening.

Funeral services will be held in Pottstown, Pa., this afternoon at one o'clock. Interment will be made in the Mt. Zion Cemetery, Pottstown.

Mrs. Miller is survived by her husband, A. Freemont Miller.

LETTER FROM MRS. KELLY GOLD STAR MOTHER

Editor of New Era:—

I wish to embrace this opportunity to express my deep appreciation and heartily thank the Mayor, Council, Park Committee, Citizens of Riverton and all who contributed in making July 4th such a memorable and glorious occasion for me.

My heart was filled with emotion as I looked over that vast assembly of friendly faces and I thought of our beautiful park "as a large room in God's Own Palace," I, an honored, invited guest, unto whom kind, generous hearts offered their best.

With highest courtesy, full respect and deep gratitude I accept this great honor, and sincerely thank all who so greatly honored our dear Soldier Boys and their "Gold Star Mothers."

CECILE A. KELLY,
618 Main Street, Riverton.

BRIDGE REPAIR CONTRACTS OUT

Medford Concrete Company and Charles S. Moses Low Bidders on Reconstruction

The Burlington County Board of Freeholders received bids, at its regular meeting last Friday, on the reconstruction of a culvert in Pemberton Township, designated as F 4.34.

The bids presented were: Charles S. Moses, $2,068.00; Hill Construction Co., $1,990.00; William C. Cook, $2,639.00; Thomas A. Watson & Son, $3,533.92; Medford Concrete Co., $1,763.48.

The contract was awarded to Medford Concrete Company.

Bids on reconstructing bridge H 4.1 on the Browns Mills-Lakehurst Road were received from the following: Charles S. Moses, $2,674.00; Kolyn Construction Co., $4,496.00; Hill Construction Co., $3,240.00; William C. Cook, $4,579.00.

This contract went to Charles S. Moses.

The Public Service was granted permission to erect one pole and necessary equipment on Deacon Road at Haines port by a resolution presented by Director of Roads Charles R. Stout.

A communication was received from the Township of Bordentown asking the County to take over part of the old state highway No. 2 that has been abandoned by the state and lies within the bounds of the township. The letter was received and filed.

Curwen B. Fisher, Superintendent of Weight and Measures, presented his third annual report to the Board. The report follows:

Fisher's Report

Mount Holly, N. J., July 10, 1931.

Gentlemen:—

I have pleasure in presenting to you this, my third annual report. Again I am compelled to say that the work of this department increases steadily with the multiplication of intricate devices for measurement in all lines of trade. The engineer has skillfully met the demands for machines that will satisfy this age of speed and nervous tension in every phase of tradesmanship. Old fashioned steelyards and balance scales have given place to the finely constructed computer that saves the merchants brains while it measures. Calculating costs for him with precision. The hand pumps which ground out gas in oft uncertain quantity are being relegated to the junk heap and the electric pump and clock are to the fore.

When one notes the fact that there is an auto for every four persons, some estimate is possible of the rapid and extensive multiplication of gas and oil service stations. In this territorially large county the task of supervision of the correctness of these measuring devices assumes huge proportions. Add to this the fact that our county is the converging plain for the majority of the lanes of travel to the people's shore playground, and one is easily convinced that the duties of this department are magnified. We have not yet completed one round of inspection of gas pumps and to date 1033 pumps are tested. Stores, coal yards, road stands, milk stations, hay dealers, farmers, produce markets and innumerable other venders are under the scrutiny of this department.

No longer is the chief objective the rounding up of crooks; for I am persuaded that most are honest men; but service to both the merchant and the public is our aim. This is coming to be better understood, and our work is being increasingly appreciated by all.

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Mrs. Eliza H. Hickey

Mrs. Eliza H. Hickey, seventy years old, a resident of Palmyra since 1906, died at her home, 505 Leconey avenue, Saturday morning, following a month's illness.

Funeral services were held Tuesday evening at eight o'clock at the late residence with the Rev. Arthur S. Lewis, pastor of Christ Church, Riverton, officiating. Interment was made in the Tioga Point Cemetery, Athens, Pa., under the direction of Frank A. Snover. The Rev. W. E. Daw will officiate at Athens.

Mrs. Hickey, who was the daughter of the late Rev. James McAlpin Harding, was the widow of the late Edward Hickey.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Alice Keil, of Palmyra; three sons, E. Howard Hickey, of Philadelphia; McAlpin H. Hickey, of Trenton, and Yates Hickey, of Seattle, Washington; two brothers, W. S. Harding, of Riverton and Pelham Harding, of Catasaqua, Pa., and a sister, Mrs. M. M. Martin, of Highlands, N. C.

Five grandchildren also survive her. They are Pauline and Marjorie Keil, of Palmyra; James Hickey, of Chicago, and Yates and Malcolm Hickey, of Seattle, Washington.

The deceased was a member of Covenant Chapter, O. E. S. and the Palmyra Woman's Club.

Smith — Quigley

Miss Helen Marie Quigley, daughter of the late William Quigley, of Riverton, became the bride of Edward Sterling Smith, of Audubon, at a very pretty wedding at Sacred Heart Church, Riverton, the Rev. Joseph A. Rigney officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith are enjoying a wedding trip to Canada and California. They will return to their new home in Audubon about the first of September.

TRANSFER ASPIRANT OF RIVERTON COP JOB

Trooper George Small, Applicant for Position as Police Chief, Moved to Absecon

State Trooper George C. Small, an applicant for the chief of police job at Riverton last winter has again been transferred, it is announced. He is a former resident of Riverton and at one time was stationed at the Delanco police barracks.

His transfer from Berlin came as the result of a promotion to Trooper Fred Fabian, of Absecon, to the rank of corporal. Fabian has been moved from Absecon to Mays Landing as the non-commissioned officer in charge of that station, and Small has been moved to Absecon to take Fabian's place.

BAIRD DEFENDS DIRECT REFUND

Declares Money Should Be Given to Taxpayers When They Need It

Coming to the defense of the tax refund recently voted by the Legislature, David Baird, Jr., Republican nominee for Governor, declared at Newark that critics of the cost of making the distribution overlook the benefits to the taxpayers.

The money for this refund will become available when the new Bridge Commission has issued and sold bonds with the bridge itself as security, the proceeds of which will be used to pay off the State bonds which were issued by New Jersey at the time the bridge was built.

Municipal authorities have complained that the plan to make a direct refund to the taxpayers this year will involve the employment of extra clerical help and entail various other expenses. It is their contention that the better scheme would have been to credit the refund to next year's tax bills.

It was decided to make a direct refund, Baird explained, to prevent municipalities absorbing the rebate by increased expenditures. He characterized the legislative measure as an obligation of the State to its citizens in time of distress.

"What we are after in this period of depression" said Baird, "is a direct benefit to the taxpayers. We feel this will be accomplished, although it may necessitate a little extra work."

The reaction of the taxpayers to the refund plan is viewed by party leaders as altogether favorable to the candidacy of Baird. They are further cheered by the debt moratorium declared by President Hoover and count on the expected improvement in business conditions to aid the Republican cause.

Already, it is claimed, the disposition to charge the Republicans with responsibility for present conditions has disappeared, according to the leaders. Even though the expected improvement may not be apparent to the wage earners by November, it is felt that there will be a swing toward Baird by business men generally. An immediate result among many of the workers has been a change in the defeatist attitude heretofore evident.

"It is significant that a Republican administration undertook so far-reaching a step," said Senator Wolber, discussing the moratorium plan. "It cannot help but react favorably toward the party. It emphasizes again that the Republican party is a constructive force in government."

The record and career of Baird as compared with that of Mayor Hague, of Jersey City, leader of the Democrats, also will be kept to the front in the campaign, as evidenced by a bristling speech which Carl A. Ruhlmann, member of the Civil Service Commission, delivered before the executive group of the Hudson County Republican Committee.

Hague appeared before the Democratic State Committee last week and viciously attacked Baird. Ruhlmann answered each of the points raised by Hague and asked some blunt questions of his own as to the source of Hague's wealth. Baird, he asserted, has never made a dollar out of politics.

TWO HURT IN CRASH

Palmyra Grocery Clerk in Serious Condition at Hospital

Albert Imhoff, of Bridgeboro street Riverside, a clerk in the American Store at 2 East Broad street, Palmyra, was critically injured in a smash which occurred between Riverside and Bridgeboro last Sunday night.

When taken to the Burlington County Hospital at Mount Holly, Imhoff was found to be suffering from a fractured skull and deep cuts of the head.

Theodore Walters, 319 Lippincott avenue, Riverside, driver of the machine in which Imhoff, was riding, escaped with minor injuries, after his car had crashed into a tree about 11 o'clock. The automobile was demolished by the impact.

Imhoff failed to regain consciousness until late Monday and physicians at that time held but slight hope for his recovery.

State Troopers Forkin and Murphy, of the Delanco barracks, made a complete investigation of the accident.

EDITORIAL

The School Election

The citizens of Riverton at the special school election Tuesday night made it known by a decisive majority that they did not approve of the expenditure of $300,000 for a school plant. This election was held following a vigorous campaign for and against the proposition. The vote was large and representative. Since the project had to be defeated, it is well that the majority against it was large enough to leave no shadow of doubt as to how the people felt.

Those who favored the plan submitted by the board cannot reproach themselves for any lack of effort. They worked hard. Doubtless sincere, they were simply out of step with the trend of thought of a majority of their fellow citizens. Both groups realize the necessity for improving school facilities in Riverton, but are widely divided on how, and how much.

The boys and girls of Riverton are entitled to an education which will meet modern requirements. The men and women of Riverton want them to have all equipment necessary to that end. They objected to what seemed to them to be an extravagant expenditure of public money for things that were not necessary.

The vigorous campaign waged brought the school and its needs to the attention of people who have given no thought to school mattters for many, many years. In the long run this will have a beneficial effect.

There may be some wisdom in the suggestion that the present building be put in condition to be safe, sanitary and comfortable, and necessary new furniture added, at a cost not exceeding $75,000 to be financed over a period equal to the number of years the bonds on this building still have to run. The school board could then start with a clean slate on a more pretentious program.

By that time it may be possible to effect some sort of working arrangement with Cinnaminson township, along school lines at least, which will be to the advantage of both school districts, financially and educationally.

It is to be sincerely hoped that the rejection of the plan submitted by the school board will not mean that the matter will be dropped and nothing done. That is not the desire of those who voted against the $300,000 proposition.

Now that a decision has been rendered on its first proposition, the Board of Education has an opportunity to show its good sportsmanship by immediately preparing plans for remodeling the present building along conservative lines. And it will be up to those who opposed the school board plan on the grounds that it was too elaborate and expensive, to show their good faith in their expressed desire to see adequate school facilities in Riverton, by backing a revised plan that is at once practical and economical.

CITIZENS DISCUSS NEED OF NURSE

May Secure Someone to Do Borough as Well as School Work

Thirteen Palmyra citizens, who are interested in securing the services of a nurse to do Borough, as well as school work, met in the P. O. S. of A. Hall Tuesday evening.

Those present were: Mayor George N. Wimer, Dr. Dean H. LeFavor, Dr. H. W. Bauer, Prof. C. F. Dengler, Harry Saar, George J. Spencer, Walter D. Lamon, Mrs. Richard E. Wilson, Mrs. A. N. Palmer, Mrs. W. A. McCamy, Mrs. Clement Hines, Mrs. A. C. Giberson and Mrs. Elias Toy.

Mr. Wimer called the meeting to order and explained to those present the necessity of the Borough and school officials co-operating in this matter for the best interests of the people of the town.

One thing which was definitely decided was the fact that the nurse should have an automobile to make her calls and the car should be used to transport patients who have no means of transportation to and from the Burlington County Hospital.

It was decided, however, that the nurse should not drive the car to the hospital on these occasions, as her time would be far too valuable. Things were not definitely arranged in that connection.

It was suggested that Palmyra's needy be taken to the Cooper Hospital, as it was so much nearer. The two doctors present explained that the law specifically stated where there is a county hospital, people from that county needing medical attention must be taken there.

Just how the nurse's salary should be paid and how the automobile would be purchased was not decided.

The committee will hold another meeting in about two weeks after they have secured more definite information as to what the duties of the new nurse will be.

Mrs. Anna K. Kieme

Mrs. Anna K. Kieme died at her home, 308 Leconey avenue, Palmyra, Friday morning.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at two o'clock from the late residence. Interment was made in the Montrose Cemetery, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Kieme is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gottschalk, of Horace avenue, Palmyra; two children, William and Florence; a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Ward, of Palmyra; and a brother, George Gottschalk, of West Philadelphia.

FREEHOLDERS TO VISIT COUNTY

State Association Will Enjoy Trip Down Delaware River

The State Association of Freeholders will meet in Burlington county August 10. The invitation was accepted Monday when the association held its meeting at the new State Hospital for the Insane at Holmdel, Monmouth county.

The Burlington county freeholders plan to take the visiting officials on a boat ride down the Delaware, passing under the new Burlington-Bristol bridge, the Palmyra Tacony bridge and Camden bridge, the first two of which have their Jersey approaches in this county. Lunch will be served on the boat.

Burlington county was well represented at the July meeting in Monmouth county.

Robert Cox, superintendent of the institution, a former superintendent of the Burlington county institution for the insane at New Lisbon, was greeted by many friends from this county.

Those from Burlington county who made the trip were Freeholders Charles R. Stout, William H. Fleisler and James McCormick; Clerk Alfonso Adams; Sheriff Roscoe C. Shinn, County Treasurer Joseph H. Bright, William H. Reeves, Henry I. Worrell, steward of the Almshouse; Rev. Norman Stockett, Floyd Kempte, of Pemberton; Dr. C. T. Jones, superintendent of the State Colony at Four Mile; Judge Harold B. Wells, Frank McIlvain, superintendent of the Burlington County Hospital for the Insane at New Lisbon; Mayor George N. Wimer, of Palmyra; Lewis A. Macfarland, county supervisor of roads; Harry Hawkins, Jr., William A. Jones, C. B. Fisher, Lewis Shinn, J. Aquila Jones, Roscoe C. Gale, Francis B. Gerry, Edward S. Troth, Russell Stoddard and Walter LaTour, of Mount Holly; Fred Lippincott and Percy Lovell, of Moorestown; Glen W. Chambers and Leon H. Raesley, of Burlington.

SHIPPING JERSEY CORN

Southern New Jersey vegetable growers shipped the first of their sweet corn crop to eastern markets last week, according to produce market information issued by the State Department of Agriculture. Arrivals of the crop at New York were light, but demand was rather slow, principally because of the ordinary condition of the offerings. The best corn met a fairly active market and sold at $2.00 per sack of 100 ears, while poorer stock sold for as low as $1.00 to $1.25.

VOTERS REJECT $300,000 SCHOOL

Number Favoring New Building Less Than One to Six: 671 Votes Polled

The special Riverton school election held in the school house Tuesday night to vote on the erection of a $300,000 school house rejected the proposition by a vote of 571 against 92 in favor.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. C P. Mayfield, president of the Board of Education. Daniel M. Clifton was elected chairman; James Goodwin secretary and John Ruppert and Karl W. Latch, clerks.

The number of votes was the largest polled at a school election in Riverton for many years. When the doors opened at seven o'clock more than a hundred people were in line, waiting to be admitted, and the balloting started as soon as the officers had been elected.

Friends of both sides of the question had been working for a week or more and the voters arrived at the school with their minds fully made up. The voting was rapid, and by the time the polls closed at 9.15 everyone who desired to do so had deposited their ballots.

The count took an hour and a half. The number of ballots cast was 671, of which eight were rejected for improper marking.

A thunderstorm had been in progress during the evening, the voters arriving in carloads between the downpours. When the result of the balloting was announced, it was greeted by the forces of nature with "thunderous applause", punctuated by flashes of lightning.

MEDFORD HOST TO FIRE CHIEFS

Mingin Welcomes Members of Association Headed by Moorestown Man

The Burlington County Fire Chiefs Association met in the fire house at Medford Wednesday evening of last week and held a most interesting meeting. The meeting was called to order by President E. H. McAllister of Moorestown. County Clerk Lawrence G. Mingin was present and heartily welcomed the chiefs. He said that although the Burlington County Chiefs' Association is but an infant, it is doing a wonderful work. He emphasized the importance of such an organization and expressed his belief that it was only a matter of a short time before there would be a 100 per cent co-operation throughout the county. Mr Mingin called attention to three new statutes effecting firemen which were passed at the last session of the Legislature.

Section Firewarden Carlton I. Taylor, of Medford, gave a very interesting and educational talk on forest fires.

Louis Franks, of Atco, gave a lengthy talk on fire conditions in his section.

A committee of three was appointed by President McAllister to co-operate with the County Firemen's Association in reference to firemen's tags being used on autos. County Marshal Smith of Bridgeboro, Chief McClain, Medford, and Chief Kniss, Bordentown, were named members of the committee.

A committee of three, including Chiefs Pennock, Mount Holly; Ingling, Pemberton; Kniss, Bordentown, was appointed to co-operate with the County Firemen's Association to investigate cost and details of having a special room for use of firemen in the Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly.

The next meeting of the Fire Chiefs' Association will be held at Lenola on August 12.

COURT CONFIRMS FAIR GROUNDS SALE

Development Company Gets Former Ku Klux Klan Holdings in Mount Holly

Vice Chancellor Malcolm G. Buchanan has confirmed the sale of the Mount Holly Fair Grounds property to the Holly Development Company for $10,100 in an order of the court of chancery at Trenton on the application of State Senator Clifford R. Powell, receiver for the Burlington County Progressive League, Inc., holding company of the Ku Klux Klan.

The bid of $10,100 was made at a public sale, ordered by the court in October, 1929, by Andrew M. Cella, Trenton lawyer, and then assigned to the Mount Holly Development Company.

Vice Cancellor Buchanan further ordered that Senator Powell, as receiver, execute conveyance of the property to the company.

Senator Powell stated after the court's action that the Holly Company contemplates razing the old grandstand, stables and other buildings on the land formerly used by the Mount Holly Fair Association and later by the Ku Klux Klan.

The purchasing company also has plans to develope the property, he said, including a site for the new Mount Holly High School building and the use by the school of the halfmile track for athletic purposes.

PLAN PLAYGROUND AT SPRING GARDEN STREET BUILDING

Will Experiment on Second Recreation Center; Open Tomorrow, Saturday

SEVENTY REGISTERED AT DELAWARE AVE. SCHOOL

Clinton B. Gardner, Supervisor, Asks Citizens to Donate More Equipment

The second playground to be sponsored by the Palmyra School Board for supervised recreation of children during the summer months, will be opened tomorrow and Saturday at the Spring Garden street school.

The recreation center at the primary school has been planned in response to the request of many people on the south side of the railroad. They have hesitated to send the children across the tracks to the Delaware avenue playground and numerous persons have asked a like place of amusement for the children on the south side of the tracks.

The opening of the second playground is expected to bring out many children who have not already taken advantage of the playground which has been provided by the Palmyra school board this year.

Seventy Registered

Mr. Gardner has reported excellent progress this summer, and says there have been more than seventy children registered at the Delaware avenue playground. Of this number, about half are on hand for the daily morning amusement program.

As an experimental procedure the playground at the Spring Garden street school will be open for the two days of this week, but the one at the grade school will be closed during that time. Should the children show sufficient interest in attending the newly opened playground, the recreation center will remain open for two or possibly three days every week for the remainder of the summer. At the present time, the amusement center at the Delaware avenue school is open from nine o'clock until noon, six days every week.

Mr. Gardner deplores the lack of sufficient equipment for the children. Although the school board was generous in supplying some equipment, it has been found since the opening of the playground that the materials on hand have been inadequate for the number of children attending. With only a limited amount to be used, Mr. Gardner is asking citizens of the town to contribute those things which might be used by the children.

Any article in the sporting goods line can be used and any other playground toys, including those things which might be used in a sand box, will be equally appreciated. The contribution of such articles will not entail any work on the part of the donor, as the gifts will be called for if Mr. Gardner or any member of the school board is notified.

Need Assistants

The supervisor also says an opportunity is given to some older boys and girls, who wish to direct children's activities, to gain valuable experience in playground work. Mr. Gardner said those high or normal school students who planned on following this type of work would be welcome at the playground if they wished to offer their assistance in directing the children.

Such assistance would merit a recommendation for the workers later on and would also give them valuable experience in that line of work.

Full facilities have been provided for the amusement of children of all ages. A sand box has been placed at the playground for the use of the younger children, while swings, seesaws, slides and various types of sporting goods are used by those who are older. An example of the progress which the playground is making was furnished by an announcement of a ball game to be played tomorrow afternoon.

By working in cooperation with the director of the Riverton playground, Mr. Gardner has arranged for a diamond contest to be staged at Riverton Memorial Park between a picked team from each playground. Possibility of another team from the Spring Garden street center being organized rests with the response which the experiment at that school meets this week.

MISSING U. S. SERGEANT FOUND IN KANSAS CITY

Sergeant Ralph Lanham, of the U. S. Arsenal, Philadelphia, who disappeared after spending an evening at the home of Stephen I. Carter, on Pine street, Mount Holly, has been heard from at Kansas City, where he reported at the Government barracks last week. By reporting within the ten-day limit permitted by the Government Lanham saved himself from being charged as a deserter. In a telegram to Mr. and Mrs. Carter he gave no information as to the reason for the sudden departure, but wired that full information would follow.

WETHERALD MANUFACTURING MANAGER OF CHEVROLET CO.

Announcement has been made by W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company, of the appointment of C. E. Wetherald as general manufacturing manager of Chevrolet. Mr. Wetherald succeeds Charles F. Barth, whose resignation took effect on June 30. Mr. Wetherald is a veteran of the General Motors organization. He entered the employ of the Buick Motor Company as a workman in 1904. Seven years later, in 1911, he resigned the position of superintendent of motor inspection in the Buick plant to join the Chevrolet organization.

Famous Andre' Prison in Tappan



Photo by the Pathfinder of the Motor Club of New Jersey.

The famous Andre' prison in Tappan, built in 1755, allowed to deteriorate, and restored in 1897. In this building, in its original condition, is the little room in which Major John Andre' was kept prisoner after his capture and until he was hung. It is a long room with one window and two doors at each of which was posted an American sentry. In this room is a little low round table on which General Washington signed Major Andre's death warrant. In the adjoining room is the fireplace beside which General Washington and Major Andre' stood when the warrant which spelled death for the English spy was read. Here, too, General Washington, deeply moved, paid a tribute on this auspicious occasion to the man he was sentencing to death. This building was long used as a tavern but is now occupied and used as a soda shop. An interesting collection of antiques, firearms and Revolutionary relics has been accumulated and is on display in this building.

FIVE NATIONS AT CAMP OCKANICKON

Representatives of Foreign Countries Take Part in Weekend Activities

Representatives from five foreign countries were guests at Camp Ockanickon July 11-12. They were Esthonia, Sweden, Czecho-Slovakia, Uruguay and China.

Three of these young men are touring New Jersey with State YMCA Boys' Work Secretary Charles R. Scott, of Newark, previous to attendance at the World Young Men's Conference at Toronto, July 27—August 2, and the larger gathering at Cleveland, combining all delegates from 19 nations, August 4-9.

One of the young men with Mr. Scott is Gosta Claesson, of Sweden. He is 19, a recent high school graduate and expects to enter a Swedish college this coming fall. He speaks English, German and French, in addition to his mother tongue.

One From Uruguay

Robert Labarrere, of Uruguay is another. He is 18, also a high school graduates, and an employee of the General Motors Corporation. He speaks Spanish, English and French.

The third is Stefan Illetsho, of Czecho-Slovakia, also 18, and very much interested in YMCA work. His language accomplishments include Slavic, Hungarian, French and German and very little English.

At the Sunday evening vesper service these three young men told something of their native land, played their national anthems and spoke of their impressions of America. Claesson of Sweden spoke without an interpreter. Illetsko was interpreted by George Gutmann, instructor of German at Gettysburg College, one of the camp counsellors. Labarrere had as his interpreter Lawrence Harrington, also a counsellor.

A fourth guest, on a somewhat different basis, is Alexander Prosvirnin, of Esthonia, formerly of Russia. He is spending thre weeks at Ocknanickon and is serving as a counsellor. At his home he is a YMCA secretary, and during the summer directs a boys' camp near Moscow. He is making a special study of the administration of Ockanickon. He will also attend the world conference at Toronto and Cleveland.

Fou Cheng From Foochow

The fifth guest was Fou Cheng, a native of Foochow, China, a student at the University of Pennsylvania, who was present just for the weekend.

In connection with the Sunday evening vesper service, which was also participated in by Mr. Scott a gavel used during the meeting has an interesting association. It was made by a group of boys in Switzerland and presented to the New Jersey boys by the Comrade Club of Geneva, the seat of the League of Nations. The gavel's handle was formed from one of the sticks used in the historic Fire of Friendship held in Helsingsfors, Finland, in 1924, where young and old, red and yellow, black and white, east and west north and south, joined to give and get the best that each had to offer in a common search for truth on a basis of world friendship.

A number of persons connected with Ockanickon over the years were heard to declare that this was one of the greatest weekends of its twenty-five years of history.

They took into account the entertainment by Harry White on Saturday night and his message at the Outdoor Chapel service Sunday morning. Mr. White was recently in Burlington county as the speaker at the County Bankers' Association annual dinner at Medford Lakes Lodge. He is well liked by campers as by their dads and mothers.

Concert Friday Evening

One of the series of summer concerts which is being scheduled for the County YMCA Orchestra is to be at the County Almshouse, New Lisbon, Friday night, July 17. Weather permitting this will be an outdoor concert according to plans agreed upon by Secretary Guy C. Hendry, director of the orchestra, and the office of Henry I. Worrell, who is in charge of this institution.

A group of about two dozen musicians will come together for this concert. One of the number will be Wilmer "Buck" Robbins, a grandson of Mr. Worrell, who is director of the Junior Camp at Ockanickon this summer, a position which is a part of his work as an assistant secretary of the Monmouth county YMCA. "Buck" is an old time member of the orchestra, having played with it even before going to Springfield to college.

POSA INSTALLED OFFICERS MONDAY

Palmyra Camp Holds Ceremonies as New Chiefs Take Chairs

The newly elected officers for the Palmyra Camp, No. 23, P. O. S. of A., were installed with appropriate ceremonies at the regular meeting held Monday night.

The installation was conducted by the district president of the lodge, Howard T. Jarrett, of Bordentown. Those to be invested with the honorary positions of the camp are Russell Holmes, president; John B. Haines, vice-president; Clinton B. Gardiner, Master of Forms; Walter Horner, conductor; Archer Fish, inspector; Israel Groff, guard; John White, camp trustee; George N. Wimer, David B. Coles and Harry Saar, building trustees.

With the election and installation of the new officers came the appointment of the various committees to supervise the business and recreational affairs of the lodge. The new president made the appointments of Newton Stewart as Chaplain, and Andrew Brown as organist. Thomas Ward will lead the entertainment committee for the next six months while Nate Coombs has been placed in charge of the sports program.

Leslie B. Reeves will serve as chairman of the audit committee with Edson Carhart and Charles Matlack assisting. John B. Haines, as captain of the efficient and hard-working degree team, is expected to have that group continue its fine work.

The Americanization committee has been appointed, with Furman A. Wood, Charles Jessup, Harry Seaber, John White and John Landgraf serving as members.

At a late meeting of the lodge the election of the delegates and alternates to the State Camp, which meets September 10 and 11, were chosen. The 16 delegates and eight alternates elected are Russell Holmes, chairman; John White, Walter Horner, Nathan Coombs, George Bailey, David Coles, George Evans, A. L. Koppenhoefer, George W. Rogers, Leslie B. Reeves, Thomas Ward, William Pichter, George W. Pichter, Edson Carhart, Wilbur Jones, Newton Stewart, Harry Saar, John Banff, Charles Jessup, Alfred Rush, Joseph Semple, John Kepner, William A. Donaghy and L. Dinn.

The Palmyra Camp dart experts will be the hosts to the shooters of Camp No. 39, of Atlantic City, next week. The shore team has made an impressive record in tournaments with other camp teams and a good match is expected. For further entertainment there have been some plans made for a camp picnic.

E. R. JOHNSON'S YACHT IS TO BE CHRISTENED

New Caroline Will Be Launched Saturday From Shipyards at Bath, Maine

Eldridge R. Johnson's new private yacht, Caroline, will be launched on Saturday afternoon from the shipyards of the Bath Iron Works, according to an announcement by Joseph A. MacDonald, president of Henry J. Gielow, Inc., designers of the vessel.

Miss Caroline Fenimore Fitler, 6 years old, niece of the owner, the former president of the Victor Talking Machine Company, will christen the yacht.

Members of the launching party will be Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward K. MacEwan, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan M. Fitler, Jr., of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge J. MacEwan, of Moorestown.

The party is proceeding to Bath, Me., where the ship is being built, aboard the present Caroline, which is 171 feet in length. Her successor is 279 feet.

Basal metabolism is the energy conversion rate of the human body when resting quietly, several hours after the latest meal.

GIRL SCOUTS PLAN CAMP ACTIVITIES

Have Choice of Three Excellent Camps; Plan Outing Next Week

The thoughts and activities of the members of the Girl Scout troops of Palmyra, Riverton, and Cinnaminson are at the present time all centering about camp.

A camp committee of the Burlington County Boy Scouts, had generously offered to let the girls have the camp, near Wrightstown, after the boys' season had closed, but owing to the fact that not a sufficient number of girls desired to attend, it was decided not to accept the offer this year.

Instead, the girls have decided to go to one of three Girls' Camps in other regions.

The National Girl Scout Camp at Briar Cliffe, N. Y., "Camp Andree," is offering one three-week encampment beginning Wednesday, August 12, for which the local girls may register.

The Philadelphia Camp, "Tall Trees," near Media, Delaware County, Pa., has scheduled a one-week encampment from July 20 to 27. Another two-week encampment from July 27 to August 10. A third from August 10 to 17 and a fourth from August 17 to August 31.

The girls have also been invited to attend the Camden County Camp, "Camp Minatic," an island in the Delaware river, between Frenchtown and Uhlerstown from August 22 to August 29.

Information concerning these camps may be had from Mrs. Horace Ross, captain of the Palmyra troop, 913 Washington avenue, Palmyra. Phone, Riverton 567.

Older girls from the local troops are planning a three-day camping trip beginning Monday, July 20. Girls of 13 years and older, who have passed their second-class tests may attend.

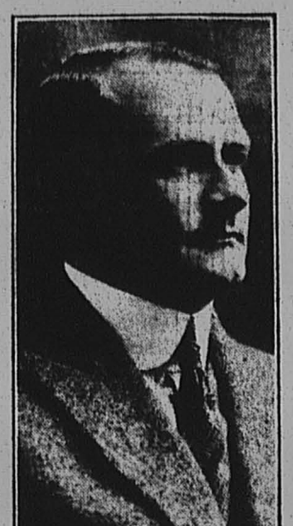
These girls are urged to communicate with Acting-Lieutenant Mary Rhoades, Riverton 278-W, if they desire to go. The camp will be held on the shores of Atsion Lake.

There will be no meeting of the troop next Wednesday morning but the meetings will be resumed, as usual, 10:00 a. m., beginning Wednesday, July 29.

LAKE COTOXEN MAN HELD IN RUM RAID

Charged with sale and possession of liquor James Wiggins, of Lake Cotoxen, was arrested Sunday night when his roadside stand and lunch room was raided by troopers of the Columbus state police barracks. He was arraigned before Police Recorder Joseph C. Kingdon, of Mount Holly, who set bail at $1,000. The raiders found a small quantity of alleged liquor, hidden under pillows of Wiggins' bed.

Catches Big Fish



CHARLES R. STOUT

Burlington County's Republican leader and member of the Board of Freeholders, who, while on a fishing trip near Beach Haven last week, hooked a 62-pound channel bass which he brought to his home in Florence and proudly displayed to his friends. The big fish, which measured 45 inches in length and 16 inches in width, gave Mr. Stout a lively tussle for ten minutes or more before it could be hauled aboard the boat.

FINAL DATE FOR CAMP REGISTRATION IS NEAR

The final date for registering for the Y. W. C. A. camp at Ockanickon, August 13 to September 3, is almost here. Girls who wish to enjoy this outing should get their registrations into the Burlington County Y. W. C. A. office by July 23, which is the dead line for receiving registrations. Those whose registrations come later than July 23 will be put on a waiting list and taken only in case there are cancellations on the part of those already enrolled.

That the Y. W. C. A. camp provides just the kind of camp that teen-age girls enjoy and that parents approve, is evidenced by the great number of registrations which have been received. At the present time the first week is filled, but there are still a few vacancies for the second and third weeks.

Burlington County girls will register at the county Y. W. C. A. office in Mount Holly.

MOTOR CAR THIEF GETS TEN YEARS

Leonardis, Arrested in Riverside, Had Long Record of Crime

Albert Leonardis, 24 years old, of 139 Pacific street, Newark, was sentenced to ten years in the state prison last week when he was arraigned before Judge Charles A. Rigg Thursday and pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing the automobile of William Dilks, of Swedesboro, in Beverly, the previous Thursday night.

After Leonardis took the car he picked up three other men, two from Riverside and one from Burlington, and took a ride around the county. After visiting Mount Holly, they were on their way toward Burlington and on the Mount Holly-Burlington road the car, which was being driven by Leonardis, crashed into the automobile of Dr. Cornelius Hogan, of Burlington. Dr. Hogan's car was badly damaged and he suffered a minor leg injury.

Leonardis was arrested at the home of his wife's parents in Riverside by Chief of Police Voshell.

The defendant has a prison record. In September, 1927, he was committed to the Rahway Reformatory for grand larceny, and in November, 1928, he was given two years in the state prison for larceny, receiving stolen goods, and driving an automobile without the owner's consent. He admitted, when arrested, that he had, in April, completed a six-year term in the state prison for stealing an automobile. In view of this record, Judge Rigg said that he felt the man should be removed from society.

Thomas Commissio, of Riverside, who last week pleaded non vult to a charge of assault and battery on his wife, Theresa, was committed to the county jail for six months.

Judge Rigg announced that the motion for dismissal of an indictment against Alex Yuzak, of Riverside, for possession of two punch boards, was denied.

Henry O. Hilton, colored, of Palmyra, who pleaded guilty on June 25 to a charge of assault and battery on Margaret Harris, also of Palmyra, on January 24, was sentenced to six months in the county jail. The Harris woman was injured in a fight with Hilton, who had gone into her home to get his wife after she had left home during an argument.

Advancing years are the glory of Chinese, and it is said to be polite to suppose your Chinese guest to be much older than his or her stated age.

New Two-Day Mark For Bridge Traffic

For the second time in as many weeks, the traffic over the Tacony-Palmyra Bridge has broken all previous records.

Captain Sidney Albertson, manager of the bridge, announced that 17,000 vehicles had used the span last Sunday. This number with more than 8,000 on Saturday, together with nearly that many more on Friday afternoon and Monday morning brought the figure to almost the same as the number which used the bridge on the record breaking Fourth of July week end.

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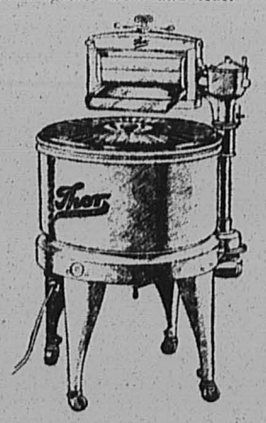
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A gala event took place at the famous Squirrel Inn at Twilight Park, Haines Falls, N. Y., recently when the fortieth anniversary of its existence was celebrated. Pioneer guests, who in a great spirit of adventure, stopped at the Inn during its first season of business, and distinguished guests representing the patronage of nearly all the intervening years, met at this now famous hostelry to celebrate the occasion.

Squirrel Inn, well known to many Burlington countians, a small and unpretentious establishment, was built 40 years ago on the side of the mountain at the head of Palenville Clove, commanding a view unequalled anywhere east of the Rockies. Additions, improvements and progressive innovations have been made yearly, and now Squirrel Inn has throughout the States an enviable reputation for its exceptional hotel facilities and hospitality.

A reception tea and entertainment was given on Saturday, forty years after the Inn was founded in 1891 by Miss Hannah T. Paul, of Moorestown, and Miss Abigail Foulke, who is now Mrs. Pim, and who has been with the Inn the entire forty years. Miss Mary F. Wistar succeeded Miss Paul on the latters' retirement twenty years ago. The reception was from 5:30 until 7:30 and the guests, who also included, besides former patrons and present ones many residents of Twilight Park, were entertained by the Sittig Trio, of New York City. Herbert H. White of Hartford, Conn., presiding. Slides and moving pictures relative to Squirrel Inn and surrounding country were shown, and Mrs. Jean Daggett Paul, soprano, Moorestown, sang several songs appropriate to the occasion.

Speeches, Entertainment

There were speeches by some of the former guests expressing appreciation of the qualities of the club. Those former patrons who were unable to be present joined in the reminiscences with contributions in verse, which were read aloud. Among the speeches one of the outstanding was that made by F. B. Bronfield, A. V. Lyle, accompanied by his wife, sang a few songs.

The legend of Squirrel Inn is romantic, and mellowed in the hearts of those who were first to enjoy its happy infancy, and it is reflected in the tribute presented to Mrs. Pim by Parry H. Paul, of Moorestown, president of the controlling company, and nephew of Miss Paul. The tribute was in illuminated scroll form and its content follows:

"In the year 1891, Hannah H. Paul and Abigail Foulke, now Abigail Foulke Pim, established Squirrel Inn in Twilight Park in the Catskill Mountains. It was built "on a ray of sunshine" and since its foundation has reflected joy and happiness to all who have come under its roof.

Mrs. Pim Lauded

"For these forty years Abigail Foulke Pim has devoted her efforts untiringly to Squirrel Inn and its guests. She has labored long and conscientiously in her desire to spread comfort and cheer.

"Therefore, we, the directors of Squirrel Inn do herewith present this testimonial as an evidence of our deep appreciation of her devotion, interest, and work."

The document was signed by the president and directors of the company which controls the Inn, and presented to Mrs. Pim together with a gift from the guests now stopping at the Club. Miss Wistar was also congratulated for her fine co-operation and presented with a token of appreciation.

The Squirrel Inn has been managed most successfully these forty years more on a par with a private club than as a summer resort hotel, and caters to a very exclusive clientele. Some of the most prominent men and women of the United States have been its guests and have proclaimed it an unexcelled beauty spot. There has never been a single mishap or casualty in the history of the Inn.

BALLOONISTS TRAINED BY VAN ORMAN, WILL FLY GOODYEAR'S 'BAG'

With the experience of a national and an international race behind them, Frank A. Trotter and Roland J. Blair, winners of the 1930 national balloon race, will attempt to repeat victory in the 1931 national race, to be held at Akron airport on July 18, according to officials of the Goodyear Zeppelin Corporation, whose entry they will fly.

When Trotter and Blair went to Houston, Texas, to compete in the 1930 national race, neither had flown in a contest before, and were promptly dubbed "the babies" by their more experienced colleagues. No one anticipated they would make a showing, but at the end of the contest their balloon was 85 miles further from Houston than any other, and they were awarded the P. M. Litchfield trophy and the right to place on the American team in the international race from Cleveland on Labor Day.

In the international, they were bested by Ward T. Van Orman, international champion, well known in Moorestown through his connection with the International Zeppelin Company, who was their instructor in the Goodyear balloon school, and who qualified them both as free balloonists. This year, with the benefit of two races as experience, they believe they will retain the Litchfield cup and again have an opportunity to match wits and skill with Van Orman.

Pomeroy, Ohio.—Through the efforts of Drew Webster Post 39 of the American Legion, contractors handling road construction for the state have agreed to give veterans preference in employment. The standard wage scale has been maintained.

SCIENCE AIDS IN FIGHT TO SAVE N. J. CRANBERRY BOGS



The false blossom disease, which threatens to wipe out New Jersey's extensive cranberry-growing industry, is spread by an insect known as the blunt-nosed leafhopper, scientists of the State Agricultural Experiment Station have found. The disease, although incurable, can be prevented by destroying the leafhopper, control measures for which have been worked out by the Experiment Station.

Shown above are: (1) Charles S. Beckwith, the station's cranberry authority, who proved the guilt of the leafhopper; (2) blunt-nosed leafhoppers; (3) specimen of cranberry vine infected with false-blossom; and (4) growers spraying as directed by the Experiment Station to kill leafhoppers.

TO INVESTIGATE STREET OILING

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ness with which the work was started.

"It will be a good investment for the borough, and already there is a very noticeable increase in the amount of traffic frequenting this thoroughfare. I feel sure that all residents on the river bank will join me in thanking you for your action in regard to this much-needed improvement."

Report of Police Department

In a typewritten report covering seven pages, Director of Public Safety DeLaney informed Council of the activities of his department during the past month.

The report included three arrests for drunken driving, in which the offenders were fined $221 by Recorder Cecil A. Bowers, and two of them had their licenses revoked for two years.

Other items in the report, of which there were thirty-three in all, covered a man drowned at East Riverton, arrests for reckless driving and disorderly conduct, stolen bicycles, a stolen car, a woman arrested for abusing the officers, and placed under bond to keep the peace, and a young man who was fined $20 for using the river bank as a speedway.

Tennis Court Popular

Councilman Elwell, chairman of the borough property committee, reported on the progress of the work at Memorial Park. The one tennis court that has been installed, he said, was proving to be very popular, and that more would be needed next year. The attendance at the playground activities are fifty per cent. larger than for the same period last year.

Mr. Elwell also reported that John Carhart, road supervisor, had erected a very attractive rose arbor to hide the road materials and other paraphernalia which is stored at the park. Mr. Carhart added that Dreer's Nurseries had contributed sixty rose bushes to ornament the arbor, and the clerk was instructed to send a letter of thanks to the Dreer Company.

The building inspector reported permits issued for $20,000 worth of operations and fees amounting to $24.

The medical inspector reported receipt of fees amounting to $5.00.

Fourth of July Committee

Councilman J. Elmer Hahn, chairman of the Fourth of July Committee, reported a fine spirit of co-operation and that the day's program went off very successfully. Mayor Rogers complimented Mr. Hahn and his committee on the very efficient manner in which the affair had been handled and said he thought the display of fireworks was the best Riverton had ever seen.

On request of the Camden County Mayors' Association, the following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, the prosperity and future development of South Jersey is dependent upon high speed rail transportation from Philadelphia to Camden and South Jersey, and

"Whereas, the States of Pennsylvania and New Jersey are creating an agency for the development and improvement of our transportation facilities by broadening the powers of the Delaware River Bridge Commission, be it, therefore,

"Resolved, that the Borough of Riverton endorse the movement for the consolidation of the Pennsylvania and Reading Lines in South Jersey, and be it further

"Resolved, that in the proposed consolidation, of the Pennsylvania and Reading Lines in South Jersey the public welfare and future development of South Jersey must be protected by having the consolidated company operated jointly by the Pennsylvania Railroads, and be it further

"Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be sent to Agnew T. Dice, President of the Reading Company; Elisha Lee, Vice President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of New Jersey."

Mr. Bennett Explains Plans

Speaking on this resolution before it was passed, Mr. Bennett, former Mayor of Riverton, and member of the South Jersey Transit Commission, which is working for better transportation facilities for South Jersey, said that the commission was recommending that both lines run as far as Winslow Junction, with one track from there down, and that stops at many of the small stations be eliminated in the interest of speed, passengers being transported to the larger stations by short bus runs. It also advocated a joint station in Camden, from which there would be high-speed transit over the bridge.

Explains About New School

Richard D. Barclay, member of the school board, said he was appearing before Council at the request of Mrs. Mayfield, president of the board of education, and would endeavor to answer questions about the proposed new school building. Several pointed questions were asked, which Mr. Barclay answered with masterly ability and finesse.

During the discussion Mr. Clifton, borough clerk, said that in 1925, while he was a member of the school board, an estimate had been received by the board for remodeling the present school building at a cost of $90,000, including six classrooms, concrete stairs and corridors and a complete new heating system, which would bring the building up to State requirements and meet every necessary educational need. He thought the same work could be done today, under present economic conditions and low prices of building materials for $60,000 to $65,000.

A Matter of Taxes After All

Mayor Rogers pointed out that after all, Council had to raise the money for the proposed new school, notwithstanding the tax was levied by the school board, and Council was interested in how much it was going to cost, and how long a time was to be taken in which to pay for it. He pointed out the present conditions as unsuitable for any unnecessary expenditures.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Borough Organization—
Walter Carson, attorney fees $ 150.00

Interest Current Loans—
$5000—67 days @ 5%, $46.53
$3000, 95 days @ 5% 39.58
$6000, 64 days @ 5% 150.33
$236.44

Printing—
Usher Publishing Co. $ 9.13
Walter L. Bowen, signs 8.00

Police—
Walter Miller, salary June 140.00
William Gootee, salary June 135.00
John Robinson, salary June 125.00
Clinton B. Woolston, supplies 19.20
Pub Serv Elec & Gas, current 8.05
Center Hardware Co., bullets 18.00
Steedles Auto Laundry, gas 14.97
J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., supplies, $26.25 & $3.48 29.73
Mrs. Alfred Smith, red flags .60
L. L. Keating, supplies 2.23

Fire & Water—
Amer. LaFrance & Foamite Ind. Inc 7.15
Woodhouse Mfg. Co., supplies 119.00
J. G. Pollard Co., hydrant wrench 3.99
Clinton B. Woolston, supplies 9.74
Stand. Fire Apline Co. masks 50.00

Highway—
John W. Carhart, wk on sts. 128.00
J. W. Carhart, telephone 3.00
J. S. Collins & Son, supplies 83.66
Clinton B. Woolston, supplies 1.35
Steedles Auto Laundry, gas 21.39
Louis Clelland, liability ins. 253.34

Highway Truck—
Rice & Holman, booster springs 25.00

Sewer—
J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., brs .20

Lighting—
Pub Serv Elec & Gas, fire hs. 1.96
Pub Serv Elec & Gas, current 244.49
Pub Serv Elec & Gas, gas 259.60
E. D. Clifton, amplifiers 40.00

Garbage—
James L. Fisher 166.66

Fourth of July—
Jennie Ryan, 42 meals 31.50
Moose Band of Camden 283.50
L. W. Reeve, Silver staff band 2.50
Riverton Fire Co., chair rntl 10.00
Stndrd Flag & Mfg Co. flags 157.50
James Kenney, flowers 10.50
Walter L. Bowen, printing 85.00
Mrs. Alfred Smith, prizes 1.25
L. L. Keating, prizes 10.60

Borough Property—
John W. Carhart, wk at park 12.00
Roy's Upholstry Shop, curtains 42.00
C. Richard Snyder, July 13-31 125.00
Maxine Meitzner, 1-2 July 13 1-2 July 31 100.00
Riverton Country Club, cutting grass 55.50
D. M. Clifton, clerk, cash on hand 350.00
John E. McVaugh, stands 28.59

Int. on Gen. Improvement Note—
$3000, 181 days June 30, 5% $75.42
$3000, 181 days June 30, 5% 75.42
$1300, 197 days June 30, 5% 35.57
$186.41

Int. on Assessment Notes—
$346.52, 181 days to June 30, 5½% $ 9.60
$109.57, 181 days to June 30, 5½% 3.05
$466.22, 181 days, to June 30, 5½% 12.89
$504.92, 181 days to June 30, 6% 15.23
$40.77

Grand total, $3,854.41.

A new job is the best remedy for the loss of an old one. — American Magazine.

Maywood, Cal.—A class of 45 new members was recently initiated into Maywood Post of the American Legion. The ritualistic work was given by the team of Inglewood post.



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MEMORIAL WHERE MEXICAN ACE DIED

Stone Shaft Unveiled in Solemn Ceremony by Government Officials

At the desolate spot in the Burlington pines near Chatsworth, where Captain Emilio Carranza, Mexican Army flying ace, plunged to his death three years ago officials of the Mexican government on Sunday unveiled a stone shaft in memory of their hero and dedicated it as "a monument manifesting the friendship and good will existing between Mexico and the United States."

The death of Carranza was jointly observed by Mexico and the United States and the unveiling of the monument added a more solemn touch to the third observance of the intrepid airman's death. Carranza fell to his death during a storm on July 12, 1928.

Four members of the consular service represented Mexico with Consul General Enrique De Ruiz taking the leading part. More than 200 persons, most of them from the pinelands and vicinity immediately adjacent to Chatsworth, attended the ceremonies.

The stone shaft was made possible by the grammar school children of Mexico through creation of a nation-wide school fund. The shaft is 12 feet high and bears the name of Carranza and the date of his death. An arrow, representing the spirit of aviation, decorates the monument.

Members of the Mount Holly American Legion Post acted as an escort of honor to the Mexican delegation, which in addition to Consul General De Ruiz, included Luis Duplan, Philadelphia consul; Abelardo Martinez, chancellor of the New York consular office, and L. Aveleyra, chancellor of the Philadelphia office. Martinez, arriving from New York in Mount Holly three years ago, took charge of Carranza's body for the Mexican government.

The ceremonies were preceded by a dinner tendered to the Mexican delegation by the Mount Holly Legionnaires at Boxwood Lodge, Lumberton.

The program opened at the monument with a band selection by the 16th Infantry Band of the U. S. Army, stationed regularly at Camp Dix, Wrightstown. Taps were then sounded and the only address of the day given by Consul General De Ruiz.

De Ruiz's address was followed by the Infantry Band playing La Golondrina "The Swallow" popular Mexican air.

A large floral wreath presented by the Mexican government was placed in front of the shaft, with a white streamer bearing the words in Spanish, "From the Mexican Government to the Intrepid Aviator Emilio Carranza."

The shaft was then unveiled while the audience stood with heads bowed and the "Star Spangled Banner" was rendered by the band. The veil was pulled from the shaft by De Ruiz aided by the other three members of the Mexican delegation.

The colors of Mexico and the United States flew from a flagpole on the field cleared for the purpose of identifying the place of Carranza's death. The national colors of Mexico adorned the floral tribute.

Another observance of Carranza's death today was the passage over the monument at 6 p. m., of a plane named the "Captain Carranza," in which Seth Yearington, of Oyster Bay, L. I., and Edward Maloney, of East Norwich, Conn., are now winging their way to Mexico City on a non-stop flight.

The take-off of the fliers was timed three years almost to the hour from the moment Carranza started his return to Mexico.

BRIDGE REPAIR CONTRACTS OUT

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Since my last report I have made 1287 specific calls in line with my work. In addition many investigations of complaints have been made. We have found errors in gasoline pumps ranging from a few cubic inches to more than two quarts, 116 of these pumps have been condemned in toto, or until corrected. Many scales were found incorrect and much time has been given to making adjustments, often not only to the protection of the public but also a substantial saving to the merchant of expensive service from the distant manufacturer.

I am glad to acknowledge the fullest co-operation on the part of the larger distributing companies in the effort to keep correct their various measuring devices.

1679 scales and weighing devices of all classes have been inspected, 33 condemned, 128 were adjusted. 3362 oil dispensing bottles were passed, and 295 kerosene pumps were examined. In addition grease guns, measuring boxes, yard sticks, counter measures etc., aggregating hundreds have received attention. Additional enumerations would but worry you, and unduly extend the report.

The above suffices to give you the scope of the work of the department.

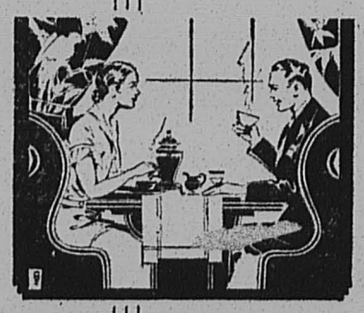
Methods of fraud are baffling to the uninitiated. The so-called corsetted basket is an illustration. The dishonest vender tightens a wire about his basket at the waist line, thus reducing almost imperceptibly its capacity. Another throws his commodity quickly upon the scale, resting his hand upon it also, and before the scale comes to equilibrium, reads the scale. Housekeepers are urged to be wary. Insist upon the declaration of basket content in weight, 30 lbs. per 1-2 bushel, 33 to 34 lbs. per 5-8 basket in potatoes; apples 24 lbs. per 1-2 bushel. But the latter varies in weight according to variety, some apples solid, others pulpy, so that the basket law is often confusing. Remember, however, that in New Jersey there is no longer sale by dry measure. All sales must be by declared weight or numerical count. Have scales at home and check up on purchases, not simply to detect fraud, but as a precaution against error.

In the matter of coal, each delivery must be accompanied with a ticket containing the names of the dealer, the customer, date of delivery, kind of commodity, weight, method of transportation with the name of the weighmaster stamped upon it, under his seal. Any error or fraud is thereby easily traceable and responsibility fixed.

We seek the co-operation of the general public. This department is conducted with the aim of serving both the vender and purchaser. Reasonable complaints will be quickly investigated, and merchants aided in maintaining efficiency in the use of appliances. We do not welcome prosecutions. We much prefer to help men to see that "honesty is the best policy."

Respectfully submitted,
C. B. FISHER, Supt
Department of Weights and Measures

North St. Paul Post 39 of the American Legion has built an indoor miniature golf course. Most of the work was done by Legionnaires. Any profit derived from the venture will be used to finance Legion work and particularly to finance the Fourth district convention next June.



How Mae Solved Her Problem

Mae: Jim, can we have our floors done over before fall?

Jim: I don't know, Kid, we had them done last year. They are pretty shabby, I'll admit, but I can't stand the cost every year.

Mae: I believe I'll have Mr. Bowen around to talk with you. I was in Ashton's the other day and he was doing several of their floors. Some rooms were all gone. He sanded all the old finish off and gave them a complete new finish of Zappan Lacquer and they looked great! This lacquer can be kept clean by washing; it never needs waxing, and after a year or two when it gets worn at the doorways, Mr. Bowen said all it would need would be to fill in the worn places with lacquer, which could be done at small cost. In one of the rooms, where the floor was rather dirty but not really in bad shape, he cleaned up the old finish and fixed it up so it was fresh and clean, and Mrs. Ashton said the cost was very small.

