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PRICE FIVE CENTS

FREEHOLDERS FIRE BRIDGE ENGINEER

Director Adams Calls Amount
Paid Mish "Steal" of Tax-
payers' Money

At a special meeting of the Burlington County Board of Freeholders Tuesday afternoon, engineer for the county H. B. Mish, in the construction of the Riverside-Delanco bridge, and the Bridgeweld Engineering Corporation of New York, the company he represents, were dismissed by an action of the majority members of the board, and work on the bridge ordered stopped until an investigation is made by PWA engineers. The action was taken despite strong pleas made by Freeholders Stout and Heisler as well as from Fred Winkelman, representing the Bridgeweld Engineering Corporation.

The meeting was apparently the outgrowth of the receipt of a letter from the Kolyn Construction Company, contractors for the \$270,000 bridge project under the Public Works Administration. The letter addressed to the Board of Freeholders stated that an additional \$11,608.00 would be needed to build approaches to the bridge at both ends.

Freeholder Jones stated that he was under the impression that \$7,500 had been set up in the application for the loan and grant to take care of approaches.

Bridge "Up in Air"

Freeholder Stout asked what the specifications called for as a means of determining the necessity of spending the extra money.

Freeholder Jones stated that the center pier had been heightened to accommodate adequate machinery to operate the bridge, and