Jim: Well, you take care of it. Call him up and if he can show me that I will not have to repeat the expense every year, I'm willing to put a little more in it now to get things started right.

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HOOVER TRIUMPHS

President Hoover's moratorium on reparations and war debts is a reality. With remarkable swiftness and precision the President has brought the whole world into accord with his proposal. Formidable obstacles have been met and overcome. The achievement is all the more significant because the American Government made no sacrifice of principle to bring France into harmony with its plan.

Technical details of the agreement, including reparations in kind, which were the last hurdle, will be left for a committee of experts to decide. But those experts will have no authority to negotiate any question outside of the "broad spirit of the President's proposal." The details which they will settle are relatively unimportant. What the world has been waiting to hear is that reparations and war debts would be actually suspended for one year. For millions of people in the United States and abroad this agreement marks the turn from depression and despair to hope, renewed activity and ultimate prosperity.

One paragraph in President Hoover's statement is especially significant:

> While the plan is particularly aimed to economic relief, yet economic relief means the swinging of men's minds from fear to confidence, the swinging of nations from the apprehension of disorder and governmental collapse to hope and confidence of the future. It means tangible aid to unemployment and agriculture.

This agreement can be interpreted in no other way than as a great victory for President Hoover. He is responsible for the original proposal and for the successful completion of negotiations with France. Tempering firmness with an understanding of the problems of France, he won every substantial point in the negotiations without deviating from his original purpose. Yet the whole agreement has been concluded in an atmosphere of confidence and good will that contribute to the more hopeful economic outlook.

President Hoover worked indefatigably to iron out the differences that arose between the United States and France. In Paris Secretary Mellon kept the negotiations keyed up to a high pitch. No stone was left unturned that might aid in bringing the two governments into complete accord. Seldom, if ever, have international negotiations of this character been pursued so relentlessly. Disagreement has never been contemplated. President Hoover, having set his face grimly toward the goal of reparations relief, has allowed nothing to interfere with the successful completion of his task.

Where no changes in the spirit of the original offer were involved the United States compromised. For the sake of keeping the Young plan intact the American Government agreed that Germany should continue to pay unconditional annuities, but those payments are to be made available to Germany in the form of loans. Another compromise was reached on the length of time that Germany and the debtor nations shall be allowed to make up the suspended payments. But the President has insisted that Germany be relieved, in effect, of all reparations for one year. In that position he now has the support of all interested parties.

The refusal of Mr. Hoover to be drawn into European controversies over reparation payments is highly commendable. The question of guarantee payments was one of the most serious snags struck in the entire negotiations. That matter is to be dealt with by the signatories of the Young plan, of which the United States is not one. Had the United States been drawn into this controversy endless complications might have ensued. President Hoover had no intention of disturbing the international obligations of Germany, or of the allies to the United States. That he was able to keep the negotiations of this moratorium free from entangling and embarrassing agreements is a high tribute to his statesmanhip.

At no time did the President allow leadership in the movement to get out of his hands. The French government tried repeatedly to turn the negotiations off into channels that would be particularly advantageous to France. But Mr. Hoover remained firm in his demand that Germany be allowed the full measure of relief contemplated in his original suggestion.

Other interested governments must, of course, accept the terms of the French-American agreement, but there is no doubt that they will do so. Every country has come to the support of Mr. Hoover in this effort to turn back the forces of depression. The approval of Congress too must be secured, but President Hoover has assurance of support from large marjorties in both the Senate and House, irrespective of political affiliations.

Since the proposal was first made there have been no serious doubts that a debt holiday would be declared. Nevertheless, the world could not receive the full benefits of the agreement until it was actually completed. The moratorium carries with it such a powerful stimulus that it may well mark a definite turning point toward prosperity.

TODAY and TOMORROW

GAME

Driving over Austerlitz mountain, one of the Taconic range which separates New York from Massachusetts I flushed seven pheasants in as many miles. One gorgeous, long-tailed cock pheasant rocketed out of the brush smack into my windshield and fell to the road with a broken neck. He deserved a better fate.

The breeding of pheasants is being encouraged by the states of the Northeast. Some of state authorities supply pheasant eggs free to those who will hatch them under barnyard hens. New York is paying 4-H Club boys and girl $1 each for mature pheasants so hatched. They are liberated in the state forest preserve, to be shot by hunters in the proper season.

In Virginia and some other parts of the South the native American partridge is sometimes called a pheasant. There is no native pheasant. These game birds are imports from China and eastern Asia. They have been bred in Europe for sport for centuries. American hunters have pretty well cleaned out our native imported birds, but it is expected the imported pheasant will increase and multiply under careful conservation, so that there will still be something for the next generation of sportsmen to shoot.

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BONUSES

Bethlehem Steel Company, in response to the protests of some stockholders who thought the men who run the business were getting too much money for their work, has increased salaries and reduced the percentage of bonuses paid to employees for increased production.

Perhaps the Bethlehem bonuses were too high; I cannot judge that. I am certain, however, that the greatest incentive to good work which any employer can offer to his employees is to give them money rewards above their wages if they do more than the routine requirements of their jobs.

Some day the whole wage system will be revised and every worker will be paid precisely in proportion to his output. Then if he wants to loaf on the job it will be his loss and not his employer's.

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BABCOCK

When Dr. Stephen Moulton Babcock died at the age of 87 a few days ago, there passed on the man who, more than any other individual, was the father of the modern dairy industry. The Babcock Test for butter fat revolutionized dairying and set a new standard to which to breed dairy cows. Today the dairy industry, which includes not only milk, cheese and butter production but the wide range of manufacturing industries based on the use of casein, from skim milk, is one of the greatest in the nation. It has brought the impoverished wheat states of the Northwest into the forefront of agricultural prosperity. It has brought healthful, nourishings food within the reach of everybody. And all that as the result of one agricultural college professor's experments.

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McCORMICK

Exactly 100 years ago, in July, 1831, a young Virginia farmer named Cyrus McCormick made the first public demonstration of his horse-drawn reaper. At that time more than four fifths of the people of the United States were engaged in farming. To put in another way, it took the labor of four families on the farm to feed five families including themselves.

The direct result of McCormick's invention was to increase agricultural production and reduce the number of farmers. Today fewer than a quarter of our people are farmers. One family on the farm feeds three other families who produce no food. And anyone who knows farming will agree than even fewer farmers could feed the whole nation.

McCormick became a millionaire, one of the few such in his time. His descendents still control the International Harvester Company. They are industrialists, and the United States has become an industrial nation, largely because of Cyrus McCormick.

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POPULATION

The population of the United States is not increasing at as rapid a rate as formerly. We have about 125,000,000 people now, and President Hoover recently said that the expectation is for an increase of 20,000,000 in 20 years. That would give us 145,000,000 in 1951.

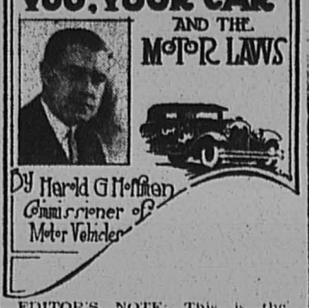
The importance of those figures lies in the fact that some long time industrial and railroad operations have been based on the expectation that population would keep on growing at the rate which it did in the 1890's and early 1900's, when immigration was unrestricted. Pressure for the lowering of immigration bars comes mainly from those interests.

Farm production in the United States today is sufficient to feed 140,000,000. Farmers must find a foreign market for food sufficient for 15,000,000 people, therefore, or suffer from low prices. The alternative is to reduce the acreage under cultivation for the staple crops. That is what the Federal Farm Board is preaching, and it is bound to come.

Not a word was said about the Prohibition issue or superpower. If Bower's speech is accepted by the Democratic Party as a competent expression of its aims it means that the farmers of the country are to be asked to vote for the Democratic ticket on the appeal that the high tariff has raised the price of everything they buy while it has not added a cent to his purchasing power.

Russian wheat and cotton are selling below the price American farmers can raise them and the Democrates are expected to make this point their main bid for votes when the campaign starts. Bowers' speech before the Texas convention three years ago is still remembered as one of the greatest keynote orations ever made, rivaling in its dramatic power Bryan's "cross of gold and crown of thorns" speech at Chicago in 1896. Unless his recent speech had been approved by Democratic leaders before it was given, it would never have been made.

YOU, YOUR CAR AND THE MOTOR LAWS



EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fifty-fifth of a series of articles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, written to familiarize motorists with the regulations which govern their conduct and increase their safety on the highways.

55. DRIVERS AT FAULT

Drivers of automobiles were responsible last year for more than three times as many motor vehicle accidents in this country as pedestrians, more than two times the number of fatalities, and for approximately four times the number of persons injured, we find from a study of figures recently compiled by the Travelers Insurance company.

While the major portion of the blame is thus placed upon motorists for the country's automobile accident toll which last year cost the lives of 32,500 and included the injuring of more than 960,000, the pedestrian is more often at fault in the accidents involving himself, according to an analysis of state reports extended through mathematical calculation to cover the entire country.

Out of a total of more than 320,000 accidents between automobiles and pedestrians, the actions of drivers were definitely responsible for around 50,000 of the mishaps, and the pedestrian for nearly 160,000. In the remaining 110,000 accidents between cars and pedestrians, the responsibility was shared jointly.

How Pedestrians Died

More than 7,000 pedestrians met death during the year primarily through their own fault, while approximately 2,300 other pedestrians were killed because of the actions of drivers. In the death of more than 5,000 other pedestrians, the responsibility was shared jointly.

The injuring of more than 150,000 persons was found traceable to the actions of pedestrians, and more than 4,000 to motorists, with more than 110,000 injuries due to the actions of both.

In all other motor vehicle accidents, excluding pedestrians, it was found that the driver was responsible for around 460,000 mishaps, or nearly nine times the number in which the extent of responsibility was doubtful. The fatalities resulting from the mishaps caused by drivers numbered nearly 15,000, or nearly five times the deaths caused by the mishaps of doubtful responsibility.

The injuries traceable to motorists numbered more than 580,000, as against 53,000 involving doubtful responsibility.

Crossing Against Lights

The things which pedestrians do that are wrong include crossing intersections against signal lights, crossing intersections diagonally, crossing in the middle of a block, hitch hiking, darting out into thoroughfares from behind parked cars, and walking with instead of against the traffic stream on dark highways after sundown. Such actions caused the death of more than 8,000 last year.

Actions of motorists which place the responsibility upon them involve driving into pedestrians crossing intersections with the signal in their favor, hitting persons getting on or off street cars or waiting in safety aisles, hitting persons engaged in work on roadways or beside roadways. In such instances as when persons are walking in roadways, crossing intersection without signals, getting on or off vehicles other than automobiles and streets cars, and in the playing of children in streets, the responsibility is not always clear-cut.

The fault is indicated as belonging to the motorist in the collision of cars, the collision of cars with fixed objects, and in on-collision mishaps. The fault is not clear-cut in the mishaps involving the collision of cars with animal-drawn vehicles, trains and street cars, motorcycles and bicycles.

WAY OF LIFE

BY BRUCE BARTON

Killing the Snake

A Pamphlet issued by one of the big insurance companies tells us how to act in emergencies; how to revive a drowning person; how to bandage a burn; what to do for snake bite.

On this last subject there is an introductory sentence which is set in big type for emphasis. It reads: DON'T STOP TO KILL THE SNAKE.

The idea contained in that crisp utterance has far-flung applications. Whether any specific deed should or should not be done depends not merely upon its character but equally upon the circumstances and the time.

Years ago I interviewed Dr. John R. Mott, a great leader, and I asked him his rules for selecting executives.

"I watch a candidate for a long time before I decide," he answered. "I want to satisfy myself on two points: Does he do small things well? Does he do FIRST things FIRST?"

As he spoke I remembered a well intentioned, hard working man who was under my observation at one time. He had a most amazing capacity for doing his work in the wrong order.

He was to meet his boss one day at the Grand Central Station with tickets for Detroit. The boss arrived five minutes before train time and, telephoning to the office, found the man still at his desk. His excuse was that he was engaged on a plan which he thought might possibly double the business and he had become so engrossed in it that he had forgotten his watch.

The plan might have been all right, though it turned out not to be, but in dealing with it at the wrong time he caused the boss to miss a train and lose an order.

He was forever writing memoranda on matters outside his department, while neglecting the routine duties for which he was paid. He was usually late to the office because he had gone out of his way to make a call which he believed might be of benefit to the company.

All of his activities were inspired by a genuine desire to increase the business and so raise his own earning power. But he was a nuisance, and was finally fired.

The human race possess all the information necessary for the successful conduct of its affairs. Many of its troubles arise because men fail to make a schedule and arrange their tasks in the order of relative importance.

The parade is held up by perfectly good people stopping to do perfectly proper things at exactly the improper time—letting the patient perish while they earnestly kill the snake.

Judge's Josh.

A demon taxi-driver whirled us into Fifth avenue out of Twenty-third street the other noon, just beating a red light, grazing a traffic sign, grazing a safety zone, grazing a bus. A cop halted him. Deliberately he took a big handkerchief from his pocket. "Listen, cowboy," he said. "On your way back I'll drop this, an' see if you can pick it up wit' yer teeth." With this he motioned him on.

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Joe—"I hear Jones fell down on the state pharmacy examination."

Sam—"Yes, he got mixed on the difference between a club and a western sandwich."

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Lawyer: And what was the defendant doing meanwhile?

Witness: He was telling me a funny story.

Lawyer: Remember, sir, that you are under oath.

Witness: Well, anyway, he was telling me a story.

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Salesman: There, madam, that's just what you want. This portmanteau is solid leather—every inch of it solid leather.

Shopper: But, my good man, I want a hollow one, to put things in!

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"Why, yes, my boy; you may have her."

"How's that? Have whom?"

"My daughter, of course. You want to marry her, don't you?"

"No sir; I just wanted to find out if you would endorse my note for $160."

"Certainly not. Why, I hardly know you."

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Barber—You are very bald, sir. Do you know what is the cause of it?

Feddup—I don't know, but I suspect that my hair falling out had something to do with it.

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This Week in WASHINGTON

BY RADFORD MOBLEY
AUTOCASTER WASHINGTON BUREAU

One fallacy that dates back to the founding of the Republic has been exploded—the idea that American diplomats are no match for European statesmen. The world has been treated to the spectacle of Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, a Pittsburg banker and iron mangnate, handling, on more than even terms, the delicate negotiations involved in the debt holiday.

Practically every other country but France was won over to the plan before Mellon left this country. France alone proved obdurate and entrenched itself behind its Chamber of Deputies, which Premier Laval asserted, had authorized him to agree only within certain limitations. Mellon's success in threading his way past these defences has strengthened the Administration's hold politically, as it is known that he was guided throughout by President Hoover's personal advice. The negotiations have been conducted more skillfully, perhaps, than any deal made with a foreign government since the days when Benjamin Franklin was Minister to the Court of France and enlisted its aid for the American colonies.

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Led by Vice president Curtis and Senator Capper, the two leading politicians from the wheat belt, an attack is being made on the Federal Farm Board's announced policy of unloading its wheat at the rate of five million bushels a month, if found practicable without breaking the price. Many observers here seen in their activity only a political gesture, designed to bring the two men more into the limelight.

These critics point out that the Farm Board is committed against any action that would result in materially lowering the price of wheat. It has the problem of selling its holdings at an average price of 92 cents and the present price is less than half that on the Chicago Board of Trade. The effect of an appeal to Mr. Hoover to stop the Board from unloading its holdings cannot amount to much, it is said here, as wheat will have to approximate $1 a bushel before the Government can start selling.

The Farm Board's selling campaign is definitely hooked up with a plan to purchase fresh wheat to the amount of its sales. All transactions will be handled so as not to depress the market price unless the world price should rise, and none will be made without consulting representatives of the farmers. It is generally conceded here that the Board's statement is an ultimatum to all wheat farmers, warning them the Government cannot aid them unless they reduce their wheat acreage. It is also taken as a warning to private grain traders that the Board will not allow itself to be "smoked out" into a definite announcement regarding prices, which would permit traders to jockey the market for their own selfish purposes.

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Tammany may be condemned for a thousand sins but it never has been accused of pussy-footing. Republican politicians here are trying to puzzle out whether Claude G. Bowers, the keynote orator at the Democratic National Convention in 1928, has not again sounded the call to battle in his Fourth of July speech at the Tammany Wigwam in New York City. That his speech actually represented the best thought of his party is being considered here as more than likely.

It is to be noted the Gov. Franklin D. Rooseveit, now the most likely candidate against Mr. Hoover, studiously refrained from attending the rally. His action leaves him free to accept or reject or accept Bowers' dictum, which is that the coming campaign will be fought out strictly on the tariff issue.

Ever since this country became a great manufacturing nation, some 75 years ago, the tariff question has dominated the platform in a majority of presidential campaigns. The free silver issue and Wilson's war stand alone put it into the background. The last really sharp tariff battle was in Cleveland's victory in 1892, which was followed by some lean years.

Bower chose as his text the claims put out by the Hoover managers in 1928 that a high tariff meant prosperity. He said that voters had enjoyed plenty of time— between customers—since then to meditate upon the success of the tariff, charging that the high tariff has put a Chinese Wall around the country right at a time when it desperately needed foreign markets.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

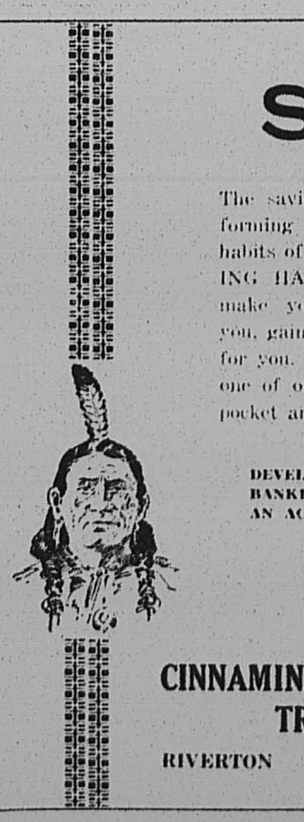
BLOOD IMBALANCE

Nothing should be appreciated more than perfect circulation of the blood in the body; and, very many times we, physicians, meet with variations from normal, which may be called "imbalance," or engorgements here and there, which may vary from congestions to actual dilatations of the vessels—organic disease.

People with big abdomens are sufferers in varying degree, from blood imbalance. There are many great veins that traverse the abdominal wall and visceral content there situated. Anything that may cause "rush of blood" to these blood-vessels, produces immediate and very evident effect on structures elsewhere. A big meal is an example—overeating; intense determination of blood to the stomach and bowel, depleting the brain for the time being, causing dizziness, cloudy vision, staggering gait, stupor, with heavy feeling throughout the already overfleshed abdomen. The symtons may amount to a temporary helplessness, a not very enjoyable feeling in elderly persons.

I believe without accurate figures, that one-fourth of the blood volume may flow in a great tidal-wave to a ponderous abdomen, from overexertion, overeating, etc.; and, that this condition reacts heavily upon the heart and brain; of course the veins of such an abdomen become much dilated from the constant sagging, making posible, if I may use the term, "abdominal apoplexy." And here it is that the "tubby" abdomen is a very troublesome luxury.

Methods of correction are slow, discouraging, and are seldom persisted in to get the relief possible. Carefully practiced exercises are productive of results. Of course free daily evacuation of the bowel MUST be maintained. Here it is starches in the diet must be cut down to a minimum. Indeed the diet must be just what is needed and no more. In chronic cases patients short of breath and who puff with slight muscular exertion may wear a well-fitted bandage to support the sagging, indolent organism.



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RIVERTON ITEMS

Daniel Orchard, of Berlin, uncle of Daniel M. Clifton, was killed in an automobile accident on the White Horse Pike, last Friday evening.

Walter Blyler and family left Saturday to spend a week at Spray Beach.

Mrs. George F. Ames, of Lakeland, Florida, has returned home after spending three weeks with her mother, Mrs. M. L. Stratton, and her sister, Mrs. W. H. Minks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman, William Evaul and daughter, Miss Elsie, enjoyed the week-end at Ship Bottom.

Mrs. Earl VanLeeuwen and daughter, Miss Jane Lee, are spending ten days in Binghamton, N. Y.

Miss Betty Hance and Miss Cornelia Harding are enjoying the week in the Poconos.

William McDermott is driving a new Essex sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Patterson and family were visitors in Beach Haven Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hance were visitors at Ocean Grove over the week-end.

Caroline Roest, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roest, of Midway, has gone to New York for a visit of two weeks.

Mrs. C. W. Kipp has returned to her home on Lippincott avenue after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Jones, of Boston, for some time.

C. Harry Yerkes left Wednesday for Ocean City where he will spend some time.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Dold and daughter, Miss Elsie, will leave this week for the Pocono Mountains where they will enjoy a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Burns spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gould, at Leonia, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mann, of Cheltenham, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sauers.

FACTS ABOUT THE RABIES OF DOGS

Kennel Foundation in Plea for Common Sense Public Attitude on Subject

A plea for calm sanity and a commonsense attitude by our readers on the subject of rabies was issued today by the Chappel Kennel Foundation, Rockford, Illinois.

Entirely too many superstitious ideas still surround the subject, according to the foundation. Superstition has it, for instance, that dogs are much more likely to go mad during summer "dog days" than at any other time of the year. The fact is that rabies is no more common in August than in January, and rare at any time. It is heard of more in summer because of the greater outdoor freedom of both men and animals. What often appears to the average person to be rabies is recognized by the experienced dog breeder as such common ailments as running fits, convulsions, indigestion, sunstroke, etc.

There would be many less "mad dog" episodes if strangers avoided petting or teasing dogs who are made irritable and uncomfortable by the heat as much as man, the Foundation states. Contrary to the general belief, there need be no hysteria when an excess of saliva from the dog's mouth is noticed. Dogs more than other animals suffer unmercifully from lack of water and a cool, quiet place to rest. A horse can sweat through his skin and be cooled by the evaporating moisture, but a dog can only pant. Dogs sweat mostly through the tongue and when uncomfortable, perfectly healthy dogs frequently slobber and foam at the mouth.

Exercising dogs on a lead strap is an excellent precautionary measure. It should be borne in mind that a really mad dog flies forward aimlessly instead of going deliberately from one to another and does not attack unless provoked or annoyed, so that a person keeping out of his path is safe.

The Foundation suggests innoculation against rabies as the most assuring "peace of mind" measure now available. This can be done by a competent veterinarian.

When a dog's actions suggest rabies, it should not be killed unless it cannot be caught with safety. On the contrary, it should be securely kenneled and observed for at least two weeks. A veterinarian should immediately examine the dog, which should, if possible, be placed in his custody for the observation period. If the dog remains well and healthy, it may be released and the person bitten need have no fear of contracting rabies; if, on the other hand, the dog has rabies, it will manifest symptons during the observation period. The person bitten, of course, should have the immediate attention of a physician, who should start the Pasteur anti-rabic treatment if the dog is known to be rabid.

Atlanta, Ga.—A radio initiation of American Legion members was conducted by Georgia department officials recently through station WSB of Atlanta. The reception in all parts of the state was good, according to reports, and it was announced by department officers that the success of this broadcast established it as annual event.

There are in nature certain fountains of justice, whence all civil laws are derived but as streams.—Bacon.

Laughing Around the World
With IRVIN S. COBB

A Temptation to His Majesty

By IRVIN S. COBB

THE STEAMER was calling at the principal port of one of those remote South Sea islands regarding which so much romance has been written these last few years by gifted fictionists and imaginative travelers. In canoes the natives paddled out to welcome the strangers



from other climes. At the head of the volunteer reception committee came the ruling monarch, King Some-thing-or-Other, a huge brown man with an air of heavy dignity and a battered high hat upon his head. He was accompanied by the Imperial staff and also by his household and his prime minister. The latter was a Cockney beach-comber who had been stranded here years before and who, having been adopted into the tribe had risen to a place of high favor in the eyes of the copper-colored potentate.

The king, his premier, and his body-guard were welcomed aboard ship. His subjects remained alongside, in broken English begging the passengers to throw pennies down to them. Whenever a coin struck the water, half a dozen islanders at once dived for it.

One of the visitors was generously inclined. When he had emptied his pockets of coppers he began flinging out small bits of silver and correspondingly, the excitement among the amphibious natives increased. In the hope of moving them to an even more spirited exhibition of their powers, the white benefactor fished about until he found a silver dollar. He was in the act of hurling it over the side when the Prime Minister caught his arm.

"Please, sir," begged the Cockney, "don't do that, sir. Hi ask you to restrain yourself, sir. You'll be 'aving 'Is Royal 'Ighness overboard next!"

(American News Features, Inc.)

Baird Starts Drive for Governorship With Harmonious Backing of All G.O.P. Factions; Big Gain is Seen in Middlesex

With the harmonious backing of all Republican factions in the State, David Baird, Jr. has started in earnest his gubernatorial campaign.

Senator Baird, whose popularity was demonstrated when all potential opponents in the primary withdrew in his favor, has found that even in those counties which previously were torn by factional dissension in the Republican ranks, that harmony has been achieved and that all groups have aligned in favor of his candidacy.

His courage, integrity and business ability were seen by his supporters as responsible for the enthusiasm with which his entrance into the gubernatorial race was received. Substantial groups of persons, prominent in the business and financial life of New Jersey, who heretofore have showed little or no interest in the state's affairs, have declared for Mr. Baird and are working actively for him. They feel that as never before in the history of the country, men of business ability are needed at the helm of government and they recognize in the Republican candidate those qualities of courageous leadership which will materially aid in the return of prosperity.

Large Receptions

Senator Baird is spending much of his time with the various county committees and their chairmen. Last week he went into Union County and also into Middlesex, and had, despite the oppressive heat, exceptionally large audiences and receptions.

Optimism over the chance of Mr. Baird's election increased measurably since the demonstration in his behalf in Middlesex, in New Brunswick Thursday night.

County Chairman Richardson, of Middlesex elected this year, has received loud praise from Republican leaders all over the State for the efficient manner in which he is repairing the political fences which have been broken since 1928 and which have permitted the Democrats to walk into virtual control of the county.

In addition to Hudson County, the State's Democratic stronghold, supporters of A. Harry Moore, Democratic nominee, have counted upon carrying Middlesex by at least 10,000. Richardson feels that by solidifying the dissenting Republican factions, the county will be safe for Baird and other party candidates. A crowd of 2,000, a number exceeding the hopes of even the county chairman, filled to overflowing the Y. M. H. A. Hall in New Brunswick to greet Mr. Baird.

Hague's Tirade

Frank Hague, leader of a State wide Democratic organization that was once regarded as formidable, and backbone of the Moore's support, walked out of the background he usually occupies in New Jersey's political picture, and delivered last week a tirade against Mr. Baird's leadership. Although the Republican candidate did not dignify Hague's remarks by an recognition of them, Carl Ruhlman, Civil Service Commissioner, asked the Democrat a list of pointed questions which thus far have been left unanswered.

Hague, who told a legislative investigating commission he never had any other gainful occupation except mayor of Jersey City, refused to disclose the manner in which he was able to afford expensive homes and automobiles, and the expensive trips. Ruhlman asked these questions again, but Hague maintained the same silence which caused his arrest for contempt of the legislature.

Baird, after stating his election would mean he would be the Governor and would alone be responsible for his acts whereas Moore's election would actually be the election of Hague, prefers to discuss with the people of New Jersey sound business plans of operating the government rather than baseless insinuations and charges involving personalities.

"I will not make business of being Governor," he said, "but I pledge I will be a business governor."

Although later in the campaign Senator Baird will discuss at length all the issues he believes pertinent, incuding unemployment, prohibition and economy in local, county and state government, he has confined his remarks in his meetings thus far to exhortations to county groups to perfect their organizations.

"Time has proven," He said, "that success in politics can come only through the harmonious and consistent cooperation of all our Republican Groups. In so-called "off" years the percentage of the vote cast at our elections falls to a startling degree I ask that all the counties vote their full strength. Our people must be made to realize that they must exercise their franchise, that they must go to the polls and vote. It is by interesting and enthusing all Republicans in the election and seeing to it that they vote, that success will be certain for us. You cannot work one day and loaf the next day or two and win. You must keep constantly laboring to perfect your local and county organizations."

High praise has been given President Hoover by Mr. Baird proposing an international debt holiday.

Lauds Hoover Plan

"Right now," he said "we can be particularly proud of our Republican party and justly so. By the courage, foresight and humanity of President Hoover and his successful proposal for an international debt holiday, the world has turned the corner to a new order of things, leaving behind the international economic depression which has so sorely tried us. The world looks to our Republican President as a saviour.

"But right at home," he continued, "We see the whole-hearted efforts of our party in behalf of the people of the State. Through the authority of legislation adopted by a Republican Senate and House and approved by a Republican governor, more than $6,000,000 will be distributed to the taxpayers of the State. This is the first time in the history of the country that a State government has taken the initiative to reduce by actual dollars and cents the tax bill of the citizenry. This dividend will come to all the taxpayers of the State in the form of a rebate if the entire 1931 tax bill has been paid, or as a credit if it is as yet unpaid."

Senator Baird this week met with his campaign advisors, E. Bertran Mott and Mrs. Elizabeth C. Verga, chairman and vice-chairman of the Republican State Committee and Frank H. Smith, his campaign manager, in Trenton on Tuesday. On Wednesday he met a large group of Republicans of Bvonne prior to their outing to Rye Beach, spending an hour with them from nine to ten in the morning. Prior engagements did not permit Senator Baird to attend the outing.

THREE HURT WHEN PARKED CAR IS HIT

Miss Maguire, of Delanco; Abe Taylor, of Riverside, and Edward Gallagher, of Burlington, Victims

Abe Taylor, of Riverside; Miss Rita Maguire, of Delanco, and Edward Gallagher, of Burlington, were all severely cut when Gallagher's car, in which Miss Maguire was riding, crashed into Taylor's machine which had stopped in front of a residence on Broad street in Beverly, Saturday.

Miss Maguire suffered deep cuts on the face, arms and legs.

Taylor had stopped along the curb in front of a Beverly residence where he was intending to make a business call, when Gallagher's car, which apparently had skidded in the trolley tracks, struck the rear of his machine. Taylor shielded his face with his hands, but the flying glass cut several deep gashes in the top of his head.

Gallagher also was thrown forward by the force of the collision and his teeth were driven into his lips.

Taylor is a Riverside plumber and Gallagher is an employe of the United States Pipe Foundry.

N. J. INSPECTION SERVICE AN AID TO DAIRY FARMERS

How the state of New Jersey safeguard the annual $8,400,000 payroll of 4,000 dairy farmers through creamery inspection work of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station will be shown in that institution's exhibit at the American Fair, which opens this week in Atlantic City and continues until August 26.

VERY LATESTS
By MARY MARSHALL

A dress of navy blue or black georgette, made with skirt flounce, peplum and sleeve ruffles of pleated georgette. Nothing could be better choice for warm weather days in town when you want to have something that will be cool and smart and will not readily show the grime of the city.

With the aid of the professional pleater you can make a georgette dress of this sort without the slightest difficulty. You may make it in



two pieces or one, using a simple pattern with V-neck closing and tucks on the shoulder. For the skirt you will want a flounce about 18 inches deep after a narrow hem has been taken. Mark the skirt eighteen inches up from the hem and measure the distance round. Three times this measurement will give you the right size for your flounce, because the box pleating calls for three times the finished amount. The ruffle for the peplum should be eight or nine inches after a hem is made. Take a generous waist measurement and multiply this by three for the amount needed.

The sleeve ruffles should be about seven inches finished. If the edge of the flared sleeve measures about twelve inches you will need two pieces twenty-four inches long for the box-pleated sleeve frills. The peplum is made with an opening at the center front while the skirt flounce and sleeve frills are seamed up.

MISS LECONEY MAKES STUDENT AID SURVEY

Moorestown Woman's Report on Findings to Be Submitted to Harmon Foundation

Miss Caroline B. LeConey, of 17 East Central avenue, Moorestown, who has been compiling data on the student welfare programs of local organizations for the Harmon Foundation's New Jersey Student Aid Survey, will submit her completed report to the survey headquarters on the campus of New Jersey College for Women in New Brunswick. Her findings will appear with data from more than 200 New Jersey towns and cities in a compilation which will be available in the fall.

New Jersey has been chosen as the field for the first student aid survey to be undertaken on a statewide basis. The survey is financed and directed by the Harmon Foundation of New York, under the auspices of the State Federation of Women's Clubs and New Jersey College for Women.

It has as its object the publication of a manual of information on the amount, distribution and administration of student aid sources in New Jersey, for the use of administrators, educators and students. The survey, as a pioneer project, will make available a guide for similar studies in other states and demonstrates the value of a central clearing house of information.

Miss LeConey who is supervisor of rural schools, is chairman of the education committee of the Moorestown Women's Club.

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HINTS FOR THE HOME
By Nancy Hart

Russian Tea Punch

This has a foundation of a quart of tea, strong, but quickly brewed. Nothing is worse in iced drinks than tea that has been brewed long enough to produce a bitter taste.

To the tea add a mixture of two tablespoons of orange juice, five tablespoons of lemon juice and two cups of sugar. Then add a quart of charged water and half a cup of fresh berries and shredded pineapple, either canned or fresh. Serve with shaved ice.

Loganberry Punch

To one pint of loganberry juice add a pint of water and the juice of one lemon. Serve with thin slices of lemon in the glasses. If your taste demands it, add sugar.

Caramel Ice Cream

One quart of cream, half pound of sugar, one tablespoon of vanilla, one pint of milk. Put four extra ounces of granulated sugar in an iron frying-pan, and stir over the fire until the sugar melts, turns brown, boil and smokes. Have ready one pint of boiling milk, turn the burnt sugar into this, stir over the fire one minute, and stand away to cool. When cold, add the sugar cream and vanilla; mix well and freeze.

Milk Shakes

It is quite possible to make delicious milk shakes at home. You can, for a considerable price, buy an electric milk shaker, or you can for a very reasonable price buy a hand shaker that is quite satisfactory. Then make chocolate syrup and keep it on ice, and when you want a milk shake put syrup and milk and ice in your shaker, and shake. If you like, add malted milk, which by the way, comes with the chocolate already mixed with it, so that you can omit the chocolate syrup. Add a drop or two of vanilla if you wish it.

Pineapple Lemonade

Add four cups hot water to two of sugar, and boil slowly for fifteen minutes. Cool and add a small can of chopped pineapple, the juice of three lemons and of four medium oranges, and a bottle of charged water. Add a quart of cold water, and pour on chopped ice in small or large glasses.

Rhubarbade

Into a casserole put a pound of rhubarb cut in small pieces, half a cup of sugar, a cup of water, and bake covered until the rhubarb is tender. Strain, add a quart of ice water, the juice of one large orange and two lemons, and serve. This recipe fills a dozen small punch cups.

Currant Punch

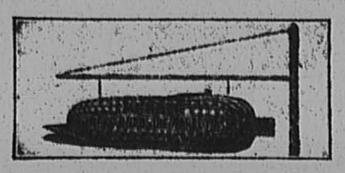
Mix together two cups each of sugar and currant juice and boil five minutes with six cups water. Add the juice of three lemons and three oranges, one cup of cold tea, and serve. This will fill twenty-five punch cups.

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Pennsylvania Railroad

Lansing, Mich.—Armistice Day is now a legal holiday in the state of Michigan. Governor Wilber M. Brucker signed the bill passed by the state legislature making Armistice Day a legal holiday at a recent meeting of the Maurice Harvey Dixon Post 12 of the American Legion. It was "Governor's Night" celebration.

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MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY

BY ERNEST CAMP JR

Police Chesterfields

Every New York policeman has his shoes polished up to the last degree. You can find one without his shield sooner than without a polish. Their uniforms are always pressed and there is not a set of men in the world who present as smart an appearance as the 19,000 men on Commissioner Mulrooney's force.

Naturally, on $60 a week, the pay of a New York cop, they can afford to dress better than they used to when they drew $80 month not so very many years ago.

Police Wire-pulling

Naturally, with so many on the force, there is a certain amount of inside politics played all the time. One of the choice assignments over which the men battle is the tri-weekly job of policing the crowd at the Goldman band concerts in Central Park. And the way they fight each other for the privilege of getting that job is nobody's business.

Each concert attracts close to 7,000 people, half of whom get seats while the remainder are allowed to drape themselves on the grass or wherever they can find a point of vantage. The police are there to keep them in order —and one pinch a century would be a high average. All the cops have to do is listen to one of the finest concerts on earth and then go home.

A Wonderful Gift

The Goldman band concerts are just one sample of the hundreds of free amusements offered New Yorkers all through the year. The city gives the bandstand and the Guggenheim family, which made a huge fortune in minerals in the Rocky Mountains, pays the musicians, the cost runing to many thousands of dollars every year.

The band plays at Columbia University campus on alternate nights, thereby drawing a totally different crowd. In the course of the year probably a million people hear the band, not to count the many millions more who listen in by radio. Even New Yorkers who seem to find it hard to praise anything in especial about their city, admit the Goldman band concerts are wonderful.

The Goldman band is just one more thing that links New York up, in its likes and dislikes, with the small town. Hundreds of small places support a town band and the tri-weekly summer scene in Central Park differs only in size from the happenings in myriads of smaller places throughout the country.

A New Wrinkle

The best shoe polisher in the world has a stand in the shadow of the Methropolitan Opera House, just off Broadway. Like most of them, he is an Italian. He puts four or five different kinds of polishes on your shoes and make them look like new.

What hit me most was that when I sat down in his chair he tucked in my shoelaces, so they wouldn't get wet, and then slipped in pieces of leather about as big as a half-sole, into the sides of my shoes, letting them stick up to protect the socks from getting stained. It was a touch of the real service one gets in this town.

It's a good tip for your local shoe shiner.

Boot Trees

Nearly every man in New York owns one or more pairs of boot trees —those chunks of wood shaped like the foot that go in the shoes when you take them off. They keep the leather from shrinking and make them look like new right up to the day you fire them into the garbage can.

Of course, all women everywhere keep their shoes on lasts when they are not being worn, but in New York is probably the only place in this country where the men use them. In England, where it rains every day for months, everybody has to use them or have their soles look like Charley Chaplin's.

Engaged

Announcement of the engagement of Miss Virginia Taylor to Thomas W. Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stewart, of 2753 Rogers avenue, Merchantville, was made by Miss Taylor's mother, Mrs. S. Herbert Taylor, on Saturday, at a luncheon at her home on 214 Gilmore avenue, Merchantville.

This betrothal is of much interest in Merchantville and in Moorestown, as both are well-known and popular members of the younger set.

Miss Taylor was graduated at Moorestown High School in 1927 and continued at Montclair Normal School. She has been a member of the teaching staff at the Heulings Coles School, Merchantville, for the past year.

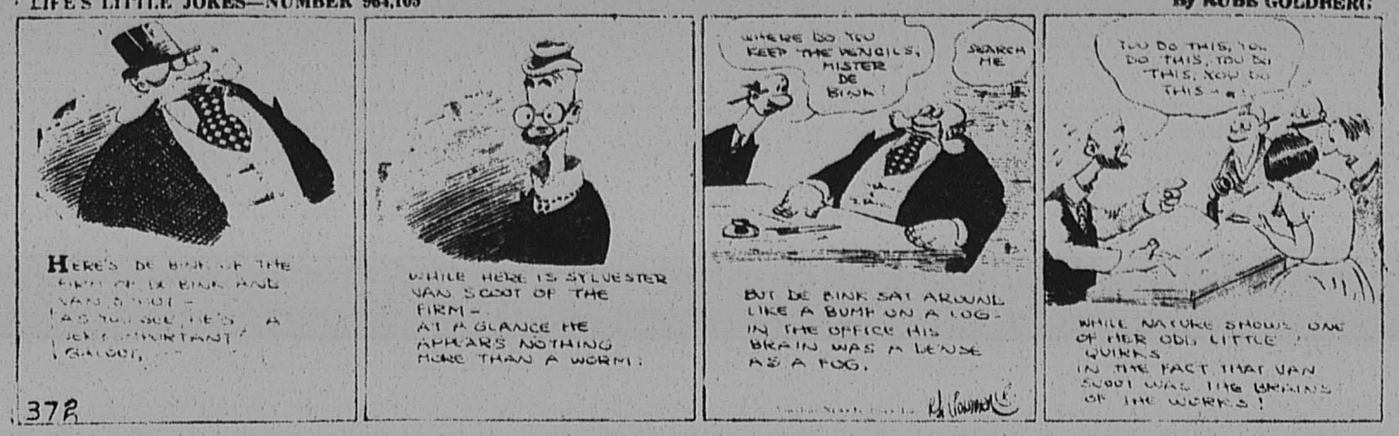
Mr. Stewart is a graduate of Camden High School and of Drexel Institute. He is now affiliated with the State Highway Department in the Newark metropolitan section.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Guests at the luncheon included Ruth Taylor, Mrs. S. Herbert Taylor, Jr., Mrs. Andrew Stewart, Sr., Mrs. Andrew Stewart, Jr., Sue Stewart, Mrs. John Candlish, Mrs. Elmer Olp, Mrs. Herbert Ricord, Ruth Russell, Kathryn Holman, Elizabeth Troth, Jeanette Chew, Nancy Collins, Marion Welsh, Helen McCall, Edith Biddle, Dorothy DuBree and Catherine Bailey, of Merchantville; Margaret Frech, of Maple Shade; Alice Manning, of Haddonfield; Helen Hall, of Moorestown; Elizabeth Smith, of Bradley Beach; Louella Thiesmeyer, of Summit, and Elizabeth Murphy, of Westmont.

This is the kind of weather when we like to look at a picture of Niagara Falls frozen over.

LIFE'S LITTLE JOKES—NUMBER 964,105 By RUBE GOLDBERG



DRUNKEN DRIVER IS SENT TO JAIL

Philadelphia Man, Unable to Pay $200 Fine, Gets Thirty Days

Thomas Hodges, 3024 North Third street, Philadelphia, arrested by Officer Charles J. Errickson Saturday night for drunken driving along East Main street, Moorestown, was fined $200 and costs at a hearing before Recorder Joseph W. Johnston in Moorestown Town Hall.

Unable to pay the fine, Hodges was committed to the Burlington county jail at Mount Holly for 30 days. The police judge will also recommend to the Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Department that the Philadelphia man's driver's license be revoked for two years.

Two speeders, arrested by Officer Walter A. Errickson over the week-end, were fined $5.00 and costs apiece by Recorder Johnston. They were Gertrude H. Cook, Ridgway street, Mount Holly, and George T. Kahn, 4034 Reno street, Philadelphia.

A "balky" car, operated by Mrs. Charles J. Errickson, in the Stanwick section, played an important role in the recovery of two bicycles which had been reported stolen from the Community House early Thursday evening.

Scarcely a half hour after the theft had been reported at the Town Hall, Officer Errickson received a call from his wife, who was stranded in Stanwick, saying, "the car won't go." While on his way to discover the trouble, Errickson spied two Lenola girls riding wheels answering the description of the stolen machines.

The machines were restored to the rightful owners and the girls were dismissed with reprimands.

MARLTON FIGHTS RAILROAD'S PLAN

Shippers Declare They Will Suffer Through Abandonment of Service

Marlton is aroused over the proposed abandonment of the railroad from Haddonfield to Marlton, and it is expected the plan will be met with strong opposition.

The Evesham township committee, through its solicitor, Senator Clifford R. Powell, will voice the sentiment of the community in registering objections. It is contended that if the plan is not defeated, it may relegate Marlton to the background and work a considerable hardship on the shippers in this locality.

C. Ellis Reed, chairman of the township committee, is opposed to the plan on the ground that it would seriously handicap the future growth of the community and would place shippers completely at the mercy of the trucking industry.

made to force the railroad to extend

It is believed an effort will be the freight service from Haddonfield to the Stanley siding, where it crosses the Marlton pike, about two miles west of Marlton.

According to local shippers, while there would still be considerable inconvenience attached to even this plan, it would be far more advantageous to the future growth and development of the town than to have their shipments consigned to either Moorestown, Mount Holly or Berlin.

The Public Utilities Commission recently granted a 15-day period in which to prepare briefs supporting the claim that the road is a necessity, and it is believed that the commission will carry its case to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

EMERY REAPPOINTED MAPLE SHADE OFFICIAL

Williard Emery has been reappointed to the Board of Assessors, after a lengthy discussion among the members of the Chester township committee. It is said that Committeeman Ernest J. Wolff favored the appointment of Thomas Mullen, but John Potje, another member of the committee, expressed a desire that the Board of Assessors remain the same and endorsed Emery, a member three years. Potje was supported by Chairman Charles Collins. Other members of the Board of Assessors include John L. Owen and William E. MacKinney.

Bethlehem is located in Palestine, a country southwest of Syria. The village was about five miles from Jerusalem.

Four hundred and sixteen divorces were granted in June at Reno, an increase of eighty-five over the May record. Well the separator business seems to be picking up anyhow.



POLICE TARGET PRACTICE SCORES

Police pistol scores for the weekly practice held in Riverton Wednesday, July 8th, are as follows:—

POLICE

Whitehead	147
Robinson	142
Caisse (State Trooper)	139
Dorworth	137
Murphy (State Trooper)	136
Errickson	134
Davis	99
Bradshaw	75
Miller	59

CITIZENS

Saylor	145
Loughery	142
Williams	141
Anderson	133
Ingram	112
Bowers	99

The police shoot held last night revealed that Gootee of the Riverton force is constantly improving his marksmanship. He hit the highest score thus far for himself with 109.

POLICE

Whitehead	143
Dorworth	140
Betty	139
W. Errickson	130
Gootee	109
C. Errickson	55

CITIZENS

Saylor	144
Woodoth	141
Anderson	134

To Be Married

Miss Marion Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Collins, of Sleepy Hollow Farm, Merchantville, will become the bride of William Bradford Smith, of North Adams, Mass., at a smart wedding on Saturday evening, July 25.

The ceremony will be solemnized at 9:30 o'clock with the Rev. Edgar L. Sanford, rector of the Trinity Episcopal Church, Moorestown, officiating.

The maid of honor will be Miss Roberta Bok, of Oakmont, Pa., and bridesmaids will include Miss Elizabeth Palmenberg, of Spring Valley, N. Y.; Mrs. Maurice Collins, of Half Awake Cottage, Merchantville, sister-in-law of the bride, and Mrs. James Campbell, of New York City.

John McMillen, of New York City, will be best man, and Richard Norcott and Edward Payne, of North Adams, James Campbell, of New York City, and Maurice Collins, of Merchantville, brother of the bride will usher.

Immediately following their wedding the newlyweds will leave for Tokyo, Japan, where Mr. Smith has been given an appointment as instructor of English at St. Paul's University. Both Marion and her fiance completed their work for a master's degree in English at Columbia University this past Spring.

S. J. TO OBSERVE BLOSSOM TIME

Association Formed to Advertise and Exploit Area's Spring Beauties

On Thursday, July 9, a dinner meeting of a number of prominent South Jersey business men was held in the Hotel Dennis, Atlantic City, to discuss the possibilities of forming an association to advertise and exploit the beauties of South Jersey's apple and peach blossom areas.

The meeting was held at the suggestion of L. D. Ohdner, secretary of the Camden County Chamber of Commerce, who had experienced a flood of inquiries regarding the New Jersey blossom time areas after several short radio announcements regarding them. Walter J. Buzby, proprietor of the Hotel Dennis, Atlantic City, after being one of the first to accept the invitation to meet, invited the entire group to hold its first meeting as his guests.

It was pointed out during the round table discussion following the dinner that the apple and peach blossoms of South Jersey are equally as beautiful and by some claimed to be more beautiful than those of the Shenandoh Valley in Virginia and other famous blossom sections, but that practically nothing had been done by the people of South Jersey to attract attention to this valuable asset.

Literally millions of tourists every year pass through the State of New Jersey to its famous seashore resorts without realizing the beauties that exists in its agricultural sections, and which might be reached by delightful side trips.

During the discussion, it developed that those present were unanimous in favor of forming an independent association to advertise and in every way possible attract tourists to South Jersey's blossom time areas. The group, by motion formed itself into the South Jersey Blossom Time Association, electing Walter J. Buzby, Atlantic City, president; Loyal D. Odhner, Camden county Chamber of Commerce secretary; and W. Edward Ridgway, Burlington, treasurer.

Five of the seven South Jersey counties were represented at the meeting and representatives of the other two having expressed their interest but were unable to attend. Those present were Walter J. Buzby, Paul J. O'Neil, T. J. Husselton, Henry S. Scull, all of Atantic City; Thomas B. Deker and Anthony J. Rice, of Hammonton; Burlington County, George C. McKann, Jr., and W. Edward Ridgway, of Burlington, and Leon S. Odd, of Medford; Camden County, Lewis T. Boynton, L. D. Odhner, and C. J. Mooney, all of Camden City; Cape May County, Luther C. Ogden; Cumberland County, Victor Morvay, of Bridgeton. J. Louis Curtis and Charles T. Barnett, of Millville.

Wausau, Wis.—A dividend of 6 per cent has been paid stockholders in the American Legion public golf links here. Current liabilities have been reduced from $13,000 to $5,000.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for July 19

SPECIAL SERVICE IN THE EARLY CHURCH

Acts 4:32-35; 6:1-4;
II Corinthians 9:1-7

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

Christianity is far more than an ideal. Its principles can be put into practice. Calvin Coolidge recently said in one of his daily messages: "It would be difficult to find anywhere on earth a human being whose life has not been modified in some degree by the influence of the Christian religion." Thought of others rather than of self is basic. This began with the Founder and every true follower has the same idea.

Today the world still needs the fullest expression of Christian socialism. As people had need in the Jerusalem congregation, provision was made by turning into a common fund whatever could be spared. Many quarrels resulted over the distribution of money. When the apostles faced the situation they realized that their work of preaching was so great that they could not also give adequate attention to the physical needs of the growing Christian community. Then the office of deacon was inaugurated and seven were chosen to undertake this special type of service. This office of deacon persists in the church of today and a long line of men and women have this very honorably served the Lord in helping the poor.

Later the gathering of the poor fund was an extensive enterprise. The Council of Jerusalem decreed that Paul, and the other anostles to the nations, should seek funds for the poor in Jerusalem when they ministered abroad. The church in Corinth was held up as an example to the friends in Macedonia quite as we are urged today to measure up to the gift made by another. Thus what are called modern financial pressure methods in raising money seem to be rather old.

SERVICE BUTTONS ARE GIVEN P. S. WORKERS

Four Receive Awards for Completing 25 Years in Employ Of Company

Four employes of Public Service have been awarded their gold service buttons in recognition of each having completed twenty-five years of service.

Those who completed a quarter of a century each in the employ of Public Service are Patrick J. O'Connor, assistant to the claim agent, Camden; William Jacoby, operator on the Camden-Trenton bus line; William Branton, mechanic, and Charles T. Long, painter. The latter two are employed at the Newton Avenue Car Shops, Camden.

O'Connor entered the employment of Public Service as an office boy. Later he was appointed stenographer. Named as an investigator he later was promoted to assistant to the claim agent.

At present Jacoby is a bus operator. He was formerly a street car operator on the former Riverside street car line. It is estimated that Jacoby has operated street cars and buses more than 730,000 miles. He has been employed continuously on the Camden-Trenton route.

ROAD EMPLOYEE DIES SUDDENLY

Frederick Chinn, Colored, Victim of Heart Attack While Working

Frederick Chinn, 50 years old, colored, of North Church street, Moorestown, fell dead on Monday morning, while working for the Moorestown road department, which is laying pipes in a ditch running from Chester avenue to Church street, near Third street.

Chinn was working with other roadmen, mixing cement, when he suddenly fell face down on the ground. Dr. Robert Imhoff, local physician, was called and pronounced him dead.

Coroner John C. Belton, 2nd, of Moorestown, was summoned. The death certificate issued by Coroner Belton attributed Chinn's death to heart trouble. The heat was thought to have been a contributing factor.

Funeral services will be held from the colored Baptist Church, on Mill street, on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock, with the Rev. Mr. Walker, pastor, officiating. Interment will be made in the Church Cemetery.

Surviving the deceased are his wife, Priscilla, two sons and one daughter.

BYRD'S CAMERAS ON DISPLAY

Two of Admiral Byrd's historically famous movie cameras may be seen the week in the show windows of Williams, Brown & Earle, 918 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

One of the cameras shown is that used by Byrd when he flew over the North Pole in 1926 and the other was re-claimed from the Atlantic Ocean after Byrd's forced landing off the coast of Ver Sur, France, the following year.

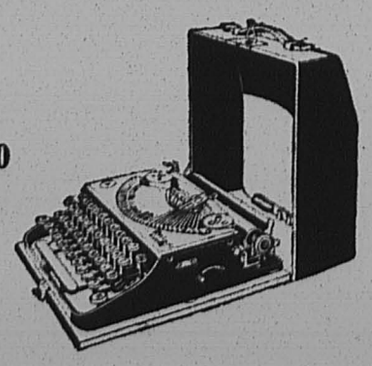
Both of the cameras are of the popular Bell and Howard Brand, carried in stock continually by Williams, Brown & Earle.

It is reported that these precious units will be in Philadelphia for only a few days, and will later, in all probability, take their pace in one of the nation's popular museums.

This Englishmen who says Americans have no imagination should drop into one of our large cities and look at what we call a safety zone.—Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.

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GILPIN WINS W. J. TENNIS TITLE BY BEATING FISCHER

Finals Match Goes Four Sets With Woodbury Ace Taking Second

IDLE HOUR PAIR WIN CROWN IN DOUBLES

Olhausen and Brammal Trip Strachan and Sullivan, Germantown Duo

Flaying in a fashion that indicated he was entitled to the first place position to which he had been seeded, Samuel B. Gilpin, Merion Cricket Club ace, triumphed over Dr. Carl Fischer, Woodbury star and last year's title holder, to win the West Jersey singles tennis crown.

The championship match was staged at Moorestown Field Club, where the tourney had been in progress all week, Sunday afternoon.

The defeated finalist, long a favorite with local galleries, set the pace for Gilpin, who enjoys a high national rating as well as being Pennsylvania and Middle States champion.

Dr. Fischer, who put up a brilliant game to vanquish Donald Strachan, of Germantown Cricket Club, in the semi-finals Saturday afternoon, was less steady against Gilpin, his southpaw drives going wild for costly errors in the first and third sets.

Woodbury Star Sets Pace

The Woodbury star, who has won the West Jersey title in four out of six starts, set the pace throughout the finals and due to particularly fine work in the second and fourth frames, succeeded in somewhat atoning the decisive defeats Gilpin turned in against him in the semi-finals of the Pennsylvania and Middle States matches.

The match went four sets with the last going into extra games. Champion Gilpin took the first with ease. Fischer, the defending champ who was seeded third, having been ranked below Strachan, Princeton star, whom he eliminated Saturday afternoon, copped the second. Then the Merion star took the next two, but not without having to display plenty of court mastery.

Gilpin earned the West Jersey crown by the score of 6-2, 4-6, 6-2, 8-6.

Fischer, Gilpin Advance

While Dr. Fischer, who captured the intercollegiate diadem in 1923 while playing under the colors of the Philadelphia College of Osetopathy, was defeating Stachan in straight sets, 6-3, 6-4, Saturday afternoon, Champion Gilpin came through his semi-finals match with comparative ease, setting back Norman Bramall, Idle Hour Club star, seeded fourth. Gilpin won to the tune of 6-1, 6-2, not having been extended at any time during the match.

As soon as Fischer and Gilpin survived the semi-final clashes, the doubles champions were crowned.

Joseph Olhausen paired with Normal Bramall, both of Idle Hour, to squash Neil Sullivan and Donald Strachan, the Germantown Cricket Cub duo, in three sets by the scores, 6-1, 6-0, 6-4.

"Donnie" Strachan was not his best, for he and Sullivan were forced to subdue Richard Myers, Ocean City, and Louis Kruger, Idle Hour, in three stubborn sets immediately before the vanquished finalists opposed the Bramall-Olhausen combine.

Fine Team Work

Olhausen and Bramall annexed their laurels with perfect team work, which was sprinkled with splendidly executed lobs. Strachan and Sullivan now and then smashed for points, but at the final reckoning the Manheim pair were always on the short end of the game score.

The singles semi-finals, originally selected for Friday afternoon, had to be called off because of the heavy rain that day.

Dr. Herbert Fischer, brother of Carl, who plays under Moorestown Field Club colors, outlasted other local representatives in the tourney, having stayed to the quarter-finals, when he was eliminated by Gilpin, 6-1, 6-1.

Preston Roberts, Moorestown, who won over Mahlon Saunders, Pitman, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3, in the third round, succumbed to the powerful game of Carl Fischer in the fourth frame. Roberts made a good showing against the defending champion, however. The score was 6-3, 6-3.

NEW MOORESTOWN PLAYERS

The Burlington County Baseball League's Board of Representatives, at a recent meeting, voted in favor of Moorestown adding two additional players to its team. The new members are H. K. Capehard, Philadelphia and Ray Richman, Palmyra.

The redwood is the only cone-bearing tree which will sprout from the stump after being cut.

SOME "OLD TIMERS"



"PAT" STEEDLE, "RUSS" BLACKBURNE, "LEN" BAKER
Old pals in the art of baseball, who, with six others, defeated the regular Riverton nine, 5 to 3, last Wednesday at Memorial Park.

OLD TIMERS WIN FROM REGULARS

"Russ" Blackburne, Steedle, "Len" Baker and Others Sink Riverton, 5-3

The "Old Timers"—at least some of them, decided that one is always as young as one feels, and therefore, challenged the young Riverton nine.

The two nines clashed at Memorial Park, Riverton, Wednesday, July 8th, and after the smoke of battle had cleared away, the "Old Timers" had tallied five runs, while the younger generation had copped only three.

That famous gentleman, known to all the baseball world, namely "Russ" Blackburne, last year manager of the Chicago White Sox, played third base with the "Old Timers". "Russ" really knows baseball like an entomologist knows bugs, and the tips and pointers he gave to those who were willing to listen were really worthwhile.

"Len" Baker, star first baseman around these diggins' in years past, seemed not to have lost any of his old ability. On one loss to first by the shortstop, which was wide and low, "Len" seemed to stretch out like a piece of India rubber and in that very much extended posture, socketed the ole' apple for the putout. "Len" should have joined the Royal Canadian Northwest Mounted Police—'cause he always gets his man.

"Pat" Steedle, famous baseball ballyhoo artist, was in his old position behind the bat. "Pat" always did talk up the game every minute, and he did not slight this one. It would not be a ball game if "Pat" was not pleading with his pitcher to stick one "right in the ole' oskahava" or trying to tell the batter to bit this one—its coming right over. Now and then some trustful batter would take him seriously and swing like a rusty gate at one a mile high and "Pat" would give the horse laugh.

Joe Stack came in the game in the seventh inning and brought in the last run for the "Old Timers".

The Riverton nine tried hard, but did their all and only damage in the seventh inning with three runs.

SMITH TIES FOR FOURTH IN OPEN

Moorestown Pro Cards 148 in First Half of Pennsylvania Championship

George Smith, golf professional of the Moorestown Field Club, finished in a tie for fourth place in the first half of the Pennsylvania open golf championship played at the Philadelphia Cricket Club on Tuesday. Smith's 148 for the 36-hole test equalled that of Edward Dudley, of Concordville, Md., defending champion, and Joe Turnesa, of White Plains, N. Y.

George started the grind right after breakfast, with Mary Lyons, popular pro at the Spring Hill Country Club. Both started to "burn up" the course.

Smith shot par golf all the way to the eighteenth and last green when a short second landed in a trap. He took a five on the hole for a 72, one over par. In all he collected three birds.

Lyons got off to a bad start and ended up with a 40 for his first nine. Right then and there, however, the husky Spring Hill pro began to click off a steady line of pars and birdies to finish with a 32 for the incoming trip, two strokes under par. Twice he lipped the cup for birds which would have given him a 31, the same mark as chalked up by Olin Dutra on his record breaking incoming nine in the morning. On his morning journey, Lyons collected four birds and dropped two putts of better than 15 yards. His 73 tied for fourth place.

The Moorestown pro finished the afternoon round with a 76, making his total card 148.

MEMORIAL PARK TO HAVE CIRCUS

Boys and Girls to Stage an Elaborate "Big Top" on Monday, July 27

By "Dick" Snyder

The Circus is coming to town! On Monday, July 27, the one and only circus of its kind in the world will give its first (and only) performance in Memorial Park, Riverton, at 7.00 p. m.

A hundred performers will be seen in dazzling variety of acts—tight-rope walkers, funny clowns, magicians, trained animals, gymnastic acts and everything else that goes to make a REAL circus.

All of the talent has been selected from the boys and girls who regularly attend the playground, and these attending the circus are assured of a genuine surprise.

More details about this feature will be published next week.

Last week, in spite of the rainy weather, showed an attendance of over a thousand boys and girls at the Park. The regular play activities were carried on, and a number of new games were introduced. The addition of a new soccer ball to the regular equipment has proven popular.

The mens' and boys' tennis tournaments were completed with "Vin" Hackett and "Bob" Borer emerging as victors. A detailed account of their matches is contained in another article.

These two racqueteers will meet to decide the Park supremacy and a girls' champion will also be crowned before the end of the week.

The court will be treated with calcium chloride early next week and will not be available for use until Thursday or Friday.

After this treatment, an unparalleled playing surface should result.

Names are already being handed in for men's and mixed doubles tournaments, to be played later. After all the tournaments have been played, it is planned to establish a "Ladder" rating for every player in the Park, thus giving everyone an opportunity to play against those above him for their place on the ladder. This should lead to some much-improved tennis before the close of the summer.

The work in swimming and in the badge contests is also continuing. As an added feature, a number of boys and girls are receiving daily lessons in fancy diving, while several others are attempting to learn the game of tennis "from the ground up."

Swinging With the Local Batsmen

A HANDY SCHEDULE FOR THE BASEBALL FANS

TONIGHT—K. of C. vs. Parry (Postponed game, Palmyra Twilight League).

TOMORROW—Parry vs. Rogers' News (Palmyra Twilight League).

SATURDAY—Riverton at R. D. Wood (Burlington County League).

SUNDAY—Parry at Point Pleasant.

MONDAY—Ramblers vs. Parry (Palmyra Twilight League).

TUESDAY—K. of C. vs. Artisans (Palmyra Twilight League).

RIVERTON DROPS FOURTH STRAIGHT

Bows in Saturday Game to Vincentown, 9-3, Making Seven Errors

BURLINGTON COUNTY LEAGUE
Standing of the Teams

	W.	L.	P.C.
R. D. Wood	3	1	.750
Riverside	3	1	.750
Vincentown	3	1	.750
Delanco	2	1	.667
Burlington	2	1	.667
Medford	2	2	.500
Moorestown	0	4	.000
Riverton	0	4	.000

Saturday's Results

Delanco, 4; R. D. Wood, 1.
Riverside, 3; Medford, 2.
Vincentown, 9; Riverton, 3.
Burlington, 10; Moorestown, 0.

Saturday's Schedule

Riverton vs. R. D. Wood at Florence; Medford at Riverside; Delanco at Vincentown; Moorestown at Burlington.

Riverton received its fourth successive setback in the second half of the Burlington County League season when Vincentown emerged on the long end of a 9-3 tally, Saturday afternoon.

Clayt Weikman pitched good ball for the Riverton outfit, allowing but eight hits and two walks during the afternoon. No less than seven errors by his teammates ruined a good game and gave the "Vincents" most of their runs unearned.

The revised Riverton lineup was unable to solve the offerings of Heppard to any great extent, nicking him for only eight hits, all of them singles. Their chances to score were increased by the issuance of five passes. Strong pinch-pitching on the part of the Vincentown flinger enabled him to hold the Riverton nine.

The losers scored all their runs in the third inning to take the lead after the visitors had counted twice in their half of the second. The one-run Riverton lead vanished in the fifth when the "Vincents" pushed two more runs across. The winners then made victory certain by tallying once in the sixth frame and three times in the seventh.

The Worrell brothers were the big guns of the Vincentown attack, accounting for five of their team's hits. Horan was the heavy stickmen for the Rivertonians, rapping three singles in four appearances at the plate.

The defeat keeps Riverton in a tie with Moorestown for last place as neither team has yet turned in a victory during the latter half of the season.

VINCENTOWN

	R.	H	O	A
Haines, cf	1	1	2	0
Reeves, 2b	1	0	5	0
Maiay, 1b	1	1	8	0
B. Worrell, lf	4	3	2	0
H. Worrell, 3b	1	2	0	1
Moore, rf	0	1	0	0
Loebie, ss	1	0	3	2
Robinson, c	0	0	6	0
Heppard, p	0	0	2	4
Totals	9	8	27	7

RIVERTON

	R.	H	O	A
Baker, 1b	1	0	12	2
Reeves, lf	1	2	0	0
Edge, cf	1	0	3	4
Bartley, 3b	0	2	2	4
Harper, c	0	1	2	0
Horan, rf	0	3	1	0
Eisley, cf	0	0	2	0
Terrell, 2b	0	0	4	1
x-Sloan	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	8	27	11

x-Batted for Terrell in ninth.

Vincentown	020	021	301—9
Riverton	003	000	000—3

Two-base hits—Haines, B. Worrell, H. Worrell. Three-base hit—H. Worrell. Double plays—Bartley to Terrell to Baker; Loebie to Reeves. Struck out—By Weikman, 2; by Heppard, 5. Bases on balls—Off Weikman, 2; Heppard, 2. Umpires—Buchanan and Irvin.

HACKETT WINS TENNIS CROWN

Defeats "Mike" Fuller in Close Three Set Match; Borer Sinks Brennan

By "Dick" Snyder

"Vince" Hackett became Riverton's first Memorial Park senior tennis champion on Monday night when he defeated "Mike" Fuller by scores of 10-8, 6-4, 6-4.

As the scores indicate, the match was hard-fought throughout, with little to chose between the two finalists. It was probably Hackett's speedier service and stronger driving game that won him the crown.

Once in the first set, Fuller who had been more than holding his own, had the champion to set-point, only to lose his chance by netting a deep drive to his backhand. From this point Hackett seemed to rally and soon ran out the set.

He continued his winning ways by taking the first four games of the second set, but seemed to lose his stride and his opponent closed in on him, but the rally was belated.

The last set showed the best tennis of the match, with both contestants driving hard. The winner's greatest accuracy, both in serving and driving, and his slightly superior aggressiveness finally brought him the reward of the set and the match.

The boys' championship was a different story, with Robert Borer romping through an easy 6-0, 6-1, 6-1 match over his opponent, Francis Brennan. Borer completely dominated the play, his all-around superiority in every department of the game gaining for him the title.

Brennan fought hard and many of the games were deuced, but Borer managed to pull them through without serious trouble.

Borer and Hackett meet this week to decide the championship of the park.

The tournaments have done a lot for the tennis players of Riverton. It is hoped that similar tournaments can be held at the close of the summer and that many more contestants will be entered.

Borer and Hacket played off two of the five deciding sets for the park championship Tuesday night before the storm interfered. Hacket easily won both with a score of 6-1, 6-1.

Wednesday afternoon they played again and Hacket took the third set 6-1 for the park championship.

Base Stealing With Twilight Leaguers

TWILIGHT LEAGUE STANDING

	W.	L.	P.C.
Rambler	9	2	.818
Artisans	7	3	.700
Parry	6	3	.667
Rogers' News	4	6	.400
Baptists	4	6	.400
K of C	0	10	.000

Last Week's Results

FRIDAY—Artisan Baptist, postponed rain.

MONDAY—Ramblers, 8; Artisans, 5. The Ramblers pulled and unexpected win over the Artisans in the game played Monday night, winning 8-5. The Artisans were unable to stand the prosperity of a four run lead gathered in the first inning, and after the Ramblers had counted single runs in the first and third frames, the lodgemen blew up and gave the Kingmen five of the six runs which they scored in the fifth.

The A. O. M. P.s were almost as lucky in their start. Two errors and three hits, two of which were of the fluke variety, enabled them to cross the plate four times in the opening round. After this shaky start, the Ramblers pulled themselves together behind the fine pitching of Earl Harder, and kept the lodgemen away from the scoring station until the sixth stanza when a lone run crossed.

The fifth inning proved disastrous for the Artisans. Three errors in the infield and one in the outer gardens, coupled with a walk and three hits, enabled the Ramblers to bat around in this inning, and paved the way for six runs.

Dave Wenger who was hurling fine ball for the lodge team was on par with Harder for the quality of pitching performance. It was the "breaks" of the game which forced him to lose.

The loss, the second in a row for the Artisans, and their third during the season, sinks the former league leaders a game and a half behind the Ramblers who are in first place. Parry a half game behind the Artisans, has a chance to displace them should they win both their games this week.

The second game to be washed out last week was literally "carried away" by Friday night's deluge. A win for the Artisans over the Baptists would have enabled the former leaders to tie the Ramblers for the top rung on the ladder. The present standings show the Ramblers to have played one more game than the Artisans, thus accounting for the odd half-game lead.

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Last Tuesday's game, also postponed because of rain, will be played off tonight at the school field. The K. of C. team should they continue to show improvement as they did in the game against Rogers' News, may create a big upset by taking the Parry nine over the hurdles. A defeat for the Broderson team would practically eliminate them from all possibility of garnering the league title. A win for the Parrymen will place them in a tie with the Artisans for second place with a chance of taking undisputed possession of the runner-up berth by a win over Rogers' News tomorrow night.

Omaha, Neb.—Whenever a member of Omaha Post of the American Legion signs up ten or more members for the post, he becomes a member of the "Go Getters" Club. A recent check-up showed that the post had 42 "Go-Getters."



PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER
Founder, Burlington County Aero Club

Once again, the Moorestown Airport proved to be a welcome port for a wandering, harressed pilot. Last Thursday, the early mo'th bound mail plane missed Central Airport completely on account of fog. After a half hour of vain searching, the pilot found Rancocas Creek and then headed for Moorestown Airport and landed about six a. m. Half an hour later he took off for Central, the fog having lifted at that field. The pilots of all air lines flying near here know they can safely land at Moorestown Airport in time of need.

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Starting Thursday morning Pan-American Airways will inaugurate a new mail and passenger service between Newark and Bogota, Columbia, South America. The flying time will be three and a half days, clipping fourteen and a half days from the old steamship and railroad time.

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We are glad to welcome back to membership in the Burlington County Aero Club Axel Rosell, of "Homestead," Riverside. Rosell was one of our early members and a good worker for the club. We missed you, Axel, and it is great to have you back with us again.

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Last August, Chief Pilot Jim Erdman gave a young lady from Philadelphia her first ride in an airplane. On Saturday this same young lady left by air for Buffalo via Pittsburgh. The trip from Central Airport to Pittsburgh was made in one hour and forty-five minutes and from Pittsburgh to Buffalo the trip required two hours and fifteen minutes. All arrangements were made by Jim Erdman.

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The Kellett Aircraft Corporation, located at the Philadelphia Airport, is going full speed ahead building ten of the new Kellett Auto Gyros. This side by side two place "Giro" is attractively priced and should prove to be a good seller.

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"Moorestown, the air cross-roads of the world." If the Goodyear Zeppelin engineers decide our location is best suited to their needs this spot will become one of the world's most important airports. Is that beyond your imagination? Try thinking it over. Here's hoping the gentlemen from Akron find our site the best in the country.



SWEET CLOVER
By Wallace Rice

Within what weeks the mellot
Gave forth its fragrance, I, a lad,
Or never knew or quite forgot,
Save that 'twas while the year is glad.

Now know I that in bright July
It blossoms; and the perfume fine
Brings back my boyhood, until I
Am steeped in memory as with wine.

Now know I that the whole year long,
Though Winter chills or Summer cheers,
It writes along the weeks its songs,
Even as my youth sings through my years.

Charles H. K. Haines

Charles H. K. Haines, 59 years old, died at his home on 310 West Second street, Moorestown, from a hemorrhage of the throat on Wednesday night of last week at 11:15 o'clock.

He was ill several months last winter and barely escaped pneumonia, and while his throat had been left in bad condition, he was apparently on the road to recovery when he suffered the fatal hemorrhage.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence, with the Rev. C. W. Mac George, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was in the Baptist Cemetery.

Mr. Haines was the son of Jeremiah and the late Emma Kimble Haines, and the brother of Mrs. William G. LeConey. He was born and raised in Moorestown, and for the past 21 years was employed by the J. S. Rogers Company, of Moorestown and Philadelphia. He built the home in which he was living last October.

The deceased is survived by his father, his wife, sister and one son, Charles H. K. Haines, Jr., a student at Albright College and one of Moorestown's outstanding athletes.

RULE TO BAR CREDITORS
EXECUTRIX' NOTICE

Estate of William B. Lynch, deceased. Notice is hereby given that an order has been made by the Surrogate of the County of Burlington, bearing date the eighth day of July, 1931, upon application of the subscriber, Executrix, requiring the creditors of William B. Lynch, late of the County of Burlington, deceased, to bring in their claims against the estate of the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, on or before January 8, 1932, or they will be debarred of any action thereto against the said Executrix.

ANNA GERTRUDE LYNCH,
Executrix.

Proctor, Curry & Parnell,
Dated, July 8, 1931.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Rate—10c Per Line

30c Minimum Charge for Each Ad
(Lines Average 6 Words)
CLASSIFIED ADS RECEIVED UNTIL 5 O'CLOCK WEDNESDAY
PHONE RIVERTON 712

LORAINE AT THE BEACH—No. 1 Ocean Pathway, Ocean Grove, N. J. Full Ocean View Run Water. Table a feature. 12th season. Phone Asbury Park 5196. F. W. Rohland.

ROWKOGRAMS

Kites rise against and not with the wind. Chinese Proverb.

Fowler's Tak-Aboust Shop
H. E. Bread St. Palmyra, N. J.

YOUNG colored couple want work. Wife can cook, nurse or act as waitress. Husband can drive any make of car, repair any kind, run truck and tractor and make repairs, can do farm work, electrical work. Best references. Apply "O" New Era Office.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, 2 rooms, bath and kitchenette. Reference required. Apply New Era Office, Box "R".

BOARDING—Business person may have room and privilege of home, $15 per month, garage $3. I will serve evening meals, 5 days a week very reasonable Saturday and Sunday when I am at home. Call Mrs. Synder, Riverton 1116.

COLORED GIRL wants housework. Apply 401 Union Landing road, E. Riverton.

FOR SALE—Packing boxes, 50c and up. New Era Office, Riverton.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Corner of Broad and Cinnaminson street. Apply "W" New Era Office.

FOR RENT—Two rooms for boarders, no meals. Apply 408 Main street, Riverton.

FOR SALE—Cabbage, tomatoes, peppers, egg plant, pansies, scarlet sage, snap dragon, larkspur, straw flower and asters. Charles D. Springer, Cambridge. Phone Riverside 68-W.

WANTED—Man, with selling ability to sell Majestic Electric Refrigerators and a full line of Radios. Car furnished to good reliable man. Call or write Riverside Appliance Co., 15 Pavilion Ave., Riverside, N. J.

WHERE your rags are worth money. The New Era will pay 5c a pound for clean rags cured not be white free from lint, hooks and eyes, buttons, and snaps.

APARTMENT FOR RENT—Three months' period, furnished, central location in Riverton—5 rooms, rent reasonable. Apply "W" New Era Office.

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, AUGUST 13, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of the Sheriff of Burlington County, 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 a point in the Southeasterly line of Thomas Avenue, distant two hundred seventy-six feet Southwestwardly from the Northwesterly corner of North Street and extending thence Southeastwardly along the Southwesterly line of Thomas Avenue sixty feet to a point and extending thence Southwestwardly between parallel lines at right angles to Thomas Avenue one hundred fifty feet in depth to the Northeasterly line of an alleyway eighty feet wide, laid out by the said Joseph C. Shinn and others, and extending thence Northwestwardly along the last mentioned alleyway sixty feet to a point therein, and extending thence Northeastwardly parallel with the first mentioned lines one hundred fifty feet in depth to the Southwesterly line of Thomas Avenue, the place of beginning.

Being commonly known as 242 Thomas Avenue, Riverton, New Jersey.

Subject to the payment of taxes, assessments, water rates and sewer rents.

Subject to the payment of interest on a certain mortgage for the principal sum of $4,000.00 and interest thereon from January 1, 1931, and to the payment of any other liens or encumbrances that may appear of record.

Seized as the property of Joseph C. Shinn and others, and to be sold by

JOSEPH C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated July 10, 1931.
Proctor & Curry, Solicitors.
Fee $18.15
7-16-23-30-8-6-13

Report of Condition of the CINNAMINSON BANK AND TRUST COMPANY
at Riverton

in the County of Burlington, at the close of business on June 30, 1931.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	$ 662,372.78
Overdrafts	293.11
United States Government securities owned	10,254.17
Other bonds, stocks and securities owned	37,788.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	15,000.00
Due from banks (including exchanges for clearing house)	81,165.36
Checks and other cash items	2,272.36
Cash on hand	8,000.00
Expenses current and interest paid	1,000.00
TOTAL	$ 817,145.78

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	$ 100,000.00
Surplus	75,000.00
Undivided profits	6,148.97
Reserved for dividends unpaid	3,000.00
Reserved for taxes, interest, etc.	3,128.92
Due to banks (including certified and cashier's checks out-standing	2,148.86
Demand deposits	157,133.06
Time deposits	466,586.97
Bills payable and rediscounts	2,000.00
TOTAL	$ 817,145.78

State of New Jersey, County of Burlington, ss.

I, Howard T. Conover, Treasurer of the above named Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. T. WILLIAMS,
President.
HOWARD T. CONOVER,
Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn before me this 13th day of July, 1931.

JOSEPH F. FEARS,
Notary Public.
My Commission expires August 1, 1933.

CORRECT—Attest:
JAMES T. WEART,
FRED P. HEMPHILL,
GEORGE C. EVANS,
Director.

Earl Faulkner Post 6 of the American Legion at Everett, Wash., transformed a nondescript, hilly piece of ground into a level playfield and installed playfield equipment for the use of an orphanage.

YOU KNOW ME, AL — It's A Sure Thing — By RING LARDNER



PALMYRA NOTES

Miss Emily Schmidt, of Tamaqua, Pa., is spending a week with Mrs R. B. Hayes, of Leconey avenue.

Miss Edna Neville, of Cleveland, Ohio, returned home Sunday after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Shaw, of Cleveland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Anderson and daughter Beatrice, of Columbus avenue enjoyed the week-end in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Sylvia Jones, of Millville, spent Sunday with her sister-in-law and brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Shaw, of Cleveland avenue.

Miss Catherine Graff, captain of the Riverton Troop, Girl Scouts of America, and Mrs. Horace Ross, captain of the Palmyra Troop, attended the Boy Scout Jamboree held at Camp Mahalala near Wrightstown Tuesday evening.

Thomas R. Carter and family, of Mercedes, Texas, spent Thursday of last week with his sister, Mrs. George W. Long, of Cinnaminson avenue.

Mrs. William Opfel of Spring Garden street, returned home Sunday after enjoying ten days in Atlantic City.

L. A. Weikman, of Garfield avenue, has purchased the property on Thomas avenue, Riverton, formerly owned by Dr. Collin.

The many friends of Mrs. A. Wisham, of Horace avenue, will be glad to know she is improving, although she is still confined to her room.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Speakman, of Horace avenue, are enjoying a brief sojourn in Ocean City.

Mrs. George W. Long, Mrs. Mary Alloway, Mrs. "Pete" Hemingway, Mrs. Anna Cook and Mildred and Jane Cook spent Wednesday of last week in Ocean City.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Torbett and son Shelby, of Morgan avenue, visited Taunton Lakes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Gailbreth of Ardmore, spent Sunday with friends in Palmyra.

Mrs. John T. Mercer, of Orchard avenue, who underwent an operation in the Memorial Hospital, Roxborough, Monday, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Edward Reitz, of Morgan avenue, was a visitor in Taunton Lakes Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Lamon and family, of Cleveland avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Parsons and family, of Garfield avenue, enjoyed the week-end in Saylorsburg, Pa. While there, they motored to the Delaware Water Gap and Stroudsburg.

Hon. Torbett returned to his home in Richmond, Va., on Tuesday, after spending a week with his son, B. S. Torbett, of Morgan avenue.

Mrs. Eva Braddock, of Medford, is enjoying a stay with Mrs. A. B. Powell, of West Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Rhoads and family, of Delaware avenue, were Taunton Lakes visitors Sunday afternoon.

Miss Sadie Hunsenbaugh, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. W. Carroll, of West Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Strebble, of Scranton, enjoyed the week-end with friends in Palmyra.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brannin, of Medford, were the guests of Mrs. A. B. Powell, of West Broad street, Monday evening.

Bernard Schwartz, of Sag Harbor, L. I., formerly of Palmyra, visited friends in town Tuesday.

Jacob Crouse, of the Panama Canal Zone, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. James Loughery, of Garfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Visage, of Trenton, spent Sunday afternoon with friends in Palmyra.

Mr. Elvin I. Powell and son Donald, of Memorial avenue, are spending a few weeks in Ocean City.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Fromuth, of Morgan avenue, and Mrs. Stewart and son Nelson, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday in Taunton.

Herbert Langdon, of Newton, Pa., visited friends here Friday evening of last week.

Among those from Palmyra attending the Governor's Day exercises at Sea Girt today are: Mayor and Mrs. George N. Wimer, Mrs. Mary King, Mrs. Alice Kilpatrick, Mrs. D. M. Waas, Mrs. Elias Toy, Mrs. A. C. Gibberson, Miss Florence Saar, Walter L. Lamon, Charles K. Mervine, William A. Donaghy and William T. J. Purnell.

The Misses Sara E. Garron, Anna Randall, Dorothy Dimon, Phyllis Noble and Helen Fromuth were weekend visitors in Taunton Lakes.

The Misses Sara Garron and Anna Randall, both of Palmyra, left Tuesday evening for Seaside, where they will remain until Sunday evening.

Mayor George N. Wimer attended the State Freeholders' meeting in Holmdel on Monday.

Mrs. O. H. Symonds, of the Panama Canal Zone, formerly of Palmyra, was the guest of honor at a Dutch supper and bridge given by Miss Esther Dean on the lawn of her Morgan avenue home Saturday evening. The guests were the teachers of the Primary Department of the Central Baptist Sunday School, with whom Mrs. Symonds was associated when in Palmyra.

Mrs. Bertha Shay and daughter, Ella Mae, of Philadelphia, enjoyed Sunday with relatives in Palmyra.

Horace Walker, of Philadelphia, was the guest of relatives in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Griscom, of Horace avenue, were visitors in Taunton Lakes Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hammet, of Lawndale, Pa., who formerly conducted the Palmyra Bakery, was in town Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alexine Tomes, of Moorestown, who conducts dancing classes at Palmyra, Moorestown and Delanco, has just returned from New York where she took an intensive four weeks' course for dance teachers at the Savoy Plaza Hotel under Ted Shawn, Florence Rogge, ballet mistress at the Roxy Theatre, and Bill Robinson, famous tap dancer.

MOORESTOWN

John Atkinson, of South Washington avenue, left on Sunday to join his older brother, Frank, at Rodney Scout camp, on the Chesapeake Bay, Maryland, where he expects to remain several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester L. Reagan, and daughters of West Central avenue, left on Friday on a motor trip to Logansport, Ind., to visit Mrs. Reagan's parents. They expect to remain three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kennard, of East Central avenue, are leaving on Friday to spend a few days in Schenectady, N. Y.

Township Clerk Charles Laessle returned Sunday after having spent a week in Ocean City with Mrs. Laessle and daughter, Ruth, who are enjoying a month's vacation.

Arthur G. Raymond, of East Second street, left on Monday for a week's stay at the Burlington County Boy Scout Camp Mahalala, near Wrightstown.

Miss Helen Rauser, Miss Grace Jones and John Jones, of Medford, and Theodore Sauselein, of Moorestown, recently motored to Delaware Water Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Robinson, of Pompton Lakes, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, on June 22, at the Paterson Hospital. Mrs. Robinson will be remembered as Marion Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Graham, of East Central avenue.

Mrs. Louis J. Appelton, of East Maple avenue, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry G. Robinson, of Pompton Lakes, N. J.

Miss Eleanor Armstrong, of East Central avenue, has just returned from a two weeks' visit to her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Gauntt, of Ocean City.

James Davis, of Shafer-Davis Motor Company, left Monday for Detroit, Michigan, to be the guest of Chrysler Motor Company until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Matlack, of Philadelphia, visited Mr. Matlack's mother, Mrs. Charles A. Matlack, of East Second street, on Sunday.

Miss Eleanor Lynch, of Haines Mills road, has succeeded Mrs. Sarah Hayes as bookkeeper at McChesney's Hardware Store.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Darnell, of Prospect avenue, are enjoying a stay in Atlantic City, where they are registered at the Chalfonte-Haddon Hall.

Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Thorne, of Chester avenue, left on Tuesday of last week for a month at Cape May.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cashore have moved from South Church street to the A. W. Deacon property, on East Second street.

Announcements have been received in Moorestown of the marriage of Miss Anna Margaret Dennison, of Edgewater Park, and Clayton Brick Wills, of Marlton, which took place at their home on Cooper avenue, Marlton, Friday, July 3, at 9 o'clock, with the Rev. William V. Tomlinson, of Marlton, officiating. Miss Dennison was a member of the teaching staff of Moorestown Public School for several years.

Fred F. Smith, of North Church street, was in New York City on business on Wednesday of last week. He was accompanied by Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher, and daughter, Miss Gladys Pettit, of East Third street, spent Sunday in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dukes returned to their home on West Third street on Sunday from Lewis, Delaware, where they were visiting Mrs. Dukes' mother, Mrs. John Marshall, for the past ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Grube, and children of Orange, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Grube, of West Central avenue, at their cottage in Ocean City for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brymt, and daughter, of Stokes Terrace, motored to Barnegat for the week-end.

Robert Morley, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Frederick B. Morley, of East Second street, is spending the week at the Boy Scout Camp Mahalala, near Wrightstown.

Mrs. M. Albert Linton, and children, are returning on Friday from a three weeks' stay at their camp in New York.

Helen and Ruth Wonderland, Anna Wurst and Ray Juliana, of Moorestown, spent a very enjoyable day at Riverview Beach on Friday. They made the trip by boat.

LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

FIRST LUTHERAN

(Rev. Harold L. Creager)

As previously announced, evening services have been discontinued for the rest of July and throughout August.

The morning service next Sunday will deal with the very foundation of all true Christianity — the words of Jesus Christ, who said, "Ye must be born again." The individual, the church, the whole world—all need the new power of Divine life; without it all permanent hopes of joy and worthy success are vain.

The call to worship is also a call to drink at the fountain of life. Let's get hold of fundamentals.

Baptist

Rev. George Lockett, B. D., Pastor

10:00 a. m., Bible School. 11:15, the Rev. C. R. Hench will occupy the pulpit, in the absence of the pastor, who will preach the 25th anniversary sermon at the New Bereon Baptist Church, 59th and Pine streets, Philadelphia, where he was pastor for fourteen years prior to coming to Palmyra.

In the evening at 7:45 o'clock, the pastor will preach on the subject, "In Tune With God."

Last Tuesday the Deacons and Pastor visited Joseph Pike at Ocean City, where they spent a very pleasant day.

Special singing at our church services have been greatly enjoyed by the congregation.

The Junior and Intermediate departments held their picnic at Knights Park last Saturday. A very enjoyable time was had.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"LIFE" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 19, 1931.

The Golden Text is: "As the Father hath life in himself; so hath he given to the Son to have life in himself" (John 5:26).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent" (John 17:3).

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. 'This is life eternal, that they might know Thee, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom Thou hast sent'" (p. 410).

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH
Riverton
Rev. Arthur S. Lewis

Holy Communion 7:30 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon 11:00 a. m.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00 p. m.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Creager, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:15 a. m. "A Hero For Christ."
7:00 p. m. Luther League.
8:00 p. m. "Will the Idols Fall?"

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Sunday services, 11 a. m.
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Church School, 10 a. m.
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Epworth M. E. Church
Rev. Ira S. Pimm, Minister

10:00 a. m.—Church School and Wesleyan Class.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
6:45 p. m. Epworth League.
7:45 p. m. Church Service.
Wednesday 8:00 p. m. The Helpful Hour.
Wednesday 4:00 p. m. Junior Epworth League.



MILDEWS IN THE GARDEN

By R. P. WHITE,
(N. J. Agr'l. Experiment Station)

Mildews on ornamental plants, easily recognized by the grayish-white, powdery coatings they produce, often retard growth, cause a malformation of foliage, and result in the production of misshapen and stunted blooms. Fungi cause this mildewing of plants.

The most common mildews are those occurring on roses, particularly the ramblers, phlox, dahlias, delphiniums, lilacs, columbines, golden glows, hydrangeas, zinnias, and the lupines.

Since mildew fungi pass the winter in old infected plant refuse that has remained either in or near the garden, the complete removal of this refuse is essential to the prevention of mildews. Furthermore, thorough weeding also is necessary, because several of the more common mildews infect weeds as well as ornamentals. It is on weeds that a number of the mildews get their first start in the spring.

Dusting sulfurs can be used effectively in controlling all of the powdery mildews. Even, light, and weekly applications of these dusting sulfurs, which may be obtained from garden supply houses, seedmen, and drug stores, are all that is needed. It is not necessary to dust so heavily that the plants take on an unsightly appearance.

GLADIOLUS THRIVE DESPITE HEAT

By W. RAYMOND STONE,
(N. J. Agr'l. Extension Service)

The gladiolus reigns supreme during the heat of summer, when few other garden plants are in bloom. It not only presents a charming picture with its wide range of colors when allowed to reach full bloom in the garden, but it also provides the very best of summer cut flowers. When properly cut and handled, the spikes of most gladiolus varieties will show bloom for a week during the hottest summer weather.

The best time to cut is early in the morning when the plants are wet with dew. Cut when the lowest floret on the spike begins to bloom. The cut should be made slantwise with a sharp knife. Do not pull the plant. Retain at least four or, better, five leaves on the plant. If possible, plunge the newly cut spikes in water to a depth just below the lowest floret, and keep them in a cool place. The following day they should be in fine condition for bouquets. In order to get maximum bloom, cut off an inch from the base of each spike daily and remove the wilted florets.

Experienced exhibitors state that it is better to cut spikes for the show two or three days previous to the time they are to be exhibited. These exhibitors usually cut for long spikes, since they do not plan to use the corms again.

For the time and money invested, the gladiolus is one of the most gratifying flowers the gardener can grow, especially if space is limited. Visit the shows and become better acquainted with this queen of the summer garden.

HUMUS FOR THE HOME GARDEN

By A. C. McLEAN,
(N. J. Agr'l. Extension Service)

The amateur gardener who finds it difficult to obtain enough humus making materials to use in fertilizing his garden should begin in July to start making a compost heap of weeds, plant trimmings, lawn grasses, and other available vegetable material. The only precaution he needs to take in making such a compost heap is to avoid including it in any diseased plant material or weeds that have gone to seed.

The making of composts is of special interest now because much has been written of late on the subject of artificial manure for the home garden. We already know that by adding certain fertilizers to a compost pile that is kept moist, the decay of composting material is hastened.

Investigations of various agricultural experiment stations have shown that from 40 to 50 pounds of a highly nitrogenous fertilizer, plus lime, should be added to about a ton of plant refuse. On this basis, the home gardener should use about 2 pounds of a fertilizing material, such as ammonium sulfate, to about 100 pounds of weeds, grass, and other available plant refuse. The addition of a nitrogenous fertilizer to the compost heap provides food for the bacteria that bring about the decomposition of plant material.

The gardener who follows these directions in hastening the decomposition of his compost pile will have artificial homemade manure available for fall or early use. The pile should be made in an out-of-the-way place but where water is easily accessible.

PUBLIC INTERESTED IN SLEEVE-VALVE ENGINE

The public in general is disclosing an increased interest in the sleeve-valve type of engine such as is employed in these Willys-Overland products, according to Willys-Overland officials. Many times the question is asked in what way the Willys-Knight sleeve-valve engine differs from the poppet valve type, such as is employed in other motor cars. Engineers point out that the fundamental principle of all internal combustion or gasoline engines is the same. Gasoline and air, properly mixed in the carburetor in vapor form, are taken into the cylinder where the vaper is compressed to make it highly explosive, igniting at the proper point of compression, the resulting explosive energy operating the mechanism.



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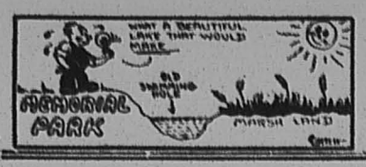
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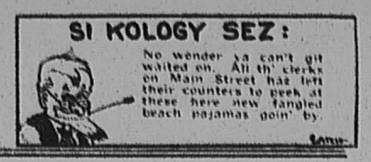
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OWEN MERRILL ON WINNING YAWL

52-Foot "Dorade" Victor in Sea Race; Time 17 Days and 14 Minutes

Owen Merrill, well known Riverton man and prominent among yachtsmen, in the capacity of assistant navigator, sailed triumphantly into Plymouth harbor, England, Tuesday at 6:14 p. m., aboard the "Dorade," winner of the trans-Atlantic yacht classic.

As previously published, young Merrill, a member of the crew of the 52 foot yawl "Dorade" cleared Newport, R. I., on July 4th in competition with nine other small sailing craft, with Plymouth, England their goal.

The "Dorade" completed the course of 2790 nautical miles in 17 days and 14 minutes, which time upset the "dope" of experts who had estimated 21 days for the fastest ship.

The "Dorade" elected to use the more hazardous but shorter northern course. After rounding Cape Cod she sailed straight for a point opposite the southern coast of Nova Scotia, thence to the southeastern extremity of Newfoundland, approximately 53 degrees latitude and 46 degrees longitude, changing her course from that point to one due east, embracing longitude 50 for the remainder of the race.

This course is, even at this season of the year, a dangerous one, by reason of the fact that many fast ocean going steamers use this route, and there is the ever present menace of icebergs, especially around Newfoundland. Gales are not uncommon along this route, and sometimes assume such proportion as to give a light ship such as the "Dorade" considerable trouble.

However, these intrepid sailors faced the known danger of the course, and with the breaks of the weather in their favor emerged successful.

While the "Dorade" has reached Plymouth first, she must give time to two smaller crafts, the "Mattenes" and the "Amberjack." Reports from liners about these boats, however, indicate that they are approximately 900 miles behind the "Dorade" and will use more than their time handicap to complete the race.

With the exception of her skipper, Vice Commodore Stephens, designer and owner of the "Dorade," the crew is made up of young men. The crew of the "Dorade" is the youngest of all ten entrants.

Owner Stephens reported that the "Dorade" had encountered some fog on the trip but not serious; at one time a stiff wind but not enough to warrant a reef in the sails, and at the finish of the race in the English Channel they were almost becalmed but managed to navigate into Plymouth harbor.

The "Dorade" carried extra sail and plenty of food and supplies which made the quarters rather cramped but worked no real hardship for the boys. Hot meals were served three times a day.

It is expected that the "Dorade" will participate in the Fastnet race while in England, and another victory will possibly result to thrill local sportsmen and friends of Owen Merrill, Riverton's deep water sailor.

ACQUIT PALMYRA MAN OF DRUNKEN DRIVING

Verdict Rendered Last Week After Testimony of Doctor Clears Driver

A charge of drunken driving lodged against Fred Jentsch, 33 years old, of 2 Cuthbert Road, Palmyra, was dismissed by Police Judge Pancoast, of Camden, at a hearing conducted last Friday.

Jentsch was arrested June 22, after the car which he was driving had collided with another near the State street bridge over the Cooper River. The arrest was made by a Camden patrolman after a short chase through Camden streets. After his arrest, the drunken driving charge was lodged against him.

Dr. W. J. Browning, of Merchantville, who examined the driver, testified the examination disclosed the man had been drinking but not to such an extent as to be under the influence of liquor. He was judged capable of operating an automobile.

Ethan P. Westcott, representing Jentsch, moved for a dismissal of the case, stating that the law declares a person must be under the influence of liquor to be guilty of drunken driving.

MISS SHEA TAKEN ILL; WEDDING POSTPONED

Moorestown Girl Stricken on Boat Enroute to Cristobal, in Panama

Miss Bertha E. Shea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shea, of Moorestown, was taken violently ill aboard the S. S. Cristobal, on which she sailed June 23, enroute to Cristobal, Panama, Central America, and removed to the Samaritan Hospital, Colon, Panama, immediately after her arrival.

Her illness necessitated the postponement of her marriage to Paul Grosch, of Cristobal, which was to have taken place on July 1, when the ship arrived.

Miss Shea was operated on July 6, and recent reports are that she is gradually recuperating.

DEEP SEA SAILOR



OWEN MERRILL
Assistant navigator on victorious "Derade" in Atlantic race.

HORSE SHOW, FETE PROCEEDS $3500

Cinnaminson Home Benefit Was Average Financial Success Treasurer Reports

The complete report of the financial success of the Cinnaminson Home horse show and fete, according to the treasurer, Mrs. Ward D. Kerlin, shows that the total proceed amounted to $3500, an average return for the affair. While the receipts were less than in 1930, expenses were also not so high, and the result was practically the same.

To all loyal supporters who contributed in any way to the success of this annual event, the members of the board of managers of the home for convalescent women are sincerely grateful, says a statement just received.

"The women who meet each month to manage the home find the budget a persistent problem," the report continues. "There are from sixteen to twenty guests and four executives for whom three good meals a day are required.

"In these days of low prices, there are reports of great food waste, of farmer sunwilling to harvest their crops because the return does not equal the cost. The home will appreciate any donations of food of any kind and in any amount.

"The matron has facilities for canning the surplus, so that whatever anyone is interested enough to give will be well utilized and gratefully acknowledged."

CIRCUS AT PARK NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

The Original and Only Event of Its Kind Ever Staged in Riverton—All Free!

Further details of the gigantic circus to be held at Memorial Park on Monday next at 7:00 p. m., have been released. There will be a total of 12 separate acts, with approximately 75 boys and girls participating. Programs will be distributed to every home in Riverton on Saturday. Those in charge of the affair are looking forward to a large attendance. There will be no admission charge of any kind.

Ella Bussell won the girls' tennis championship during the past week by defeating Betty Downs by scores of 6-2, 6-2. The winner's strong backhand more than overcame her opponent's advantage on the forehand.

A large number of local boys and girls have passed their beginners' test for the American Red Cross badge. A full list of names will be published next week.

The official attendance for the week was 1450.

N. Y. KIDDIES ENJOY PICNIC

Spend Day on Shaded Lawns of Westfield Friends' Meeting House. Day Ends in Swim

Fourteen little boys and girls from New York City, visiting in Riverton for two weeks, were entertained by Mrs. Joseph L. Thomas last week at a picnic on the grounds of the Westfield Friends' Meeting House.

It was a gala day for the little ones. Games and other amusements were enjoyed to the fullest. Luncheon (ice cream and everything) was served by the hostess and a number of friends.

The crowning event of the day was a trip to McVaugh's swimming pool, where, clad in bathing suits, they had the time of their lives. Miss Ann McVaugh added to their pleasure by giving them rides across the pool on her back.

To little ones whose lives are not cast in pleasant and comfortable surroundings, sometimes fraught with discomfort and hardships, the two weeks spent in Riverton must have been an experience long to be remembered.

MOUNT TO TEACH AT WESTFIELD

Friends' School Will Use YM Secretary as Physical Director

Wilton E. Mount, secretary of the Palmyra-Riverton Y. M. C. A., will be associated with the Westfield Friends' School in the direction of physical exercise and playground activities. This innovation, in line with present-day development of outdoor phases of education, has been announced by the school management in its prospectus for the forthcoming year.

Several years ago, Miss Naomi Bausman, principal, put into effect a plan of systematized playground direction. Exceptional advantages in the school's wide-spreading lawns and fine old shade trees in the open country fitted in with the idea. Miss Elizabeth Smith, experienced in outdoor instruction at a Philadelphia school, was placed in charge and the plan met with enthusiastic response from the pupils and their parents.

The addition of Mr. Mount to the school staff on a part-time basis will broaden the scope of this department of physical exercise. He will co-operate with Miss Smith in the supervision of calisthenics and setting-up exercises for the children of all six grades, and will give special attention to mass games for the older boys and girls. Soccer, baseball, football, volleyball, dodgeball and other competitive sports will be regularly on the program.

Mr. Mount's long experience with boys in Y. M. C. A. work and in directing the playground activities of both boys and girls at schools in Mercer county, together with the youthful enthusiasm he puts into his work, led to this move by the Westfield trustees. He will continue undiminished the "Y" duties which recently brought him to Palmyra and Riverton, devoting three afternoons each week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, to the Westfield school.

Two other changes in the school staff will be found on the opening day, September 15. Miss Esther M. Michener, a former teacher at Buckingham Friends' School and at present taking a special course at the University of Pennsylvania summer school, has been appointed to succeed Miss Miriam Diehl in charge of the third and fourth classes. Miss Diehl, whose services have been so valuable to Westfield, has resigned and given up teaching to accept a business position.

Miss Frances C. Bennett, formerly in charge of the kindergarten, who has been pursuing a special course at the Lucy Wheelock kindergarten school in Boston the past year, will resume her duties at Westfield. She comes back with flattering endorsement by the Boston school, which ranks her as a kindergartner of unusual ability.

The Westfield Friends' School, founded over a century and a quarter ago, is conducted as an elementary school, with kindergarten and six grades. It prepares for junior high school work in other schools which, according to the modern system of education, starts with the seventh grade.

With its restricted number of pupils, opportunity for individual attention, both in the classroom and in physical exercise, is afforded to an unusual degree, beginning with the kindergarten and carrying straight through to the completion of the sixth grade. The teaching staff has established a name for itself among the Friends' Schools of the Philadelphia district in thus strengthening both the bodies and minds of those in its charge, and by studying their particular needs, preparing them to cope more successfully with advanced work in the higher schools.

MARLTON DRIVER IS INJURED IN SUNDAY AUTOMOBILE CRASH

John Grassi, 18, of Berlin road, Marlton, suffered a possible fractured skull Sunday when an automobile he was driving collided with another car driven by Clarence J. Brooks, 3206 McKee avenue, Philadelphia.

After the collision the Grassi machine swerved into a pole at the side of the road. The accident occurred at Haddon avenue and Cooper street, Westmont.

Grassi and a passenger, William Lavallo, 19, of 1010 South Third street, Camden, who suffered cuts, were taken to the West Jersey Homeopathic Hospital, Camden, by Haddon township police. No arrests were made.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tucker, of Woodbury Heights, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Blanche Madeline, on July 11. Mr. Tucker is well known here, having lived with his parents on Main street, for many years.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor, Jr., of Taylor's Lane, on July 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Barr announce the birth of a daughter at Mrs. Rieger's Maternity Home on July 20.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. James O'Brien, of Wenonah, at Mrs. Rieger's Maternity Home, Riverton, on July 16. The boy is named James Thomas, Jr.

Part-Time Teacher



WILTON E. MOUNT
Palmyra-Riverton Y. M. C. A. Secretary who will be associated with the Westfield Friends' School in the direction of physical exercise and playground activities for the forthcoming year.

TROOPERS GET $50,000 IN RUM

State Police Become Suspicious of Speedboat's Trips Ashore

Suspicions of the maneuvers of a small speed boat that plied between a schooner anchored off Roebling island, near Fieldsboro, in the Delaware river, and a mysterious landing point, the state police raided the larger vessel late Monday night and seized a cargo of Bacardi rum valued at $50,000.

Sergeant Harry F. Cox and Trooper John P. Speed, of the Columbus state police barracks, spied the schooner, a Chesapeake Bay oyster boat, the "Bernadine Williams" of Maryland, late Monday afternoon. From a hidden spy point they watched a fast launch make several trips to the bay ship, moor itself on the offshore side and then speed away toward Bordentown.

Monday night Sergeant Cox and Trooper Speed commandeered a motorboat from a crew of U. S. Engineers at work on dredging the river near Fieldsboro. Pressing William Milburn and Norman Lynch, two of the engineers, into emergency service, the policemen changed out to the schooner and climbed aboard without difficulty.

Two men found aboard the rum ship surrendered without argument. They gave their names as Robert Pod, 42, of the Christopher Hotel, New York City, and Charles Paleso, 40, of 322 Market streets, Philadelphia. Although they were committed to the Burlington county jail at Mount Holly, under those names, police said the names and addresses were probably false.

Cox and Speed looked into the hold of the ship they seized and found one-gallon wickerwork demijohns of rum stacked high. The hold was only half full, however. It is thought that a quantity of the liquor was successfully unloaded before Monday night. Police said there were about 2,000 demijohns left aboard.

RIVERTON VISITOR IN EARTHQUAKE

Lewis Robb, Guest of Recorder Bowers, First to Arrive With Aid

Lewis Robb, of Honduras, who is the guest of Borough Recorder Cecil A. Bowers for several days, paid a visit to the editor Wednesday morning.

Mr. Robb is employed as a commercial pilot by the United Fruit Company in Central America and has a very good opportunity to take many aerial pictures.

During the recent earthquake, Mr. Robb took pictures showing the devastation which destroyed the city of Managua, Nicaragua, taking a great toll in human life. Mr. Robb's plane was the first to reach the city with first-aid supplies.

An interesting note brought to the editor's attention was the method of transportation. If one desires to travel inland 150 miles or so in a hurry he goes by plane in about an hour and a half, but if he has a great deal of time he takes the old fashioned ox-cart and spends two days making the trip. The natives feel themselves very progressive if they are able to obtain old automobile tires and tack them around the wheels of their ox-carts.

Mr. Robb will return to Honduras in about two weeks.

FLORENCE MAN HELD ON ASSAULT CHARGE

Alex Biharry, of Florence, is at liberty under $150 bail as the result of his arraignment last week before Florence Township Police Recorder Frank S. Absalom, when he was charged with assault and battery on Michael Ales, also of Florence. Biharry was arrested by Patrolman William Kimble, of Florence, on the complaint of Ales, who alleged Biharry struck him during an altercation.

EDITORIAL

Now, All Together!

The Riverton Board of Education is to be complimented on its decision to go right on with its work toward improved school facilities in Riverton.

The plan of appointing a committee of citizens to confer with the board in working out a new plan will meet with general approval, and will doubtless result in a plan which will be acceptable to the voters.

The citizens of Riverton await with much interest the announcement of the personnel of the citizens' committee, and the result of the joint efforts of this committee and the Board of Education.

PETTY CASES ON RIVERTON DOCKET

Mischievous Boys at Memorial Park Get Warning From Chief of Police

Peter Zack, of 3354 Salmon street, Philadelphia, was arrested by Officer Gootee Monday for being drunk and disorderly. No fine was imposed, and the prisoner released.

Carol Morton, colored, East Riverton, was arrested by Officers Gootee and Robinson on a complaint of Peter Brown. Brown charged Morton with entering his house with a skeleton key and taking $4.00. At a hearing before Police Recorder Cecil A. Bowers, Morton was released on one year's probation.

Gerald Hatch was arrested by Officer Robinson on Main street, Riverton, last Friday for reckless driving. At a hearing before Recorder Bowers Hatch was fined $5.00 and costs.

Chief of Police Miller has had complaints of young men and boys creating a disturbance at Memorial Park and otherwise acting in an unbecoming manner. Names of these boys have been taken and Chief Miller warns that any future trouble in this connection will be dealt with as prescribed by law.

SCOUTS TRAIN FOR OFFICERS

Non-Commissioned Candidates Going to Summer School; Hunn at at Mahalala

The Riverton Boy Scouts have abandoned regular Scout meetings for the summer in accordance with the regular custom of the troop. A number of the members of the troop are now at Camp Mahalala doing real scouting. Eagle Scout Ted Hunn is a Junior Counsellor at this camp and will be on duty all summer.

During the summer months, in lieu of regular scout meetings, a training school for non-commissioned officers is being held every Tuesday evening. Attendance at this school is entirely voluntary. From twelve to fourteen boys have been present at each session.

At the school such subjects are taken up as Leadership, Giving and Carrying out of Commands and Orders, and the technical details of scouting. The course will last all summer. All future promotions to the grades of Assistant Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader and Junior Assistant Scoutmaster will be made from graduates of the training school.

Regular meetings of the troop will be resumed early in September. The officers are preparing now the programs for the fall season. With an enlarged troop and with the facilities provided by the new headquarters in the Parish House, the programs will be of intense interest to boys.

The troop wishes to broadcast the fact that some member of the audience at the troop benefit performance of "Happy" left an umbrella, and this umbrella can be obtained by the owner upon application to the scoutmaster, Alexander B. Garwood.

Ernest Watts

Ernest Watts, 60, Burlington city solicitor for the past 30 years, died in Trenton at the home of his brother, Dr. Wilbur Watts, Jr. He had been ill for the past two years.

Watts is the son of Dr. Wilbur Watts, who was the first principal of Burlington schools. The Wilbur Watts High School, Burlington, was named in honor of the elder Dr. Watts.

Watts went to his brother's home several weeks ago when his illness became worse. He conducted a law practice in Burlington and made his home there on High street.

Besides his brother, Watts is survived by a sister, Miss Agnes Watts, of Burlington.

BETHROTHED

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Welsh, of Riverton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Isobel Lyall Welsh and Mr. James Develin Stockwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Stockwell, of Moorestown.

PARRY YOUTH IS VICTIM OF CRASH

William F. Kennard, Jr., Dies From Injuries Received in Auto Collision

Funeral services will be held tomorrow for William F. Kennard, Jr., of Parry, the victim of an auto crash in Delair Monday night.

Kennard, who was 17 years old, was a passenger in a machine driven by Harry F. Bauer, 19 years old, of Burlington Pike, Parry. Bauer escaped with a cut on the leg, while his companion suffered a fractured skull and internal injuries.

The machine in which the youths were riding was going toward Camden on the River Road near Veide avenue, Delair, when Bauer was forced to drive onto the trolley tracks to allow a car, driven by a woman, to pass.

When he tried to bring his machine back to the roadway, Bauer said the car skidded, then swerved into a tree and overturned.

Both passengers were rushed to the West Jersey Homeopathic Hospital where Kennard died at 9:10 o'clock, about one hour after admission.

Bauer was released in his own recognizance but was re-arrested by Pensauken township police on a manslaughter charge. The police had planned to hold him in bail but he was later released, again in his own recognizance, after William F. Kennard, the father of the dead youth insisted that he be released. Kennard offered to post bond for Bauer if it were necessary.

Services for the dead youth will be held at two o'clock tomorrow at the Shover Funeral Home, Palmyra, with interment being made in Morgan Cemetery. Friends may view the body tonight at the funeral parlor.

PALMYRA AUTO HIT BY DRUNKEN DRIVER

Springside Motorist Sent to Jail When Unable to Pay Heavy Fine

Joseph Mathews, of Springside, near Burlington, was arrested by State Troopers Sunday night after he had driven his automobile into a machine operated by Milton Kern, 816 Lincoln avenue, Palmyra.

The arrest was made by Corporal Jarvis Wood and Trooper Francis Caisse, of the Delanco barracks, on the American Legion Highway at the scene of the accident which occurred near Mathews' home.

At an examination conducted by Dr. John J. Conroy, Burlington police physician, Mathews was pronounced drunk. When the motorist was unable to pay the fine of $200 and $21 costs levied by Recorder Leedom Smith, he was committed to the Burlington County Jail for a 60-day period.

HEN PLUS OIL STOVE BURNS CHECKS, MONEY

A guinea hen and an oil stove were responsible for destruction by fire last week of the frame dwelling of James J. Smith, of Cox's Corner. Mrs. Smith and her daughter, Sarah, 16, lighted the stove and went into the garden. While there the hen escaped and required a half an hour to capture. Returning the women found the rear of the house ablaze. Smoke prevented their reaching the telephone and they were forced to seek the phone of a neighbor some distance away. By the time fire companies from Masonville and Marlton arrived, the fire was beyond control. Checks and bonds and $100 in cash belonging to Michael Renville, a hired man, were destroyed with the furniture.

NURSE SERIOUSLY HURT AS AUTO IS WRECKED

A Florence nurse was seriously injured last Friday when a large sedan was demolished as it turned over three times after failing to round a sharp curve on the Pemberton-Wrightstown road. Miss Ruth Hoffner, a nurse at the Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly, suffered a dislocated and fractured right shoulder and was painfully cut and bruised about the body. Roy Nichols, of Long Beach, Calif., who was with Miss Hoffner on the rear seat, received contusions about the head.

MORASS SWALLOW FARM

Cork.—The entire farm and house of Dennis Segrue, near Rockchapel, has been engulfed by a moving bog that threatens several other homesteads.

WILL APPOINT COMMITTEE OF 15

Riverton Board of Education Will Confer With Citizens on School Plans

The Riverton Board of Education met last Thursday night to officially hear and consider the result of the special election held on the 14th on the proposition to erect a new school building at a cost of $300,000.

The minutes of the election were read by the district clerk, showing that 92 ballots had been cast for the proposition, and 571 against.

Mrs. C. F. Mayfield, president of the board, thought it would be well to defer further action until fall, at which time, she said, the board should present another plan to be considered jointly with a committee of citizens. She thought that probably they would go along on a new building plan, costing about $260,000.

Barclay Moves for Action

Richard D. Barclay differed with Mrs. Mayfield, both as to time and method. He urged that action be taken at once, and that the plan be worked out by the board and the committee of citizens. He thought that a public mass meeting where the whole situation could be discussed might help to crystalize public opinion.

Mrs. Mayfield maintained that the Board of Education was elected by the people to conduct school affairs, and the board, being in a better position to know the needs of the school, should make recommendations as to what should be done.

Mrs. Blair agreed with Mrs. Mayfield in principle, but thought that since a committee of citizens might expedite the work, it would be better to pursue a policy that would produce results than to stick to one that would get nowhere.

Steedle Approves of Committee

George D. Steedle made a strong plea for a large committee of citizens, representing every phase of thought in the borough, as a means of working out a plan that would be acceptable to the voters when submitted at another election.

Fred P. Hemphill, district clerk, attributed the large adverse vote to the alleged fact that there had been a lot of door bell pulling done, and people told that the school board was going to spend $300,000, and that it would increase the tax rate a dollar or more.

Hemphill Opposer to Committee

He said that the Borough Council could spend all the money it wanted to and ask nobody. Mr. Hemphill was utterly opposed to consultation with a committee of citizens and announced that if such a committee is appointed he will not sit in the joint meetings.

Mrs. Mayfield said that since the park had been purchased on the recommendation of a committee of citizens, there seemed to be an impression in some quarters that that was the proper way to make public improvements.

Mr. Steedle offered a motion that a committee of fifteen citizens be appointed by the board to consider more adequate school facilities in conjunction with the board. It was the thought that together, a concrete plan could be worked out by fall and submitted to the voters at the regular annual school meeting.

When the vote was called Mrs. Blair, Mr. Mattis, Mr. Steedle and Mr. Barclay voted in the affirmative. Mr. Hemphill voted no, explaining he thought his position was such that he could give his own advice.

Heating Plant in Bad Shape

Mr. Steedle, chairman of the property committee, reported that he had examined the heater, and that it was in such bad shape as to require repairing or replacing before school opens in the fall. He recommended that the heating plant be examined by a heating engineer at once, and plans for putting it in good condition submitted, so that the work could be started immediately. He said the concern which installed the system had reported not more than two months ago that it was in first-class condition. He did not approve of having it examined again by the same people who could find nothing the matter with it so recently.

However, Mr. Barclay's motion that the American Heating and Ventilating Company be asked for an examination and report, was seconded by Mrs. Blair and passed.

Bills for $30 for postage and $95.51 for printing and advertising for the election were ordered paid.

ROTARY INVITED TO BROWNS MILLS

Dr. Mills to Entertain Club in the Pines Next Week; Discuss New School

The last meeting of the Palmyra-Riverton Rotary Club was held without particular incident.

Dr. C. S. Mills very generously invited the club to hold its next or July 23rd meeting at his cottage, Brown's Mills in the pines.

Many Rotarians with appetites sharpened by the fresh pine air will be fed by Mrs. Sharpless in her own inimitable style.

After the dinner last week, the members held a forum of community events with the new school situation providing the principal topic for discussion.

ENGINEER SEES 'ZEP' BASE SITE MEETING TESTS

Just as Desirable as Others for Construction Purposes, Say Sevaslian

TO COMPLETE SURVEYS WITHIN NEXT 2 WEEKS

No Decision for 3 Months, Maps of Tracts Must Be Studied

"What are Moorestown's chances of getting the Zeppelin Terminal?"

This is the question that is asked persons who have any information at all on the subject at least a dozen times a day.

It can't be answered today and probably won't be answered for nearly three months. This was revealed Monday by H. A. Sivaslian, chief construction engineer for the Goodyear-Zeppelin Corporation, who has for the past two weeks been surveying the 1200-acre tract on Union Mill Road, between Mount Laurel Road and Church street, Mount Laurel Township, just south of Moorestown.

Mr. Sivaslian said he expects to complete his tests within the next two and a half weeks, providing rainy weather does not hamper his progress.

Instead of going to Baltimore from Moorestown, as it was previously reported he would, Mr. Sivaslian plans to go direct to the Goodyear plant at Arkon, Ohio, where an analysis of the surveys made at Richmond, will be made. This work, involving much detail, will take at least two months after the surveys have been completed, the engineer declared.

Not Going To Baltimore

The Richmond and Washington sites were surveyed before Mr. Sivaslian and his staff of engineers arrived in Moorestown. It was said that the fourth tract, that offered by Baltimore, would be studied last. Just why the Intertional Zeppelin Transport Corporation officials, for whom the tests are being made, have ordered the engineers to proceed direct to Arkon instead of going to Baltimore, no one knows. Mr. Sivaslian says that he understands that the city of Baltimore has had surveys made, and it is concluded that these are considered adequate to supply the desired information.

When asked what he considered Moorestown's chances are of getting the American base of the proposed trans Atlantic Zeppelin line, Mr. Sivaslian gave the usual answer, "No one knows." He did, however, add, "You know I have been busy making maps of the tract. No calculations have been made, but as far as I can see, I would say the Moorestown site is just as desirable as the other two we have visited. Of course, all of the sites being studied had to be much better than average to be given consideration."

Building Test Platforms

S. L. Maines & Sons, Moorestown builders, have been engaged to build test load platforms, said Mr. Sivaslian, and were to start early this week. The platforms are to be built to carry twenty four tons and three and-a-half tons. These, he explained, will show the ground's resistance to loads.

The engineer pointed out that his work is entirely different to the materological studies that have been carried on at all of the tracts for months. "We are only looking at the site fro ma construction standpoint," he said. "We are giving special attention to grading requirements for drainage, which is very important, and geological formations that might affect plans for the foundation of a hugh airship dock." Borings are now being made.

While he has had a force of eleven men at work for nearly two weeks, Mr Sivaslian's "crew" has now been reduced to seven, five of which are engineers regularly employed by the Goodyear company.

The chief engineer is exceptionally well pleased with the progress he has made thus far, "especially in the face of the 'warm' reception you have given us," he smilingly added. He has found working in the field during the past two weeks a rather torrid task.

PENSAUKEN POLICE CHIEF IS SUSPENDED

"Conduct Unbecoming An Officer." Charge of Township Committee: Accused Awaits Trial

Chief of Police Joseph G. Clark, 54, of Pennsauken township, has been indefinitely suspended pending trial on charges of conduct unbecoming an officer.

No date has been set for the trial. Chief Clark was suspended Monday night at a conference of the Pennsauken Township Committee.

The action of the township officials, it was revealed Tuesday, is the forerunner of a movement to "clean up certain existing conditions" in Pennsauken township.

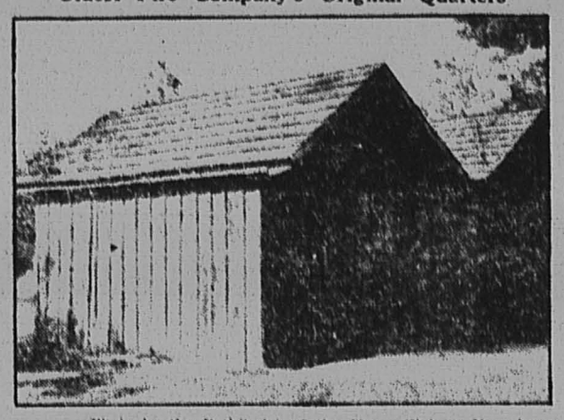
Robert P. Widnall, of 532 Tinsman avenue, chairman of the township committee and of the police commission which will try Chief Clark, admitted that the "certain existing conditions" have been under investigation for some time.

Clark entered the Pennsauken township police department as a patrolman in 1924. In September, 1927, he was named captain of police, and three months later became chief, succeeding Harry Wheeler.

AEROPLANE FLIGHT AT 70

Paris.—Miss Kate Stevens, an English teacher, celebrated her 70th birthday by flying here from London to do some shopping.

Oldest Fire Company's Original Quarters



—Photo by the Pathfinder of the Motor Club of New Jersey

Original quarters of Relief Volunteer Fire Company No. 1 in Mount Holly, which now stands in the center of a graveyard and is used as a tool shed. The company is the oldest volunteer company in the United States and was founded in 1752. This month is the one hundred and seventy-ninth anniversary of the Mount Holly Fire Department.

Bullfrog, the Beastly Old Cannibal Swallowed Alligator, According to Yarn Told by Freeholder C. R. Stout

Friends of Freeholder Charles R. Stout are urging him to send in to Bert Ripley for his "Believe It or Not" column, the story which he told a circle of friends recently. The yarn follows:

At the Stout home in Florence township, there is an aquarium on the front veranda. In it there were gold and silver fish, tadpoles and an alligator about a foot in length. This family got along very well together. The alligator, sent to the genial head of the family, soon became a great pet, coming to the surface when called and accepting friendly attentions, like scratching its head, all in good part.

Then in an evil moment Mr. Stout's young son bethought him of a monster bull frog that had its headquarters in a spring on the farm. Here would be an addition to the aquarium population that would pep things up.

Accordingly Master Stout sallied forth, caught the giant bullfrog in an unguarded moment and brought him, violently protesting to the house. Arriving there, the bullfrog when given the chance, made a mighty leap into the aquarium and sought the bottom where he remained until his late captor and others left the scene.

Some hours afterward the elder Stout came out on the porch and sauntered over to the aquarium to see how the old occupants and the new arrival were getting along. There was the bullfrog blinking at him, his body submerged. The fish were there, too, though moving about nervously; but the alligator, oh where was he? Looking more closely, Mr. Stout discovered something that resembled the missing alligator's tail protruding from the mouth of the bullfrog.

Quickly seizing this and giving a sharp jerk, he brought out the unfortunate alligator, dead, and his remains rather badly mangled. The frog protested in gutteral tones against this rough treatment but seemed none the worse for having swallowed an alligator whole and then disgorged it.

Without loss of time and before the frog had a chance to fill up on the fish, the newcomer was returned to his former haunts by Mr. Stout's son and if you doubt the story you may visit the Stout home, be shown the habitat of the frog, maybe the old cannibal himself and the two new gators which Mr Stout has just purchased to take the place of the one which met such a tragic death.

And, maybe the frog will croak his confirmation of the story—and thereby save Charley Stout's reputation for truthfulness.

200 ATTEND CAMP MAHALALA EVENT

County Boy Scout Center is Scene of Mid-Summer Jamboree

More than 200 persons from all parts of Burlington county attended the first annual mid-summer jamboree held at Camp Mahalala Tuesday night of last week. Weather conditions held back the majority of the crowd, but according to the Scout office it was quite a success. It is planned to make it an annual affair.

The program for the frolic consisted of a dinner served in the mess hall, entertainment, exhibitions and a camp fire. The camp fire was held in the mess hall because of the storm.

The feature of the program was the presentation ceremonies during which Frederick Hyatt, of Troop 2, Moorestown, presented a plaque to H. M. Wall, president of the county Boy Scout Association. The plaque commemorates the donation of a cabin at the camp. The cabin was purchased by money raised by Troop 2, Moorestown, by collecting and selling newspapers during 1930.

Stunts by different cabin members were given. An Indian dance featured under the leadership of George Ott, of Troop 2, Palmyra. Ott explained each of the other dances given.

Don Nicoll, director of the camp, had charge of the program. Visitors were shown around the camp by campers. One of the exhibits was a Totem Pole made by the boys.

The next big event scheduled at Mahalala is a recall camp fire, Friday, July 31.

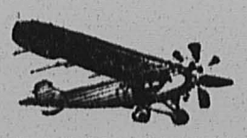
He Had Learned — About Women

From a Yonkers, N. Y. garage comes a story that if true—well, it's interesting whether true or not. It seems that one of the garage workers had been winning a lot of spare change from his fellow mechanics on a standing bet that upon arrival at work in the morning he could point out the cars which had been parked in the garage during the night by women. In each case he always was correct.

One day his fellow workers tried to cross him by rearranging the cars after they had been parked, but, he still was able to point out the cars which feminine drivers had brought in.

Finally his method was learned. He merely walked up to a car and looked at the rear-view mirror.

If it was trained so that a clear view of the rear window could be obtained he knew it had been parked by a man. If the mirror was turned so that it would show the face of the driver, that was evidence enough that a feminine hand had been on the wheel.



PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER

Founder, Burlington County Aero Club

On Saturday, Miss Steel Pier, a high winged monoplane of decidedly unconventional design built by the Mercury Aircraft Company, started Central Airport for Atlantic City. On account of fog the pilot lost his way and landed at the Moorestown Airport. Sunday morning the ship continued on its way to the shore.

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Monday saw the start of twenty-four hour mail service between New York and Los Angeles. You can now mail a letter in time to get it aboard the ship leaving Central Airport at 11.20 p. m. and the letter will arrive in Los Angeles at 8.30 the following evening. By adding a special delivery stamp the letter will be delivered in the West Coast city in less than twenty-four hours after you mail it. That is certainly real mail service.

Joe Tatem, of Haddonfield and the Burlington County Aero Club, is having his Waco "F" equipped with pontoons. Joe has a lodge in Maine and will use his ship in flying from Boston to his front door in the Maine woods this summer. Leaving Camden on the Burlington Line, Joe will transfer to Colonial Air Transport at Newark, the latter service flying him to Boston, when he will pick up his own ship.

We welcome to membership in the Burlington County Aero Club, John J. Keegan, of 108 Roselyn street, Philadelphia. We are mighty glad to have you with us John J., and here's hoping you have many, many, Happy Landings.

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The Aeronautics Branch of the Department of Commerce has just issued an approved type certificate for the two place Pitcairn Autogiro. This ship is powered by a Kinner 125 h.p. engine and sells for $6500. We understand that quite a few of these ships have been ordered and now that the A.T.C. has been received, deliveries will start immediately.

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When you saw the Navy dirigible pass over this section late Tuesday afternoon did you realize that it was the first time a woman ever made a trip in the Los Angeles? The Queen of Siam was the guest of honor and she enjoyed the trip immensely.

FIVE PERSONS BITTEN BY BURLINGTON DOGS

Dog owners have been warned by Mrs. Kathryn Shedaker, health officer, of Burlington, to keep their pets confined to their own premises or have the animals muzzled. According to Mrs. Shedaker five persons in that city have been bitten by dogs during the past month.

ROBERTS SPEAKS AT CAMP SERVICE

Henry F. Stockwell, of Moorestown, Other Burlington Co. Chapel Leader

Benjamin J. Roberts, group leader and county Y.M.C.A. board member from Marlton, was the speaker at the Camp Ockanickon out-door chapel service, Sunday morning. Each county of the four which operate the camp provides two speakers during the summer. Burlington county's other speaker was the camp president, Henry F. Stockwell, of Moorestown, who addressed the campers the first Sunday of the 1931 season.

Henry F. Stockwell and son, Ford, of Moorestown, and Secretary and Mrs. Guy C. Hendry, of Mount Holly, were guests of Senator and Mrs. A. Crozer Reeves, of Lawrenceville, on Saturday afternoon, at a summer Y.M.C.A. party. The senator is the president of the Mercer County Y.M.C.A. Speakers at this affair were Urban Williams, of Newark, now executive secretary of the state Y.M.C.A., who succeeded Charles A. Coburn, upon his retirement July 1, and Leigh E. Cobb, executive secretary of Monmouth county. About 200 were in attendance.

Walter Lippincott, of Moorestown, has been chosen the official delegate from the Y's Men's Club of that place to attend the forthcoming International Convention of Y's Men at Cleveland, August 3-7. This convention is being held in conjunction with the International convention of Young Men's Christian Associations of Canada and the United States, and the World Conference, the first ever to be held on this continent.

There is a possibility that John W. Thacher of Edgewater Park, and Secretary Hendry may attend the World Conference and the International Convention, August 4-9.

Twenty members of the County Y.M.C.A. Orchestra played a concert for the inmates of the County Almshouse on the lawn, July 17. They have been invited to return again in September.

This coming Friday night summer campers of Ewansville, of which the Camp Lingohicken is a part, who are organized as the Rancocas Campers' Association, will entertain the County Y.M.C.A. Orchestra, who, in turn, will give a concert.

THREE SPEAKEASIES RAIDED BY TROOPERS

Three speakeasies in the vicinity of Medford were, at least temporarily, put out of business when state troopers and local police descended upon them over the weekend. Alleged liquor was confiscated at each place visited and the proprietors were taken into custody.

The first raid was at the Red Lion Hotel, Red Lion, where a quantity of liquor was seized, and Albert Graham, the proprietor, arrested.

At a roadside store in Medford township, police seized several cases of "home brew" and arrested Rocco Gregorio, proprietor. The third place visited was the farmhouse of Malani Di Lucci, near Fostertown, where several quarts of wine and a case of home brew were found.

All three proprietors were taken before Supreme Court Commissioner Howard G. Stackhouse, at Mount Holly and held in $500 bail for the grand jury.

Those participating in the raids were State Troopers John P. Speed, Joseph Rinaldi, and Frank Acker, of the Columbus barracks, and Chief of Medford Township Police George Schadle.

50 TIPSY MOTORISTS LOSE N. J. LICENSES

Three Drivers From Southern Part of State Penalized in Hoffman Order

Three South Jersey residents were among the 50 motorists whose licenses were revoked because of drunken driving by Motor Vehicle Commissioner Harold G. Hoffman, last week. Three others from this end of the state lost their licenses for being involved in fatal accidents.

The three penalized for drunken driving were W. Wayman McPherson, 813 Merrick avenue, Collingswood, fined $200 on June 24 by Recorder Herbert R. Schooley at Collingswood; Earl Comstock, Beachwood avenue, Maple Shade, sentenced to 60 days in jail by Recorder Joseph C. Kingdon of Mount Holly on July 4 and Edwin S. Beecher, 55 Fairview street, Riverside, fined $200 on June 6, by Justice of the Peace Lester Merrill, Riverside.

Hundreds of Bath, Maine, Residents Witness Event as Caroline Fitler Christens Beautiful Johnson Yacht

Eldridge Reeves Johnson's magnificent new private yacht, Caroline II, was launched from the shipyards of the Bath Iron Works, Bathe, Maine, Saturday, before members of the prominent Moorestonian's family and hundreds of the townspeople.

Caroline Fitler, six years old, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, of Moorestown, christened the new vessel, which will be ready for service in October.

The launching party left last week aboard the old "Caroline." Members included Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward K. MacEwan and Mrs. Nathan M. Fitler, Jr., of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Eldridge J. MacEwan of Moorestown.

Caroline II is 279 feet in length, and is of the clipper stem design with a beam of 38 feet, a draft of 155 feet and a load water line length of 235 feet.

She carries a 1500 horsepower Cooper-Bessemer Diesel Engine operating on twin screws to develop a crusing speed of 16 miles per hour.

The gyroscope, included in her auxiliary equipment, has a total weight of 105,000 pounds and will neutralize the vessel's roll within a few degrees of vertical.

The Caroline II will accomodate a crew of 40 and has rooms for two maids and two valets and seven guest staterooms. A private elevator runs from the owner's quarters through the midship section to the observatory on the upper deck.

SENIOR COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

Miss Winifred Weldman Gives Authoritative Information on Russian Situation

A very delightful meeting of the county Council of Senior Clubs of the Y. W. C. A. was held at the home of Mrs. Henry Albertson, Greenhill Farm, Burlington, last week.

The spacious lawn formed the setting for the picnic supper and the out-of-door meeting which followed.

Miss Winifred Wildman, of the Friends Service Committee of Philadelphia, talked to the council members. Miss Wildman has this last year been studying at Pendle Hill, where she devoted her time to the study of Russia and the Russian situation. She was, therefore, able to give first hand and authoritative information on Russia. Miss Wildman had also been sent by the Friends Service Committee to Marion, North Carolina, at the time of the textile strike there and she told her audience of her experiences there.

A report was made stating that the County Council would hold a week end party at Camp Darkwaters on September 13 and 14.

This was the final meeting of the Council until Autumn.

Three Burlington County girls, with an advisor, expect to attend a high school Girl Reserve conference at Kiskiminetas Springs, Saltsburg, Pa., from August 17 to 24. Phyllis Kemble, of Delanco, Sylvia Williams, of Riverton, and Myrelda Cliver, of Columbus, are planning to make the trip in the Y. W. C. A. car, thus enjoying Pennsylvania scenery, as well as having a week of conference led by National Y. W. C. A. secretaries.

CATHOLICS CONDUCT CHURCH DEDICATION AT MEDFORD LAKES

Dedicatory ceremonies at St. Mary of the lakes, the newly completed Catholic Church at Medford Lakes, took place Sunday afternoon. Visiting dignitaries from all sections of the state attended.

Exercises were under the direction of the Rev. Father A. H. McCue, of Mount Holly, newly appointed priest of the parish. He was assisted by the Rev. John J. Foley, who was in charge of the parish last year.

The dedication was performed by the Right Rev. Mons. Maurice Spillane, vicar general of the Trenton diocese, while the sermon was delivered by the Rev. Father Thomas J. Whelan, rector of Holy Name R. C. Church, Fifth and Vine streets, Camden, who was largely instrumental in the establishment of the church.

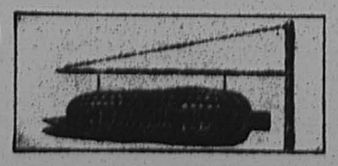
The new edifice is located at the entrance to Medford Lakes, at Mohawk Trail and Stokes road. It is of log cabin design with the rustic idea carried out both in structure and furnishings.

SCOUTING OF 'SKEETERS' FROM SPEED AIRPLANE

Airplane "scouting" to locate bodies of water in which mosquitoes may be breeding is expected to aid materially in reducing the number of mosquitoes that emerge from the 220,000 acres of salt marshes in New Jersey to plague residents of shore resorts and inland cities. This belief was expressed at New Brunswick Wednesday by Frank W. Miller, associate entomologist of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station, in announcing that an airplane "scouting" service would be started by the state's mosquito fighters on or about August 1.

HOMESTEAD MARKET

at Taylor Lane



Fresh Cut

SUGAR CORN

Williams Red and Transparent Apples

Blackberries Huckleberries

Greensboro Peaches

Young Beets Carrots Squash

8.30 A. M. — 6.30 P. M.

H. G. TAYLOR, JR.

Maple Shade's Town Fathers a Friendly Lot

A torrid meeting of Chester township committee was held at Maple Shade last week, with committeemen inviting each other outside "to settle maters once and for all."

The meeting ended with Charles Collins, chairman and Ernest Wolff, member, daring each other to finish their quarrel with fists.

The main argument seemed to be that Chairman Collins is, according to Committeeman John Polje, unwilling to take his colleagues into his confidence on committee matters.

The fireworks were touched off when Ellis H. Humphries, a former member of the township committee, asked about an ordinance requiring the resurfacing of Fellowship road.

It has been reported in Maple Shade that a contract for the work has been awarded, although it is necessary to publish proposed improvement ordinances and hold a public meeting of property owners affected.

Although nothing more than rumors had been heard before, Humphries openly charged that property owners in this case were not consulted, although they will have to go to some expense for sewers, drainage plans and other matters.

A motion for adjournment answered Humphries but it hardly had been made when Wolff and Collins opened their heated alteration. Each demanded that the other leave. "Come on outside and let's finish this right," was the cry. Neither of the men left the building, however.

Polje charged that Collins wants to run the whole committee and control the township all by himself.

Frank Hartman

Frank Hartman, 54 years old, died at his home on Garfield avenue, Lenola, on Monday morning, following a lengthy illness. He was suffering from paralysis and had been confined to his bed for several years.

Funeral services will be held from his late residence on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with the Rev. Edgar L. Sanford, rector of the Trinity Episcopal Church, Moorestown, officiating. Interment will be made in Colestown Cemetery.

Mr. Hartman is survived by his wife and one son, Walter.

TWO MEN IN AUTO HURT IN CRASH WITH TRUCK

Endeavoring to avoid striking another automobile on the Camden highway, near Rancocas Heights, two men were injured when their car crashed into large chain store truck. William Fitchett, 29, of 2808 Mitchell street, Camden, owner and driver of the car, was cut above the left eye. The wound was stitched at the Burlington County Hospital in Mount Holly. Randolph Scott, 37, of 2814 Senden street, Camden, who was riding with Fitchett on the front seat, was injured about the right eye.

DRUNKEN DRIVER TO APPEAL CASE

Phila. Youth Released From Jail Pending Hearing in County Court

Stanley Czepanski, 20 years old, 2556 Edgemont street, Philadelphia, who was sent to the county jail at Mount Holly Sunday night after being convicted of drunken driving at a hearing before Recorder Joseph W. Johnston in Moorestown Town Hall, was released Monday under $500 bond as he plans to appeal his case.

Czepanski, who was arrested on Lenola road by Officer Bruce MacDonald after his machine narrowly escaped running down a group of youngsters, was sent to jail for thirty days when he was unable to pay the fine of $221.50 imposed by Recorder Johnston.

Friends of the Philadelphia youth engaged former Judge Frank F. Neutze, of Camden, as his attorney, and the alleged drunken driver was released pending hearing of his appeal case in the county court.

Three companions of Czepanski, all of whom were in his auto at the time of his arrest, were fined $10 and costs apiece on drunk and disorderly charges. All are residents of Philadelphia. They gave their names and addresses as Frank Herman, 3256 Hope street; John Bassik, 2655 Salmon street, and Charles Herrin, 2504 Edgemont street.

Four motor laws violators, all of whom were fined $5.00 and costs at hearings before Recorder Johnston, were arrested Sunday by Officer Walter A. Erricksen, acting chief of police while Chief Bradshaw is away on his vacation. The traffic violators were:

W. E. Ryan, 3803 Huey avenue, Drexel Hill, Pa., speeding; Mary Petrosky, South Lenola road, passing red light; Renwick S. Melver, Ardmore, Pa., speeding and Clara S. Briggs, Searsdale, N. Y., passing red light.

Along with the voices of great statesmen and other personages of importance, songs of the remnant of the Seminole Indian tribe of Florida will be preserved for posterity by means of phonograph records. Recently Miss Frances Densmore of the Bureau of American Ethnology induced members of the tribe, under the leadership of Charlie Billie, to sing for record several of their ancient ceremonial songs at their village near Miami.

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NEW POST OFFICE FOUND UNSAFE BY BORO INSPECTORS

Palmyra Council Told of Defects in Report of Building Committee

REPEATED WARNINGS FAIL TO BRING REPAIRS

Lincoln Avenue Residents Register Complaints on Paving Assessments

Certain irregularities in the erection of the new Palmyra Post Office Building were made public at the regular monthly meeting of Borough Council held Tuesday night.

Defects in the building work are of such nature that the building could be condemned for use, should the building committee wish to assume an unpleasant attitude in the matter.

Building Inspector John A. Eichner refused to approve the building when it was opened for business last month, notifying John S. Warner, owner of the building, that certain beams in the cellar of the building were not adequately supported. The main cause for the lack of approval by the inspectors is the lack of a supporting plate of sufficient size for basement beams.

The rafters in question, four of them and all of a two-inch width, are supported by a series of heavy iron pipes which have been filled with concrete to insure greater security. The pipes, however, are not wide enough to allow the eight inches of beam to rest on them and the eight-inch steel plates which are supposed to fit on the top of the pipes are missing. Six inch plates are now supporting the four beams, but leave a two-inch space unsupported.

Two Reasons

The second reason for lack of approval by the inspectors is also a matter of neglect. Heavy bolts which should be driven through the four beams in question in order to give them greater strength have also been left out.

Repeated warnings by Mr. Eichner have failed to bring anything but a promise to have the necessary repairs made. When personal warnings proved fruitless, Mr. Eichner made an appeal to the Borough Council to take some action in the matter.

Section three of the building code gives the building inspector power to order any portion or portions of buildings that may be insecure, to be properly secured, and in case of failure on the part of the owner to have such insecure part made stronger, he shall have power to secure the same, or to condemn the property. Cost for such work shall be collected from the owner in manner prescribed by law.

Warnings Fruitless

Repeated but ineffectual efforts to have the Post Office building strengthened necessitated the Council putting the case in the hands of the Borough Solicitor.

At the same time, Joseph S. Low, the solicitor, was told to take action to secure the proper building fee for the Post Office building. At the time of the issuance of the permit the estimated cost of the building job was thought to be about $2,600 and the permit was issued for that amount.

The permit was given for a building which was to be of two stories, the first of which was to be brick. When the building was occupied, the brick work had extended to the second floor, and the cost of the building was estimated by Mr. Eichner to be in excess of $6,000. No permit had been issued for the increased $3,400 cost.

Further work was given the solicitor when he was told to take legal action against the owner of the ferry boats formerly belonging to the Tacony-Palmyra Ferry Company. The suit will be to obtain delinquent taxes of several years ago.

A complaint from several residents of Lincoln avenue was brought before Council by Councilman Floyd W. Spahr, chairman of the streets committee.

Claim Overcharge

The citizens claim the amount assessed for the paving improvements has exceeded the estimated cost, and some have gone so far as to refuse to pay the difference. The stimated cost was $130 per 50-foot front while the tax assessment on a lot of that size has slightly exceeded $137. When a consultation with the Borough Engineers' representative still left the actual cause of the excess in assessment uncertain, the matter was deferred until a special meeting of Council on August 4.

Municipal accounts have been found in a satisfactory condition, William H. Welker, municipal accountant said. The Borough audit has been completed by Mr. Welker who complimented the borough officials on the way in which the accounts had been kept.

Two letters from companies who had conducted an inspection of the equipment at the sewerage disposal plant reported all the machinery in use to be in excellent condition.

Approve Consolidation

The Palmyra Council voiced its approval of the proposed merger of the Reading and Pennsylvania railroads by passing the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the prosperity and future development of South Jersey is dependent upon high speed rail transportation from Philadelphia to Camden and South Jersey, and

WHEREAS, the States of Pennsylvania and New Jersey are creating an agency for the development and improvement of our transportation facilities by broadening the powers of the Delaware River Bridge Commission.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Palmyra endorse the movement for the consolidation of the Pennsylvania and Reading Lines in South Jersey, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in the proposed consolidation of the Pennsylvania and Reading Lines in South Jersey must be protected by operated jointly by the Pennsylvania having the consolidated company and Reading Railroads, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be sent to Agnew T. Dice, President of the Reading Co.; Elisha Lee, Vice President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co.; and the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of New Jersey.

GEO. N. WIMER,
Mayor.

Reports from the Police and Building departments were received and filed as follows:

Building Report

Borough Councils,
Borough of Palmyra, N. J.
Gentlemen:

Building permits issued during the month of June, 1931, as follows:

H. B. Williams, Service Station, Spring Garden and State Highway, S. 41 Route, $3,000.00.

Miss Mackinney, N. W. Cor. 4th and Race St. Alterations, $100.00.

Palmyra B. & L. Assn. 432 Delaware Ave. Alterations, $100.00.

Burt L. Foster, 929 Cinnaminson Ave. Frame rabbit house, $100.00.

Edward Dubin, 740 Parry Ave. Alterations, $600.00; new tin roof, $175.00.

Chas. Mohrfeld, 908 Cinnaminson Ave. Heating system, $500.00.

Merschell Mason, 418 Horace Ave. 3 car garage, $600.00.

A. J. Peterson, N. W. Cor. 5th and Cinnaminson Ave. Garage, $320.00.

Michael Dilipso, 313 W. 5th St. One car garage, $250.00.

Burmuda Lamb, 324 Horace Ave. Asbestos roof, $200.00.

Mildred F. Reynolds, 27 W. Charles St. Ruberoid roof, $100.00.

Total, $6,045.00.

Amount fees collected, $15.50. Check attached.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN A. EICHNER, Jr.,
Building Inspector.

Police Report

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

The following is the monthly report of the department of police from June 15th to July 20th, 1931.

June 15, Frank Dougherty, Philadelphia. Drunk and disorderly. Fined $20.00. Paid to Borough.

June 16, Albert Roch, Philadelphia. Drunk. reprimanded. Discharged.

June 20, Eugene R. Shedaker, Burlington. Passing stop sign. Discharged.

June 21, Michael Maunder, Philadelphia. Drunk. Reprimanded. Discharged.

June 27, George Mulhollen, Philadelphia. Reckless driving. Fined $35.00. Paid to county.

July 6, Guss Scheerbaum, Philadelphia. Drunken driving. Sentenced to thirty days in county jail.

July 6, George Gamble, Philadelphia. Drunk. Fined $5.00. Paid to Borough.

July 7, Homer O. Lichtenweiler, Philadelphia. Drunke ndriving. Fined $200.00. Paid to county.

July 8, Germaro Pannuzio, Camden. Reckless driving. Fined $5.00. Paid to county.

July 8, Harry Barker, Palmyra. Non-support. Released after paying arrears.

Police answered 38 calls and complaints.

Police accommodated 26 night lodgers.

Police answered 24 ambulance calls. There were nine accidents, none of them serious.

Police answered two fire calls. No loss.

There were 12 cats and dogs gassed.

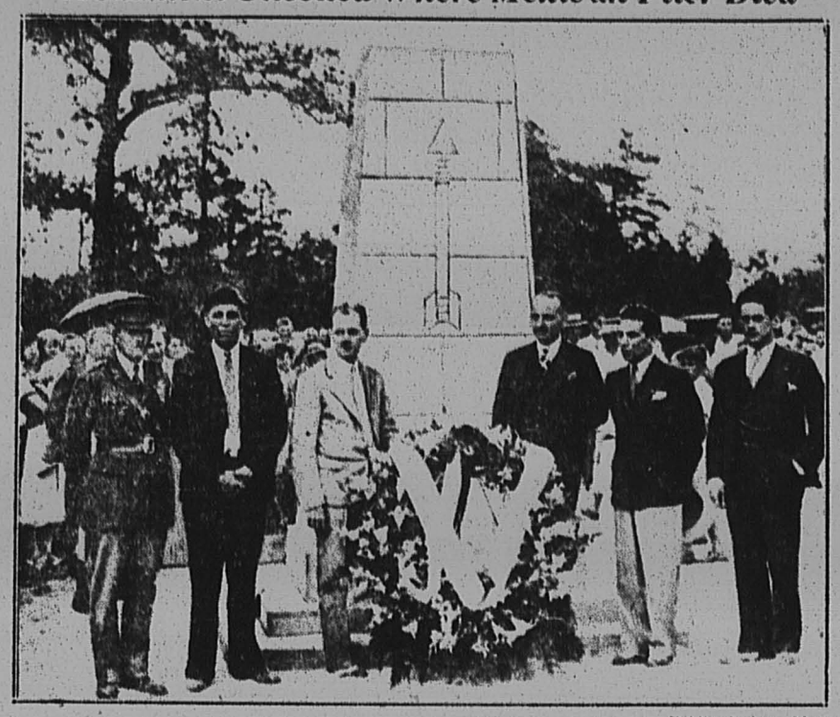
Respectfully submitted,
C. MORRIS BECK,
Chief of Police.

Social Accomplishments

Being so wealthy that you can employ a hitch-hiker to walk in your sleep for you.

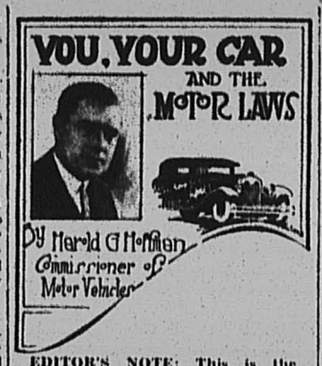
Governor Gifford Pinchot, of Pennsylvania, has disposed of his schooner, Mary Pinchot, a racing craft, to Harry Bissell, a Californian.

Monument Unveiled Where Mexican Flier Died



Public Ledger Photo

This handsome monument, erected at Sandy Ridge, near Chatsworth, in memory of the Mexican ace, Captain Emilio Carranza, who was killed July 12, 1928, while en route home from a good-will flight to the United States, was dedicated Sunday. Grouped in front of the shaft are: Captain Harold R. Powell of the New Jersey National Guard; Commander John A. Thornburg of Mount Holly Post, American Legion, Luis L. Duplan, of the Mexican consular office, Philadelphia, Enrique de Ruiz, Mexican consul general, New York; Aberiardo N.Martinez, of the New York consular office, and Luis G. Abelyra, Mexican consul at Philadelphia.



EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fifty-sixth of a series of articles by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, written to familiarize motorists with the regulations which govern their conduct and increase their safety on the highways.

56. EXPERIENCED DRIVERS

The experienced motorist shows up badly in accident statistics. Nine out of every ten of the 32,500 persons killed in automobile accidents in the United States last year were the victims of drivers who had more than a year's experience behind the wheel, and 97 out of every 100 fatalities involved a driver over the age of 18, accident statistics disclose.

From reports of states, actuaries of the Travelers Insurance company have compiled data showing that persons with less than three months of driving experience were involved in only 2 per cent of the fatalities and not quite 2 per cent of the nonfatal accidents involving nearly 1,200,000 cars. Operators of cars with experience between three and six months figured in 1 per cent of the fatalities and 1 per cent of the nonfatal mishaps. Drivers with from six months to a year of experience were involved in approximately 2 per cent of the fatalities and also the non fatal accidents.

More than 29,000 of the deaths during the year, it is shown by the study, involved drivers of experience, while more than 1,000,000 cars in non-fatal accidents were operated by experienced drivers. Even in the states which require the licensing of operators, 2 per cent of the deaths involved drivers unable to show a license with 1 percent of the cars in non-fatal accidents also involving unlicensed drivers. Reports indicate that one out of every 50 cars involved in deaths was driven by a person not a resident of the state in which the accident occurred, while three out of every 200 cars in non-fatal accidents also involved non-resident drivers.

Ages of Crash Drivers

Drivers between the ages of 18 and 24 last year figured in more than 30 per cent of the accidents in which persons were killed and in about one-fourth of the mishaps resulting in injuries. Operators between the ages of 25 and 54 figured in nearly 60 per cent of the fatal accidents and in approximately seven out of every ten of the non-fatal mishaps. Drivers over the age of 55 were involved in more than 6 per cent of the fatal accidents and in 4 per cent of the mishaps producing injuries.

Records indicate that men were behind the wheel in 93 out of every 100 cars in accidents, with women being the drivers in the remaining seven. While these figures may or may not be indicative of the ratio of men drivers to women drivers, male drivers were behind the wheel in 94 per cent of the cars in fatal accidents and women in the remaining 6 per cent. Men operated 93 per cent of the cars in non-fatal accidents and women 7 per cent. Whether the better record of women drivers as to fatalities is due to better driving or not being behind the wheel for as many miles as men on the average, is not indicated by the records.

Approximately 77 percent of all the motor vehicles in accidents were cars of the private passenger type, though such cars represented 87 per cent of the total motor vehicle registration in the country. Private passenger cars last year were involved in more than 78 per cent of the fatal accidents and in 77 per cent of the non-fatal mishaps. The commercial car, excluding the taxi and omnibus comprised 11 per cent of all motor vehicles in accidents, and with its percentage of total registration less than 13 per cent it was involved in 15 per cent of the fatal mishaps and in 11 per cent of the non-fatal accidents.

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PALMYRA'S NEW PLAYGROUND IS GREAT SUCCESS

Forty-five Children Registered at New Center During First Two Days

THIRTY TAKE PART IN DAILY PROGRAM

Miss Helen Young is Assisting Clinton B. Gardner in Supervising Activities

The second summer playground for the Palmyra children will become a certainty, it was stated by Clinton B. Gardner, supervisor of the recreation centers, this week.

The second center, at the Spring Garden street school, was opened last week for a two day period, as an experimental procedure. The results of the trial opening were gratifying to both the instructor and children. For the two days, there were 45 children who were registered for attendance at the playground, with an average number of about 30 using the school yard each day.

The first playground, opened at the Delaware Avenue School almost three weeks ago, has an average attendance of about 35. The large number visiting the Spring Garden street playground has proved to the sponsors that the second effort to provide supervised recreation for the children has been successful. Accordingly, the playground on the south side of the railroad will be open three days each week.

The first three days of the week have been alloted to the Delaware Avenue School, while the Spring Garden Street playground will be open during the last three days each week. This program will be followed as long as the attendance at the amusement centers warrant the continued usage of the playgrounds.

The request of Clinton B. Gardner, that some additional help be volunteered by those interested in playground supervision, has been answered by Miss Helen Young, star hockey player and next year's basketball captain at Palmyra High School. Assisting Mr. Gardner at both playgrounds, Miss Young has already made herself popular with the children, who are enabled to receive more individual attention by the addition of more help.

The first inter-playground sports program was held last Friday when baseball teams from the Palmyra and Riverton playgrounds met in a baseball game at the Riverton park. The visitors were on the short end of a 29-11 score at the finish. Plans are being made for an exchange of games in quoits, volley ball and basketball within the next few weeks.

Jinx: Television will soon be here.
Blinx: Yes, just think what a nuisance it will be to have to shave before you answer the telephone.

Nut Ice Cream

Here is nut ice cream, suitable for a cooler summer day:

Beat togethes the yolks of seven eggs and a cup and a half of sugar. Add two cups of hot milk, and vanilla to flavor. Add a cup of cream and a cup of nutmeats chopped very fine. Freeze.



Kate: "Hello Mae, what do you think happened last night?"

Mae: "Oh, probably the man fell out of the moon."

Kate: "No, but when I sat down in my easy chair the bottom feel out. What shall I do? I can't afford a new chair and I like this one better than I would a new one."

Mae: "Have Mr. Bowen fix it for you. He saves a lot of furniture around these two towns by a 'stitch in time.'"

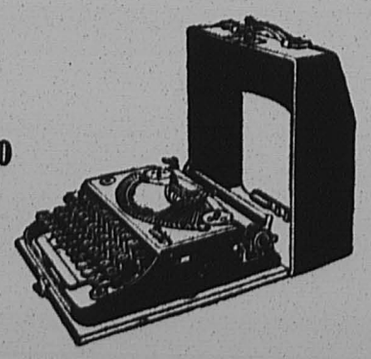
Kate: "Thanks a lot. I'll call him right away."

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THE COST OF ILLNESS

There is another thing that is as sure as death and taxes—sickness. The average American man is ill once a year; the average American woman nearly twice as often; the child of school age twice as often. These are figures taken from a study made by the Committee on the Costs of Medical Care, which is coming to the end of a five year study of the economic aspects of the prevention of disease and the care of the sick. These illnesses total about 130,000,000 ever year. Their direct cost in money is computed by the Committee at $3,105,000,000.

This is a huge cost, reckoned either in terms of time lost or of money expended. The cost would be huge even if we could foresee just when we will fall ill, just how serious the illness will be, or just how long it will last. None of those things, however, can be foreseen, and to all the other burdens that illness imposes upon us must be added uncertainty. Uncertainty exists not only as to appearance and character of illness, it is even more a factor with relation to cost. No problem enters into the daily lives of Americans that is more serious than this.

Medical facilities in the United States are adequate in the aggregate, perhaps. The committee has found that 1,500,000 people devote their full time to medical care. There is one physician to every 126 inhabitants. Over 7,000 hospitals have 900,000 beds, which would give every man, woman and child one and one-half days occupancy a year. But neither physicians nor hospitals are evenly distributed; there are places that have too many, and many more that have too few.

What can be done about seeing that everybody in the United States has sure and convenient access to the medical care to which he is entitled? What can be done about seeing that those who furnish this care are adequately rewarded for their labor? What can be done about seeing that the means of paying for this care are provided for all the people?

In the four years which it has already put in upon its task such progress has been made that answers to those questions will soon be submitted to the people of the United States. There is promise that the formula which will result will be workable. If it is, then one of the great contributions to civilization of our age will have been made.

THE WORLD AND US

It seems to us that a great deal of the talk about the danger of having any relations with Europe is political hooey intended to put the other fellow's party in a hole. There isn't any way that the United States can keep from having relations with Europe and all the rest of the world.

"No man liveth to himself alone" is as true between nations as it is between individuals. There was a time, when George Washington was alive, before steamships, telegraph, telephones and airplanes had been invented and when the United States was a weak, struggling little strip of settlements along the Atlantic Coast, when we had a right to be afraid of Europe. But it makes us mad to listen to some of the people today who profess to be afraid that if we, the richest and most powerful nation of the world, have any relations except those of trade with foreign countries, those countries will gobble us right up.

The surest way to keep out of a quarrel is to live on good terms with your neighbors. All the world is our neighbor today. When you have a good neighbor who is in temporary difficulties you try to help him—that is, if your yourself are a good neighbor. That is what the United States is proposing to do now in the case of our neighbors in Europe. We don't believe that that sort of thing constitutes the sort of "entangling alliance" of which Washington warned us.

BETTER BE SAFE THAN SORRY

The drowning season is now in full swing. From now until school begins again thousands of boys—girls, too, these days—will take unnecessary chances in the water and lose their lives in consequence. That has always been true, and it will always be true. Youth will always take chances, and never listen to advice.

Nevertheless, we offer some advice to those who would go swimming.

Don't stay in too long. Half an hour is enough at a stretch.

Don't go into the water immediately after a heavy meal.

Don't keep on swimming after you are tired.

Never go swimming alone.

Don't try to "find bottom".

Avoid water with strong currents.

Don't get into a canoe unless you can swim.

Most of the drowning accidents come from disregard of those simple precautions. If everybody would follow them there would be fewer young lives lost.

MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY
BY ERNEST CAMD JR

Long Taxi Ride

A Nyack woman—Nyack is just outside of the city—hired a taxi to take her to her mail order suitor, who lived in Walkertown, Ind., the other day. When she got to Indiana, she changed her mind and drove back in the same cab.

Mrs. Ida Wheaton, who is 55, had corresponded with the man in the case for years. She finally decided to go to him and shipped her furniture. Then she loaded the cat and canary in Frank Parlow's cab and traveled 889 miles in thirty hours.

She called it off when she found her intended husband was only 36 years old and sickly. It cost her exactly $400 for taxi fare, both ways.

The incident shows how used to taxicabs New Yorkers have become.

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Courtesy Cops

New York has had so many compliments paid it on her fine policemen that Commissioner Mulrooney decided the other day to go a step farther.

He selected eighty-four of the handsomest and best appearing policemen on the force and detailed them to Times Square and other busy corners where visitors are thickest, with instructions to consider themselves as a welcoming committee.

Mulrooney claims they form a finer body of men than the famous Coldstream Guards or Royal Horse Troop are to London. The shortest man on the new detail is only one inch short of six feet.

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H. R. H. Al Smith

The King of Siam was taken to the top of the Empire State building the other day by Al Smith, and shown what New York looks like to a bird. The two had an enjoyable visit and the King's eyes did not bother him in the least, scoring one more bull's-eye for American surgery.

A funny thing about the visit is that it has hung a new title on the man who came close to the Presidency. His intimates now refer to him as "His Royal Highness" the title used by royal heirs. That's what he gets for being boss of the world's tallest building!

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Flyers Got Works

Wiley Post and Harold Gatty got a full jolt of New York's welcome the other day when they ended their globe-circling trip. It was so strenuous that they insisted it was the most trying part of their whole trip. But they enjoyed every minute of it, particularly the noise. Post helping out in the din by hanging onto the whistle cord of the "Macom," the city's official boat, as it steamed down to the battery.

He gave up in disgust when the "Macon" passed the "Aquitania." The big liner let go with its own big whistle and it drowned out all other sounds for a minute. The two flyers made a big hit with everybody, except when it came to speeches. Neither one of them is an orator.

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Few Fireworks

New York is not a noisy city on the Fourth of July any more. Time used to be when the papers always carried a long list of dead and injured the day after the celebration but those times have passed. Now the youngsters have to get outside of the city limits to buy Chinese firecrackers and other noise-makers and then take a chance some cop isn't around when he sets them off.

It certainly is an improvement over the old days—except that we feel sorry for the gids who are stopped from celebrating. Everybody agrees, however, that a good rule was passed when the sale of fireworks was stopped. It cost too much suffering for the small amount of pleasure gained.



TODAY and TOMORROW

COURAGE

Some surprise has been expressed that young men wealthy enough to own seagoing yachts should have the courage to sail their own craft in the ocean race from Newport, R. I., to Plymouth, England, especially over the dangerous northern route. This surprise is voiced by newspapers and individuals who regard courage as an attribute solely of the so-called "working class."

That is a peculiarly American point of view. We have come to regard the man who does no useful work, but lives on inherited wealth, as a feminized sort of person, unfit to associate with "he-men".

The fact is that courage has nothing to do with wealth, occupation or social status. Brave men are to be found everywhere.

GOLD

The great gold reef in South Africa, known as The Rand, is still producing as prolifically as ever, according to a recent report of the company which operates this, the world's largest gold mine. Since gold was discovered in the valley which the Boers called "Witwatersrand," in 1886, more than five billion dollars of the precious metal has been taken out of this one group of mines. Two hundred thousand native workers and 22,000 whites are employed in the mines, which are now down 7,000 feet below the surface and show no sign of petering out.

So long as the world's trade is carried on with money which represents gold—and no other kind of money is of value in international ecommerce—there is need for a constant fresh supply of the metal.

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SERVICE

The suggestion that Atlee Pomerene, former United States Senator from Ohio, shall run for Congress in the Cleveland district where he lives, where there is a vacancy to be filled, brings up one difference between public life in this country and Europe. On the other side, when a man embarks on a career of public service he usually remains in it regardless of whether he keeps on climbing the ladder from one office to a higher one. If he loses his seat in the British Cabinet he is content to continue as an ordinary Member of Parliament. Thus at the present time there are two former Prime Ministers in the House of Commons, Lloyd George and Stanley Baldwin.

Two men who had been President of the United States served later in Congress, John Quincy Adams in the House of Representatives and Andrew Johnson in the Senate. Theodore Burton of Ohio, after being a Senator went back to the House, to be elected Senator again later. But the usual American custom is to retire from public life rather than take a "lower" office than the one last held.

HAPPINESS

Dr. C. E. K. Mees, research director of the Eastman Kodak Company, thinks people were happier as a rule when they had fewer modern improvements.

Of course, Dr. Mees is right. Happiness has nothing to do with money, possessions or comfort. Nobody can confer happiness; it must come from within one's self. These things which we lump under the general term of "improvements" merely give the individual more time in which to pursue happiness.

All of those things do not make happiness, however. The only source of happiness is in fitting one's self into the social scheme in such a way as neither to interfere with the lives of others nor to be interfered with by others, and to find something congenial with which to occupy one's leisure time. And that is, I am convinced, easier to do now than it ever was before.

Judge's Josh.

"I'm afraid Mr. Jones will not attend our party."

"Nonsense. His better self will triumph."

"She always does, doesn't she?"

Tourist: This seems to be a very dangerous precipice. It's a wonder they don't put up a warning sign.

Native: Yes, it is dangerous, but they kept a warning sign up for two years and no one fell over, so it was taken down.

"If you go first, dear, you'll wait for me on the other shore, won't you?" questioned the fond wife.

"I suppose so," returned her husband, with a sigh. "I never went anywhere yet without having to wait for you."

The Scrap Book

DAISIES

Over the shoulders and slopes of the dune
I saw the white daisies go down to the sea.
A host in the sunshine, an army in June,
The people God sends us to set our heart free.

The bobolinks rallied them up from the dell,
The orioles whistled them out of the wood,
And all of their saying was "Earth, it is well!"
And all of their dancing was "Life, thou art good!"

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Editorial Comment

Hard Times in Other Days

"Last week I was in the city of Cincinnati. Upon inquiry I found that the shops there were only running about 40 per cent of their capacity. I am advised that in the great iron and steel centers of Ohio the mills are running only about 50 per cent of their capacity. There is not an industrial center in the State of Ohio or in western Pennsylvania or in New York or Illinois that is not very seriously affected by non-employment. * * * I found that in the City of Toledo already there had been bread lines of 2000 a day; later I found in reading another newspaper that the morning the authorities had to feed 1200 men for breakfast and give them baskets of food to take home. I sent out a questionnaire * * * and words came back from nearly every one of these industrial centers that 40 per cent of the working men of the country are out of employment."

Sounds as if it might have been written last week or last month by some cynical critic of "Hoover prosperity," doesn't it? But it wasn't. It was written ten years ago in January, 1921, by Senator Atlee Pomerene, a distinguished Democrat and a close friend of Woodrow Wilson who was then President. It ought to be read by present day Democrats with a spirit of great humility, as a reminder that there were hard times and unemployment during a Democratic administration, even as now. And it ought to be read by all of us with the encouraging reflection that even as the country emerged from the morass of 1921, so it will come out from the depths of 1931 steadier, stronger and more prosperous.—Morristown Jerseyman.

The Cost of Living

Not many years ago you heard more talk about "the high cost of living" than you hear about the "depression" now, says the Murphysboro Independent.

The general complaint was that high wages were no good if they wouldn't buy anything. Those were the days when Vice President Marshall coined the epigram that "what the country needs is a good five cent cigar."

But today, living costs are back exactly where they were in 1918 and lower than they have been at any time since then. These are the figures of the National Industrial Conference Board. Living costs have fallen 5 per cent. in the last year, and are 12 per cent. less than they were in 1923. The biggest recessions have been made in food and clothing costs. Rents are also down materially. Food costs are 20 per cent. less than in the years 1927-8-9 and in some cases have been cut in half. One chain store reported a selected list of food products that sold for $30 last year which could be purchased now for $24.60.

Another way of looking at it, is to say that the dollar that was worth 100 cents in purchasing power in 1926 is worth 145 cents today and was worth only 60 cents in 1920, at the peak of the high living costs.

All of this may not mean much to the man without a job, but it does mean that if wages can be maintained American living standards will be immeasurably raised. The workman who is getting $40 a week today and was getting the same wage in 1926, is infinitely better off than he was. He is getting the equivalent of a $58 wage, or an increase of 45 per cent.

That is the best possible argument for maintaining wage scales if it can be done. If wage scales are maintained at present levels, it means much bigger purchasing power for those who are at work, and this in itself should help get the wheels of industry turning again.—Herrin, Ill., News.

CROSS REGILDED

Church Emblem at Freehold Had Attracted Much Attention

An object that a little more than a year ago attracted thousands of motorists from all parts of the state and even from distant states, the golden cross atop the St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church at Freehold, N. J., was taken down last week, regilded and returned to its lofty perch.

A year ago last May, while the body of the late Rt. Rev. Monsignor Frederick Kivelitz lay in state in the church it was discovered that the three points on the cross appeared as though illuminated at night.

Many of conjectures were made as to the cause and a steeplejack was employed to climb the spire at night to investigate. He reported that gold leaf off the cross caused the copper to shine. This theory was not accepted by many who later watched the cross night after night. Workmen who took the cross down last week said the gold leaf was off practically the entire structure, which stands six feet and six inches high with a cross beam measuring four feet and six inches.

WAY OF LIFE
BY BRUCE BARTON

TOO FAST

When I was a student in Amherst College, and my father was preaching in Chicago, I used to go home for Christmas on the Erie Railroad.

The trip consumed two nights and a day; but this was the golden age when some kind hearted railroads were allowed to present free passes to clergymen and their families.

Now the Erie makes fast time, and there are no passes; but the memory of those old slow trips is pleasant. My mother would pack a shoe-box full of sandwiches and hard boiled eggs and bananas, and I had a glorious time; never thinking that it was any hardship to travel slowly, but thanking my lucky stars that I was able to get home at all.

On one of the days preceeding last Christmas, so I am told, eight sections of America's swellest trains were required to leave New York to hurry the youngsters home from school.

It hurried them home for what? So that they could bestow a running kiss on their parents, shed their day clothes and change into evening clothes, and be off on a series of parties.

This is the world we live in. This is the tempo of modern life. Any of us old folks who decry it are merely dating themselves as belonging to a passing generation.

Yet, I personally feel a little sorry for these headlong youngsters. Somehow it seems to me that in travelling so fast they miss an awful lot.

I remember the Christmas when my father presented me my first watch—a big silver affair that he himself had carried for years. I was ten years old, and the gift amazed me. It had never occurred to me that I should ever own a watch until I was twenty-one.

I remember how my wife and I saved up patiently to buy our first car—a second hand Ford. I remember our first antique, which we loved for months before we could finally acquire it. And the joy of seeing a savings account grow slowly; and the thrill of building a library, one book at a time.

Now the kids smash up a dozen watches before they are six. And they start life with cars, and with furniture; and at twenty they have rushed through all the emotional experiences that lasted us leisurely through forty years.

Don't mistake me. I'm a booster for the new generation. They are healthy, direct, and fine. Only sometimes I wonder—

I wonder when, on my way home at night, I pass a big house in which lives one of New York's famous neurologists. It's an expensive house, paid for by nerves. Limousines are always stacked up in front of it.

It would seem almost as if the prize of life in America is to own a limousine and park it in front of a nerve specialist's door. Every one seems to be racing to get there.

JUDGE RIGG NOW A BANK MANAGER

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Managers of the Burlington Savings Institution held recently, Hon. Charles A. Rigg, of that city, judge of the Burlington County Court of Common Pleas, was elected a manager of the institution to fill the vacancy caused by the death of James H. Birch, Jr. The new manager, besides presiding over the county courts, is a well known lawyer and a member of one of Burlington's oldest families.

WOOLMAN HOUSE GETS OUTDOOR FIREPLACE

The historic Woolman Tea House, on Branch street, Mount Holly, has been the recipient of an unusual and useful gift, an outdoor fireplace, which will be used for campfire parties. This has just been erected in the lower garden of the property by Arthur J. Atkinson. The materials were donated by Thomas Shinn and George Lippincott. This is an attractive piece of work. One night a week will be set aside for campfire parties.

Financial Note

Hush money usually talks the loudest.

PALMYRA NOTES

The Rev. and Mrs. George J. McCormack and son, George, left Friday for Liverpool, England, where they will visit Mrs. McCormack's father. They expect to be gone about six weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Whiteside and daughter, Lillian, and Robert Rhoads, of Delaware avenue, spent Thursday of last week in Atlantic City.

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Mrs. Richard Hunter and son, Richard, are enjoying a week in Ocean City.

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The Misses Sara Garron and Anna Randall returned home Saturday from Seaside Heights, where they enjoyed a brief sojourn.

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Little Charles Smith, of Bristol, Pa., is spending some time with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, of Delaware avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Schwering, of East Broad street, spent Sunday in Ocean City visiting relatives.

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Miss Helen Mansfield is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Clarence Mansfield, at her summer home in Huntingdon Valley, Pa.

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Miss Virginia Zavotti, of Morgan avenue, is among a group of Palmyra girls sojourning at a sorority house in Ocean City.

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Nelson Russ, son of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Russ, of Morgan avenue, is spending some time at Camp Mahalala, the Boy Scout Camp near Wrightstown.

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Howard Elliott, Jr., of Elm avenue, left yesterday to spend a week at Camp Ockanickon.

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Mrs. Arthur Bowker returned home Sunday after spending a few days in Binghampton, N. Y.

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Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Edward D. Saint, of Woodbury, a former resident of Palmyra. Mr. Saint died Friday morning in the Cooper Hospital, Camden, where he had been a patient for the past month. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Cora Saint, a daughter, Helen, and a son, Burton. The daughter and son are now residing in Binghampton, N. Y.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Torbett, of Morgan avenue, were visitors in Clementon Sunday afternoon.

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Frank A. Shover, Howard Vile, Howard Alloway, and Elmer Jones enjoyed a fishing trip off the coast of Atlantic City over the weekend. They reported a fair catch.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Haines and daughter, Peggy, of Cinnaminson avenue, enjoyed the weekend in Wildwood.

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Mrs. William Powers, of Parry avenue, has returned home after spending a week in Ocean City.

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Several members of the Epworth League of the Epworth M. E. Church will attend a rally in Pitman on Saturday.

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Edward Stanwood, of Pitman, spent Tuesday evening with friends in Palmyra.

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The Palmyra Ambulance Association gratefully acknowledges the receipt of $20.00 from S. J. Allen, of Main street, Riverton.

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The summer line of mints are featured among the Whitman candies which are received fresh every week at Buohl's Drug Store.

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Miss Lillian Davis, of Alden, Pa., formerly of Palmyra, is spending some time with Miss Isabel Shill, of Morgan avenue.

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Mrs. L. Bossert, of Philadelphia, was the week-end guest of Mrs. H. C. Chehey, of Horace avenue.

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Herbert H. Parsons, Jr., of Garfield avenue, and Wilson Schmierer are enjoying a week at Stokes' Forest, a camp in North Jersey.

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Mr. and Mrs. George B. Snyder and son, George, Jr., of Leconey avenue, were Ocean City visitors from Saturday until Tuesday.

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Mrs. A. Lippincott, of Palmyra, was elected treasurer at the meeting of the Burlington County Legion Auxiliary for the year 1931-32 at their annual meeting.

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Mrs. William T. J. Purnell, Mrs. Theodore Morris, Mrs. Henry T. Albright, Mrs. William C. Hoare, Mrs. Charles F. Weikel, Mrs. Ira Monach, Mrs. William R. Powers, Mrs. William M. Wilbraham, Mrs. H. A. Lippincott, Mrs. Edward J. Nunn, Mrs. F. L. Shill and Mrs. George B. Weig and, all of Palmyra; motored to Brant Beach on Tuesday, where they spent a most delightful day.

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The Misses Nora and Mattie Carpenter and their niece, Miss Elsie Doughty, of Garfield avenue, left Saturday for a stay with relatives in Broadwater, Va.

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William Davies, who is employed in the Palmyra National Bank, has just returned from his vacation, during which he enjoyed a sea trip to Boston, accompanied by Albert N. Stewart, president of the bank.

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Mrs. Dean H. LePavor, of Morgan avenue, returned home Sunday evening from a brief sojourn at the summer home of her mother, Mrs. John Patterson, in Ocean Gate.

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Mrs. John T. Mercer, of Orchard avenue, has returned home from the Memorial Hospital, Roxborough, where she recently underwent an operation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert N. Stewart, of Morgan avenue, have returned home from Ocean City, where they enjoyed a brief visit.

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George Murray, of Leconey avenue, is sojourning in Ocean City this week.

Justice of the Peace, William L. Fichter, of Delaware avenue, is spending a week in High Point.

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The Palmyra School Board will hold its regular monthly meeting in the Delaware Avenue School building this evening.

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Dr. and Mrs. A. J. White, of Morgan avenue, enjoyed two days last week in Scranton, Pa. Their little daughter, Barbara Jane, who has been spending some time with relatives there, returned home with them.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albright and Mr. and Mrs. William Dalladway enjoyed the weekend in Atlantic City.

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Mrs. Frank N. Johnson and daughters, Helene and Kathryn, of Morgan avenue, spent Saturday in Vineland, Mrs. Johnson's niece and nephew, Miss Elizabeth and Edwin Hobart, of that place, returned home with them and spent the weekend here.

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Mrs. Wilbur Brannum, of Medford, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Eva Braddock, also of Medford, who is spending some time with Mrs. A. B. Powell, of West Broad street.

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Mrs. Harry Kemmerle, Sr., is spending a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kemmerle, of Riverside.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stanwood and family, of Pitman, were visitors at the home of Mrs. George W. Long, of Cinnaminson avenue, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Halpin, of Trenton, spent Monday evening as the guests of friends in Palmyra.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Flynn, of Scranton, Pa., are visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. A. White, of Morgan avenue, this week.

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Mrs. Elvin I. Powell and son, Donald, of Memorial avenue, who are sojourning in Ocean City, spent the weekend at home.

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Mrs. Michael Haughey and children, of Philadelphia, and Miss Mary Kemmerle, of Ventnor, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kemmerle, Sr., of West Broad street. Mrs. Haughey and her son accompanied Miss Kemmerle to her home in Ventnor on Sunday, and will remain for a brief stay.

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Miss Katharine Hirsch, of New York, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hirsch, of Highland avenue.

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Miss Martha Hirsch and Mrs. M. M. Klotz, of Highland avenue, are enjoying a few days in Baltimore and Annapolis, Md.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey G. Fisher, of Morgan avenue, were week end visitors in Ocean City.

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Mrs. M. W. Schontz and daughter, Janis, of Garfield avenue, and Mrs. J. Peter Johnson and son, of Shelton, Conn., left Saturday for Wildwood, where they will spend the next two weeks.

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R. C. Snyder, of Delaware avenue, visited Atlantic City Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Birenbaum and family, of New York, spent Sunday with Morris Birenbaum, of East Broad street.

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George Noble, son of Mrs. E. A. Noble, of Morgan avenue, left for the west Monday. He expects to make his home in San Francisco, Calif.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

By Nancy Hart

Coffee Ice Cream

One quart of cream, half pound of pulverized sugar, four ounces of Mocha or three ounces of Java. Have the coffee ground coarsely, put it in a double boiler with one pint of cream, and steep for ten minutes. Then strain it through a fine muslin, pressing it hard to get out the strength; add the sugar, stir until it is dissolved, add the remaining pint of cream, and when cold, freeze.

Frozen Coffee Custard

This recipe for coffee ice cream calls for less cream. The richness is provided by the eggs.

Four eggs, half pint of cream, half pound of sugar, one pint of milk, half pint of strong coffee. Put the milk in a double boiler to scald. Beat the eggs and sugar together until very light, add them to the hot milk, cook an instant, take from the fire, add the cream and coffee. When cold freeze.

Fruit Sherbet

Here is a delicious fruit sherbet that is a welcome change from the usual creams.

Boil together for five minutes one pound of sugar and one quart of water. Beat the yolks of six eggs and add to the boiling syrup. Stir just a moment, then take from the fire and beat until cold. Have in readiness one cup mixed fruit which has been soaked in a half cup of grape juice. When the mixture is cold turn into the freezer and freeze. Remove the beater, stir in the fruit with a wooden spoon and serve in punch glasses.

Potato Souffle

2 cups of potatoes, masned, 2 tablespoons of melted butter, 6 tablespoon of cream, 2 eggs, salt and pepper.

Beat the potatoes and butter until smooth and light; add the cream, yolks of eggs and salt. Beat the whites to a stiff froth and stir them in. Heap upon a tin in a rough uneven mound (neat, but jagged, so that the tips and edges, when browned, will look nicely), and set in the oven until well browned.

LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

EPWORTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Ira S. Pimm, B. D., pastor

10:00 a. m. Church School. In the adult school the lesson will be taught from the desk by Mr. Westacott. There will be special music. Wesleyan Men's Bible Class at the same hour.

11 a. m. Worship service. The pastor will preach the third sermon in the series "What to Believe." The subject is "Why I Believe in Prayer."

6:45 p. m. Epworth League Devotional Service. Mrs. Pimm will lead the discussion on "Should Young People Attend the Prayer Service?"

7:45 p. m. Song service and sermon, "Vacation Experiences With the Bible."

Prayer service on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

Baptist

Rev. George Lockett, B. D., Pastor

10:00 a. m. Bible School.

11:15 a. m. Fifth in series of sermons from Nehemiah. Subject, "The Attack on Nehemiah."

7:45 p. m. Gospel song service and preaching. "The Highway of the Lord."

Come out and enjoy these services with us.

FIRST LUTHERAN

(Rev. Harold L. Creager)

Next Sunday Dr. J. M. Tibbetts of Reading, Pa., will be the guest speaker at both the Sunday School and Church services.

To the Sunday School he will speak on, "Youth and America," which is a most vital message for youth and adults.

At the morning worship service the subject of his message will be, "The Superlative Need of America," dealing briefly with some of the present serious problems and conditions and their solution.

Dr. Tibbetts is a forceful and entertaining speaker with up-to-date facts and messages. The members and friends of the church are urgently invited to take advantage of this special opportunity.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"TRUTH" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 26, 1931.

The Golden Text is: "Thus saith the Lord, I am returned unto Zion, and will dwell in the midst of Jerusalem: and Jerusalem shall be called a city of truth; and the mountain of the Lord of hosts the holy mountain." (Zechariah 8:3).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And the inhabitant shall not say, I am sick: the people that dwell therein shall be forgiven their iniquity." (Isaiah 33:24).

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: "Truth never made error necessary, nor devised a law to perpetuate error. The supposed laws which result in weariness and disease are not His laws, for the legitimate and only possible action of Truth is the production of harmony" (p. 183).

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH
Riverton
Rev. Arthur S. Lewis

Holy Communion 7:30 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon 11:00 a. m.

Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00 p. m.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Creager, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday School.

11:15 a. m. "A Hero For Christ."

7:00 p. m. Luther League.

8:00 p. m. "Will the Idols Fall?"



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

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.

Epworth M. E. Church
Rev. Ira S. Pimm, Minister

10:00 a. m.—Church School and Wesleyan Class.

11:00 a. m. Morning worship.

6:45 p. m. Epworth League.

7:45 p. m. Church Service.

Wednesday 8:00 p. m.—The Helpful Hour.

Wednesday 4:00 p. m.—Junior Epworth League.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for July 26

CHRISTIANITY SPREADING BY PERSECUTION

Acts 7:59-8:4; 11:19-21

Progress usually comes in connection with very hard experiences. It has been so in the extension of the blessings of Christianity. The standpatters in the old Jerusalem church certainly made it hard for those who were trying to follow Christ's teachings. Persecution was resorted to in order to stay the progress of these humanitarian teachings which claimed the crucified and risen Lord as their Teacher. Special hatred centered upon one of the seven deacons, by the name of Stephen.

Again the Sanhedrin was summoned and Stephen was tried. When called upon to make his defense the opportunity was used to present a formal statement that reviewed the leading facts in the ministry of Jesus Christ and how He had been treated by this same Council. In bold language Stephen charged the Sandhedrin with the killing of Jesus. Soon sentence of death was given against him, also in the hope that the Cause could be stopped by destroying its able proponents.

Death was accomplished by stoning. During the slaying Stephen, like his Lord, prayed his executioners might be forgiven. A profound impression was made by all these acts on a young man named Saul, who as a member of the Sanhedrin had helped in the sentence and further assisted as caretaker of the garments that were laid at his feet by those who did the killing.

Such persecution forced many Christians to leave Jerusalem, and thus the leaven of Christianity was extended over a large area and "a great number turned to the Lord."

Devlin — Boureau

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Walker Boureau, of 333 East Main street, Moorestown, announce the marriage of their daughter, Edith, to Howard Devlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Devlin, of Chicago, on Friday, July 17, in New York City.

The ceremony was quietly performed at St. Joseph's Church with no attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Devlin left immediately following the wedding on an extended trip through the mountains of New York and Pennsylvania. Upon their return they will spend the remainder of the summer at the home of the bride's parents, returning to New York City in the fall.

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8.38 A. M. — 12.38 P. M.
9.38 A. M. — 1.38 P. M.
10.38 A. M. — 2.38 P. M.
Additional train July 4 and September 7 only, 6.03 P. M.

Returning, leave Atlantic City
WEEK-DAYS
Except July 4 and September 7
Monday to Friday — Saturdays
6.15 P. M. — 9.15 P. M.
8.15 P. M. — 11.15 P. M.
SUNDAYS
Also July 4 and September 7
5.15 P. M. — 9.15 P. M.
6.15 P. M. — 10.15 P. M.
7.15 P. M. — 11.15 P. M.
8.15 P. M.

FOR WILDWOOD
Leave Camden
WEEK-DAYS except July 4 and Sept. 7 — SUNDAYS Also July 4 and Sept. 7
6.58 A. M. — 8.18 A. M.
6.58 A. M. — 7.53 A. M. — 10.08 A. M.
8.48 A. M. — 2.12 P. M.
Additional Saturday Trains
Until September 5—10.08 A. M.
July 11 to September 5—7.53 A. M.

RETURNING
Leave Wildwood
WEEK-DAYS except July 4 and Sept. 7 — SUNDAYS
5.38 P. M. — 8.22 P. M.
4.25 P. M. — 5.12 P. M.
6.22 P. M. — 9.02 P. M.
*9.02 P. M. — **7.27 P. M.
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Pennsylvania Railroad

VERY LATESTS

By MARY MARSHALL

To go with any of your cotton or linen frocks as well as with the darker cloth suit you should have one or



two pure white bouquets. Paris has, as you doubtless know, signified her approval of all white flowers and the smartest of this sort are made of eyelet embroidered cotton. There are charming double poppy boutonnieres of white eyelet embroidery made with patent leather leaves. The poppies are always white but you may have the leaves white, brown, navy blue or black.

You may buy these eyelet flowers at almost any store or you may make them yourself. Cut the petals from fine eyelet embroidered batiste or eyelet embroidered piqué which is easier to handle, perhaps. Make four or five petals like the pattern or larger, but of that shape. Gather them slightly along the straight edges and fasten together with a center of black beads or yellow French knots.



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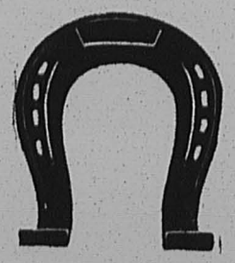
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RIVERTON ITEMS

Russell Rubrecht, of Riverton and Herbert Stackhouse, of Trenton, left Monday for an extensive tour of Nova Scotia by motor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alex M. Smith are spending the week at Wildwood.

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Walter Armstrong enjoyed the week-end in Beach Haven with his family who are spending the summer there.

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Mrs. Ezra Carhart, Edson Carhart and daughter, Miss Beatrice are enjoying the week in Wildwood.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold N. Sheble are enjoying the summer in Vent,,or

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Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery Simons, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker were week-end visitors in Ocean City.

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Miss Anna Cook enjoyed the week-end in Philadelphia as the guest of Miss Dorothy Allison.

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Mrs. Robert Biddle left Friday for South West Harbor, Maine, where she will spend the remainder of the summer.

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Mrs. Clarence N. Hubbs and Mrs. Richard Wagner were visitors in Ocean City last Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. George C. Baker left Thursday for two weeks vacation in Ocean City.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanley Patterson and family were visitors in Ocean City, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hubbs and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wanger were visitors of Mrs. John Patterson of Ocean Gate over the week end.

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The Misses Blanche Farly, Jane P. Rushmore and Emma Barnes Wallace are spending the summer in Haines Falls, New York.

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The Misses Coale are enjoying the summer in Buck Hill Falls.

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Mrs. Miller Brown, Mrs. M. Diamond and daughter Lois, of Highland Park were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanley Patterson for several days.

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Miss Fannie White, of Camden, was the Sunday guest of the Misses Bishop.

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Miss Cornelia Harding is enjoying the week in Wenonah as the guest of Miss Dorothy Shuman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blyler and family have returned from a visit tot Spray Beach.

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Mrs. J. Stanley Patterson and daughters, Miss Mary and Ruth were visitors in Beach Haven last week.

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Miss Betty Hance has returned to her home on Main street after a vacation in the Pocono mountains.

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Mr. and Mrs. Perot Nevin and family left last week for Jamestown, Rhode Island, where they will spend the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Taylor are enjoying the summer at Ocean City.

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Miss Mary Zurbrugg is enjoying the summer in Center Harbor, New Hampshire.

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Emerson Wolfschmidt and family are spending the week at Wildwood.

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Mrs. P. A. Bailey, Mrs. Emma Fichter and son, Mrs. H. Buchanan and son, and Mrs. B. Rielly and daughter motored to Medford Lakes Tuesday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rielly in their pretty new home.

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Mrs. Elmer Vaughn and children returned Monday after spending a week in Delaware with relatives.

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Charles Coddington returned today from Camp Meade, where he has been for the past six weeks. He has been attending the Reserve Officers' Training Corps and has received his commission as second lieutenant. He has also qualified for the marksmanship badge for the use of the revolver.

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Mr. and Mrs. Linton Martin, of Bristol, were guests of her mother, Mrs. E. E. Yenney, Sunday.

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Miss E. Lucile Noble, of 405 Main street, visited the Howe Caverns, Cobleskill, N. Y., this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Yost and children, Marilyn and Jack, returned home Sunday from a three weeks visit in Clearfield, Pa.

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Mrs. William E. Murgatroyd is entertaining Miss Eloise Lyons and Master Donald W. Lyons, of Au Sable Forks, N. Y., this week.

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Mrs. D. M. Clifton is visiting her sister in Allentown this week.

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The many friends of Mrs. Newton will be sorry to learn that she is ill.

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Mrs. Clarence Teeple is enjoying the week in Swarthmore as the guest of her sister.

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Clarence Mattis and family moved into their new home on Seventh street Monday.

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The many friends of Miss Schmoele will be sorry to learn that she is on the sick list this week.

Ramsay MacDonald declared recently that the United States is now the greatest nation now existing on the face of the earth. This statement alone is enough to make Ramsay lose the moral support of a lot of our American college professors.

TWO GHOULS SHOT DEAD

Hamburg.—Two men trying to rob a new tomb were shot dead by the cemetery's guards.

Laughing Around the World
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In the Ascending Scale

By IRVIN S. COBB

A PERSON who had been so incautious as to sample a bootlegger's wares was endeavoring to negotiate the opening into a hat store on Michigan Avenue, in Chicago. Another man, who was perfectly sober and apparently had no sympathy with any persons who also



were not perfectly sober, shoved the inebriated one rudely aside and entered the establishment. The jostled person, straightening himself with difficulty, followed through the door.

Just inside, a salesman bowed before the sober man.

"I want a hat," said the latter, "a derby hat, size 6⅞."

Having found a hat to his liking he departed. The clerk turned to the soused individual, who while the sale was in progress, had been regarding the purchaser with a baleful eye.

"And what can I do for you, sir?" inquired the clerk.

"I want a lid, too."

"Yes, sir. What size?"

"Whasch size 'at other feller take?"

"6⅞."

"Alri'—then give me 9-10-11!"

(American News Features, Inc.)

SMITH FINISHES 7TH IN PA. OPEN

Moorestown Pro Turns in 299 Card for 72-Hole Grind

George Smith, "mighty mite" of the links and king of Moorestown golfers, finished in a tie for seventh place with Al Heron, the Reading, Pa., star, in the Pennsylvania Open Golf championship last week.

The Field Club "pro's" 299 for the 72-hole grind Tuesday and Wednesday on the stiff Philadelphia Cricket Club just landed him "in the money", for the two other ties for high positions forced him to divide ninth and tenth prize funds with Heron.

George's opening round was his best. He shot par golf until he reached the eighteenth hole Tuesday morning, on which he took a five, for a 72, one over par. All told, he smeared three birds on that round.

At the end of the first day's play he registred 148, having carded 76 in the afternoon. This put him in fourth place as the second half of the match swung into action.

George ran into some trouble Wednesday morning and 78 was the best he could do. The former Philadelphia P. G. A. champ ended the test with 73, but that was not good enough to overshadow the brilliant golf of several other of the leaders.

Felix Serafin, of Scranton, copped the crown with a fast 287. Ed Dudley, holder of a host of crowns and the deefnding champion, turned in a 290 card for second place, while Aubrey Boomer, sensation of the first day's play, faded Wednesday and dropped to third place, sharing these honors with Joe Turnesa, White Plains, N. Y., star. They scored 291, while Olin Dutra, the Los Angeles links artist, was fouth with 292.

Marty Lyons, Spring Hill "pro", landed in sixteenth place with 308.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hendrickson, of Crosswicks, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Rogers Hendrickson, to Robert Webster Matlack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Matlack, of Moorestown.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Hendrickson attended Westtown School at Westtown, Pa., and was graduated from the Connecticut College for Women in June. She was acting-president of her class.

Mr. Matlack also attended Westtown School and was graduated from Princeton University in June. He is a member of the Princeton Gateway Club and the Penn Athletic Club. At present he is connected with the George D. Wetherill Company, Philadelphia, Penna.

Engaged

Dr. and Mrs. J. Milton Griscom, of East Central avenue, Moorestown, announce the engagement of their sister, Anna Bassett Griscom, to J. Passmore Elkinton, of Moylan, Pa.

Miss Griscom is a graduate of Swarthmore College and of the University of Pennsylvania. Since his graduation from Haverford College in 1928, Mr. Elkinton has been connected with the Philadelphia Quartz Company, which this year is commemorating the one hundredth anniversary of its establishment.

Mr. Elkinton and Miss Griscom are well known members of the Religious Society of Friends.

MOUNT HOLLY GIRL, 6, HURT AS SHE RUNS INTO CAR

Peggy Lou Jennings, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jennings, of 213 Garden street, Mount Holly, was struck by an automobile driven by Isaac Parker, of Cherry street, last week. The child was playing on Garden street and ran off the sidewalk in front of the Parker car. Peggy suffered concussion of the brain. Parker reported the accident to the police. The child was taken to the Burlington County Hospital.

Bunn Hearn is Carolina's new baseball coach. The Tarheel's will be coached in basketball by George Shepard.

Dr. and Mrs. Flave Corpening and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wills were recent guests at the DeCamp Cottage at Beach Haven Crest.

MISS HAINES PLANS TO TEACH IN RUSSIA

Nursing Work in Store For Moorestown Girl if Entrance is Accepted

Miss Anna J. Haines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Haines, of Chester avenue, Moorestown, will leave the early part of August for Russia to participate in the health activities of the country, should she receive her vise from the Soviet government stating her entrance is acceptable.

Miss Haines recently resigned her position as secretary of the Boston Health League, Boston, Mass., which she has held for the past three years. While in Russia, Miss Haines will be in the employ of the American Friends' Service Committee.

Her activities will include either teaching nursing in some large hospital, or doing what is equivalent to visiting work on one of the large Soviet farms.

She is well-qualified for such a position, having spent a year and a half in the southern part of Russia doing famine relief work during the war, and she is a master of the Russian language.

Lafferty — Brown

Announcements have been received by many in this vicinity of the marriage of Miss Marie Brown, daughter of Mrs. C. M. Griffith, of West Main street, Moorestown, and Charles Lawton Lafferty, of Penn avenue, Collingswood, formerly of Moorestown.

The wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, on Saturday morning, July 11, at 10.30 o'clock, with the Rev. Thomas F. Rudden, rector of the Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel, officiating.

Mrs. Lafferty is a graduate of the Camden Catholic High School, while Mr. Lafferty graduated from the Moorestown High School and later from Cincinnati University. He is now connected with one of Camden's largest banking institutions.

The young couple are making their home in Collingswood.

ARMY CAPTAIN FINED AS TIPSY AFTER CRASH

Capt. Sidney H. Young, of the regular army, stationed at Camp Dix, was arrested in Mount Holly last week on a charge of driving his car while under the influence of liquor. He was arrested after he crashed into a car belonging to Elwood Miller on Pine street. After striking the car Young continued to ride on. The police were notified and Miller gave chase, overtook him and held him until the arrival of an officer. Young was examined by Dr. W. S. Southerland and pronounced unfit to operate a car. At a hearing before Recorder Joseph C. Kingdon it was discovered that he was without a driver's license and registration cards. He claimed that he was robbed of his wallet while at Browns Mills the previous night and his licenses were in the wallet. He was fined $200 and $21 costs.

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This Week in WASHINGTON
BY RADFORD MOBLEY
AUTOCASTER WASHINGTON BUREAU

President Hoover's statesmanlike handling of the debt holiday, which was entirely his own brain-child, has had the unexpected effect of starting up the anti-Hoover campaign which had not been expected before the coming winter. Instead, when his opponents found he had reestablished himself in the favor of a majority of the voters by his position on reparations, they decided to open the attack immediately.

As a consequence the country is being treated to virulent attacks on the President. Most of them date back to happenings several years ago. One of them, which was featured in one of the most powerful Democratic papers in the country, harks back to the story that Mr Hoover had practically decided to run for President on the Democratic ticket when Henry Cabot Lodge got to him and turned him into a Republican.

The story does not lack for convincing details, which tells of the intimacy that existed between him and Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt, then Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and Franklin D. Lane. It adds a deft touch by telling how Mrs. Hoover and Mrs. Roosevelt used to prepare their modest Sunday suppers with their own hands while their husbands chatted. It then tells how Lodge converted him and Mr. Hoover "became a Republican, at least in name."

Another paper, also unfriendly to the Hoover policies, goes on to relate that President Coolidge practically paved the way for his successor by his famous hesitation, when asked to run again, and allowed it to be inferred that he might stand for being drafted. Meanwhile the gossip runs, Mr. Coolidge secretly told Mr. Hoover that he would not run and the latter then laid his plans for the nomination. By this inside information, Mr. Hoover was the only candidate ready when the "I do not choose to run" statement was issued. It gave him a walkover, the article says. And it adds, not without a touch of malice, that Mr. Coolidge actually did not like Mr. Hoover, backing it up with some coroboration.

The President's advisers look on the campaign none too seriously and apparently have warned Mr. Hoover that any reply would be bad politics. The only reaction to the campaign, if it can be called such, was President Hoover's attack on short sellers of wheat, whom he characterized, by inference, as unpatriotic and unjustifiably selfish. He eliminates from his condemnation those men, like farmers and legitimate dealers, who are actually the owners of wheat and who sell short in order to hedge. The step was taken beyond question in an effort to court favor with the farmers.

Kansas' bumper crop, which is again beyond any expectations, has had an immediate effect in sending the price of wheat down still more until the old fetish of dollar wheat has been lost sight of in the fact that almost four bushels can be bought for that figure. The Department of Agriculture, which urged lessened production at the start of this year, only to have its admonition go unheeded, now says that wheat will go still lower next year unless a thirty per cent reduction is planted.

Political observers here assert wheat has ceased to be a concern for politicians and has moved over to the field of economics. Unless farmers cut down their acreage next year they will hardly get enough out of their 1932 crop to pay for their seed. Already there are signs that Kansas will go in more heavily for cattle, pigs and poultry next year and declare a "wheat moratorium" in order to allow demand to catch up with supply.

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One measure designed to afford relief to people living outside of the great cities has been adopted by the Interstate Commerce Commission, which has authorized the Post Office Department to accept parcels up to one hundred inches in height and girth. This means, roughly, that parcels three feet by three feet and more than two feet thick can be mailed in zones four to eight, or within 200 miles. The additional mail that will be created is expected to add $5,000,000 to postal revenues, besides creating cheap express rates for larger packages than have been mailable up to now. More direct selling from farm to consumer may result.

Selling by mail is steadily becoming an increasing factor in small communities and many of the big city newspapers are carrying a separate classification under "parcel post" in which farmers offer eggs and fresh poultry direct to city homes. One New Jersey woman is finding it profitable, apparently, to advertise "fresh, home-cooked meals" to Detroit consumers by mail.

Among the items recently noted by Jess C. Harraman, of the Post Office Department, as being offered by mail are honey, sorghum, hams, bacon, maple syrup, preserves, jellies, broilers and squabs. Fishermen are also selling hugh quantities of fish by parcel post. Many farmers are becoming prosperous through this method, it is pointed out in the report.

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The President's Emergency Employment Committee has released a report made to it by forty nine of the leading soap makers in the country which shows how that industry has stabilized labor conditions. It says that only four of the reporting companies have shown a drop in the number of employees while thirteen have shown an increase. While the manufacture of soap lends itself better than most lines to stabilizeation, yet, the report points out, careful planning is possible in nearly every line, yielding higher returns in profits to the manufacturers and better income to the workers.

Chloroform, gas or a stout rope should be employed as a precaution when working on a nervous patient, as Dr Kulnic, dentist of Neenah, Wis., can painfully testify. While drilling a tooth he struck a nerve, whereupon the patient's fist involuntarily shot out, breaking one of the dentist's ribs.



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SWINDLER GETS 6-YEAR TERM

Operator of "Insurance Racket" Sentenced by Judge Rigg

Judge Charles A. Rigg, sitting in the Burlington County Court last week, delivered this vicinity of what he termed "another menace to society" when he sentenced David Mullen, of Philadelphia, to six years in the New Jersey state prison for obtaining money under false pretenses.

Mullen, arrested at Florence, after he had been recognized by a female resident of that town as a man who had embezzled $1 from her about two years previously, was found to be representing himself as the agent of the insurance department of a Philadelphia daily newspaper, and on search being made of his pockets it was found that he had been doing quite an extensive business in a number of Burlington county towns.

Mullen was sentenced on two charges only, those of securing $1 from Ogden H. Mattis, of Riverton, for which he was given three years, and Margaret T. Myers, also of Riverton, for which three more years were added.

Isaac E. Roberts, Jesse Baley, and Harry Pratt, all colored, charged with stealing sixty-two chickens from the henneries of Florence Weindstein, in Cinnaminson township, came in on waivers and entered pleas of guilty. Roberts was sentenced to state prison for two years.

Bailey and Pratt were each given six months in the county jail.

Eugene Melicki, of Riverside, who is charged with abstracting $47.10 from the pockets of his friend, Charles S. Jones, of Burlington, entered a plea of guilty, while Jacob Onkowski, also of Riverside, and similarly charged, pleaded not guilty.

Walter Odozynski, of Riverton, who had entered an appeal on a charge of drunken driving, through his counsel, Daniel Lachtenthal, of Riverside, withdrew the appeal and was sentenced to serve thirty days in the county jail, after it was shown that he could not pay the fine of $200.

MRS. TURNER LEFT ESTATE VALUED AT $103,000

An estate of $103,000, of which $75,000 is in personal property, was left by Mrs Laura H. Turner, former proprietor of the Manhasset Hotel, Seaside Park, who died in Philadelphia, July 6. Half of the estate and the income from the remainder are bequenthed to a daughter Mrs. Irene H. Loan, of Wynnewood, and the income will be shared by her children at her death, until they reach the age of 30, when they will divide the principal between them.

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RIVERTON LOSES TO R. D. WOOD

Riverton Boys Put Up Good Battle, But Lose in Eighth

The R. D. Wood nine from Florence beat the Riverton nine last Saturday afternoon at Florence 3 to 1.

It was the opinion of most everyone present that the Riverton boys played, very probably, the best game yet so far as fielding goes. Four innings they benched the strong Florence players in one, two, three order and executed two double plays as skillfully as big leaguers might have done it.

Coles on the mound only allowed seven hits from the opposition, and enjoyed excellent backing from the Riverton team throughout the entire nine innings. Harper, his regular catcher, was absent and Huchholz substituted for him, playing very well behind the bat. The first man up for Florence got to first on balls and then tried to steal second, but Buchholtz uncorked a hot throw down to second for an easy put-out, and won the respect of those who would steal second.

Terrell Opens for Riverton

Riverton was first up with Terrell wielding the stick. He drove one down to third base which was thrown to first for the put-out. Reeves, next up, repeated the same action for the second out and Edge tried to slide one past second base, but was thrown out at first, retiring the side.

First man up for Florence, Gilbert, walked to first and was caught out by Bucholtz's excellent throw to second. Woolston, next for Florence, flied out to Eisley who has it all over the agile spider, when it comes to nabbing flies. Frankenfield retired Florence when he sent an easy one to Terrell on third who got it over to Bottger in time for the put-out.

Bartley opened the second, only to fly out at left field, and Sloan next popped an easy fly into the catcher's mitt, followed by Bottger who struck out.

Beautiful Double Play

Florence opened the second with Gootch walking to first. Naughton followed with a hit to the pitcher who tossed Gotch out at second, and Baker on second relayed the ball to Bottger on first in time for Naughton's put-out. A beautiful double play.

Opening the third for Riverton, Eisley laid an easy one down the first base line which was taken by first baseman and tossed to the pitcher, who had covered first, for the put-out. Bucholtz next struck out, followed by Coles who smacked one down to short stop but too late for a one base hit, retiring the side.

Frapolli, opening the third for Florence, struck out followed by Scully who dropped a fly into Eisley's sure-fire mitt for the second out. Woodington got to first on a hit to right field only to see Gilbert, his successor go out, third base to first.

Terrell opened the fourth for Riverton by striking out, which disease spread to Reeves, next "sticker," who also struck out. Edge got himself a nice one-base hit on an easy one to third base, followed by Bartley who also got a hit to center field. With two on and two away, Sloan, next up, unfortunately struck out, retiring the side.

Again Scoreless

Woolston opened the fourth for Florence by getting to first on an easy hit to center field. Frankfield tapped one to shortstop who threw Woolston out at second. Gotch steered another fly in Eisley's direction which is as good as an out when it leaves the bat. Naughton retired Florence on a drive to Terrell who threw him out at first.

Bottger opened the fifth for Riverton by dropping a fly into the second baseman's mitt for a put out. Eisley got to first on a hit to left field. Buchholtz forced Eisley out on a hit to the shortstop, and Coles got to first on a hit to right field, advancing Buchholtz to second. Another situation, two men on and two men away. Terrell did not come through, however, and Riverton lost another chance to score when his hit to second baseman was relayed to first for the third put-out.

Hits Homer

Everham opened the fifth for Florence and went out, shortstop to first. Frapolli followed with a fly to Eisley for the second out. Scully probably surprised himself and everybody present when his stick connected with a fast one from Coles pitching arm and the apple soared into space with a whiz. It kept right on going until it looked like a tiny speck in the air and finally settled to earth over the left field fence. A marvelous home run. The first score for Florence. Wooding next got to first on balls and managed to steal second only to see Gilbert go out, third base to first, retiring the side.

Reeves opened the sixth for Riverton and struck out, but the catcher missed the last ball and Reeves got to first. Edge next drove one at the pitcher who caught Reeves on second. Bartley followed Edge with a hit to center field. Sloan next forced Bartley out at second with a hit to the pitcher, and Edge scored the tying run. With Sloan on first and two away Bottger struck out retiring the side.

Second Twin Killing

Woolston, opening the sixth for Florence, flied out to the first baseman. Frankfield got to first on a hit to left field. Gotch followed and smacked one at the shortstop who threw Frankenfield out at second, and second relayed the ball to first in time to put out Gotch. Another perfect double play.

Eisley opened the seventh for Riverton with a fly to right field which landed in the mitt for the put out. Bucholtz did the same for the third baseman, for the second put out. Coles went out, third baseman to first, retiring the side.

Naughton for Florence in the seventh flied out to center field, followed by Everham who flied out to right field, and Frapolli retired the side on a drive to third baseman who caught him at first.

Terrell for Riverton in the eighth got to first on a hit to left field. Reeves was put out on a sacrifice hit to first base, caught by second covering first. Edge flied out to left field and Bartley went out, pitcher to first base, retiring the side.

Tie Broken by Florence

Scully opened the eighth for Florence with a hit to third base landing safe on first, when Bottger missed the toss, and Scully kept on going around to third base. Woodington next up, flied out to right field. Gilbert brought in Scully on a three-base hit to left field and Woolston brought in Gilbert on a hit to centerfield. Frankfield went out on a pop fly to first base, and Gotch went out on a hit to Edge at shortstop.

With the score three to one Riverton made her last stand in the opening of the ninth with Sloan getting to first on a hit to right field. Baker pinch hitting, flied out to shortstop. Eisley forced Sloan out on a hit to shortstop and Bucholtz finished the game on a fly to the left fielder.

R. D. WOOD	R.	H.	O.	A.
Gilbert, rf	1	1	1	0
Woolston, cf	0	2	0	0
Frankenfield, ss	0	1	5	2
Gotch, lf	0	0	2	0
Naughton, c	0	0	7	0
Everham, p	0	0	1	2
Frappoli, 2b	0	0	3	0
Scully, 3b	2	2	1	3
Woodington, 1b	0	1	7	2
Totals	3	7	27	9

RIVERTON	R.	H.	O.	A.
Terrell, 3b	0	0	1	5
Reeves, lf	0	1	0	0
Edge, ss	1	0	2	5
Bartley, 2b	0	2	3	1
Sloan, rf	0	1	2	0
Bottger, 1b	0	0	0	0
Eisley, cf	0	1	5	0
Buchholz, c	0	0	1	1
Cole, p	0	1	1	1
x-Baker	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	6	24	13

x-Batted for Bottger in seventh.

R. D. Wood	000	010	020—3
Riverton	000	001	000—1

Errors—Naughton, Scully. Three-base hit—Gilbert. Home run—Scully. Struck out—By Everham, 7; Cole, 1. Bases on balls—Off Cole, 3. Umpire—Zane, Fox.

STANDING HEADLINES
K. of C. Team Loses Another
Rain Postpones Ball Game
Leaders Risk Sunberth Perch
Fans Razz Umpires Again

YOU KNOW ME, AL

Dear Al,

Well, Al, old boy me and the Mrs. is still in the throws of a martial corruption. The more I see of this marriage game the more I think Kid Dugan is a sap to bother his noodle over it. If I was him, I'd do all my battling inside a ring where you got a referee and a chance to win anyway, cause once you get that old ball and chain nailed to you they ain't nothing but long counts and a finish fight what ain't never going to have no end.

I got to admit that I must of been coo coo ever to have tried it.

Jack Keefe.

It Must Be Catching

By RING LARDNER



JACK NAISBY WINS YACHT CLUB SWIM

Five Boys Entered in One Mile River Swim; Showell 2nd and Merrill 3rd

The men's swimming race sponsored by the Riverton Yacht Club was won last Saturday by Jack Naisby, one of the five entrants.

The race began at the Keystone Yacht Club and ended at the Riverton Yacht Club, a distance of approximately one mile. At 2:25 p. m., Stanley Godley, Rodman Merrill, Jack Naisby, Archie Seabrook and Dewees Showell, dived into the water on the start of the race.

Sixteen minutes and 29 seconds later Jack Naisby touched the Riverton Yacht Club followed by Dewees Showell not fifteen seconds later and within another second Rodman Merrill finished for third place. Both Godley and Seabrook finished about a minute later.

Frank Probsting towed the rowboats and oarsmen to the Keystone Yacht Club, who were to accompany the swimmers across in the race.



TARGET PRACTICE SCORES

POLICE	
Whitehead	145
Robinson	137
Dorworth	132
W. Errickson	128
DeLaney	122
Gootee	109
Davis	101
C. Errickson	81
Miller	71
CITIZENS	
Loughery	141
Saylor	140
Anderson	129
Stokes	122
Roberts	108
Nick	54

Base Stealing With Twilight Leaguers

LEAGUE STANDING

	W.	L.	Ave.
Ramblers	9	2	.818
Artisans	8	3	.727
Parry	7	4	.636
Rogers' News	5	6	.454
Baptists	3	6	.333
K. of C.	0	11	.000

Last Week's Results
MONDAY—Parry, 14; K. of C., 0.
FRIDAY—Rogers' News, 5; Parry, 3.
MONDAY—Parry, 3; Ramblers, 0 (game called in third inning, rain).
TUESDAY—Artisans- K. of C.

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Parry stock took a sharp rise in the "Razzberry" market last Thursday but took a sudden decline the following day. At the present time the Parry certificates are paying a dividend which is two games above that of Rogers' News and a single game below the returns on the Artisan shares.

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By launching a devastating attack upon Fred Davis, K. of C. hurler, last Thursday night, the Parrymen entered into a tie with the Artisan team for second place. Hitting steadily in every inning, the Parry nine kept all the players in a chase around the bags, piling up 14 runs without much trouble. The combination of running bases and trying to keep cool was almost too much for the winners.

Ernie Schuck kept a hot arm throughout the game, and this combination, together with a cool head, kept the K. of C. boys from the plate. In five innings the losers were not able to reap any harvest from Schuck's delivery and Johnny Broderson duplicated his companion's performance in the last two innings. The win gave the Parrymen seven wins out of eleven starts in the Twilight League.

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The Rogers' News outfit came through with a win ("A gift victory," the Parry players say) over the Broderson clan in Friday night's contest.

Schuck, doing the "Iron Man" stunt by pitching two successive days for Parry, was nicked for five runs while his teammates could gather but three counters off a former Parry player, "Wild Man" Reynolds, who threw 'em up for the newsboys.

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Poor decisions cost the Parryites the game, say the players themselves. They also claim the members of the News team admit some of the umpires' decisions were unfair to the losers. Only the spectators who were boosting the Artisans say they received a fair deal. This is due to the fact that the Artisans would have been dropped to third place if the game had resulted in a victory for the Parrymen.

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Editor's note—We neither discredit or approve these claims, as the writer was not so fortunate as to see the game. This is a report received from players on the losing team. This column declines to comment on the quality of the arbiting as we cannot make up our minds whether it is always bad or just plain "worse." Naturally, all the players we talk to have some pet grudge against "Gus" and the rest of the umpires. The batters say they get "chiselled" and flingers, while they don't say much on the mound, come to the bench and say they can't get any breaks from the "ump." It's just another proof that you (or the ump) can't please everybody.

Regardless, the Parry nine now rests securely in third place, which is where we left off.

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Another "croocial" game started off with a bang Monday night when the Parryites, playing their fourth game in five days, met the league leading Rambler outfit.

The game did not progress much further than the start, as rain caused a cessation of hostilities in the third inning. Up to that time "Shreve" Nelson had a big advantage over the rival Rambler flinger, Clayt Weikman, as the Parry team was leading at the close, 3-0.

A win for the Broderson clan would have enabled them to tie the Artisans in the number of games won and likewise tied the A.O.M.P.'s with the Ramblers in the number of games lost. Such an event would again place the three "first division" teams all back in the running. With no triumph credited to either team as a result of the postponement, the issue will be settled next Thursday night at the same field.

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Rain again settled the matter of a ball game when a deluge washed out last week's game between the Baptists and the K. of C. The contest had almost gone the regulation number of innings when the downpour caused it to be postponed. In addition to this game, the tilt between the Artisans and Baptists, rained out on July 10, will be played off tonight. No date has been set for the playing of the Baptist-K. of C. game.

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K. of C. took another drubbing at the hands of the Artisans Tuesday night. The victory for the lodgemen enables them to climb to within one game of the leaders, and also sets the Parry tossers a full game behind the Artisans.

'BURLS' TROUNCE MOORESTOWN, 11-0

Quakers' Victor Shares Sunberth in League With Florence

BURLINGTON COUNTY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	P.C.
R. D. Wood	4	1	.800
Burlington	4	1	.800
Vincentown	3	2	.600
Riverside	3	2	.600
Delanco	3	2	.600
Medford	3	2	.600
Moorestown	0	5	.000
Riverton	0	5	.000

Saturday's Scores
Medford, 15; Riversire, 3.
Burlington, 11; Moorestown, 0.
Delanco, 2; Vincentown, 1.
R. D. Wood, 3; Riverton, 1.

Saturday's Schedule
R. D. Wood at Moorestown; Riverside at Riverton; Vincentown at Medford; Burlington at Delanco.

Burlington had little trouble in upsetting Moorestown's representatives in the Burlington County Baseball League in Saturday's matinee combat. The burly "Burls" buried the Quakers under an avalanche of runs, scoring 11 markers, while blanking the Moorestown nine.

Two former pace setters in the league were handed rude joltings last Saturday with the result that R. D. Wood and Burlington are now sharing the sunberth.

The Woodmen, defending champions, with Bill Everham hurling in brilliant fashion, nosed out the last place Riverton club by a 3 to 1 score as a result of a two-run rally in the eighth inning.

Riverside and Vincentown, which were sharing the lead with R. D. Wood and Burlington previous to last Saturday's tussle, were upset by Medford and Delanco, respectively. The Olympics, first half champions, had things rather easy in trouncing Riverside by a 15 to 3 score, while Delanco eked out a 2 to 1 victory over the "Vincents".

As a result of their setbacks, Vincentown and Riverside dropped into a four-cornered deadlock with Medford and Delanco, all four sporting records of three wins in five starts, while the circuit winds up with Moorestown and Riverton in the cellar, each with five consecutive setbacks, the former outfit's losses now totaling 18 in a row, without a single triumph this season.

MOORESTOWN	R.	H.	O.	A.
N. Bartello, ss	0	0	1	5
Baylock, 3b	0	1	1	0
Brodie, lf	0	2	2	0
Ackerman, c	0	0	8	0
Bowman, cf	0	1	4	0
Wilkins, rf	0	0	0	0
Conroy, 1b	0	0	6	0
Powell, 2b	0	0	1	0
Richman, p	0	0	0	2
Kuppard	0	1	0	0
Totals	0	5	24	8

BURLINGTON	R.	H.	O.	A.
Stamp, 3b	2	3	0	3
Pitko, ss	1	2	0	5
Sholl, lf	1	0	1	0
Kean, p	3	2	0	0
Nelson, cf	1	3	1	0
O. Loveland, c	0	2	8	0
McCarthey, 1b	1	1	12	0
Pennauchi, rf	0	0	2	0
Smith, 2b	1	1	3	2
S. Loveland, lf	1	0	0	0
Totals	11	14	27	12

Burlington	000	320	060—11
Moorestown	000	000	000— 0

Errors—N. Bartello, McCarthey. Two base hits—Stamp, Cooper. Three-base hit—S. Loveland. Double plays—Conroy to Bartello; Pitko to Stamp to McCarthey. Struck out—By Kean, 8; Richmand, 6. Bases on balls—Off Richman, 3. Umpire—Judd and Clifford.

RIVERTON BOWS AGAIN AS 'SHADERS' WIN, 8-6

Outhit, Maple Shade Takes Advantage of Seven Visitors' Errors to Triumph

Although outhitting their opponents, the Riverton nine dropped an 8-6 decision to the Maple Shade club at the latter's grounds last Sunday.

A four-run rally in the seventh inning, after the score had been tied by the winners at 4-all in the previous frame, gave the Shaders a wide margin. A Riverton flareup in the eighth fell two runs short of tying the score.

MAPLE SHADE	R.	H.	O.	A.
Lindaman, ss	1	1	7	2
Farbman, 2b	2	4	2	0
McCaffery, 1b	0	1	9	0
Hicks, cf	0	0	0	0
O'Hara, lf	1	1	2	0
O'Neil, rf	1	0	0	0
M. Green, 3b	2	1	0	4
Mato, c	1	2	5	1
Royce, p	0	0	0	2
P. Green, 1b	0	0	2	0
Beebe, 3b	0	0	0	1
Connally, p	0	0	0	0
Totals	8	10	27	17

RIVERTON	R.	H.	O.	A.
Kelly, 3b	0	1	3	4
Bottger, 1b	0	2	11	0
Sloan, 2b	0	1	3	1
Eisley, cf	0	0	2	0
Coles, ss	1	2	1	2
Hennessey, lf	1	1	1	0
Braugh, rf	2	1	1	0
Buchholz, c	1	3	2	1
Wenger, p	1	1	0	3
Totals	6	12	24	11

Riverton	000	400	020—6
Maple Shade	011	002	40x—8

Errors—Farbman, McCaffery, Kelly, Sloan, 2; Coles, 4.

RIVERTON DROPS TILT TO TAK-ABOOST, 10 to 1

Score Lone Run From Three-Hit Performance of Sammy Elvert

With Sammy Elvert pitching great ball and holding his opponents to three hits, Tak-Aboost had little trouble in downing the Riverton nine last Wednesday evening. Elvert had a no-hit, no-run game until the eighth inning, when Riverton garnered their only run. Weikman and Foulke were pounded for 18 safeties by the Boost batters.

Roland Edge and Newt Bright led the attack for the winners. Edge had three singles and a double, while Bright hit a home run and single.

TAK-ABOOST	R.	H.	O.	A.
Kranz, rf	1	2	0	0
B. Edge, ss	1	1	3	1
Horan, lf	1	2	3	1
Eckert, 1b	2	2	10	0
Bright, c	2	2	4	0
R. Edge, cf	2	4	3	0
Aurich, 3b	0	1	0	3
McFarland, 2b	1	1	2	2
Elvert, p	0	2	0	5
L. Edge, 2b	0	1	2	0
Totals	10	18	27	11

RIVERTON A. A.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Terrell, 3b	0	0	3	3
Reeves, lf	0	0	0	0
Baker, 2b	0	0	3	0
Bartley, ss	0	0	1	4
Sloan, rf	1	1	0	0
Bottger, 1b	0	0	8	0
Eisley, cf	0	1	5	1
Buchholz, c	0	0	7	3
Weikman, p	0	0	0	1
Foulke, p	0	1	0	0
Harper, lf	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	3	27	12

Tak-Aboost	001	002	412—10
Riverton	000	000	010— 1

Errors—Bartley, Bottger. Two-base hits—Kranz, R. Edge, Eckert, Sloan. Home run—Bright. Struck out—By Elvert, 4; Weikman, 7. Base on balls—Off Elvert, 2; Weikman, 2.

Swinging With the Local Batsmen

A HANDY SCHEDULE FOR THE BASEBALL FANS

TONIGHT—Baptists vs. Artisans (Postponed game, Palmyra Twilight League).

TOMORROW—Baptists vs. Rogers' News (Palmyra Twilight League).

SATURDAY—Riverside at Riverton (Burlington County League).

SUNDAY—Parry at Almonesson.

MONDAY—Parry vs. Baptists (Palmyra Twilight League).

TUESDAY—Artisans vs. Rogers' News (Palmyra Twilight League).

BARN, MACHINERY AND CROPS DESTROYED IN BLAZE AT GREEN TREE

Damage of $2500 was caused by fire on the Greentree road Sunday when the barn on the farm of Daniel Tocco was totally destroyed.

Tocco, whose farm is two miles from Marlton, was sorting beans in a nearby shed and directed a son to go into the barn. When the boy opened the barn door clouds of smoke poured out. An alarm was telephoned to the Marlton Fire Company, but the firemen were unable to control the blaze for lack of water. Origin of the fire is not known.

MOUNT HOLLY BANK TELLER IS MADE TRUST OFFICER

At a meeting of the directors of the Farmers Trust Company of Mount Holly last week, Albert B. Walters, who has been employed as a teller at the bank for several years, was elevated to the position of trust officer and assistant treasurer. Walters succeeds Beverly C. Kingdon, deceased, as trust officer, while the position of assistant treasure is a new position created by the board of directors of the institution. Walters is a member of the township committee and formerly resided at Columbus.

RIVERTON STARS IN TENNIS MEET

Local Players Make Good Showing Against Brilliant Field at Woodbury

The only close match in the West Jersey League of Field Club tennis matches at Woodbury last Saturday was that between Woodbury and Riverton with the former winning by a score of 9 to 6. Haddonfield, defending champions, had little difficulty in beating Merchantville, taking all but one match; while Pitman upset Moorestown under a 6 to 2 count.

One of the features of the Woodbury-Riverton setto was the match between Dr. Carl Fisher, of the Woodbury club and Charley Rauth of Riverton. Although Carl won the match in straight sets he was extended to the limit in the first set, finally winning 11 to 9. In the second set, Fischer won 6 to 2.

However, Charley Rauth, with the aid of his brother Bill, gained revenge in the doubles when they defeated Fischer and R. S. Claypoole. The latter pair captured the first set 4-6, but dropped the next two, 6-2, 6-3.

In the men's singles, Dr. Carl Fisher, Woodbury, defeated C. Rauth, Riverton, 11-9, 6-2. W. C. Holmes, Woodbury, defeated W. E. Rauth, Riverton, 6-4, 6-1. R. G. Anderson, Riverton, defeated Charles Frederick, Woodbury, 6-1, 6-3. A. S. Coe, Riverton, defeated J. C. Maier, Woodbury, 4-6, 9-7, 6-1. R. S. Claypoole, Woodbury, defeated H. Parrish, Riverton, 11-5, 6-4. E. B. Vanderkleed, Woodbury, defeated E. Burns, Riverton by default.

In the men's doubles, C. Rauth and W. Rauth, Riverton, defeated Fischer and Claypool, Woodbury, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3. A. S. Coe and R. G. Anderson, Riverton, defeated Vanderkleed and W. S. Hunter, Woodbury, 6-3, 5-7, 6-3.

In the girl's singles Miss E. Hughes, Riverton, defeated Miss Marcia Wilt, Woodbury, 6-4, 4-6, 9-7. Mrs. R. B. Roberts, Woodbury, defeated Miss K. Graff, Riverton, by default. Miss M. Maier, Woodburp, defeated Miss Frances Lane, Riverton, 6-3, 9-7. Miss Elizabeth Wilson, Woodbury, defeated Miss A. Parrish, Riverton, 6-4, 6-0.

Mixed doubles, Miss E. Hughes and H. Parrish, Riverton, defeated Mrs. R. B. Roberts and W. C. Holmes, Woodbury, 6-3, 5-7, 6-3. Miss M. Maier and J. C. Maier, Woodbury, defeated Miss F. Lane and E. Burns, Riverton, by default.

Ladies' doubles, Miss E. Wilson and Miss R. Silser, Woodbury, defeated Miss K. Graff and Miss Mary Tyler, of Riverton, by default.

Contributing to the Gaiety of Nations

Many a man would like to know how Boss Hague manages to sail in de luxe suites on fancy ocean liners when he goes abroad and returns, ride in special cars when he travels to and from Florida, buy $30,000 oriental rugs and own a show place in Deal, or is it one of the other billionaire colonies?—all on a $6,000 salary.

Of course, nobody is intimating that the Mayor was afraid to give the secret away when the Case Investigating Committee evinced pressing interest in the subject of his wealth and its origin. He just deemed it none of his inquisitors' business, and maybe it wasn't. Yet Commissioner Ruhlman revives a subject to which there is destined to be more or less reference during the gubernatorial campaign, a battle into which Hague precipitated himself by his bitter personal attack on candidate Baird.

Despite the good resolution made by the Republican nominee before the campaign was fairly launched, the lively prospect is that the battle so soon to open in earnest, will be one of the bitterest waged in years. Candidate Moore volunteered intimation to that effect in his first speech after nomination; Candidate Baird, too, gave utterance to sentiments which suggested a change of attitude toward his Democratic opponent; Mayor Hague added fuel to the flame by his obvious effort to convince the state that he is genuinely supporting candidate Moore, a gesture that was wholly unnecessary, and next comes Commissioner Ruhlman with his contribution to the gaiety of nations. And there are others yet to hear from.—Mount Holly Mirror.

FENCE 18,000 FEET LONG BEING BUILT AT AKRON

What is believed to be the longest fence in Ohio is being built at Akron municipal airport, in preparation for trial flights of the U. S. S. Akron, world's largest airship, which is being completed in the huge dock of the Goodyear-Zeppelin Corporation, for the United States Navy. A total of 18,000 feet of fence will surround the port, and is designed to keep the field clear during flight periods, when it is extremely important that officers in charge of the giant ship have the least possible interfence in conducing their maneuvers.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Rate—10c Per Line

30c Minimum Charge for Each Ad
(Lines Average 6 Words)
CLASSIFIED ADS RECEIVED UNTIL 5 O'CLOCK WEDNESDAY
PHONE RIVERTON 712

LOAD or part load of furniture wanted to Atlantic City, Ocean City or Wildwood by Steedle's Express, by August 1st. Phone Riverton 1006.

BOWKOGRAMS

"Executive—One who makes quick decisions and is sometimes right."
Bowker's Tak-Aboost Shop
11 E. Broad Street Palmyra, N. J.

FOR SALE:—Leonard, one piece porcelain lined refrigerator, 75 lb. ice capacity. $10. Phone 131-M.

FOR SALE:—Round mahogany dining room table 48" diameter, 5 extra leaves. Rodman, Riverton 1153.

HIGH POINT, N. J. Seashore cottage "Maid O' Mist," furnished, nice—clean—roomy, elegant location on water front, accom. 8, electric, etc. Dates open Aug. 1st to 15th, $30 per week including garage. J. F. Yearly, Riverton or Ph. 69 M.

LARGE front room for rent to business couple or gentleman. Also garage. 437 Elm avenue. Phone Riverton 594 J.

LORAINE AT THE BEACH—No. 1 Ocean Pathway, Ocean Grove, N. J. Full Ocean View Run. Water. Table d' hote. 12th season. Phone Asbury Park 5196. F. W. Rohland.

YOUNG colored couple want work. Wife can cook, nurse or act as waitress. Husband can drive any make of car, repair any kind, run truck and tractor and make repairs, can do farm work, electrical work. Best references. Apply "O" New Era Office.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, 2 rooms, bath and kitchenette. Reference required. Apply New Era Office, Box "R."

BOARDING:—Business person may have room and privilege of home, $15 per month, garage $3. I will serve evening meals, 5 days a week very reasonable. Saturday and Sunday when I am at home. Call Mrs. Synder, Riverton 1116.

COLORED GIRL wants housework. Apply 404 Union Landing road, E. Riverton.

FOR SALE—Packing boxes, 50c and up. New Era Office, Riverton.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Corner of Broad and Cinnaminson street. Apply "W" New Era Office.

FOR RENT: Two rooms for boarders, no meals. Apply 408 Main street, Riverton.

FOR SALE—Cabbage, tomatoes, peppers, egg plant, pansies, scarlet sage, snap dragon, larkspur, straw flower and astors. Charles D. Springer, Cambridge. Phone Riverside 68-W.

WANTED—Man, with selling ability to sell Majestic Electric Refrigerators and a full line of Radios. Car furnished to good reliable man. Call or write Riverside Appliance Co., 15 Pavilion Ave., Riverside, N. J.

WHERE your rags are worth money. The New Era will pay 5c a pound for clean rags (need not be white) free from lint, hooks and eyes, buttons, and snaps.

APARTMENT FOR RENT—Three months' period, furnished, central location in Riverton. 5 rooms, rent reasonable. Apply "W" New Era Office.

FOR SALE:—Highly pedigreed Boston terrier puppies. 516 Berkley avenue, Palmyra, N. J.

RULE TO BAR CREDITORS
EXECUTRIX' NOTICE

Estate of William B. Lynch, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that an order has been made by the Surrogate of the County of Burlington, bearing date the eighth day of July, 1931, upon application of the subscriber, Executrix, requiring the creditors of William B. Lynch, late of the County of Burlington, deceased, to bring in their claims against the estate of the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, on or before January 8, 1932, or they will be forever barred of any action thereto against the said Executrix.

ANNA GERTRUDE LYNCH,
Executrix.

Preston, Curtis & Purnell,
Dated July 8, 1931.

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, AUGUST 13, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of Preston Curtis & Purnell 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 a point in the Northeasterly line of Thomas Avenue at least two hundred seventy-seven feet Northwestwardly from the Northwesterly line of Fourth Street and extending thence Northwestwardly along the Northeasterly line of Thomas Avenue sixty feet to a point; and extending thence Northeastwardly between parallel lines of that width at right angles to Thomas Avenue one hundred sixty-five feet in depth to the Southwesterly line of an alleyway opening into Second Street and Fourth Street and no corner adjoining or being shown to the contrary.

Decree approximately $742.75 besides interest, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Lawrence A. Pollard, et ux, et als, Defendant, and taken in execution at the suit of Samuel M. Collins, Complainant, and to be sold by

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated July 16, 1931.
Lester A. Turak, Sol'r.
Printers' Adv. Fee—$18.48.
7-16 to 8-6-31

Bowstrom, Hardwick and Hughes, ensigns in the U. S. Navy, and former Annapolis football stars, will be assistant coaches at the U. S. naval Academy this fall.

The bootleggers now have a social register of their own. It's called "Whose Hooch."

MOORESTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bleam, of Moorestown, were the only attendants at the wedding of Miss Elva Mae Lord and Clarence Bleam, at Woodbury Heights Presbyterian Church, Saturday evening.

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Mrs. T. H. Dudley Perkins and Mrs. Francis W. D'Oller, of Evergreen Lawn, are leaving this week for Buck Hill Falls, Pa., where they have taken a cottage for the remainder of the summer.

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Mrs. George B. Ferrier, Sr., of Chester avenue, has gone to Seaside Park for the summer.

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Mrs. Henry H. Stiles and daughter, Betty, of East Main street, spent Monday and Tuesday in Ocean City.

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Mrs. Warren Harper Jefferis, of North Washington avenue, entertained on Thursday afternoon in honor her daughter "Sunny's" fourth birthday. Twenty-one children were present.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Davidyan, of Camden avenue, are in Christmas Cove, Maine, where they will remain until about September 1.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burton E. Thresher, and children, of East Central avenue, are in Randolph, Vermont, until Fall.

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A meeting of worship will be held at Friends' Easton Meeting House, south of Masonville, on Sunday, July 26, at 4 o'clock. At 5:30 o'clock a basket supper will be served on the lawn a community meeting will be held at the Chapel at 7 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

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Mrs. Charles W. Morthand, of East Main street, left last week to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Snare, of Absecon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Reeve, of Kings Highway, are leaving this week for an extended stay at Lake Placid, N. Y.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred L. Deyo, and son, Livingston, of East Oak avenue, are spending the remainder of the summer at their cottage at Norwich Lake, in the Berkshire Hills, Mass.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Smith, of Camden avenue, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Robert Harvey, in Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly, on Saturday afternoon.

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Mrs. William G. LeConey and Mr. and Mrs. Everett LeConey, of West Main street, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred LeConey of Plainfield.

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Miss Elizabeth Klauder, of Camden avenue, entertained at dinner on Saturday evening. Covers were laid for twelve. The party later enjoyed the dance at Spring Hill Country Club, near Maple Shade.

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Mildred Evans, of Woodstown, is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. William C. Wurst, of Snyder Place.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Slimm, of Haddonfield, Mrs. William Ward, son, Thomas, and Miss Kathryn Fitzgerald, of West Third street, spent Sunday in Atlantic City.

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Miss Harriet Stewart, of East Second street, and Joseph Gale, of Mount Holly, spent Sunday in Atlantic City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Virgil F. Binford, of Richmond, Indiana, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Helen Hollinshead, born in Coleman Hospital, Indianapolis, Indiana, on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Binford will be remembered to her friends here as Miss Marianna Dudley, daughter of Levi L. and Emma R. Dudley, of East Second street.

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Mrs. George Hillman and daughter, Miss Alice Hillman, of West Second street, returned home on Saturday after visiting Mrs. Robert Strawbridge, of Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Strawbridge will be remembered as Miss Dorothy Hillman.

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Miss Verona Waldis, of Snyder Place, is spending this week with her anut and uncle, Mr and Mrs. A. Michaels, of Sydenham street, Philadelphia.

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Jackie Herman, of West Third street, had his tonsils and adenoids removed on Friday at the Collingswood private hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. William H. Richie, and family, of Maple avenue, were guests at the Chalfonte-Haddon Hall, Atlantic City, over the weekend on the occassion of Mr. Richie's visit to the Atlantic City Friends' Meeting. Mrs. Richie, and daughter, Ruth, returned home on Tuesday.

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Recent bookings for air trips from Central Airport, Camden, through Stockwell-Knight Company, local agents, include Mrs. Robert Hamilton, to Washington; Dr. and Mrs. Harry L. Rogers, to Atlantic City; Miss Belle Taggart, to Atlantic City, and Misses Agnes Cunningham and Marie Hussey, to New York.

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The Misses Mary and Sarah Conover, and nephew, Stanley Wells, of West Central avenue, left on Monday for a two weeks' stay in Ocean Grove.

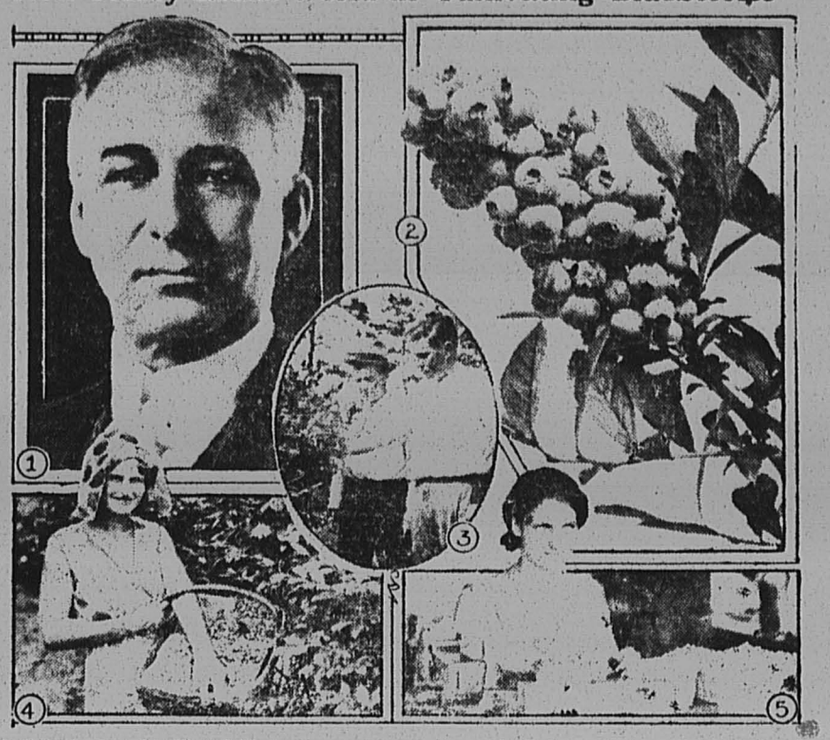
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F. W. Grube, chairman of the Township Committee; Jack, Peg, and Jane Grube, of Central avenue, enjoyed the weekend in Ocean City with Mrs. Grube, who is spending the summer there.

COUNTY POPULATION 93,541

The official figure for Burlington County's population as shown in the 1931 census is 93,541, of which 77,592 are native whites, 9157 foreign-born whites and 6762 colored. In 1920, there were 4493 colored, 8974 foreign-born whites and 66,260 native whites.

New Jersey Leads World in Cultivating Blueberries



The largest crop of cultivated blueberries ever grown, the product of a new farm industry that is booming despite world-wide complaints of agricultural depression, is now being shipped from Pemberton. The crop this year is described by growers as being of "exceptionally high quality" and it will amount to from 240,000 to 256,000 quarts. Virtually all cultivated blueberries are grown in New Jersey. Shown above are (1) Dr. Frederick V. Coville, U. S. Department of Agriculture botanist whose pioneer experiments made possible the commercial cultivation of blueberries; (2) A cluster of cultivated berries, one-third natural size; (3) Charles H. Beckwith (left) blueberry expert of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station, and Stanley Coville (right) son of Dr. Coville, and manager of the Blueberry Cooperative Association; (4) and (5) harvesting and grading blueberries.



THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

A SUGAR REVIEW

My patient readers may be possibly amazed at some of the ideas here advanced. Let me say at the outset that I very seldom peddle the ideas of others—at least I seldom quote; but much of the thought herein expressed is borrowed from current literature.

An authority from Vienna attributes "strikingly favorable results" in the treatment of heart disease and stomach ulcers, with table sugar. If I had these sort of complaints, I'd consult my doctor as to how to use the sweet. You know, sugar is one of our staples.

The value of sugar "in relieving fatigue and supplying quick energy," also has scientific endorsement. The Vienna authority is of certain widely prevalent disease. He (Dr. Rochi) claims to have used sugar in the treatment of stomach and duodenal ulcers, with good success. He noticed increase of appetite, with better food-tolerance, in an increased supply of mucous, favored by the sugar.

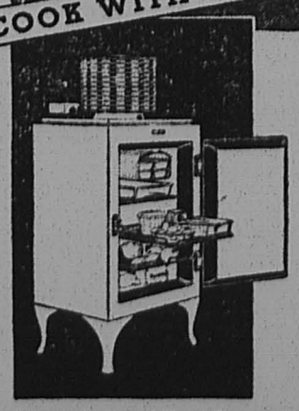
He saw improvement in the habitual constipation in such cases, with notable gain in weight. Too, remarkable increase in nerveforces, less melancholia, and more happy disposition in the gloomy victims.

The relief was not immediate, but gradual and lasting. He says, "sugar is the most important nutritional element of the heart, in that it lowers blood pressure and stimulates the liver and kidneys." Dr. Donald A. Laird of Colgate University, contributes to a scientific symposium on sugar; he states that sugar contributes to restful sleep. This argues, almost, for a chocolate at bedtime, doesn't it?

Dr. Laird also declares it to be valuable in curing "vague feelings of fatigue, so common among physicians' patients." A remedy for "that tired feeling," so commonly met. In short, if sugar helps relieve mental and physical fire, and favors restful sleep, then it certainly is among our most valued foods.

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MISS SHREVE HEADS CO. LEGION AUXILIARY

Moorestown Woman Is Chosen President for 1931-1932 At Florence Meeting

Miss Sara Shreve, of North Church street, Moorestown, was elected president of the Burlington County American Legion Auxiliary for the year 1931-1932, at the meeting of the county group held at Florence on Friday evening.

Other members of the county executive board, who will serve with Miss Shreve are Miss Elsie C. Smith, Beverly, first vice-president; Mrs. Eleanor Sampson, of Burlington, second vice-president; Mrs. A. Lippincott, of Palmyra, treasurer; Mrs. Sallie Wissman, of Maple Shade, historian; Mrs. John W. Smith, of Beverly, chaplain, and Mrs. Rhilla Lamson, of Bordentown, sergeant-at-arms.

Miss Shreve succeeds Mrs. W. Rewalt Shinn, who at the time of the election was chosen official representative of the Burlington county women to the department convention of Atlantic City in September.

Two members of the Burlington County Auxiliary are candidates for state offices. Miss Minnie B. Ivins, of Beverly, is running for first vice president, and Mrs. John W. Smith, also of Beverly, for sergeant-at-arms. Both have been unanimously endorsed by auxiliary members from their own county.

FOUR LENOLA YOUTHS ON RESERVE TRAINING CRUISE

The following U. S. Naval Reserves of the 9th Division, 2nd Battalion, Camden, will sail on Saturday on the U. S. S. Fairfax for two weeks' training cruise: Joseph H. Morris, coxswain; Stanley F. Willis, seaman, second class; George N. Compton, seaman, second class; and Joseph F. Ackroyd, seaman, second class, all of Lenola. Bermuda will be visited.

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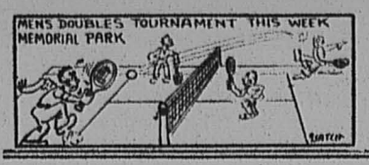
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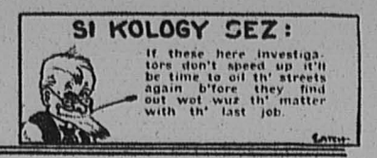
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RIVERTON'S CIRCUS IS HUGE SUCCESS

More Than 1000 Witness Varied Program Supervised by Play Directors

Barnum and Bailey's circus never had a more enthusiastic and appreciative audience than that which witnessed the talent displayed by young er Riverton at Memorial Park Monday evening. The circus, under the direction of Miss Maxine Meitzner and Richard Snyder, Park play directors, was the stellar attraction of the season so far.

The park was lined with cars in every possible parking place and those who came by foot had the cool green grass as their cushions, and more than a thousand people enjoyed the big show.

The grand march, led by Russell Trautman, ringmaster, started at 7:45 and every minute up until 9 o'clock was filled with laughter.

The first number on the program was a selection by the Bumplayers' band. "Spring Time in the Rockies," with "Yankee Doodle" as an encore.

After the audience had so ably withstood the onslaught of the music the ringmaster felt sure that they could receive the next act without too much strain upon their nerves. Miss Dolores De Termined, (La Lora Cartman) gave the onlookers a very clever piece of tight rope walking. This feat was extremely difficult as the rope lay flat upon the ground. Several times the crowd gasped at the narrow escapes from accident.

The Careless Cadets gave the spectators a little breathing spell. The captain of the Cadets was John Wallace.

His company was made up of so many different types of men that it was almost impossible for them all to think alike at the same moment.

About fifteen young ladies next entertained with a dance. According to the ringmaster they were a group of Dryads, but to the audience they looked just like pajama girls.

The last act before intermission was Marvo, the Masked Magician, ably taken by Rodman Merrill, who kept his followers constantly surprised.

During intermission Fred Whartnaby, the boy tenor of Riverton, entertained with three numbers and even then the crowd was reluctant to let him go.

Miss Yvonne Pennington rendered a beautiful cornet solo as her part to fill in the time of intermission.

Little Marjorie Henderson, about four years old, did her part as a fancy dancer to perfection.

One of the funniest things of the evening was the act of the trained ostriches. (Frank Wallace and Roy den Spear) They acted so nearly human that at any moment they were expected to speak. When Ringmaster Trautman told them what fine birds he thought they were Ura Bozo objected and knocked off the ringmaster's high silk hat.

The boxing bout by the Sutters brothers was as real as any ever seen in a ring. The referee, who had the unhappy faculty of always getting in the way, was finally knocked out by the brothers who shortly knocked each other out.

An act of true skill was the pyramid building by a number of the girl athletes of Riverton. Never a slip marred the perfect balance of this act.

Ben Hur surely looked like a piker after seeing th echariot race. Two dainty little girls, Sylvia Reynolds and Betty Hearn, rode in chariots drawn by Sonny Herbert and Ralph Rank. The one drawn by Ralph Rank slowed up considerably toward the end and finally crossed the line at a walk.

What a man! You have all seen strong men but the champion of strong men (Lester Yearly) visited the circus last Monday evening Garlicko! What an easy task it was for him to lift the immense iron weight and heavy dumbell. None could ever surpass him.

The last act was a class in calisthenics by the entire circus troop.

The clowns—of course there were clowns! And how they had the spectators in uproar. These parts were taken by Jack Reynolds, leader; Harry Turner, Jesse Perkins, Walter Pippit and Robert Wallace.

Those taking the other parts in the circus were: Members of the Bumplayer's Band: Fred Whartnaby, leader; William Myers, Charles Wallace, Jack McDermott, Robert Spickler, Paul McDermott, Jack Yost, Sidney White, Jimmy Ford, Tommy Ford. Junior Knoor: Careless Cadets, John Wallace, leader, Edgar Wallace, Walter Smith, William McDermott, Philip Lezenby, Charles Lezenby, Lester Yearly, George Trautman and Charles Hooke; Jockey dance, Dorothy Hooke, leader, Emily Perkins, Yvonne Pennington, Jacqueline Pennington, Peggy McDermott, Betty Turner, Peggy Faunce, Anna May Hooke, Helen Vile, Betty Nealy, Justine Smith, Marie Zimmerman and Patsy Ford; Pyramids, Ella Bussell, leader, Alice Highley, Louise McFadden, Peggy White, Frances Downes, Marion Pippit, Doris Highly, Mildred Cook, Emma Rotenbury, Sally Coddington, Becky Wallace, Nan Faunce, Gertrude Grey; Strong Man's assistants, Marilyn Burr, Judy Wigmore, Ann Laverty and Jean Bowers:

Custodians of properties were Frances Wallace and Helen McFadden.

Many will remember this circus as one of the most interesting and exciting things that has happened in Riverton for a long while.

The total attendance at the playground for the week was 1500.

Post Office Now "OK", Passed by Boro Inspectors

The necessary repairs which Borough building inspectors declared must be made in the new Palmyra post office, have been completed, complying with all statutes set forth in the Palmyra building code.

Supporting bolts and plates for basement beams have been put in place and Building Inspector John A. Eichner has declared the building to be in perfect condition.

A permit for the additional building program which was carried on by John S. Warner, after he had obtained a license for $2600 of construction work, has been issued. The Palmyra realtor declares he had made arrangements with the building inspector whereby he was to have been allowed to take out a license for the additional work after the building had been completed. The delay in applying for the addtional license was made because the building has not as yet been finished. This report was confirmed by Mr. Eichner.

MILLER TO SPEAK AT MOUNT HOLLY

George School Director to Give Ideals of Social Program

The series of public meetings which are being held during July at the Friends' Meeting House in Mount Holly will conclude with an address by Richmond P. Miller, director of Religious Activities at George School. The meeting will begin at 8:00 o'clock Thursday evening, July 30.

Although still a young man, Mr. Miller has a remarkable record of achievement. He took an A. B. in honours in Social Sciences at Swarthmore College and has had three years of graduate work at Harvard University, where he is preparing for a Ph. D. Degree in the field of Social Ethics. He taught for a short time at Swarthmore College before accepting the position at George School, where his work with young people is widely appreciated. While at Harvard he was elected to a Fellowship with the National Council on Religion in Higher Education, founded by the late Dr. Charles Foster Kent. In addition to his academic work in the field of Social Ethics, Mr. Miller is a member of the Board of Directors of the House of Industry, a settlement in one of the foreign sections of Philadelphia. One of his most interesting appointments is to membership with the National Conference of Jews, Catholics and Protestants which is planning for the Washington Seminar of Faiths to take place next February in Washington, D. C.

Having recently returned from the National Conference of Social Work in Minneapolis, Richmond Miller will bring to the meeting next Thursday evening not only a rich background of training and experience but also the inspiration of that great and significant conference.

BAN UNROBED BATHERS

Swim Suit Parades Forbidden at Neshaminy Falls

Bathers, who walk through the streets of Parkland and Neshaminy Falls on their way to Neshaminy Creek without coats or robes, face possible arrest by local authorities.

Year round residents of the two towns have complained of the present practice, allegedly followed by bathers who parade about in the newest and apparently scantiest suits. Feminine bathers are the worst offenders, they said.

Police have also announced that groups of bathers may not walk on the highway as in some instances they block traffic.

Dr. ROGERS OFFICE HOURS

From August 1st until after Labor Day Dr. Harry L. Rogers, of Riverton, will be in his office Monday morning only at 9 a. m.

During his absence Dr. Imhoff will have the following office hours:

9 to 10 a. m. daily.
7:30 to 8:30 except Wednesday.
6:00 to 7:00 p. m. Saturday.

Traffic Record, Set Two Weeks Ago, Falls

A traffic mark set two weeks ago for the number of vehicles crossing the Tacony-Palmyra bridge was bettered last Sunday when a 24-hour stream of cars shattered all previous marks.

The old mark of approximately 17,000 cars passed into oblivion as 18,205 automobiles used the Palmyra span. The previous record set on July 12, set a new mark for Sunday traffic and for a two-day period.

Although Saturday's traffic set no new single-day record, the number of cars using the bridge for the week-end, established the new two-day high peak.

Palmyra police have noticed the increase in traffic each succeeding week and Chief of Police C. Morris Beck expects the 25,000 mark to be reached before the end of the summer.

RIVERTON COPS UNCOVER STILL

Raid East Riverton Home and Get 10 Gallon Hooch Machine and 25 Gallons of Mash

William Young, colored, of East Riverton, was arrested last Thursday night on a complaint of his wife who charged disorderly conduct. Officers Gootee and Robinson made the arrest at 11:45 p. m., and Young was given a hearing before Police Recorder Bowers. He was found guilty and fined $25.00 and $5.00 costs.

While the trial was in progress Chief Miller and Officer Gootee went to Young's home and found a 10-gallon still, one coil and cooling tub, a small amount of alleged whiskey and 25 gallons of mash.

These were confiscated by the police and taken to headquarters, and Young charged with illegally making and possessing liquor.

He was released under $100 bond furnished by George Blake for his appearance at Mount Holly to answer to the liquor charges.

Thomas Slemelski, of 1245 Chase street, Camden, was arrested by Officer Gootee last Friday and charged with reckless driving. At a hearing before Recorder Bowers he was fined $3.00 and costs which he paid.

James McCafferty, of Torresdale, was arrested on Tuesday night by Officer Robinson on the complaint of another motorist who accused him with zig-zagging down the road. Robinson had him examined by a physician who did not pronounce him drunk. At a hearing before Bowers he was charged with reckless driving and fined $5.00 and $1.00 costs.

Eugene J. King, of James street, Torresdale, Philadelphia, was arrested at Broad and Main streets, Riverton, 10:30 p. m. last Sunday as a drunken driver. He was taken before Dr. H. B Mark who pronounced him drunk and unfit to operate a motor vehicle. At a hearing before Recorder Bowers he was fined $200 and $21 costs. King paid his fine and was released.

AN APPEAL TO RIVERTON PARENTS

In the interest of public decency and the morals of our youth, parents of boys and girls over 14 years of age are requested to see that they are properly clad while going to and from Memorial Park and other swimming places. The park has been provided as a place of wholesome recreation. Let none of its legitimate uses be turned into a public reproach.

The Department of Public Safety requests the co-operation of parents and the older boys and girls themselves.

CHARLES DeLANEY,
Director.

CO. BIBLE CLASSES TO MEET AT DELANCO SUNDAY AT 3 P. M.

The Burlington County Federation of Men's Bible Classes will hold its regular monthly meeting Sunday at the Camp Meeting Grounds in Delanco at 3.00 p. m., where the members of that organization will be the guests of the combined churches of the community.

The Rev. Leo M. Johnson, of West Collingswood, will be the speaker of the occasion and the Mount Holly band and a double quartet will furnish the music and aid in the singing.

During the summer months the organization is holding its meetings outdoors and the ladies are cordially invited to be present. In September they will again hold church meetings for men only.

Mayor George N. Wimer, of Palmyra, who is the county president of the Federation, is asking for a large attendance at Sunday's meeting.

LIONS' CLUB PICNIC

The Palmyra-Riverton Lions' Club together with their families and friends will hold a basket picnic on Wednesday afternoon, August 5 at Camp Lingohocken on the upper Rancocas creek, a beautiful spot near the Ewansville station. Dave Schwartz and Gus Weber are the committee in charge and have reported arrangements for baseball, quoits, cards, bathing and canoeing on the list of events. Doc Dunn and Bill McCamy are the aces in the quoit tossers section of the club and claim they will hold their own against all comers.

PALMYRA MAN HURT

John Brotten, Palmyra, was seriously injured early Sunday when his automobile skidded off River road and turned over. Britten was taken to Zurbrugg Memorial Hospital, Riverside, where he was found to be suffering from a fractured pelvis bone, possible fracture of the hip and cuts and bruises of face and body. He was removed to Cooper Hospital for treatment later Sunday.

HELEN E. SNYDER

Helen E. Snyder, sixteen months old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Snyder, of Delair, died at the home of her parents Monday. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon with the Rev. Fred P. Meeks officiating. Interment was made in the Fernwood Cemetery, Philadelphia, under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

MANY PASS LIFE SAVING TESTS

Rapid Progress Being Made in Red Cross Examinations at Memorial Park

The following Riverton boys and girls have passed their beginners test in life saving as required by the Red Cross Life Saving Examinations: Marie Zimmerman, Mildred Cook, James Ford, James Zink, Emma Rotenbury, Bernard Martin, Dorothy Simons, Helen Vile, Elmer Sutters, William Meyers, Robert Wallace, Joseph Allen, Frank Wallace, Elmer Reed, George Sutters, Charles Wallace, from Palmyra, Paul Gibbons, Marjorie Koenig, Harry Gibbons, Walter Eck, Ernest Priscoli, Charles Eck, Montgomery Simons, Edward Hoff, Anna Sprenkel, Louise Peters, Charlotte Moore, William Harding, Betty Neely, William McDermott, Peggy White, Sydney White, John MacAnnulty and Joe Prisco.

Charlotte Moore and William McDermott have completed the swimmers' test.

Classes in Life Saving are scheduled for this week as follows:

1:30-2:00—Instruction in diving at Riverton Yacht Club.

2:00-3:00—Junior and Senior life saving—Riverton Yacht Club.

3:00-3:30—Beginners and swimmers tests at park.

3:30-5:00—Instructions in swimming at the park.

The schedule for the following week will be scheduled on the park bulletin board.

Also on the park bulletin board will be scheduled:

10:00-11:00—Games and instructions in tap dancing.

11:00-12:00—Basketry.

ROTARY DINES IN THE PINES

Club Guest of Dr. C. S. Mills at His Lake Cottage in Browns Mills

Last week's meeting of the Palmyra-Riverton Rotary Club was held in the cottage of Dr. C. S. Mills at Browns Mills in the Pines.

The meeting was of short duration with no speaker, and most of the Rotarians were infected with the bracing pine air and soon commenced to find ways and means of "cutting up" and having a general good time.

Quite a number donned suits and jumped into the lake for a swim. Others sought amusement in canoes. Maurice DeCoursey, assistant secretary at the Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company, was the guest of Rotary this week and was being paddled around the lake by Howard Conover and Clem Lewis in a canoe. These gentlemen, being optimists, went canoeing fully clad and were peacefully paddling across the lake when they were spied by two fun-hungry sharks, George Rogers and Ross Mattis.

An attack was immediately planned and the occupants of the frail craft were seriously threatened with a ducking. The sharks were insistent and were about to carry out their designs when somebody happened to remember that Mr. DeCoursey was a guest, which saved the day and sent the sharks, still hungry for fun, in quest of other quarry.

The group continued to enjoy their visit until about ten o'clock and then divided up into cars and came home voting Mrs. Sharpless a good caterer and Dr. Mills an excellent host.

HURT IN CRASH

Obstacle in Eye of Driver Causes Collision on Broad Street

One driver was slightly hurt in a minor auto accident on Broad street near Leconey avenue, Palmyra, Tuesday morning.

The injured man, James L. James, colored, of Broad street, East Riverton, was taken to Dr. Dean H. LeFavor, where he was found to have received bruises of the thigh, arm and wrist.

James was driving toward West Palmyra when he was struck by a machine driven by Gennardo Dunnunsio, 941 So. 4th street, Camden.

Dunnunsio claimed he was attempting to brush something out of his eye and temporarily lost control of the car, which was coming from the direction of Camden. James, swerving to the right, avoided a head-on collision by his quick thinking, and Dunnunzio crashed into James' fender.

At a hearing conducted Wednesday morning the drivers agreed to settle the matter between themselves.

DOUBLE WEDDING

The marriages of Miss Minna Renshaw to Louis C. Hahle and Miss Gladys Billman to Carl Paulus will take place at a double ceremony on Saturday, August 22. Both Miss Renshaw and Miss Billman are Palmyra girls, while the prospective bridegrooms are residents of Riverside.

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THE EDITOR.

GIVEN 150 DAYS IN DOUBLE CRASH

Stanley Sypeck Hits Car on River Road, Then Smashes Stand

Stanley Sypeck, of Columbus avenue and Bordentown road, East Burlington, is in the Burlington county jail at Mount Holly serving a 150-day sentence imposed Sunday night by Police Recorder George Wesley Perkins, of Delanco. He was arraigned on four charges.

His car collided on the River road between Delanco and Beverly early Saturday with another driven by Milton Rigg, of East Broad Street, Burlington, son of Councilman George Rigg, of Burlington.

After striking the Rigg car Sypeck's machine demolished the roadside stand of Fred Austin.

Sypeck fled from the scene and was arrested in Riverside several hours later by Trooper Herbert Lauterwald, of the Delanco state police barracks; Chief of Delanco Police William Landh and Patrolman John Pitman, of the Riverside police.

Arraigned before Perkins, Sypeck was given 90 days for drunken driving, 30 days for disorderly conduct, 30 days for reckless driving and was fined $25 and costs for leaving the scene of the accident.

Mrs. Fred Austin, of Riverside, whose husband owns the stand, and her mother, were thrown from bed when the car crashed into the stand. Neither woman was hurt.

Produce Scattered

Watermelons and other produce were strewn over River Road from force of the car's collision with the road stand. The roof of the stand collapsed on the machine.

Rigg escaped inhurt from the crash, but Miss Helen Stiles, of Springside, Burlington, who was riding in the Rigg car, suffered lacerations of the left leg and shock.

Rigg told troopers he saw the other machine approaching him at what he described as a "terrific rate of speed," and tried to dodge the car. His efforts were unsuccessful and his machine was wrecked. The other car kept careening down the road, ending up in the road stand.

Car Enters Bedroom

Mrs. Austin told troopers the car had gone almost completely through the stand into the bedroom occupied by herself and her mother.

Miss Stiles is employed at the Burlington Tak-About Store, which Rigg recently bought. The girl's injuries were treated by L. C. Boyd, Delanco druggist.

Miss Stiles is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stiles, of Spring side.

COUNTY BOY SCOUTS WILL HOLD CAMP FIRE RECALL FRIDAY NIGHT

Tomorrow night the Burlington County Boy Scouts will hold a camp fire recall at their camp, near Wrightstown.

All parents and friends of Scouting are cordially invited to be present, as all camp awards and scout badges will be presented to those boys having won them during the summer encampment.

Supper will be served at seven o'clock at a very nominal charge. Cars will leave Palmyra station at 5.4 5p. m. A large attendance is hoped for.

ANNUAL HARVEST HOME AUGUST 20

Special Music, Speakers and Fancy Table to Add to Festivities

The time has come again for the Asbury Harvest Home, August 20, at Giberson's grove (formerly Hunter's Grove) on the Taylor Lane road. This is the one great get-together of everybody, and the time is anxiously waited for from one year to the next.

All sorts of games and sports will be indulged in by the younger members of the group.

Special music has been promised for the occasion and the ladies' fancy bazaar will have its usual place.

If stormy, the Harvest Home will be held on Friday the 21st.

Prisco — Franklin

Mrs. Sophie Burkhardt, of Leconey avenue, Palmyra, announces the marriage of her daughter, Mrs. Marie Franklin, to William Prisco, son of Mrs. Thomas Prisco, also of Palmyra.

The couple were married at the home of the Rev. H. L. Creager, of Garfield avenue, Palmyra, Saturday morning, July 11. The only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schopp, of Lincoln avenue, Palmyra.

Immediately following the ceremony the newlyweds left on a motor trip to Watkins Glen, N. Y., Montreal, Canada and Niagara Falls.

They will be at home to their many friends at 1014 Cinnaminson avenue, Palmyra, after August 1. Both Mr. and Mrs. Prisco are well known in this vicinity. He is employed at the Lester S. Fortnum Ford Agency in Palmyra.

NOTICE TO LIBRARY PATRONS

Repairs at the Riverton Free Library will not be completed by August 3rd as anticipated. Subscribers will be notified later of opening date.

Baird Blasts Theory On Summer Campaigns

David Baird, Jr., Republican gubernatorial nominee, is blasting into bits the theory that effective political campaigning cannot be done in the summer months.

Mr. Baird, who became a candidate with the conviction that all the people of the state should have an opportunity to study at close range those who seek elective office, is meeting with an enthusiastic response rare in the state's political history. With the close cooperation of Republican county committees, his tours have been conducted with clock-like precision and he has been able to meet personally hundreds who previously have had a lack of interest in politics because they were able to know the candidate only from the back seat of an auditorium.

Injecting into this gubernatorial race an unusual and novel method of campaigning, Senator Baird has consistently declined to make long, laborious speeches of ballyhoo at the various meetings he attends, preferring to allow the voters to judge him as they meet him and chat with him. The plan he is following is his own and its effectiveness has been clearly demonstrated.

REBUILD BRIDGE AT MOORESTOWN

Freeholders Award Contract for Pleasant Valley Avenue Structure

The Burlington County Board of Freeholders received bids at its regular meeting last Friday for the reconstruction of an "I" beam bridge, B4.75, over the Pensauken Creek at Pleasant Valley avenue, in Moorestown township. The Hill Construction Company was the low bidder and received the contract.

Following are the bids: William C. Cook, $3,666.00; Medford Concrete Company, $2,927.90; Charles S. Moses, $3,473.00; Matazzio Concrete Company, $3,729.53; William Conard, $5,000.00; Kolyn Construction Company, $4,879.00; Hill Construction Company, $2,579.21.

Bids were also received for floor covering at the tuberculosis sanitorium at New Lisbon.

The bids were as follows: New Jersey Floor Covering Company, rubber $1,625.00, linoleum $935.00; T. Stefanski, rubber $2,280.00, linoleum $1,395.00; Steadman Rubber Flooring Company, rubber $1,912.00, no bid on linoleum; Guarantee Floor Covering Company, bid was not accompanied by certified check and therefore rejected; N. Shellenburg & Company, rubber $3,069.42, linoleum $1,066.92; Marbleoid Company, rubber $2,135.00, no bid on linoleum; Livzey Linoleum Floors, Inc., rubber $2,075.00, linoleum $1,065.00; Holmes & Brown, Inc., rubber $2,098.00, linoleum $1,340.00; Lit Brothers, rubber $1,895.00, linoleum $1,267.56; Strawbridge & Clothier rubber $2,200.00, linoleum $1,150.00; Swern & Company, rubber $1,825.00, linoleum $995.00.

The contract will not be awarded until later.

A communication was received from the Township of Medford asking the freeholders to repair a concrete railing on a bridge over Haines Creek at Medford. The engineer was instructd to draw up plans and specifications and have the clerk advertise for bids.

Director of Bridges McCormick reported the bridges F8.2 and F8.3 at Herman, near Batsto, were in bad condition and recommended that as these bridges were built 16 years ago that they be rebuilt and not repaired.

Resolutions by Director of Roads Stout granted permission to the Public Service Electric Company to erect 56 poles and necessary equipment on the Jacksonville Road and six poles on Church Road at Ark Road, near Medford.

Permission was also granted the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company to construct a conduit on Polk street, Riverside.

Another communication was received from the Township of Bordentown in reference to repairing a portion of the old state highway which was abandoned by the state and lies in the township. The freeholders agreed to fix the paving and charge cost of materials to the township.

A representative from the Federal Laboratories, Inc., of Pittsburgh demonstrated tear gas weapons which are wanted by Sheriff Shinn for use in the county jail. Action on their purchase was held over.

On August 10, the State Association of Freeholders will visit Burlington county and take a trip down the Delaware on the steamship Brandywine. Boat leaves Burlington at one o'clock and will return at four thirty. Tickets, including a dinner served by McAllister, are $3.00.

The following departmental bills were paid: Finance, $706.85; Roads, $25,575.56; Bridges, $2,592.17; Building, $14,299.60; Affairs, $10,568.26.

NEW RIVERTON P. O. SCHEDULE

On Saturdays, from now until and including September 5, the Riverton Post Office will open at 7 a. m. and close at 5 p. m. This change is necessitated by an Act of Congress recently passed, shortening the working time.

REPUBLICAN CLUB ENDORSES TICKET

Lauds President Hoover for "Clearness of Vision" and "Adherence to Purpose"

Every candidate on the Republican ticket has the unqualified endorsement of the Women's Republican Club of Burlington County.

A resolution supporting the entire ticket was passed at the last meeting and sent to Charles R. Stout, chairman of the county Republican organization. A resolution endorsing the candidacy of David Baird was likewise passed and sent to him.

The president of the United States was accorded a vote of confidence in another resolution passed and mailed to him.

Chairman Stout was assured of the loyal support of the organization in giving the ticket a large majority on election day and was promised full co-operation in the coming campaign.

To Mr. Baird the club expressed its confidence in his fitness and cited his many qualifications for the position of chief executive of the state.

President Hoover was warmly complimented in a resolution by the club. It pointed especially the "clearness and extent of his vision," and "His adherence to purpose in face of difficulty and at a cost of personal sacrifice."

The three resolutions were passed by a unanimous vote of the members and were signed by Mrs. Nellie V. Russell, chairman of the resolutions committee, and were as follows:

To Charles R. Stout:

At the last meeting of the Women's Republican Club of Burlington County, it was resolved that as a Club we endorse the entire Republican ticket. We pledge our loyal support and assure you of our cooperation in the activities of the coming campaign.

To Mr. David Baird:

At the last meeting of the Women's Republican Club of Burlington county, it was resolved that as a club we endorse the candidacy of Mr. David Baird, Republican nominee for the office of Governor.

This in recognition of such elements of fitness as he presents for the office; his ability as a leader, his experience in matters of government, his directness, firmness and other such qualities, all essential to the effecting of good government.

We pledge our active and loyal support in his interest in the coming campaign.

To His Excellency, Herbert Hoover:

At the last meeting of the Women's Republican Club of Burlington county, it was resolved that as a club we should send to our President an expression of appreciation and endorsement of his administration.

We especially note

The clearness and extent of his vision.

His adherence to purpose in face of difficulty and at cost of personal sacrifice.

The depth of feeling as a factor in his devotion to a cause.

His ability.

His leadership as commanding our admiration.

His application of Christian principles in the matter of world friendship.

Weaver — Cramer

Announcement has just been made by Mrs. Alfred Cramer, Jr., of the marriage of her daughter, Priscilla, to James Clayborn Weaver, of Durham, N. C.

The wedding took place at Elkton, Md., on Friday, July 24.

NEW STATION OPENS

H. B. Williams, prominent coal dealer in Palmyra, is opening his new service station at the intersection of River road and new State Highway S-41, Saturday, August 1. This station was formerly located on the Bridge Boulevard in Camden and was moved to its present location and erected by George W. Shaner & Sons, local contractors. Every improvement has been made to completely modernize the station and the products of the Standard Oil Company will be sold. John Goodwin, of Riverton will manage the station assisted by Harry F. Baltinger, of Palmyra.

TEEPLE'S NARROWLY ESCAPE SERIOUS ACCIDENT IN CAR

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Teeple narrowly escaped a serious accident last Thursday night when their car was struck by one driven by Leon Donelon, of Camden. Donelon was rounding a corner near Burlington and claims he did not see the Teeple car until he hit it. Mrs. Teeple was bruised against the windshield and badly bruised. At the hearing before Recorder Harry McCloskey, of Beverly, Donelon was fined for reckless driving. Trooper Caisse, of the Delanco barracks, made the arrest.

Catherine Lenhart

Mrs. Catherine Lenhart, of Riverton, died at her home Tuesday noon.

Funeral services will be held Friday at ten o'clock from the Snover Funeral Home. Friends may call Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lenhart is survived by her husband, Frank, and two children, Mrs. Anna Kinter and Louis Jackle, both of Riverton.

MISS SHOCKLEY WEDS PALMYRIAN

William Edgar Hinchman Takes Camden Girl as Bride in Spring Lake Church

The marriage of Miss Doris Ethyl Shockley, daughter of George F. E. Shockley and the late Mrs. Shockley, of 536 State street, Camden, and William Edgar Hinchman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Hinchman, of Palmyra, took place Saturday afternoon in the Methodist Church at Spring Lake, N. J.

The ceremony was performed at 3:30 o'clock by the pastor of the church, the Rev. E. Moore Blake.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attired in a lovely creation of ivory satin made on princess lines with long tight sleeves and a touch of lace in the neckline. Her tulle veil was also trimmed in lace and was held in place by a cluster of orange blossoms. She carried an arm bouquet of white roses and babysbreath.

Miss Mildred Shockley was her sister's only attendant. She wore a frock of yellow chiffon with matching yellow mits and picture hat. She carried an arm spray of tea roses and delphinium.

Floyd W. Shockley, of Camden, brother of the bride, obliged as best man.

A reception was held at the Spring Lake Hotel immediately following the ceremony, after which, Mr. Hinchman and his bride left on a motor trip.

On their return they will make their home at 803 Parry avenue, Palmyra, receiving after September 7.

MISS HARRIETT BOWE RESERVE SECRETARY

To Assume Duties With Y. W. C. A. September 1, Succeeding Miss Shipley Who Resigned

Miss Harriett Bowe, who will come to the Burlington County Y. W. C. A. on September 1 as Girl Reserve Secretary, succeeding Miss Beatrice Shipley, who resigned in June, comes from the Carlisle, Pa. association where she has been the Girl Reserve Secretary since 1928.

Besides this three years' experience in the Association she has had previous volunteer experience of various kinds. She has served as Sunday School teacher, Girl Reserve adviser, adviser of a business college club, was active in the Student Y. W. C. A. while in college, and has had two years of experience as camp counselor, one at Camp Wildwood, Columbus, Ohio, and the other at Camp Craig, in Ohio.

Miss Bowe's home is in Chagrin Falls, Ohio. She is a graduate of Wittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio, in 1928. Her major interests there were religion, sociology and English. During the summer of 1928 she attended the national Y. W. C. A. school for rural secretaries at Camp Maqua, Poland Springs, Maine.

ERDMAN HAS FEW DAY'S VACATION; HE FLIES TO CHICAGO

"Jim" Erdman, chief pilot at Moorestown airport, is much like the sailor who spent his "leave" rowing a boat, or the trolley motorman who enjoyed his day off riding on one of vehicles he operated the other six days a week.

Last week "Jim" took a few days off from piloting students and passengers for the Burlington County Aero Club and decided to go to Chicago on a combined business and pleasure trip.

How did he travel? Why by air line, and reports he had the time of his life comfortably seated in a cabin plane with somebody else doing the piloting. "Jim" also says that he saved time and money by traveling the "air way".

The plane on which he was riding "laid over" at Akron airport for a few minutes and Erdman had an opportunity to get a glimpse of the Navy's new dirigible, the U. S. S. Akron, to be christened Saturday, August 8. He described it as "mammoth . . . looks like a modern skyscraper laid on its side."

FUGITIVE DROWNS

Burlington Man Jumps into Creek To Escape Police

John Henry Hutchins, a 24 year old colored man of Burlington was drowned in Assiscunk Creek early Monday morning while fleeing from Burlington Police.

The drowning followed a chase through Burlington with the colored man leading Patrolman John Tryhuszak and Nathaniel Estilow in a chase that started at Jones avenue, where the man was caught trying to break into the home of William Price.

After the man's body was taken from the water, five minutes after he sank from sight, a first aid corps worked over it two hours in an attempt at resuscitation.

DRIVERS WARNED OF SPEED TRAP ON BRUNSWICK PIKE

Motorists using the Brunswick Pike, Route No. 26, are advised by the Keystone Automobile Club of New Jersey to look for the "speed trap" signs erected on a section of the pike by the club—and to govern themselves accordingly. These signs have been erected in Lawrence township, on the outskirts of Trenton. They were placed with the co-operation of the police, who are willing that motorists have full and fair warning of the enforcement plans.

The fellow who once hoarded his money was a miser, but the fellow who can do it now is a wizard.—Hampton Chronicle.

DUMONT'S OLD DUTCH CHURCH



—Photo by the Pathfinder of the Motor Club of New Jersey

Old Dutch Church in Dumont, erected one hundred and twenty-one years ago and still used as a place of worship. This is one of the reminders of the Dutch settlers who colonized and named Bergen county. The Dutch Reformed Church is one of the oldest religions in this state. Records tell of the organization of a Dutch church at Bergen in 1660, which probably antedates any other religious order in that section of the state.

Scout Camp To Close Successful Season With Annual Recall Campfire Event; Public Invited; Must Make Reservations

One of the biggest events of an unusually successful summer will be the annual Recall Campfire at Camp Mahalala, the county Boy Scout camp. This affair will be held on the last night of camp—Friday, July 31. The regular summer training camp closes on August first after six full weeks, but as usual the camp will be busy during the weeks to come.

The Recall Campfire is open to the public, but campers, their parents and friends, as well as Scout leaders, are particularly urged to be present. Supper will be served in the Old Mill Mess Hall to those making reservations at the county Scout office, 352 High street, Burlington. At six-thirty the early comers will be served. A second table will be set up at seven o'clock.

Those unable to arrive in time for supper will no doubt be anxious to get to Mahalala in time to inspect the property. The 1931 campers are leaving many excellent improvements and have constructed a number of very interesting camp structures. The completed Nature Trail with identification tags on all trees and plants—the mammoth Totem Pole—the new Camp Entrance—these are the outstanding objects of interest which are entirely new.

The county Eagle Scout Association will have charge of a good part of the camp-fire program including the fire lighting ceremonies. The ashes of this, the last official campfire of the year, will be preserved by them to be used in lighting the first camp fire in 1932, according to Mahalala traditions.

The awarding of both Scouting and Camp insignia will take place during the program in regular Court of Honor form. At this time the best campers of the year will be awarded the coveted camp emblems.

Some of the special stunts prepared for the Midsummer Jamboree, which could not be used on account of bad weather, will be used on this night. A number of those friends attending the Jamboree have already signified their intentions of being present at the Recall Camp fire.

Reservations for supper on July 31st may be phoned to the Scout office, telephone Burlington 604, or can be mailed there.

Camp Mahalala will be quite busy during August and September. As yet however, there are quite some few open dates on the camp's schedule. Troops or organizations desiring to use the camp property should make application to E. A. Mechling of Moorestown, or to the Scout office.

CO. REPRESENTED AT 'Y' CONFERENCE

Walter Lippincott, Moorestown, and Guy C. Hendry Going to Cleveland

Walter Lippincott, of Moorestown, and county secretary Guy C. Hendry, of Mount Holly, are the Burlington county delegates to the World Conference of the Y.M.C.A. They will leave by motor on Sunday, August 2, attending only the Cleveland conference.

From some fifty nations delegates have journeyed to America with whom for two weeks U. S. leaders will discuss the problems of youth throughout the world. While the delegations from the United States and Canada have been limited to a comparatively small number, great care has been exercised to secure such leaders interested in the welfare of youth and boys themselves as can be expected to make the finest contribution to the discussions.

These conferences are most fortunate and timely, in the opinion of Dr. John R. Mott, president of the World's Alliance of Young Men's Christian Association, who will preside. "It may be questioned whether in the modern age," Dr. Mott says, "there has been assembled a gathering called upon to face a greater concentration of momentous issues involving as they do the faith, character, heroic and civilized action of world youth."

At Toronto will be held the First World's Assembly of Youth, from July 27 to August 2, and the Third World's Assembly of Boys and Workers with boys. In Cleveland, August 4 to 9, will be held the twentieth Conference of the Y. M. C. A. World's Alliance. This will be the first time in the long history of the movement, founded in England in 1844, that these meetings have been held on the North American continent. The estimated attendance will be about 1000.

At the same time and to some extent jointly, will be held the International Convention of the North American Associations, which will be attended by more than 1000 delegates. This, in turn, will be followed by a meeting of the National Council of Associations in the United States.

TABERNACLE MAN JAILED AS FIREBUG

Cranberry Employes Say They Caught Him Setting Brush Flames

Joseph Wells, 59, of Tabernacle, is in the Burlington county jail at Mount Holly in default of $2000 bail for setting forest fires.

Wells was arrested by Capt. John A. Thornburg, divisional fire warden, after several employes on the Moore cranberry bogs at Tabernacle said they caught him setting brush on fire. Floyd Moore, an employe, said he led other bog tenders in extinguishing the flames. Wells also was employed in the bogs.

When questioned by Ellis H. Parker, chief of Burlington county detectives, Wells denied the charge. Orlando B. Moore, owner of the bogs, made the formal complaint and Wells was committed to jail by Justice of the Peace J. Elton Ridgeway, Pemberton, also deputy county clerk.

Capt. Thornburg said that bogs and buildings valued at $200,000 would have been in danger had the fire gained headway.

FATHER SAVES BOY, 6, FROM ENRAGED DOG

Richard Jones, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Jones, of Branch street, Mount Holly, was bitten by a dog last week while playing. The animal grabbed the boy by the throat and the child's screams attracted the father, who beat off the animal. The boy was taken to the Burlington County Hospital, where the wound was cauterized. Frank Cannon, 29, of 292 West Washington street, Mount Holly, was changing a tire on his car and the jack slipped and the car struck him on the head. He was knocked unconscious and removed to the Burlington County Hospital. It was necessary to take four stitches in his head.

BORDENTOWN POSTPONES FOUNDING CELEBRATION

The celebration of the 250th anniversary of the founding of Bordentown has been postponed until the Fall of 1932 by a special committee as a result of an error made in date of the first settlers arriving. It was decided that the city was founded in 1862 instead of 1861 as was first supposed.

BUS LINES FAIL IN 'OPEN DOOR' FIGHT

Applications of P. S., Schlitz Denied; Trolley Line Officially 'Dead'

The Public Utility Commission last week formally approved the application of Public Service Transport Company to discontinue trolley service between Moorestown and Merchantville, which has been substituted by buses.

At the same time the commissioners denied the application of Public Service Interstate Transportation Company to operate 15 buses, and of Joseph Schlitz, to operate 10 buses for local and interstate business on the Moorestown pike route. The Public Service application was for operation between Mount Holly and Philadelphia, the Schlitz application for operation between Moorestown and Philadelphia. Both lines had obtained municipal consent, and both now operate strictly interstate buses.

The commission stated that Public Service had permission to run five buses for local business between Burlington and Moorestown by way of Mount Holly and for 15 buses between Camden and Moorestown.

"The testimony of both petitioners indicate that a service more frequent than 30 minutes during the rush hour and hourly during non-rush hours is necessary to serve the district between Moorestown and Camden," the decision states. "Nothing in the testimony indicates that a more frequent service than now afforded is necessary between Moorestown and Mount Holly. Public witnesses testified that an approximate 15-minute headway was desired between Moorestown, Maple Shade and Camden."

The commission then denies both applications on the grounds that if all the 15 buses now eligible for service between Camden and Moorestown were used a 15-minute headway could be observed without adding any more. "Upon consideration the board finds that municipal consents granted are not necessary to conserve the public interest," the decision declares.

On the trolley line abandonment the commission states that formal permission is granted for the abandonment since "the necessary agreements and consents have been filed."

S. J. BLOSSOM TIME GROUP COMPLETES ITS ORGANIZATION

The officers and organization of the newly organized South Jersey Blossom Time Association held a dinner meeting recently as guests of Leon E. Todd, proprietor of Medford Lake Lodge.

The temporary title, "South Jersey Blossom Time Association," was made the permanent name of the organization.

The matter of membership was brought up and it was decided to arrange for both individual and organization membership. Organizations taking membership in the Blossom Time Association are to cast one, two or three votes according to their size, the individual memberships being of the non voting type.

President Walter J. Buzby was authorized to appoint an Executive Committee to be comprised of two members from each of the seven South Jersey Counties (Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester and Salem). The plan to be followed in arranging for the proposed Blossom Time Celebration next Spring was left up to this Committee.

PHILA. DRIVER PAYS $21 IN 3 AUTO VIOLATIONS

Leon Gilroth, of Philadelphia, was fined an aggregate of $21 and costs when he was arraigned Sunday night before Police Recorder Cecil A. Bowers, on three charges. Gilroth, arrested by Trooper Francis Caisse, of the Delanco State Police barracks, was charged with driving without a license, operating an auto without a registration card, and driving a car showing improper lights.

When is Mule a Horse? Asks Motor Dept. Head

By Harold G. Hoffman State Commissioner of Motor Vehicles.

When is a mule a horse?

The answer to that question is that a mule is a horse when it comes within the jurisdiction of the Traffic Act of the State of New Jersey. By the same token an ox or any other animal when employed as a beast of burden also becomes a "horse."

This question and answer may strike the average person as an effort of the motor vehicle department to become humorous. As a matter of fact the question is taken from one of the most vital and useful articles of the New Jersey Traffic Act. The article is the first one of the Act and it is entitled "Definitions." It is one with which the motor vehicle officials of the State could well wish every citizen were familiar.

In literally hundreds of instances motorist are penalized for infractions of the code which clearly indicate their lack of knowledge of the definitions of various terms used in traffic administration.

CAMPAIGN IN LIFE SAVING CONTINUES

Program at Moorestown Pools Successful; Keen Interest Still Evidenced

Great interest is being displayed in the Red Cross life saving campaign, which is being carried on all over the county.

At the Community House, Moorestown, Spencer Cooper has passed 10 beginners and Charles L. Juliana is having great success with the work at Water Works pool, of the same town.

At Camp Ockanickon the work is in charge of Clifford W. Ergood, county director, with the result that 12 seniors, 12 juniors, 19 swimmers and 80 beginners have passed their tests.

New classes have been formed at Roebling and Florence Heights, where 14 beginners and 31 swimmers have passed under Larson and Leaver, who are assisting with the work at those places.

Washington Watts is at the River Bank, Burlington, almost every afternoon, and has already passed 22 beginners and 8 swimmers. Great interest is still being shown in the activity.

Palmer Sharp has passed 10 swimmers at the Mill Dam, Mount Holly, and Stanley Dorman 4 beginners and 6 swimmers at Cedar Lakes.

This makes a total of 130 beginners and 74 swimmers reported to the Red Cross office to date.

James Steineck, Burlington, passed his junior test, and Mary Hamilton, Florence, Julius Lebas, Roebling, and Merritt Geary, Mount Holly, their senior tests all under Hartshorn.

Harry M. Recher, Dr. E. L. Ruehlman and Spencer Cooper renewed their examiners' licenses under the county instructor.

A junior meet will be held at Browns Mills on August 5 and a senior meet at Medford Lakes August 8. The National Red Cross will supply medals for the winning team.

Victor H. Hartshorn acted as timekeeper at the Camden County senior meet, held Saturday at the Central Airport.

WIFE CAUSES JAILING OF BURLINGTON MAN

Harry Crump, of 147 East Federal street, Burlington, is in Burlington county jail, at Mount Holly, serving a 20-day sentence imposed by Burlington Police Recorder J. Leedom Smith, of that city. He was arraigned on an assault and battery charge preferred by his wife, Babe Crump. Mrs. Crump complained that Crump struck her in the face.



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Three men and a woman, alleged proprietors of three Marlton pike roadhouses raided early Sunday morning, will be given a hearing this (Wednesday) evening before Recorder Edwin Field Crane of Delaware township.

State troopers and Delaware township policemen swooped down on the roadside inns which they charge, were violating the midnight closing law. The alleged proprietors were held in bail of $200 each while many of the 37 persons rounded up paid fines of $5, plus $4.50 costs each, including a $1 charge for bus transportation from the inns to police headquarters. The patrons were booked as disorderly persons.

The township ordinance regulating roadhouses and inns provides for closing of such establishments at midnight.

The closing of the three inns to conform with the township ordinance were made at the "zero hour" of 12:25 a. m. The inns visited, all within a half mile of each other, were the Golden Pheasant, Cap's Grill and Halfway Inn.

The proprietors are William Reed, of the Golden Pheasant Inn; Lawrence Shivers of Cap's Grill, and Harvey Cherney and Marian Fricker of the Halfway Inn.

The bus used for school children was pressed into service to transport the inmates from the Halfway Inn.

37 Patrons Arrested

Thirty-seven patrons were arrested as inmates on charges of frequenting disorderly houses. Among them were:

Domine Perla, Lenola; Theodore E. Lovering, South Merchantville; James Bird, Locustwood; Frank Corgray, Delaware township; William W. Morrow, Maple Shade;



PLANE TALKS

By Lt. H. H. LONGAKER

Founder, Burlington County Aero Club

As this is being written, there are two Bellanca monoplanes somewhere over the Atlantic Ocean on their way to break records. Weather conditions are excellent, both ships are mighty good. (Bellanca planes have made and broken more records than any other planes ever built), so here's hoping both crews are successful.

"Jim" Erdman, chief pilot of the Burlington County Aero Club, has returned to Moorestown airport from a trip to Chicago. "Jim" made the trip to inspect a hangar for the club and of course used the airlines both ways, saving both time and money. The club is seriously considering the purchase of a new 68x100 ft. hangar.

Tuesday afternoon, two OL-9 Keystone Amphibians were flown away from the factory of the Keystone Aircraft Corporation at Bristol by navy pilots. Fifteen of these ships are being built for the Navy by Keystone.

Last Wednesday afternoon the writer was the guest of Commander "Duke" Ramsey of the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis. Commander Ramsey is in charge of flying at the academy.

Once up there is still hope for you to get a pilot's license. Bernard MacFadden, the publisher, just received his recently and he admits the age of 62. Just a young fellow and he certainly likes flying, having owned several fast ships in the past few years.

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For my own advantage I will **TRY TO BUY AT HOME FIRST. I WILL BUY FROM THOSE WHO BUY FROM ME.**

This Week in Washington

BY RADFORD MOBLEY
AUTOCASTER WASHINGTON BUREAU

Efforts to build up Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt as a presidential candidate are concentrating on his physical ability to stand the strain of holding office. The most recent article about him tells how he is actually one of the most vigorous men in public life today, his only handicap being confined to his legs, where traces still remain of the attack of infantile paralysis that nearly killed him several years ago.

Mr. Roosevelts' only signs of illness now are that he has to rest against a support while delivering a speech, and that he requires two canes to lean upon when moving about. Otherwise he is physically fit, his friends say, and well able to stand the hardships of the necessary campaign and the duties of the presidency, if he is successful.

Millions of words have been written about the strain of being president. Both Hoover and Coolidge have thrived on the long hours and responsibility. Mr. Hoover's only concession to the office has been to work out half an hour each morning with a medicine ball, under supervision of Dr. Joel T. Boone, the White House physician. It is the first exercise he has ever taken in his life and it has resulted in taking off twenty pounds and making him as fit as the proverbial fiddle.

Mr. Coolidge bought himself an electrical horse and found that gave him enough physical activity. President Harding refused to take any physical exercise and his early death is blamed more on that than anything else.

The main purpose of the Roosevelt propaganda is to show that he is strong enough to handle the problems that will come to him as head of the civil service army of 750,000 people, to say nothing of the other executive duties he will be called upon to discharge. He resembles his famous fifth cousin — Theodore — in many ways. "T. R." was a physical weakling in his boyhood and his gallant and successful efforts to build up a powerful physique are known to everybody. "Frank" Roosevelt has had an even harder fight as his weakness did not come to him until he was past 40, when an attack of infantile paralysis forced his withdrawal from public life for many months.

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Democratic politicians are stumped by Mr. Hoover's latest international move, in which he granted full powers to Secretary of State Stimson and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon to sit in at the conference of European Ministers in London. They are limited to the discussion of economic and financial phases that may be brought up, but there is a growing feeling that economics and politics are becoming the same thing under a different name. In other words, Democratic chieftains see in Hoover's instructions the more or less adoption of Woodrow Wilson's theories regarding international relations.

Mr. Hoover, his friends assert, has displayed great courage in dropping the "unofficial observer" fiction, by means of which the United States has been represented at former international discussions, and giving Stimson and Mellon full power to commit this country to definite action. Already Republicans inimical to him are seizing on his actions as a means of discrediting him in the eyes of voters but this unfavorable turn is more than made up for by the way he has disarmed Democratic critics.

The "Chief" displayed in this action the same qualities that enabled him to dominate in private business and raise himself above his fellows, and by his success as head of the Belgian Relief Committee and later as Food Administrator during war times in this country. He apparently is construing his powers as President to extend as far as he finds necessary, subject only to those limitations expressly named by the Constitution. It is being freely commented here that Mr. Hoover is showing more initiative than any President has shown in recent times and, in working for the best interests of the country and the world in general, is making himself the logical candidate to succeed himself and carry out the policies he is initiating.

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Political wiseacres here predict that Congress will devote many long hours during the coming session, that starts in December, to the Agricultural Marketing Act, and that little action will result. The main purpose will be to "sell" the country the idea of the Marketing Act and not to take any definite steps to change its provisions.

Democrats are expected to center their campaign attacks on the law. It is conceded here and the Hoover supporters figure their best reply is to broadcast the benefits it is designed to give. For this purpose the Farm Board has started to build up a public relations section, C. S. Brown, of Arizona, already being signed up. Others are to join in the move and it is expected that for the next year the papers will be filled with reports of speeches designed to placate farmers and those dependent upon them for their prosperity.

Couple Married 50 Years and Their Family



Here are Mr. and Mrs. James J. Riley, of Marter avenue, Moorestown, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, and their ten children. Front row, left to right: Nellie, Catherine, Michael, Mr. Riley, Mrs. Riley, Mary (Mrs. M. F. Ryan), Winifred and Margaret. Back row, left to right, William, John, Martin and James, Jr.

Palmyra Couple Celebrated Golden Anniversary With "Open House" Party

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leute, of Hilton Road, Entertain 160 Persons in Triple Celebration; Father Fetes for Wedding and Birthday; Son Married 14 Years

The completion of fifty years of happy married life was celebrated Tuesday night by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leute, of Charles street and Hilton Road, Palmyra.

Mr. Leute, who is "Joe" to his friends, and Mrs. Leute, are both native Philadelphians and have lived there all their lives. For the past six summers the couple have left their home at 4609 A street, Philadelphia, and have come to their Palmyra residence during the hottest months of the year.

The celebration on Tuesday was one which was a red-letter day in the lives of the three members of the family. In addition to the wedding anniversary, Mr. Leute celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday and his son, William R., also celebrated his fourteenth wedding anniversary. Mrs. Leute will pass her seventy-ninth milestone next month.

More than one hundred and fifty persons were guests of the couple at their "open house" party. The attractive lawn at the side of the house was used to accommodate the large number of guests.

The golden anniversary party saw guests from Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, and New England. Relatives and friends were glad to congratulate the celebrating couple on their longevity, their happy marriage and their host of friends.

The son who was commemorating his anniversary, is an officer of the Front street and Allegheny street branch of the Ninth National Bank and Trust Company of Philadelphia.

One son, Joseph R., is deceased. At the time of his demise in 1909 he was enroute to Switzerland, where he had been appointed at the age of 25 as vice-consul of the United States government. His Swiss appointment came after two years service as vice-consul in Germany. A third son died while in infancy.

Mr. Leute worked for his father who was in the house-furnishing business and then went into the same business on his own account, spending about forty years altogether in the same line of work. He retired from his work about twenty years ago, living in Philadelphia since that time.

SPEEDERS PENALIZED

Three Pay $5.00 Fines in Moorestown Police Court

Three speeders were arrested in Moorestown during the past few days and all paid fines of $5.00 and costs at hearings before Recorder Joseph W. Johnston in town hall.

The speeders were Howard P. Ellis, Wildwood avenue, Pitman, arrested by Officer Walter A. Erickson; Charles Gordon, colored, Beach street, Moorestown and Michael Diaristo, 227 Blumston avenue, Darby, Pa., the latter pair being picked up by Chief John H. Bradshaw.

Cameron — Acker

Miss Mildred Acker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Acker, of Camden avenue, Lenola, became the bride of William Charles Cameron, of McHenry, Illinois, on Friday evening at eight o'clock.

The ceremony was quietly performed at the Mount Holly Lutheran Church with the Rev. A. H. Steinhauer, pastor, officiating.

The bride was attractively gowned in orchid georgette. She wore a matching picture hat and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and white asters.

Miss Annaison Redd, of McHenry, Illinois, who attended the bride, wore a flowered georgette model with matching hat, and her bouquet was of pink asters and lilies of the valley.

William Gray, also of McHenry, Illinois, acted as best man.

Following the wedding trip, a motor tour of the western states, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron will make their home in McHenry. Mr. Cameron is field manager of the Portrait Company, of Chicago.

TRENTON NEWS LETTER

Evidence piles up that the Republican leaders of New Jersey made no mistake when they finally agreed upon former United States Senator David Baird, Jr., as the candidate for Governor.

It is now generally agreed among the Republican managers that there is not a vestige of chance left for the triumph of the Democratic ticket in the coming election. Six years ago Mr. Moore was given 38,000 majority in the state, but his own county of Hudson then rolls up more than 100,000 for the ticket. Only two other counties were carried for that program, but the leads in Republican counties were insufficient to overcome that big boost in Hudson.

Conditions then were far different from the situation at this time. Then the Republicans were badly cut up after a bitter primary battle. The late Thomas F. McCran, former Attorney General, former Speaker of the Assembly and President of the Senate, one of the ablest and most courageous men the state had produced in years, went down to defeat at the hands of Senator Arthur Whitney.

The Republicans are completely and enthusiastically united upon a candidate in whom every confidence is reposed, who knows the state and its affairs through and through and whose life and record give all ample proof of his purpose to serve with fidelity and energy in the three years he will sit in the executive chair at Trenton. The Democrats are far from happy over their own situation. Their Supreme and All Powerful Dictator, Mayor Hague, has lost a number of battles to his party rebels and the revolt is spreading every day. Those in position to know say, with proof forthcoming, that Hudson will be badly cut up this year and that Moore will have nothing like that lead he had six years ago.

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Burlington county will have to more than double its population before regaining the rating it lost during the closing hours of the last session of state legislature.

Burlington for year has been rated as second class, and, so far as the majority of people know, we were still a second class county.

A few days ago it was discovered that the state solons, just before the adjournment of the regular session, passed the act reclassifying the counties of the state, although promises had been made to the effect that no formal action would be taken this year.

Under the new act, of which the public has just learned, New Jersey has six classes of counties instead of four. Consequently, the new legislation forced Burlington down from second to third class.

Burlington will undoubtedly be able to struggle along as the third class county. None of the officials suffer, for their salaries remain the same, as another new act stipulates that the salaries of county or municipal officials shall neither be increased nor decreased under the regrouping. So far as is known, our new status will in no way change our county government or its method of operation.

"Except for the surface wound to its pride in being thus dropped to a lower group," the New Jersey Mirror points out, "Burlington county will not be adversely affected by the change."

Burlington county will have to take its lower rating and like it, for there are little hopes of regaining the second class distinction. The new third class group, into which Burlington was dropped along with Mercer, Morris, Gloucester, Cumberland and Somerset, is made up of counties having between 50,000 and 200,000 inhabitants. Burlington county's official population is 93,541. A second class rating is now some distance away!

THE WEEKEND DRIVER—A GOOD FELLOW TO AVOID

It is becoming the habit of discerning drivers of automobiles to leave the car in the garage over the weekend and to use other means of transportation for trips to the mountains or shore. This seems the part of wisdom for those who set any value on life and limb, for it is then that the weekend driver is out in force.

He is a curious phenomenon, this weekend driver. He usually drives a vintage car in a sad state of repair, but one in which he has unlimited confidence. Defying all laws of mechanics he has supreme faith that he can pass any straight eight on the road in time to sheer out for the approaching car. That the car passed obligingly takes the ditch to let him pass and the approaching car lets him through by a vigorous application of the brakes, he takes as only his due, and he exults in his ability to make the proud sedan yield to him right of way.

He usually has on board the good wife and a varied assortment of youngsters ranging from a baby in arms to a scrawny boy or a girl of fifteen. Eight passengers in a car designed for five is the minimum of the weekend driver. His skill in the manipulation of the ancient bus is the wonder and admiration of his passengers, who treat each crisis of the road as a part of the day's joyous adventure.

When disaster overtakes him, as it sometimes does in spite of all the efforts of sane drivers, he accepts it cheerfully, for it may be the making of the family fortunes through a lucky suit for damages. Of course he carries no insurance.

His pleasure is so real that we hate to deprive him of it, but we are in favor of compelling every applicant for a driver's license, in addition to the usual requirements, to pass an examination before a reputable psychiatrist touching on his insanity.

Meanwhile, some of us keep the car in the garage over Sunday.

TODAY and TOMORROW

LODGE

Time always brings out the truth. We are beginning to learn a great many things about Henry Cabot Lodge that we did not know during his lifetime. The scholar in politics, as he loved to be called, became a conspicuous figure when in 1919, he led the cabal in the United States Senate which prevented our ratification of the Peace Treaty of Versailles. His personal venom against Woodrow Wilson was apparent at the time. Now it turns out from the disclosures made by ex-Secretary Fall that Senator Lodge expected that the Republican President, elected in 1920 would make him Secretary of State, and that he was immensely disappointed when Mr Harding picked Mr Hughes for that position.

I have known Henry Lodge since boyhood and I do not believe that he ever harbored a single generous impulse," said the late President Eliot of Harvard to a friend not long before his death.

RAILROADS

One of the biggest jobs that confronts the capital is the rebuilding and refinancing of the nation's railroad system. Practically all the railroads today are in bad shape financially.

The success of the German experiment in running an air propelled railroad car at the rate of 130 miles an hour means to engineers, that all railroad transportation methods will have to be enormously speeded up in the course of the next few years.

The whole railroad situation calls for leadership of a kind which is not now in evidence. If Daniel Willard, president of the B. & O. were twenty years younger he could supply it. Somewhere in the railroad field there must be a young man who will come to the front in the next year or two and lead the railroads out of the wilderness.

ECONOMICS

The man or woman who has a job and whose wages or salary has not been reduced since the depression of 1929 is better off today than two years ago. In fact, a dollar will buy more today, in almost all of the necessaries of life and in every one of the luxuries, than at any time since before the war. The one exception is rents in the big cities.

About four-fifths of the people who work for a living in the United States are still employed regularly and at the same pay as before. About one-fifth are out of employment or on part time.

In Oklahoma a mob of unemployed raided a grocery store the other day. In one rural county in Massachusetts, where I saw the records, 99 new automobiles and 54 new trucks were bought by farmers and village people during the month of June. These economic inequalities offer a problem which it is going to take more than one session of Congress to solve.

LATIN

A magazine in the Latin language has just started in New York. The purpose of its publishers is to revive and maintain interest in the study of Latin, which is the root language from which French, Spanish, Italian, Roumanian, and, to a very large extent, English are derived.

A hundred years ago Latin was the world's international language. The educated men of every nation spoke Latin, so that a traveler could find someone with whom he could converse. Gradually French began to supplant Latin, and in Europe today French is the tongue spoken by the more cultured people of all nations. In the world of business, however, English is probably more widely spoken than any single language, and the study of English is now compulsory in the upper grades of the common schools in probably three-quarters of the nations of the world.

Nevertheless, no person has a right to call himself an educated man unless he has a working knowledge of Latin, which is still the international language of scientists.

CASE

Anna Case, the opera singer who has just married Clarence Mackay, head of the Postal Telegraph and Commercial Cable System, has long been known in musical circles as perhaps the most generous of singers of the first rank in her attitude toward ambitious young musicians. For years Miss Case has given not only lessons in singing at her own expense, but free board and lodging in her large apartment in the West Fifties to a number of young women whose musical talents she deemed worth cultivating.

Her marriage to Mr. Mackay is the culmination of a romance of several years standing. As he is one of the wealthiest men in America it is to be expected that Miss Case will now be able to do a great deal more for young singers even than she has done before.

Editorial Comment

Mr. Morrow At It Again

During the negotiations for the one year holiday on international debts the Hon. Dwight W. Morrow was in Washington in close and constant contact with the President, with the State Department and with the Treasury Department. One report that came from Washington mentioned quite placidly that the instructions to Secretary Mellon and Ambassador Edge in Paris were being prepared under the skillful hand of Mr. Morrow. Certainly the junior Senator from New Jersey had a great deal to do with these negotiations, and certainly up to now he has said nothing whatever about his part in them.

But the fact that when this great problem came up President Hoover wanted Mr. Morrow close at hand may have considerable significance for the future. There appears to have grown up between President Hoover and Mr. Morrow a mutual respect that may be heard from at the Republican National Convention next year when the delegates to that convention get around to nominating a candidate for Vice-President. We should guess, from present indications, that if Mr. Hoover is asked who he would like to have on the ticket with him he will say that Mr. Morrow would suit him splendidly. And certainly Mr. Morrow, if nominated, will suit the country splendidly.—Beverly Leader.

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JAM URRAY, General Manager
Most Thoroughly Spread Column in the State

I would sooner have a man with first-class gumption and third-class brains than a man with third-class gumption and first-class brains.
—Bishop of Chelmsford.

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Strange as it may seem most old maids are aged in the would.

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To write a poem of proverbs
Is Hackett's bright suggestion.
But most of these old maxims
Give us indigestion.

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—Where there are a couple of visiting kids in the family the upkeep of white flannel pants makes them practically prohibitive.

But by the looks of some "white" flannel pants we have seen lately the only upkeep is a belt.

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Many people are asking why we headed this column Thru The Eye of a Needle. Well, to begin with, there is a point in every paragraph, and, if you remember your Bible correctly you will recall that it is hard to get

As the cowboy said, "I thought someone spoke, but it was only the cows I herd."

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"A wife who was a former follies girl, wants a divorce because her husband insists on 'showing her off.'" Change the word "off" to "up" and the statement will be nearer correct.

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Some columnists like to repeat the phrase, "We have been places and seen things," but, "we have seen places and been called things" would be more apropos for us.

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Why all this holler about beach pajamas ruining our morals? Don't they cover up a multitude of sins?

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There is a restaurant on Kentucky avenue in which the sandwiches are named after local celebrities, the one that hands us the biggest laugh is a sandwich containing pork which is called "The Mayor Bacharach."

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"I Wonder What's Become of Sally?"

WAY OF LIFE
BY
BRUCE BARTON

IF

John Golden, who is a swell fellow as well as a smart one, told me that when he was in Chicago producing "Turn to the Right" one of the theater attendants came to him and said a visitor wanted to see him.

"What does he want?" asked John.

"He wants to read you a play."

John threw his hands in the air. He was having enough troubles putting on one play without letting some unknown author inflict another.

The author returned two or three times, but John refused to see him.

When the job in Chicago was done, he boarded a train and shut himself up in a drawing room. Tired out. There came a timid knock; the door opened, and through it walked a young man with bushy hair, who looked fresh from the farm.

"Mr Golden, my name is McAvoy," he said. "You were too busy to see me in Chicago, so I found out what train you were taking and I bought a ticket and want to ride with you as far as Cleveland. I want to read you my play."

John fussed and fumed, but finally surrendered. The young man started to read, but John's tired mind absorbed nothing.

After a while the young man said: "Any time you are not interested, I'll stop."

"You can stop right now then," John answered.

With a pained look, the young man put away the manuscript and started for the platform. The train was pulling into Gary. He stepped off, took another train, and rode patiently back to Chicago.

When the next theatrical season opened in New York, John saw in the papers the advertisement of a play called 'The Potters.' The author's name struck him. McAvoy. Could it be the same young man who had bored him from Chicago to Gary?

It was the same young man. The play ran for months. If John had listened to McAvoy he would have added another big hit to his list of successes.

If, when I was editing a magazine, I had taken time to glance at a certain manuscript which came in from an unknown writer, I should have had the satisfaction of publishing "The Sport of Kings," the story that started Arthur Somers Roche on the road to fame.

If I had listened carefully to what the president of a certain big company was saying to me one afternoon I might have made a great many thousand dollars.

If . . . if . . . if . . . we all have these bothersome little words in our record. It's folly to waste time regretting them. The only intelligent attitude is to say: "While I could have done much better, still I have had my share of good luck, and shall not grumble. Only, in the future, I'll try a little harder to keep my eyes and ears open."

For it is very difficult to tell when some wild and annoying visitor may be trying to force fortune upon us.

TWO CRASH DRIVERS, NABBED BY TROOPER, FINED BY JOHNSTON

Two motorists, charged with reckless driving after a collision on the Marne highway at Hartford, between Mount Holly and Moorestown, were fined $5 and costs each Sunday night by Police Recorder Joseph W. Johnston at Moorestown Town Hall.

The accused men, Bruce W. Stevens, of Mount Holly, and Robert Gee, of Philadelphia, were arrested by State Trooper Joseph Armano, of Delanco.

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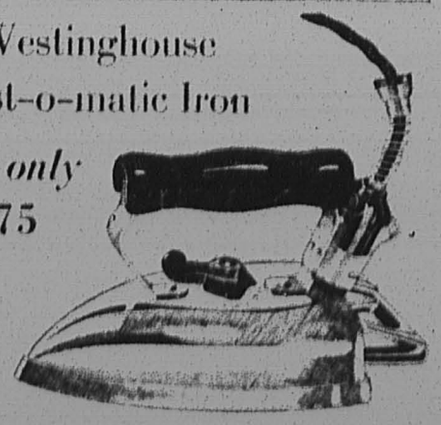
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RIVERTON ITEMS

Mrs. Frank Holvick, of Elm avenue, was taken to the Cooper Hospital in the Palmyra Ambulance Tuesday morning for observation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mann and Mrs. Green, of Cheltenham, and Miss Millie Fierstein, of Philadelphia, were guests of Mr and Mrs Otto Sauers Sunday.

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Miss A. B. Campbell and Mrs. Richard Barclay and family are spending some time at Surf City.

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Mr. and Mrs Bayard Brunt are visiting their son Bayard, at Camp Kearsarge, South Casco, Maine, for several weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Warren Reed and Mrs. Browning, of East Orange, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Datis Reed.

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Mary Jane DeLaney, niece of Mr and Mrs. Charles DeLaney was given a birthday party Saturday afternoon by her aunt Twelve little guests were present to celebrate her fifth birthday.

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Mrs. J. J. Siddall left Wednesday for Avalon, where she will spend some time.

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Dr and Mrs. Richard H. Adams, of Trenton, were week-end guests of Mr and Mrs Alexander B. Garwood.

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Mrs. Earl VanLeeuwen and daughter Jane Lee have returned to their home on Midway after enjoying some time in Binghamton N. Y.

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E. O. Geesey, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Geesey and sons Ned and Donald, motored from Altoona last week and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs C. O. Cook of Seventh street. E. O Geesey is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. C. O Cook.

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Mr and Mrs. Francis McGinnis are spending several days in Atlantic City.

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Rev. Charles T. Bates and wife will visit in Lake George, N. Y., during the month of August.

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Mayor Howard M. Rogers and Brother Walter left for Lake George Assembly, New York, last week, where they joined their mother, Mrs. Lillian Rogers and will remain for the rest of the summer.

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Miss Ann and Miss Mildred Cook motored to Atlantic City Tuesday as the guests of Mr and Mrs Donald Geesey.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W Chalmers and family have returned to their home on Golf Road after enjoying three weeks in Framingham Center, Mass.

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Walter Armstrong spent Monday in Beach Haven.

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Mr and Mrs. William Welsh and family have gone to Ocean City for the rest of the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watson, of Bellevue, have moved to Ellenville, N. Y.

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Mrs. Hilyard Stokes, of 822 Thomas avenue, is a visitor in Atlantic City for some time and is stopping at The Hotel Morton.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Carl DeLaCour sailed for Europe on the S. S Aquitania last week.

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Councilman Walter K Woolman and family are enjoying the summer at their cottage in Bayhead.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nesbitt, of Riverton, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly, of Merchantville, enjoyed a motor trip Monday along the coast visiting the Greyhound Inn at Forked River, where they enjoyed a fine dinner.

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Mr and Mrs Harry Sinn will spend the week end in New York where they will meet Miss Alice M Sinn who will arrive on the S. S Carmania from her home in London, Eng. Mrs Simm will entertain her guests for a week at her home in Riverton and the balance of Miss Simm's stay at the Simm cottage in Atlantic City.

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Mr and Mrs. J. Douglas Clark and family will leave Saturday for Ocean City where they will spend the month of August.

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Mr and Mrs. John Shoff of Takoma Park, Washington, D. C., visited the Misses Bishop and other friends in Riverton Monday. The Shoff's will soon leave for a tour of the west, where they will spend several months in Loma Linda, Calif., with her sister, Mrs Tatro (formerly Miss Amy Brook, of Edgewater Park). In the fall Mr and Mrs. Shoff will sail for China where they will have charge of a sanitorium in Shanghai.

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Miss Bethany Horner, of Camden, and Miss Christine Knehler, of Roanoke, Va., were the Sunday guests of Miss May Sinn.

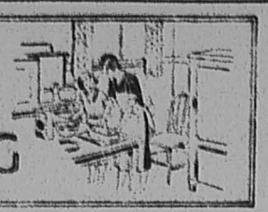
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Mrs Peterson, Mrs. Fred Smith and daughter Eleanor, of Haddon Heights, were guests of Mrs. Wm. H. Hoffman Wednesday.

BOY JUMPS OUT WINDOW TO ESCAPE RELATIVES

While his grandmother, Mrs. Caroline Engle Blair, of 219 Garden street, Mount Holly, was entertaining company Sunday afternoon, Charles Allen Jr., 14, of Woodbury, jumped from the second story window with two suit cases. Startled neighbors reported the incident at once to Mrs. Blair. The boy's parents are on a trip to Europe and the lad was visiting relatives while they were away. On Friday he went to Mount Holly to visit, then suddenly he decided to go back to Woodbury with a chum and stay at his home until his parents return. The boy left a note saying that he did not want to annoy Mrs. Blair while she was entertaining company.

NEW IDEAS IN HOME MAKING



By ADA BESSIE SWANN
Public Service Electric and Gas Company
Home Economics Department

THIS IS PARTY TIME

SUMMER time is party time and there's scarcely a hou-sehold that is not knee-deep in preparation for some kind of formal party. Not only the wedding party, but often informal occasions lend themselves particularly to the most charming of all serv'ings, the summer supper.

The following menu, arranged around the cool perfection of a ginger ale fruit salad, is refreshing. It may be served in buffet fashion, or at individual tables.

Shrimps a la Gratin
Ginger Ale Fruit Salad
Clover Leaf Rolls Guava Jelly
Strawberry Glace Petit Fours
Blanched Sugar Almonds
Currant Punch
or
Iced Tea

Shrimps a la Gratin

1 tbsp butter	2 egg yolks
5 tbsp flour	½ cup mayonnaise
1½ cups milk	
½ cup cream	½ tsp Worcester shire sauce
½ small green pepper	
½ pimento	Salt, pepper
2 cups whole shrimps	Patty shells or fresh toast

Melt butter, blend in flour, add milk and cream. Cook slowly, stirring constantly, until thickened and smooth. Add green pepper and pimento cut in thin strips and shrimps. When hot add beaten egg yolks, cook a moment, add mayonnaise and seasonings. Heat and blend thoroughly. Serve on patty shells or toast.

Ginger Ale Fruit Salad

2 tbsp gelatin	½ cup lemon juice
½ cup cold water	½ cup orange sections
2 tbsp. sugar	
1½ cups ginger ale	½ cup chopped pi-es
½ cup chopped pineapple	Lettuce
½ cup white cherries	Mayonnaise Maraschino cherries

Soak gelatin in cold water; add sugar and dissolve over hot water. Cool and add lemon juice and ginger ale. When thickened and beginning to set, add fruit and nuts; pour into molds and place in refrigerator. Unmold on crisp lettuce. Garnish each serving with mayonnaise and a maraschino cherry.

Clever Leaf Rolls

1 cake yeast	1 egg
1½ cups milk, scalded and cooled	4 cups sifted flour
1 tbsp sugar	2 tbsp. melted shortening
1 tsp salt	

Dissolve yeast and sugar in lukewarm milk. Add shortening, and two of cups flour. Beat thoroughly, then add egg well beaten, balance of flour gradually and salt. When all of the flour is added, or enough to make a dough that can be handled, turn on board and knead lightly and thoroughly, using as little flour in the kneading as possible. Place in well greased bowl, cover and set aside in a warm place, free from draft, to rise about two hours. When light, toss into small biscuits the size of a walnut, place three in greased muffin pan. Let rise until double in bulk, about half an hour. Brush with egg and milk and bake at 425 degrees for twelve or twenty minutes.

VERY LATESTS
By MARY MARSHALL

Somehow busy women are finding time to do all sorts of hand work that they would not have been interested in a few years ago and they are appreciating the effect of fine needlework on their clothes.

Actually most French embroidery is very fine, too complicated for the average amateur in this country. Because French women take their needlework rather more seriously than we do the majority of them can do embroidery that would be appropriate only for a professional needlewoman in this country.

We have looked over a number of French embroidered blouses — and fortunately found one attractive one that offers a design that is at the same time effective and very easy to do. Our artist has sketched the blouse and given a detail of the embroidery which is carried out in lazy daisy stitches and French knots. This may be done with white embroidery cotton on white or pastel colored batiste or handkerchief linen or you may use pastel toned embroidery cotton on a white background.



Hunting licenses come high in certain parts of Africa, but the game is big in keeping with the fee. In Tanganyika territory $250 is assessed for killing an elephant. In Uganda one may risk his life in this hazardous sport for less—$50 for the first elephant killed and $100 for the second, two being the limit allowed any individual hunter.

Cancer victims have blood more alkaline than normal, and the increased alkalinity seems to be related to the speed with which the disease ends fatally.

HINTS FOR THE HOME
By Nancy Hart

NUT CHOCOLATE BARS

Whites of three eggs, seven ounces powdered sugar, one and one-half squares of chocolate, one quarter pound of Jordan almonds.

Beat the whites of eggs until stiff and add gradually, while beating constantly, powdered sugar. Fold in melted chocolate, cooled slightly, and three-fourths of the almonds, blanched and chopped. Spread to one-fourth inch in thickness in a buttered dripping pan, sprinkle with remaining chopped nut meats and bake in a very slow oven three-quarters of an hour. Cut in finger shaped pieces and remove from pan.

PIE PLANT PIE

Take the yolks of two eggs, one Cup sugar, two heaping tablespoons of flour, butter size of a walnut.

Put in a saucepan and mix thoroughly, beating the eggs up light, then thin to the consistency of thickening; now take one cup of pie plant and pour boiling water over it and let it stand while you get the first mixture and pie crust ready; then pour off the water from the pie plant and stir it in the mixture, then turn it into your crust and bake without a top crust, then take the whites of two eggs and make into a meringue and spread over the top.

UNSWEETENED CUSTARD

1 egg
1 cup milk
Few grains salt.
One-eighth teaspoon beef extract or 1 teaspoon unthickened meat gravy.

Break the egg in a small bowl, add salt and beat slightly. Scald milk in top of double boiler, pour over egg, stirring until well mixed. Mix in beef extract or beef juice and pour into a baking cup, set in a pan containing 1 inch hot water and bake in a moderate oven just until it has set. Serve warm, removing any brown crust that may have formed on top.

Dairying may speedily assume the proportions of a major industry in Florida if the example of a cow belonging to W. W. Bassett of Jefferson county is followed by others of the bovine persuasion. The cow in question gave birth to triplet calves, one male and two female, and "mother and offspring are doing well."

MOORESTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leeds, of Marlton, entertained at a house party over the week-end at their cottage in Surf City. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hiles, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Hollinshead, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hyland, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Potts, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morris, Mr. and Mrs. William Steedman, Mr. and Mrs. William Stubbs, all of Moorestown.

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Mrs. Nina G. Frantz, of Moorestown, state president of the W.C.T.U., was one of the principal speakers at the afternoon session of the rally of the Gloucester County W.C.T.U., held at the Pitman Grove Camp Meeting, Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. William G. Rommel, Gus Rommel and Everett and Milton Burns, all of East Third street, had a very delightful motor trip to Harrisburg, Pa., on Sunday.

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The Y's Men's Club will discontinue its regular weekly luncheon meetings after today (Wednesday) until September 2.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Sherman, and family, of Chestnut street, have gone to Echo Island Camp, Readfield Depot, Maine, until the latter part of August.

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The Rev. C. W. Macgeorge, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will be the speaker at the community service on the dawn of the Friends' Meeting House on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

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In the annual Morgan Cup regatta held on Barnegat bay recently, the Mary Ann, owned by S. Roger Gale, of Moorestown, and carrying the colors of the Island Heights Yacht Club, was the winner. Mr. Gale is a summer resident of Island Heights and an enthusiastic member of the Club.

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Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Shaw, of Burlington, are the parents of a baby girl, born Tuesday at their home in Orchard View. Mr. Shaw is County Executive of the Boy Scouts. Mrs. Shaw is the daughter of Councilman George Hawkey, of Burlington.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newell, of Moorestown, who have been summer visitors in Seaside Heights, are now enjoying a vacation at Yellowstone National Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. William H. Stewart, daughter, Helen, and son, William, and Lewis Berner, all of East Second street, left Saturday on a week's vacation in Wildwood.

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Mrs. Harry Conway, of West Central avenue, and the members of her Sunday School class of the Methodist Episcopal Church, are spending this week in Wildwood. The members of the class are Mildred Boyer, Doris Inman, Pauline Blombaum, Dorothy Middleton, Georgie Regn and Norma Greening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edmund W. Maule, of Chester avenue, are spending a month in Watch Hill, R. I.

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The Rev. Edgar L. Sanford, rector of the Trinity Church and family, will leave on Friday to spend a month's vacation in Ocean View, Norfolk, Va.

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Miss Virginia Haines, of East Central avenue, is visiting Miss Helen Rauser, of Medford.

Miss Edith Ewan, of East Second street, has returned home after spending two weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Irvin Lore, of Newport.

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Mr. and Mrs. William H. Richie, of Maple avenue, entertained the five young men, members of the Wheaton College quintet who appeared in Moorestown last week, on Friday evening. They later attended the sacred recital given by Robert Harkness, in the Community House.

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Mr. and Mrs Harry Middleton, of Mill street are planning to spend the coming weekend in Atlantic City.

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Mrs J. W. Price and Mrs. William Kennard tied for first place in the putting contest staged at the Moorestown Field Club on Monday morning, for the women golfers.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Overman have returned to their home on Maple avenue, after spending ten days at Sky Top, in the Poconos.

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Mrs. Emma Shreve, Miss Sara Shreve, and Wesley McClintock, of North Church street, spent Sunday in Atlantic City.

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F. C. Worrell has just completed the installation of a new steam heating plant and oil burner in the East Central avenue home of Vice-Chancellor Edmund B. Leaming.

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Mr and Mrs. Norman Stryker, of Fairview avenue, and Mrs. Stryker's uncle, M. B. Ridderew, of Merchantville, left on Saturday for a two weeks' stay at Dexter, N. Y., on the shores of Lake Ontario.

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Mrs. Maurice W. Wiley and son, Welles, of East Central avenue, are in Chester, Nova Scotia, for a month's stay. Mr. Wiley will join them on August 1.

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Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson, and daughter, Miss Eleanor Henderson, are leaving this week for Pictou, Nova Scotia, where they will spend the month of August.

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Edwin Lippincott, of Maple avenue, has returned from spending six weeks with his uncle, in Columbia, N. J.

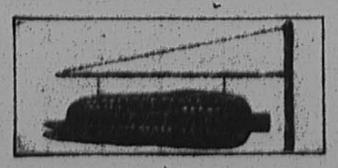
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A service of worship was held at the Eastern Friends' Meeting House on Sunday. The afternoon meeting was addressed by William H. Richie, of Moorestown; Nathaniel Jones, of Masonville; Edwin Ballinger and Mary Barton, of Marlton; Ellis John Evans, and Jeanette S. Haines, of Medford. A basket supper was served on the lawn, following which the evening worship began at 7 o'clock, in the Easton Chapel. The Rev. Mr. Parker, of Bordentown, gave the message at this time.



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THE FAMILY DOCTOR
By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

The Evidence

My readers may possibly wonder why I am so frequently denouncing the six o'clock dinner; this, when so many of our foremost citizens indulge the feast as a sort of triumph of civilization; and, when so many of our leading physicians and dieticians patronize it without saying anything about it. Here are some of my reasons:

(1) From a study of aged men and women, I find the longest-lived to be those who are hearty breakfast eaters, and who do not load the digestive tract at the evening meal.

RCA VICTOR HEAD TELLS OF THEATRE IN THE HOME

Drawing aside, for an instant, the veil of secrecy that enshouds the vast radio labortories at Camden, New Jersey, Doctor W. R. G. Baker, Vice President of the RCA Victor Company, allows us a brief glimpse at the radio marvels of the future which scientists are creating there. The day is in sight when every new home costing $10,000 will have a room somewhere fitted up exclusively for radio-electrical entertainment, said Doctor Baker. The "Home Theatre" will become another American institution. Television and home talkies will share room with a radio news bulletin, and talking books, that read themselves aloud for those who wish to save their eyes. Just as the "Home Theatre" will not interfere with the public theatre, the radio bulletin will merely supplement the newspaper, by flashing spot news dispatches and photographs to the home, Doctor Baker said. These are only a few of the wonders being developed at "Radio Headquarters," as Doctor Baker terms the vast engineering and manufacturing facilities centered at Camden. The laboratories that have developed the present-day radio sets and phonographs, said Doctor Baker, will bring forth new marvels that may change the whole trend of future life.

WILL CLOSE DURING AUGUST

Mrs Leona H. Hunt, of 602 Lincoln avenue, Palmyra, will close her Beauty Shop during the month of August. She will re-open on September 1, and will welcome all old patrons, as well as new ones at that time.

(2) From a study of vital statistics, I find that, six o'clock dinner devotees succumb to "heart disease" or cerebral hæmorrhage, never later than the middle sixties. These are city-dwellers, who are too busy to eat necessary meals until the day's business is done.

(3) If I were to inject the expressed juice of the average six o'clock dinner into a patient's veins, I feel sure I would kill him instantly! Well—the six o'clock glutton gets those juices into his veins more slowly, hence he is slower about dying of "heart disease" than he'd be with my intravenous injection.

(4) The tired body—the tired, half-exhausted nervous system cannot supply the necessary gastric and pancreatic fluids to digest a heavy six o'clock feed; hence the juices of the "gorge" are taken into the system by absorption and in a shape that can not be utilized in the repair of bodily tire—not all, nor half of it can be said to be fit.

(5) Hence, it is carried with the blood current, an active poison, unfit for the human systemic repair. Hence the eater does not want breakfast next morning—has a feeble appetite at noon—but is ready for the disappointing over-feed at the following six o'clock. The very arteries of the heart become poisoned slowly. The vessels of the brain give way in their walls. Short breath and apoplectic symptoms develop slowly, insidiously. They finally kill.

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PALMYRA NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Randall, of Public road, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Randall, of Prevost, Pa., enjoyed a three day motor trip through New York State over the week-end.

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Little Edward Hoyt, of Morgan avenue, celebrated his fourth birthday last Saturday afternoon, with a lawn party given for him and 25 of his little playmates and friends by Miss Esther Dean.

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Mrs. Harvey G. Fisher and daughter, Jane Elizabeth, of Morgan avenue, will leave Saturday for Ocean City, where they will spend the month of August.

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The Misses Mildred Taylor and Eleanor Moffitt, of Palmyra, Alma Simpkins, of Burlington, Edythe Allen and Ruth Sibley, of Woodstown, left Tuesday for a motor trip through the Poconos. They will spend a week camping at Lake Wallenpaupack.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. Freeman motored to Mahoney City, Pa., with relatives from Canada last week. The Freemans lived in Mahoney City 22 years ago and noted many changes in "the old home town."

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Miss Irene Mamoulian, who attends school in Columbus, Ohio, is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Mamoulian, of 907 Washington avenue.

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Mrs. D. Shay, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Torbett, of Morgan avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. William H. Buck, of Morgan avenue, are spending the week with Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Corson, of Plymouth Meeting, Pa.

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"Woody" McCuen, Francis Poulson, David Middleton, "Nick" Beitz and Edward Beitz are spending the week in Ocean City.

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Mrs. H. B. Williams, of Highland avenue, is enjoying a vacation at Beach Haven.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D'Autrechy, of New Jersey avenue, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Joseph, Jr.

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Mrs. Andrew Barker and son, of Cinnaminson avenue, are spending some time in Wildwood.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Hoeffner, of Washington avenue, are spending the summer months at their cottage in Beach Haven.

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Mrs. George W. Long, of Cinnaminson avenue, visited relatives in Pitman Saturday afternoon.

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Miss Sadie Husselbaugh, of Baltimore, Md., who has been spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. T. W. Carroll, of West Broad street, returned home Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, of West Sixth street, entertained Mr. Miller's parents, of Camden, Sunday.

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Mrs. E. I. Powell and son Donald, of Memorial avenue, who have been spending some time in Ocean City, returned home Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Dunhill, of Lambertville, spent Sunday with friends in Palmyra.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Carroll, Sr., of West Broad street, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Carroll, Jr., of Leconey avenue, and Miss Sadie Husselbaugh, of Baltimore, Md., spent Tuesday of last week in Atlantic City.

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W. H. Reed, of Morgan avenue, who has been spending some time in Ocean Grove, has returned to Palmyra for the next ten days.

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Mr. and Mrs. George W. Long, of Cinnaminson avenue, spent Sunday in Pitman.

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The Palmyra-Riverton Lions' Club will hold its annual picnic at Camp Lingohocking next Wednesday afternoon and evening. Cars will leave Palmyra station at 1:30 o'clock. All Lions, their wives and friends are cordially invited to attend. The attractions will be boating, bathing, and fishing. Games will be played.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hunter and son, Richard, of Leconey avenue, returned home Saturday after spending a week in Ocean City.

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Mrs. Sophie Burkhardt and grandson, Louis Franklin, of Leconey avenue, have returned home after enjoying a two weeks' sojourn at Old Glory Beach, Baltimore, Md.

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Mrs. Andrew Pfaff and daughter Helen, and son Junior, of Elm avenue, are enjoying a two weeks' vacation in Wildwood.

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Frank A. Snover brought his boat, the "Pearl S," which has been in Atlantic City for the past few weeks back to Riverton on Sunday. He was accompanied by Howard Alloway, Howard Vile and Walter Carter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hunt, of Lincoln avenue, will spend the week-end in Washington, D. C. They will make the trip to Washington by aeroplane, leaving the Central Airport, Camden, Friday evening.

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Mrs. Leona H. Hunt, of 602 Lincoln avenue, will close her Beauty Shoppe at that address during the month of August. She will re-open September 1, at which time, she will be pleased to welcome back all old customers along with the new ones.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elms, of Leconey avenue, enjoyed the week-end in Boston. Mr. Elms has returned home, but she is remaining there for a brief sojourn.

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The Palmyra Post Office will close at five o'clock on Saturday afternoons until after September 5. When they will resume their regular schedule, closing at 6:30 o'clock.

R. Stier, of Parry avenue, who has been spending three weeks in Avalon, is now in Wildwood, where he will spend the rest of the summer.

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Miss Peggy Whiteside, of Delaware avenue, is enjoying a week's stay in Island Heights.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Austin, of Easton, Pa., spent Monday and Tuesday with friends in Palmyra.

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Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Detwiler and baby daughter, Marion, of Chester, Pa., are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Weikman, of Garfield avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Kropp, of Oaklane, Pa., are spending some time with L. Grau, of Elm avenue.

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The first prize offered at the Little Giant golf course at the Fourth of July celebration is in the Palmyra News office waiting for the winner. Miss Jeanne Haring, to call for it.

YOUNG RIVERSIDE MOTHER SUICIDE

Mrs. John Perry Shoots Herself While Lying in Bed Monday Morning

Mrs. Hannah H. Perry, 29 years old, of 602 Fourth street, Riverside, shot herself to death at six o'clock Monday morning.

She was the mother of six children and was about to become a mother again in two months.

Lying in bed beside her sleeping husband, Mrs. Perry, pressed the muzzle of the gun against her temple and pulled the trigger.

Her husband John, awoke at the report of the gun. At first he thought it was the backfire of an automobile. He turned to look at his wife and found her sprawled on her face, blood oozing from the wound in her temple.

Perry ran to the telephone and called Chief of Police William Voshell, who summoned Dr. Walter W. Zwick. The doctor said death was instantaneous. The six Perry children, ranging in age from eight months to ten years, were also awakened by the sound of the shot.

Chief Voshell also summoned Coroner William P. Young, of Burlington, and Ellis H. Parker, chief of Burlington County detectives.

Perry was prostrated with grief. His mother, who lives in Mount Holly went to Riverside to take the children to her home for the present.

When questioned by Coroner Young, Perry said his wife had evidently committed suicide because of worry over financial matters. He said her approaching maternity also may have had some influence on her mental condition.

The husband, who runs a gasoline station, said he had recently suffered severe financial losses, according to the coroner. The couple had been married 12 years. Mrs. Perry was formerly Hannah C. Sprague, of Barnegat.

William J. Ennis

William J. Ennis, seventy years old, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Theresa Ivers, 1010 Garfield avenue, Palmyra, Monday night.

Solemn Requiem Mass was held at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Riverton, this morning at nine o'clock. Interment will be made in Holy Cross Cemetery, Philadelphia, under the direction of Frank A. Snover.

Mr. Ennis is survived by three children, the daughter with whom he made his home, Mrs. John Applegate and Fred J. Ennis.

P. O. S. of A. NOTES

By FURMAN A. WOOD.

The Burlington County Association will meet at Marlton Monday night, August 3. Palmyra camp will open its business session promptly at 7:30 that evening in order that as many members who desire, may attend the Marlton meeting.

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State Master of Forms Leslie W. Reeves attended the Cumberland County session at Bridgeton last Monday night and on Tuesday evening visited the Camden County Association at Lindenwold.

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The Palmyra camp is considering the matter of participating in the George Washington Bi-Centennial celebration beginning February 22, 1932, and continuing until Thanksgiving Day that year. A quantity of suggestive literature has been furnished by the General Committee at Washington, D. C., and this is being studied by the Americanization committee of Palmyra camp. A report will be made on August 10.

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The picnic is a subject for further discussion and those interested are asked to turn out and present their views.

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LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

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

Wednesday Evening Testimonial Meeting, 8 p. m.

"LOVE" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 2, 1931.

The Golden Text is: "The Lord thy God in the midst of thee is mighty; he will save, he will rejoice over thee with joy; he will rest in his love, he will joy over thee with singing" (Zephaniah 3:17).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And the Lord direct your hearts into the love of God, and into the patient waiting for Christ" (II Thessalonians 3:5).

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: "Universal Love is the divine way in Christian Science" (p. 266).

Presbyterian

Calvary Presbyterian Church will hold the morning service of worship Sunday at 11 o'clock. The Rev. James H. Owens, D.D., of Red Bank, N. J. will fill the pulpit in the absence of the pastor. All departments of the church school will meet at 10 o'clock.

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRIST CHURCH
Riverton
Rev. Arthur S. Lewis

Holy Communion 7:30 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon 11:00 a. m.
Evening Prayer and Sermon 8:00 p. m.

FIRST LUTHERAN
Rev. Harold L. Creager, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:15 a. m. "A Hero For Christ."
7:00 p. m. Luther League.
8:00 p. m. "Will the Idols Fall?"

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

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

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.

Epworth M. E. Church
Rev. Ira S. Pimm, Minister

10:00 a. m.—Church School and Wesleyan Class.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
6:45 p. m. Epworth League.
7:45 p. m. Church Service.
Wednesday 8:00 p. m.—The Helpful Hour.
Wednesday 4:00 p. m.—Junior Epworth League.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for August 9

SAUL CONVERTED

Acts 9:1-9; 17-18; 1 Timothy 1:12-14

The greatest man in all human history is presented in this and subsequent lessons during the remainder of the year. We met him first when he voted for the stoning of Stephen and then was caretaker of the garments of those who had part in the killing.

Many others in Jerusalem and vicinity were persecuted because they asserted belief in Jesus Christ as the Messiah. Saul was a leader in this cruelty. Learning that there was a growing colony of Christians in Damascus, letters were obtained from the Sanhedrin to the leaders in the Damascus synagogue giving authority to search out both men and women in that city who were open in their acknowledgement of the new Way of Faith and Practice.

There is plenty of time to think when making a journey of 140 miles in the manner of travel of the first century. Meditations en route prepared the mind for the wonderful revelation that came from the Throne of God to Saul as he approached the city of his destination. Though it was high noon the glory of God outshone the sun and Saul fell prostrate to the earth. Jesus Christ spoke directly to this persecutor and forthwith the man who had been a terror to so many is quite as a little child and asks for instruction in the greatest subject of life.

This director of men finds himself helpless, for he has been blinded and must trust to a friendly hand for guidance into the city. Three days are given to look at the light of life while the eyes are useless. Then Ananias comes as a messenger of hope and prophecy. Sight is restored by another miracle and a commission is given which makes this Saul the apostle to the Gentiles. It was all new and strange but this converted servant of the Lord says in the Golden Text, "I was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision." Acts 26:19.

Mrs. N. Anna Brick

Mrs. N. Anna Brick, 81, one of the most widely-known residents of this section died at her home in Marlton Thursday of last week following an illness of more than three years. She had been confined to her bed during this time as the result of a broken hip suffered in a fall.

Mrs. Brick was one of the oldest members of the Marlton Baptist Church. She was the widow of Joseph Brick, who died 32 years ago, and the mother of the late Dr. Benjamin C. Brick, former Burlington county physician.

She is survived by three daughters, Emily and Rebecca Brick, of Marlton, and Mrs. Willits P. Haines, of Ocean City and a sister and brother.

HOLLY DOCTORS ARE MADE GUARDIANS OF THE AIR

Dr. Daniel F. Remer and Dr. Frederick D. Fahrenbruch, of Mount Holly, are two of fourteen New Jersey physicians selected by the Bureau of Aeronautics, of the Department of Commerce at Washington, as medical examiners of prospective aviators, and each person aspiring to take to the air must apply to one of these doctors for a physical examination. The physician will report his findings to a supervisory board in Washington, where final ruling on the candidate's fitness will be made.

MOORESTOWN MOTHER ON FRENCH PILGRIMAGE

Among the gold star mothers who sailed today (Wednesday), on the George Washington, for a tour of French battlefields, will be Mrs. Charles Krets, Moorestown. A number of Philadelphia mothers are in the party, which left Broad Street Station Monday for New York. Mrs. Elizabeth Conley, mother of Tom Conley, famous Notre Dame football coach, also is in the party.

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MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY

BY ERNEST CAMP JR

AN ANACHRONISM

The most evil smelling business of any size in the wide world, is that of the furriers. A trip through their district, which centers around the Pennsylvania station, is a terrible thing on a hot day for anybody with a delicate nose. Beyond question it is worse than the smell of the notorious Chicago stockyards.

The thing that struck us hardest on our last jaunt through the fur district was that it adjoins and overlaps the wholesale florist district. An overwhelming stench from a furrier's is succeeded a second later by odoriferous perfume from a store full of American beauties, or violets or some other fragrant blossom.

A few minutes later the smell of frying doughnuts may be followed by the effluvia of smoking onions, if it happens to be near the noon hour. And one can get all these smells while passing through one small block in Bagdad on the Subway.

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HOME, JAMES!

Every evening, around Times Square, one can see workmen, covered with the grime of the daily toil, hot and sweaty from slaving in close rooms, step into taxicabs to be whirled away to their homes, six or seven miles away. They do it to avoid the terrific crush and heat of the subway rush hour.

Here's the catch. They do not ride alone but wait until the driver has corralled four or five others, all going in the same direction. Then they prorate the fare, often not more than thirty cents each, and ride home to their own doors in style.

Hundreds take advantage of this system every night. It is a modern adaptation of the old jitney buses that had a brief success during the war.

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A REAL SWELL

Over in Jackson Heights, an outlying part of the city, there is a successful sandwich man. He prowls the streets carrying boards advertising local merchants, handing out circulars at the same time. He never lacks for work, as all the local dealers have found he produces business for them.

Besides attending to business, he likes to stop and gossip with mothers out with their children. Recently he confided to my wife that if it had a few more good days with the beauty shop he was then advertising, he intended to buy a palm beach suit for the hot weather.

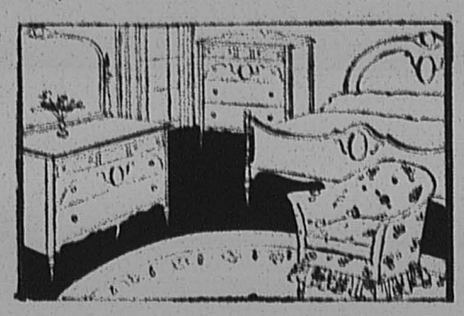
"That'll knock the eyes out of the boys when they see it," commented this gutter dandy.

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NEW YORK'S "FRONT"

Everybody here gets the slant of putting on a front. The city is the best dressed one in the world. And the citizens do not confine themselves to their clothes but extend the idea to the buildings.

Only a few years ago all brick makers had two qualities of product—face brick and common brick. They still have but they now sell the face brick for use on all four outside walls and not just on the side fronting the street. Naturally all the big buildings, like the towering Empire State and Chrysler, have the same finish on all sides, but, to one used to the old-fashioned plan of ugly backs and sides to apartment buildings, the New York idea looks like one well worth adopting in every city. And the additional cost is not prohibitive.



You, Too, Can Do It!

KATE: "I'm so glad to see you, Polly! What do you think of the guest room?"

POLLY: "It's certainly charming. Haven't you done it all over since last summer?"

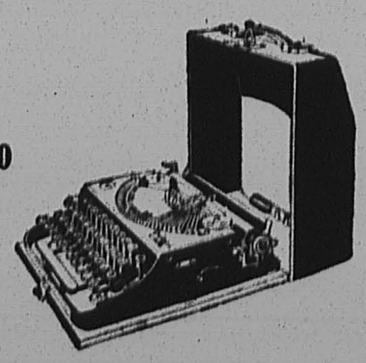
KATE: "Yes, we couldn't get away this year, so my husband said I could spend part of the cost of a trip on the house, which would give me enjoyment in planning and a permanent benefit to the home. So I decided to fix up this room. I had Mr. Bowen to take the old finish off the furniture and do it in lacquer, which he says will give me more satisfaction than I ever imagined possible."

POLLY: "And what about the glass curtains and cretonne drapes?"

KATE: "Oh, yes! I'm so delighted with those! Mr. Bowen looked at the room and then brought me a lot of large samples that I hung up at the windows, and it was so much easier than shopping around the city and getting little clippings to select from. I'm thoroughly pleased with everything, and you being here for a month will give me the perfect summer."

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WINNERS MAKE TRIPLE PLAY IN EIGHTH FRAME

Also Execute Two Twin-Killings in Keeping Opponents Away From Plate

BURLINGTON COUNTY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pc.
R. D. Wood	5	1	.833
Burlington	5	1	.833
Riverside	4	2	.667
Medford	4	2	.667
Vincentown	3	3	.500
Delanco	3	3	.500
Moorestown	0	6	.000
Riverton	0	6	.000

Saturday's Scores

R. D. Wood, 12; Moorestown, 5.
Burlington, 6; Delanco, 2.
Riverside, 6; Riverton, 0.
Medford, 3; Vincentown, 0.

Riverton received its sixth successive setback in the second half of the Burlington County Baseball League Saturday afternoon when Schele hurled the Riverside clan to a shutout victory.

The Riverside flinger limited the Riverton nine to six blows, all of them singles, and issued but a single pass. The snappiest fielding seen on the league diamonds this season was turned in by the winners, who were credited with a pair of double plays and one three ply killing.

The triple play come in the eighth inning when Reeves' liner was caught by Elvert, whose toss to Carruthers was relayed to Aurich for the triple out. Two of the play making trio accounted for seven of the 13 bingles garnered by the Riverside team. Aurich hammering out four safeties while Elvert was rapping out three. Hughes also was credited with a trio of bingles for the winners, while Rotan was the only one of the losers to connect more than once.

Riverton, fighting to keep out of the cellar, is only saved from last place by Moorestown, who has also dropped the six games played in the latter half of the loop season.

RIVERTON	R.	H.	O.	A.
Foulke, 3b	0	0	2	4
Sloan, rf	0	0	1	0
B. Edge, ss	0	1	1	4
Bartley, 2b	0	0	3	2
Horan, lf	0	2	0	0
Elsley, cf	0	0	3	0
Buchholz, c	0	1	5	0
Bottger, 1b	0	0	12	0
Weikman, p	0	1	0	3
*Terrell	0	0	1	0
**Reeves	0	0	0	0
Totals	0	6	27	13

RIVERSIDE	R.	H.	O.	A.
Carruthers, 2b	1	0	5	3
Elvert, ss	2	3	3	3
Hughes, cf	1	3	1	0
Broderson, rf	0	2	1	0
Young, c	0	0	4	0
R. Edge, lf	0	1	1	0
Aurich, 1b	2	4	7	0
Freynick, 3b	0	1	1	2
Schele, p	0	1	0	2
Burns, lf	0	0	4	0
Totals	6	13	27	9

*Batted for Foulke in eighth.
**Batted for Sloan.

Riverside	210 010 110—6
Riverton	000 000 000—0

Errors—B. Edge, Buchholz, Elvert. Triple play—Elvert to Carruthers to Aurich. Double plays—Bartley to B. Edge to Bottger; Elvert to Carruthers to Aurich; Freynick to Carruthers to Aurich. Struck out—By Weikman, 5; Schele, 4. Bases on balls—Off Weikman, 2; Schele, 1. Umpires—Reynolds and Cooper.

Swinging With the Local Batsmen

A HANDY SCHEDULE FOR THE BASEBALL FANS

TONIGHT—Ramblers vs. Parry (Postponed game, Palmyra Twilight League).

TOMORROW—Ramblers vs. K. of C. (Palmyra Twilight League).

SATURDAY—Riverton at Medford (Burlington County League).

MONDAY—K. of C. vs. Rogers' News (Palmyra Twilight League).

TUESDAY—Baptists vs. Ramblers (Palmyra Twilight League).

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QUAKERS AGAIN BOW TO R. D. WOOD

Florence Thumps Moorestown Nine, 12 to 5 in Saturday's Matinee

R. D. Wood soundly thumped the Moorestown nine on the South Church street diamond, Saturday afternoon, by a 12-5 count, and continues to hold the Burlington County League sunberth in a tie with Burlington, which garnered a 6-2 decision over Delanco.

Riverside and Medford emerged from the four-cornered deadlock for second place by respective victories over Riverton and Vincentown in other league battles. The waterchase towners rung up a 6-0 win while Medford registered a 2-0 shutout over Vincentown.

After going scoreless in the first round the R. D. Wood sluggers put on a field day at Moorestown and paraded across the plate in the second, third, fourth, fifth and ninth innings. A 5-0 lead was amassed before the Quakers could dent the pentagon and after single scores in the fourth and fifth the invading Florence club rang the bell five times to put the game beyond doubt.

Eighteen hits were banged by the Wood outfit, Bill Everham setting the pace with four and Woodston and Woodington tapping three each. A three-bagger was recorded as one of Woodington's drives.

R. D. WOOD	R.	H.	O.	A.
Gilbert, rf	2	1	1	1
Woolston, cf	1	3	0	0
Frankld, ss	1	1	4	0
Gotch, lf	1	2	2	1
Nighton, c	1	1	9	0
Scully, 3b	0	1	0	4
Frappoli, 2b	0	0	4	2
Woodton, 1b	3	3	7	0
Everham, p	3	4	0	0
Rhoda, 3b	0	1	1	2
Meffeti, c	0	1	9	0
Totals	12	18	27	10

MOORESTOWN	R.	H.	O.	A.
Roberts, ss	0	2	2	0
M. Barlo, 3b	1	3	4	1
Brodie, lf	1	2	3	0
Bayl'k, cf	0	2	2	1
Ackerman, c	1	1	6	3
Wilkins, rf	0	2	1	0
Riley, 1b	1	0	6	1
Towell, 2b	1	0	3	3
Rickman, p	0	0	0	0
Holead, p	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	12	27	9

R. D. Wood	021 250 002—12
Moorestown	000 112 100—5

Errors—Scully, 2; Roberts. Two base hits—Brodie, Gotch, Everham. Three-base hit—Woodington. Struck out—By Everham, 7; Richman, 4. Bases on balls—Off Everham, 1; Richman, 4. Umpires—Aron and Foxx.

RIVERTON JUNIORS WIN

The newly organized Riverton Junior aumassed their seventh win in eight starts by defeating St. Simeon of Philadelphia, in a twilight game Saturday evening, by a score of 17 to 8. Timely hits and even fielding secured the game for the locals.

The "Jrs." are managed and coached by Mr. James McConnell, a seasoned baseball veteran who believes the team shows promise of developing into a real hustling and winning club.

This Saturday afternoon the team plays on the Memorial Park diamond and as the regulars play away you are cordially invited to come out and enjo a snappy baseball game.

The game starts at 3:11 p. m., sharp.

11TH WARD FALLS IN SUNDAY FRACAS

Shreve Nelson Hurls Burlington Countians to Surprise 10 to 1 Win

Eleventh Ward, first-half champions of the Reesman Twilight League, had its winning streak shattered Sunday at Thirty-sixth and River road, Camden, when Riverton, smashed its way to a 10 to 1 surprise victory.

The setback came as a distinct surprise to a large crowd of fans, as the "Warders" had defeated such strong clubs as the Lancaster Roses, Santop's Bronchos and other teams of top rating in independent ranks.

It proved a case of too much "Shreve" Nelson for the Camden tossers. Nelson limited 11th Ward to six scattered hits and a lone tally in the fifth stanza. Riverton, on the other hand, socked Purcell and Bobo for 14 hefty wallops.

Foulke, with a double and two singles led the attack for the Burlington county tossers, while George Kissinger was the only member of the losing combination to snare more than a single hit.

RIVERTON	A.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Foulke, 3b		1	3	0	1
Reeves, cf		1	1	3	0
Edge, ss		0	1	2	2
Nelson, p		1	1	0	4
Harper, c		2	2	3	0
Horan, lf		2	2	3	0
Bass, 2b		2	2	1	5
Brans, rf		1	1	0	0
Bottger, 1b		0	0	9	0
Buchholz, rf		0	2	0	0
Aurich, 1b		0	0	4	0
Totals		10	14	27	12

11th WARD	R	H.	O.	A.
Gehert, lf	0	0	2	0
Reeves, 2b	0	0	1	1
Loeble, ss	0	1	3	1
Wertz, 3b	0	0	1	2
Kissinger, 1b	0	2	9	2
Worrell, cf	0	1	3	0
Scharwarth, rf	0	0	0	0
Loveland, c	1	1	6	1
Purcell, p-rf	0	1	2	1
Bobo, p	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	6	27	8

Riverton A. A.	000 206 002—10
Eleventh Ward	000 010 000— 1

Errors—Edge. Two-base hits—Foulke, Edge. Three-base hit—Purcell. Stolen base—Reeves. Struck out—By Nelson, 3; Purcell, 2; Bobo, 1. Bases on balls—Off Nelson, 1; Purcell, 3; Bobo, 3. Wild pitch—Purcell, 2. Umpires—Aaron and Martin.

Base Stealing With Twilight Leaguers

LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L.	P.C.
Ramblers	9	2	.818
Artisans	10	3	.769
Parry	8	4	.677
Rogers' News	5	8	.385
Baptists	5	8	.385
K. of C.	0	12	.000

Last Week's Results

THURSDAY—Artisans, 2; Baptists, 0.
FRIDAY—Baptists, 5; Rogers News, 4.
MONDAY—Parry, 6; Baptists, 5.
TUESDAY—Artisans, 12; ogers News 1.
WEDNESDAY—Baptists-K. of C.

Despite the fact that the Ramblers remained idle while the Artisans club was winning a pair of its matches, the league leaders still remain perched on the top of the heap.

There is no game margin between the two teams but the Kingmen are heading the list by virtue of their percentage points.

The Artisans shutout the Baptists club last Thursday night in a game originally scheduled for July 10. The tight pitching duel between Hennessey, on the mound for the Churchmen, and Wenger, toeing the slab for the Artisans, was broken up mainly by the efforts of Paul Burk and Otz Terrell. Burk brought in both the runs after he singled twice. His ninth inning wallop, followed by Terrell's double, clinched the game for the Lodgemen.

Parry was successful in winning its lone game of the week, nosing out the Baptists, 6-5, in Monday night's struggle. The win enables the Brodersen clan to keep right on the heels of both the Ramblers and the Artisans.

A slip for the leaders would place them on an equal footing with the runners-up in the number of games lost, while a defeat for the Lodgemen would drop them back with Parry in the number of setbacks.

The league lead will probably be greatly affected tonight when the Parrymen meet the Ramblers. A defeat for the suburbanites will definitely drop them out of the running for the league crown, while it would place the Ramblers in a good position to gain the diadem. If the Ramblers win tonight such a conclusion is likely, as no team still on the Kingmen's schedule seems strong enough to top them. Games with the Baptists, the Newsboys and the K. of C. team are the only contests remaining for the sunberthers to play after tonight's tilt.

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The Baptist club was the busiest of the teams during the week. Between the losses suffered at the hands of the Artisans and Parry, the Churchmen were able to eke out a win over the Rogers' News team Friday. The final tabulation read 5 to 4.

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With an incomplete team, the Newsies again bowed Tuesday night, when the Artisans piled up a dozen runs while limiting their foes to a single counter.

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The Parry-Rambler match set for tonight is the game originally called for Monday of last week. The game was called in the fourth inning when the Parry men had taken a 3-0 lead. This has been the last game which was called off because of rain, as no tracas this week or during the remainder of last week has been affected because of weather conditions.

MOTHER OF DETECTIVE'S WIFE DIES AT SHORE

Mrs. Charlotte Giberson, widow of Henry Giberson, of Manahawkin, and mother-in-law of County Detective Ellis H. Parker, died Wednesday night at the officials's summer home in Brant Beach. She was in her seventy-eighth year. Mrs. Giberson suffered a stroke last Thursday afternoon and after treatment had been given it was thought that her condition was improved, but she suddenly became worse Wednesday and death came very shortly. In addition to her daughter, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Giberson is survived by three sons, James, Oliver, and Harry Giberson, all of Staffordville.

PHILA. BOBBIES, GIRLS' BALL TEAM, AT HOLLY THURSDAY

The Philadelphia Bobbies undefeated female champions, will make their first appearance in this section on Thursday, July 30th, placing the Mount Holly Pro. on the R and P field. The Bobbies have on their roster Dot Fischer, who plays third base. She also expects to toe the mound for a few innings. She is known as the Grove of Female players although she throws from the right side. Babe Rosen is another player that can sock them. She weighs in the neighborhood of 200 pounds. Phyliss Zagorski, last season with the New York Bloomer Girls, will be found on first base. Other star players are Helen Josephs, Dot Downey, Dot Byer, Anna Putman, Alice Mccoy. This ball game will start promptly at 6:30 p. m.

NO FOOLING

Milwaukee.—Gerald McCullen, 20, walked into a saloon here and held up the bartender and three customers. The four men dropped to the floor at the command "Hands up!" A fourth customer, however, realized the "stick" that McCullen was carrying it looked phoney to him, so he grappled McCullen and overpowered him. The gun proved to be a toy pistol.

Laughing Around the World
With IRVIN S. COBB

To Much Knowledge for One Mind

By IRVIN S. COBB

TOM WYATT was a Mississippi planter, one of the most generous and hospitable of a breed of men renowned for their hospitality and their generosity. His bachelor home, "Belmont," in Holmes County,



was a haven of refuge for any down-and-outer. A stranger might come when he pleased and stay as long as he pleased.

One summer a certain brilliant and well-born but dissipated young lawyer was Wyatt's guest. In periods of repentance and temporary abstinence this gentleman spent his spare hours pouring over the Scriptures.

Wyatt, who was an outdoor man and no great shakes of a reader, said to him:

"Jim, you must have read mighty near half way through the Good Book by this time, haven't you?"

"Why, Tom," said the visitor, "I've read it all the way through, not once but several times."

"You mean from cover to cover, without skipping a word?"

"Yes, sir, from cover to cover."

Wyatt slowly absorbed this remarkable statement. After a long pause he made answer:

"Jim," he said, "I'm reminded of a remark I once heard made by an old fellow down in the Delta. He said that when any man told him he knew all the multiplication table he must be a dam liar!"

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The Scrap Book

THE USEFUL PLOW

Anonymous

A country life is sweet
In moderate cold and heat.
To walk in the air how pleasant and fair
In every field of wheat,
The fairest of flowers adorning the bowers,
And every meadow's brow;
So that I say, no courtier may
Compare with them who clothe in gray,
And follow the useful plow.

They rise with the morning lark,
And labor till almost dark.
Then, folding their sheep, they hasten to sleep
While every pleasant park
Next morning is ringing with birds that are singing
On each green, tender bough.
With what content and merriment
Their days are spent, whose minds are bent
To follow the useful plow.

Lippincott — Hollida

Announcements have just gone out of the marriage of Rosalie Hollida and George P. Lippincott, Jr., which took place on June 26 in Martinsburg, W. Va.

The bride, whose home is in Martinsburg, has for the past year been living near Marlton, and has been teaching in the Oaklyn Manor School.

George is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Lippincott, of Marlton.

The ceremony took place in the Christ Reformed Church, with only members of the immediate families present. Margaret Lippincott, sister of the bridegroom, and Gerald W. Harrid, of Philadelphia, were the only attendants.

After the wedding a small reception was held at the home of the bride's brother, George Hollida.

Mr. and Mrs. Lippincott, Jr., then left on their wedding journey. They are now living in Bowling Green, Ohio.

CHILDREN SWALLOW MARBLE, SAFETY PIN

Two unusual cases were handled at the Burlington County Hospital, Mount Holly, Monday. The patients were two children, one swallowed a safety pin and the other a marble. May King, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward King, of Marlton, swallowed the safety pin, which was opened and an X-ray last night located the pin in the child's stomach. The other case was that of Eleanor Miller, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, of 305 Washington street. She had a marble in her mouth and it slipped down her throat. She was taken to the hospital. The marble lodged in the child's stomach.

Carter Diffey, former football star at Virginia, will be one of Earle Neale's assistant coaches at West Virginia this year.

ARREST EIGHT IN RACE RIOTING AT BURLINGTON PIKE

Four Injured in Dispute Over Use of Pensauken Creek Swimming Hole

FOLLOWED BRAWL AT SAME PLACE TUESDAY

Five Colored Youths Caught Sunday Given Sentence in County Jail

One of the most serious race riots ever staged in this vicinity was halted by the combined efforts of the Palmyra and Pensauken police Sunday afternoon.

The disturbance occurred at the Pensauken creek and Burlington pike and was an outgrowth of a previous disturbance the previous Tuesday.

The scene of the riot had been used by colored persons as a swimming hole for many years. Last Tuesday several white youths who had come from the south, and who are employed on farms in the vicinity, had driven some colored youths away from their bathing place.

The same thing happened at the creek Sunday afternoon, the colored lads leaving the scene but later returning with several others. With their reinforcements, the negroes assaulted the white youths with bricks, an ice pick and a razor.

Police, summoned from Palmyra and Pensauken, arrived on the scene a short time later and halted the altercation. Several of the negro youths, attempting to evade arrest, remained submerged in the water with only their heads above the surface. Police tramped through the marshes for a long time before capturing the offenders.

Four of the white youths required medical treatment as the result of the brawl. Thomas Crisp, 22 years old, 2342 Haddonfield road, Pensauken township, was treated by Dr. S. G. Corpenning for puncture wounds of the right shoulder and arm inflicted with an ice pick. Jack Welch, 22 years old, of the same address, was cut on the scalp with a brick, while Harry Louderbough, 20 years old, was cut about the face. William Jones, 23 years old, was cut on the head. The three youths gave the Haddonfield road address as their home.

Three colored youths were fined as the result of the riot while five were sentenced to terms in the Camden county jail. Charles Sayrs, 20 years old, of Parry; Thomas Allen, 17 years old and Carl Johnson, 24 years old, both of West Palmyra, were fined $25 each on disorderly conduct charges at hearings before Recorder George W. Yost, of Pensauken township.

The row was plainly visible from both the Burlington pike and the new 8-41 route from Palmyra to Berlin, and the traffic problem was greatly increased when hundreds of cars were stopped while the passengers watched the fight.

Chief of Police C. Morris Beck and Officer John Ryan, of the Palmyra force, and Officers Fred Wyman and James Cox, of the Pensauken department, were the ones who succeded in stopping the riot, which gave promise of becoming more serious.

A crowd of approximately 2,500 white men and youths milled about the outside of the police station while the colored youths were being arraigned. The Pensauken police dispersed the crowd and took the prisoners to the county jail immediately after the hearing.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY

To Robinson W. Rogers:

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the day of the date hereof, in a cause wherein Burlington County Trust Company is complainant, and you, Robinson W. Rogers, and others are defendants, you are required to appear and answer the bill of said complainant on or before the 15th day of September next, or the said bill will be taken as confessed against you.

The said bill is filed to foreclose a mortgage given by Robinson W. Rogers and Ruth Abbott Rogers, his wife, to said Burlington County Trust Company, dated September 5th, 1924, and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Burlington County on September 6th, 1924 in Book No. 179 of Mortgages, page 212, upon lands and premises situate in Delanco, in the Township of Delanco, County of Burlington and State of New Jersey, more particularly described in said mortgage.

And you, Robinson W. Rogers, are made defendant because you are the holder of a mortgage subsequent to that of complainant's, covering the lands and premises in question, and by reason thereof may have or claim to have some estate or interest in said mortgaged premises.

Dated: July 14th, 1931.

WM. D. LIPPINCOTT,
Solicitor of Complainant
35 N. Fourth Street
Camden, New Jersey

CLASSIFIED ADS

Rate—10c Per Line

30c Minimum Charge for Each Ad
(Lines Average 6 Words)
CLASSIFIED ADS RECEIVED UNTIL 5 O'CLOCK WEDNESDAY
PHONE RIVERTON 712

BOWKOGRAMS

"The gods we worship grave their names upon our faces."

BOWKER'S TAK-ABOOST SHOP
11 E. Broad St. Palmyra, N. J.

LARGE front room for rent to business couple or gentleman. Also garage. 437 Elm avenue. Phone Riverton 594-J.

LORAINE AT THE BEACH—No. 1 Ocean Pathway, Ocean Grove, N. J. Full Ocean View Run. Water Table a feature. 12th season. Phone Asbury Park 5196. F. W. Rohland.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment—2 rooms, bath and kitchenette. Reference required. Apply New Era Office, Box "R."

BOARDING—Business person may have room and privilege of home, $15 per month, garage $3. I will serve evening meals, 5 days a week very reasonable. Saturday and Sunday when I am at home. Call Mrs. Synder, Riverton 1116.

FOR SALE—Packing boxes, 50c and up. New Era Office, Riverton.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Corner of Broad and Cinnaminson street. Apply "W" New Era Office.

FOR RENT—Two rooms for boarders, no meals. Apply 408 Main street, Riverton.

FOR SALE—Cabbage, tomatoes, peppers, egg plant, pansies, scarlet sage, snap dragon, larkspur, straw flower and astors. Charles D. Springer, Cambridge. Phone Riverside 68-W.

APARTMENT FOR RENT—Three months' period, furnished, central location in Riverton. 5 rooms, rent reasonable. Apply "W" New Era Office.

RULE TO BAR CREDITORS
EXECUTRIX' NOTICE

Estate of William B. Lynch, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that an order has been made by the Surrogate of the County of Burlington, bearing date the eighth day of July, 1931, upon application of the subscriber, Executrix, requiring the creditors of William B. Lynch, late of the County of Burlington, deceased, to bring in their claims against the estate of the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, on or before January 8, 1932, or they will be debarred of any action thereto against the said Executrix.

ANNA GERTRUDE LYNCH,
Executrix.

Proctor, Curry & Pidnell
Dated: July 8, 1931.

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, AUGUST 13, 1931

between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day to be had at 2 o'clock P. S. Time of 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, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the North easterly line of Thomas Avenue, the distance of one hundred and ninety-five feet, Northwestwardly from the Northwesterly line of Seventh Street, as no wand out and extending thence (1) Northeastwardly at right angles to Thomas Avenue, and along the line of lands now or formerly of J. Lawrence Lippincott, one hundred sixty-five and five one-hundredths feet to a stone for a corner in the center line of Seventh Street as formerly laid out and which was vacated by an ordinance of the Borough of Riverton, passed July 14th, 1904, in the line of lands formerly owned by the Riverton Ball Club, thence (2) Northwestwardly along the line of the said Riverton Ball Club fifty-seven and four one-hundredths feet to a point, there (3) Northeastwardly, at right angle to said Thomas Avenue, one and fifty-five one-hundredths feet to a point corner to Lot No. 12 as shown on Plat of Lots of Charles M. Biddle, dated July 12, 1905, thence (4) Northwestwardly, parallel with Thomas Avenue, and along the rear line of Lots Nos. 13 and 16 on said Plan, seventy-three and seventy-six one-hundredths feet to a point corner to Lot No. 11 on said Plan, thence (5) Southwestwardly, at right angles to Thomas Avenue and along the line of Lot No. 11, two hundred feet to the Northeasterly line of Thomas Avenue, thence (6) Southeastwardly along the Northeasterly line of Thomas Avenue, fifty-eight and twenty-two one-hundredths feet to the place of beginning.

There are approximately $4457.93 besides interest, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Charles Hollis et ux, defendants, and taken in execution at the suit of Palmyra Building and Loan Association of Palmyra, New Jersey, complainant, and to be sold by

ROSCOE C. SHINN,
Sheriff.

Dated July 27, 1931
Joseph S. Low, Sol'r.
7-30—8-20-31

SHERIFF'S SALE

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GIRL SCOUT BETTY

Rice To Spare. —By Montfort Amory



Tenderfoot Mary, her first summer in camp, had evidently not had experience in cooking rice. To her consternation the rice began to go places.

Quickly catching up another pot, Mary found that when rice began to overflow it did so with determination and vigor.

Before long she had three pots filled. Betty laughed when Mary started to explain what had happened. "Never mind, we'll use it, Mary."

True to their code—"A Girl Scout is Thrifty"—Betty and Mary soon converted the cooked rice into nicely browned rice loaves.

Phila. District, With Moorestown as Base, Visioned as 'Aerial Crossroads of World, on Main Line to Everywhere'

The chances of Philadelphia district with Moorestown as its base, becoming the terminus in this country for the Zeppelin Corporation were discussed last Friday by Fred W. Johnson, service manager of the Philadelphia as the "aerial crossroads of the world, on the main line to everywhere."



F. W. JOHNSON

"Matters are developing in the science of air transport far more rapidly than the man on the street realizes, and it is no idle dream to predict that not many years hence airships will operate on a daily schedule to Europe from the Port of Philadelphia with corresponding daily arrivals," he told C. William Ducan in an interview published in the Evening Ledger.

"Nor does it require much imagination to visualize the time when folks will roam the world by air with as little concern as they now travel by train and auto.

"No people of history have been so obsessed with the inherent ambition to annihilate space and time as Americans. Thus, it naturally follows that this country not only leads the world in the development and use of aircraft facilities, but is certain to set constantly mounting standards of service, reliability, comfort and speed in this new form of travel.

World Watches Airmen

"Frequent west-to-east airplane crossings of the Atlantic have focused the world's attention on the practicability of commercial trans-Atlantic air service for the carriage of passengers, mail and merchandise. Thus far the heavier-than-air craft has not demonstrated the ability to transport pay loads in sufficient amount to make these spectacular hops commercially profitable.

"However, Edward R. Armstrong, of Wilmington, has perfected a type of seadrome, eight of which will be anchored at intervals of about 380 miles across the Atlantic, which it is believed will have a strong bearing on the profitable operation of seaplanes in trans-Atlantic service. These seadromes will have a landing deck about 1100 feet long, 340 feet wide in the center and 180 feet wide at the ends.

"The deck of these structures will be seventy feet above the waterline, resting on buoyancy tanks averaging forty feet below the ocean's surface; they will be held in position by a 1500 ton re-enforced concrete anchor and will have service hangars, repair shops, weather bureau, radio equipment, beacon lights and modern hotel accommodations.

"Thus, passengers on these trans-Atlantic seaplanes may stop overnight at any of the seadromes en route, where excellent hotel, restaurant, barber shop, beauty parlor, swimming pool, gymnasium, fishing, golf, tennis, stock quotations, motion picture, radio program, and other accommodations will be available for the entertainment and convenience of guests.

Philadelphia on Deck Already

"Mr. Armstrong estimates that these hotels will have accomodations for 100 guests overnight, 400 day guests' accommodations and the estimated oneway fare will average from $350 to $500. He also calculates that crossings will be made in from twenty-four to thirty-six hours. The Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce is negotiating with Mr. Armstrong to locate the American terminus of his company in the Philadelphia district and studies soon will be undertaken to this end.

"Another interesting feature of forthcoming trans-Atlantic air service has to do with operation of lighter-than-air craft, specifically Zeppelin-type craft. The merger some years ago of the German Zeppelin interests with the Goodyear Rubber Corporation has given this country leadership in the development and construction of this type of aircraft.

"Good-year Zeppelin Corporation next month will complete the huge navy ship, Akron Z-R-S-4, to be followed immediately by the construction of a sister ship Z-R-S-5; following this, in 1932, the keel for the first huge Zeppelin transcontinental passenger express line will be laid, and it is expected that regular service will be inaugurated that following year, the American and German companies supplying ships in equal number as patronage develops.

Size of New Craft

"These passenger Zeppelins will approximate 800 feet or more in length; will have a pay-load carrying capacity of 182,000 pounds, with accommodations for 100 passengers. Their maximum speed will be eighty-four miles per hour, with a cruising range without refueling of 10,580 miles at a speed of fifty miles an hour.

"The recent Arctic, equatorial and round-the-world flights of the Graf Zeppelin were undertaken for the special purposes of testing this type of ship under all manner of weather extremes throughout the world. Having constructed and operated eighty-four Zeppelin ships, it is now believed that the genius of the American and German Zeppelin builders will produce craft which will operate almost independent of weather conditions over the Atlantic Ocean.

"The time required for these crossings, both east and west, will approximate one-half the scheduled passage of the fastest trans-Atlantic liners of today.

"Weather conditions and proximity to centers of population will have an important bearing on the selection of the American terminus for both the Zeppelin and the Armstrong services. Philadelphia is mightly interested in the selection of these sites, and the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce is exerting itself to the utmost to present the advantages of the Philadelphia district for this purpose.

Four Sites Are Left

"Of eighty-four sites studied by the Zeppelin corporation, the field has narrowed to four, from which a final selection will be made. These are located in Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Richmond. Since July a year ago Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, acting as official representatives of International Zeppelin Transport Corporation in this area, has been preparing surveys and conducting meteorological tests for the corporation. While no decision will be reached for perhaps another year, it is believed that Philadelphia has an excellent chance to be selected.

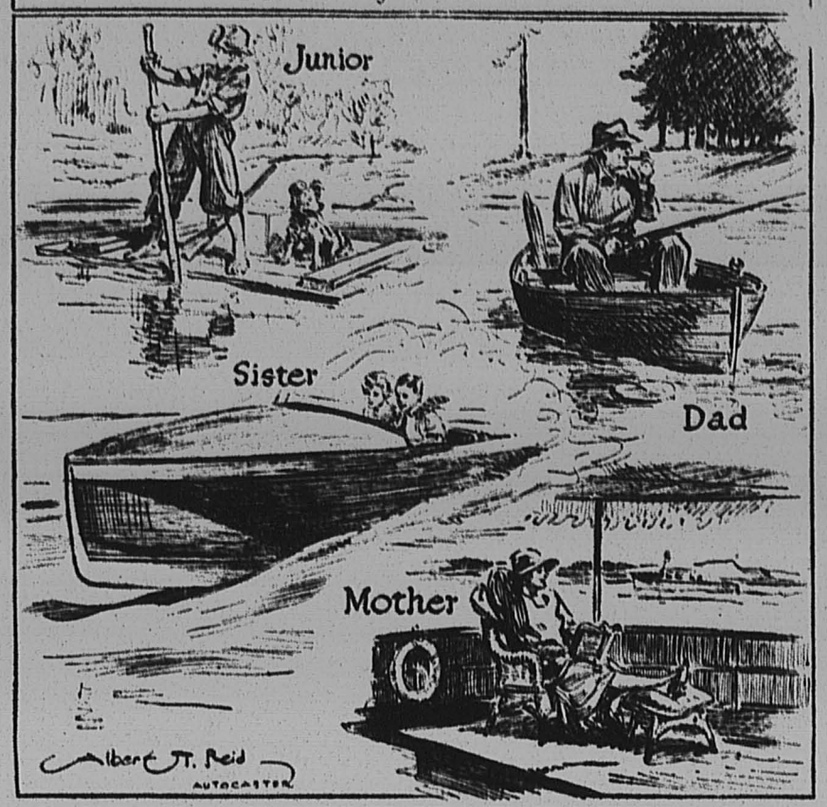
"The almost bewildering network of airways stretching throughout Continental Europe, with airways now operating or projected over a large part of Africa, Western Asia and India, and a corresponding network throughout the Western Hemisphere, immediately discloses the world value of the connecting link between Europe and America.

"Following the inauguration of trans-Atlantic Zeppelin service, the next step has to do with a companion service across the Pacific, a project even now under examination by the Zeppelin corporation."

FIRST HOLE-IN-ONE MADE ON COUNTY-CLUB COURSE

To T. B. McClain, of Warren street, Beverly, goes the honor of making the first hole-in-one recorded on the course of the Burlington County Country Club, he having accomplished that feat on the 110-yard fifth hole. McClain, who is a member of the Lansdowne Country Club, Landowne, Pa., was playing his first round at the new club. Other members of his party were Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Linderman and George Neidich, of Edgewater Park.

If Each Could Choose a Craft — By Albert T. Reid



Smith — Collins

The attractive wedding of Miss Marion Collins and W. Bradford Smith took place in the garden of her parents' home, Sleepy Hollow farm, Merchantville, at nine-thirty o'clock, Saturday evening.

Marion is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Collins, and her husband, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Smith, of North Adams, Mass.

Both the Episcopal and Friends' ceremonies were used at the wedding, the Rev. Edgar L. Sanford, rector of the Trinity Church, Moorestown, performing the former. There was music continuously during the evening Walter Pew, of Moorestown, and his string trio.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a lovely creation of eggshell taffeta and lace. Her tulle veil was held by a lace cap, and she carried white roses and asters.

Her attendants wore picturesque organdie frocks in rainbow shades, with mitts and slippers to match. The maid of honor, Miss Roberta Bonk, of Pittsburgh, wore yellow.

Bridesmaids included Miss Elizabeth Painferberg, of Spring Valley, N. Y., who wore pastel green; Miss Margaret Walton, of Philadelphia, who was in delicate blue; Mrs. Maurice Collins, of Merchantville, the former Helena Spaeth, of Camden, in pink, and Mrs. James Campbell, of New York City, lavender. All carried mixed bouquets of summer flowers.

John McMillin, of New York City, was best man, and ushers included Edward Payne and Richard Norcott, of North Adams, Mass.; Maurice Collins, brother of the bride, of Merchantville, and James Campbell, of New York City.

Mrs. Collins was lovely in orchid chiffon. Mrs. Smith had selected a smart flowered chiffon.

The reception was held on the lawn and following the newlyweds left for Japan, where they will at home after September 1, at St. Paul's University, Ikebukuro, Tokyo.

Mrs. Smith received her A.B. degree at Swarthmore College and her M.A. degree at Columbia. While at Swarthmore she was elected to the Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority.

Mr. Smith received both his A. B. and M.A. degrees at Columbia University, where he was elected to four fraternities, Sigma Chi, Phi Beta Kappa, Philolexian and Kings Crown. He is now a member of the Columbia University Club. He has been appointed instructor of English at St. Paul's University and it is there he and his bride will make their home permanently.

Littman — Rogers

One of the season's smartest weddings took place on Saturday afternoon when Elizabeth MacAnaugh Rogers became the bride of Lawrence Littman, of Baltimore, Md. Miss Rogers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dunn Rogers, of West Main street, Moorestown, and is one of the most attractive members of the younger set.

The ceremony took place at the Rogers' home at five o'clock with the Rev. J. Shackleford Dauerty, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of Moorestown, officiating.

Elizabeth, who was given in marriage by her father, wore her mother's wedding gown, a model of ivory satin and duchess lace. Her tulle veil was held in place by orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of orchids, lillies of the valley and white roses.

Janet K. Rogers attended her sister as maid of honor. Her attractive gown was of point d'esprit in a pastel blue, trimmed in pink. Her picture hat was blue and her mitts and slippers pink. She carried Johanna Hill roses, blue delphinium and pink larkspur.

The bridegroom's daughter, Priscilla D. Littman, was flower girl and she wore a dainty frock of pink point d'esprit. Pink rose buds and babies breath were in the basket she carried.

Ralph D. Shaw, of Beverly, was best man, and John Bruce Rogers, brother of the bride, ushered.

Mrs. Rogers chose an orchid georgette gown, while Mrs. Littman appeared in blue georgette.

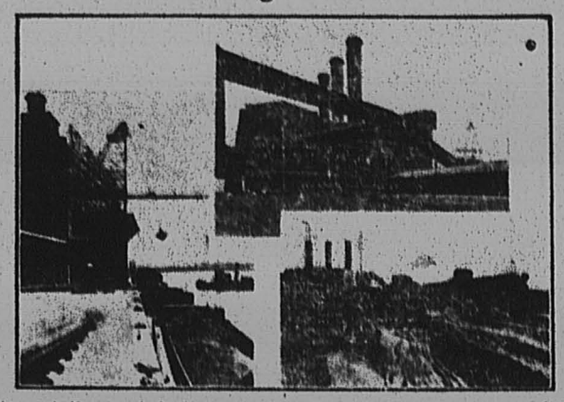
A reception followed the wedding in the bride's home. There were seventy-five guests present from Baltimore, Harrisburg, Hazleton, Carlisle, Rutherford, Egg Horbor, Germantown, Orange, New York, and this immediate vicinity.

The newlyweds are now on their wedding journey, a motor trip through Canada. Upon their return they will live at the Stuyvessant Arm Apartments, Trenton, receiving after September 15.

Mrs. Littman is a graduate of Moorestown High School and Dickinson College, in the class of 1928. The bridegroom finished at the John Hopkins University. He is a member of the Manufacturer's Club, the Engineers, and the Riverton Country Club.

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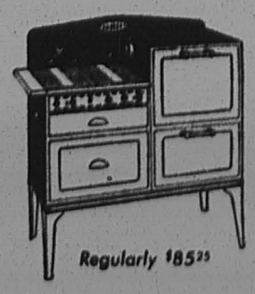
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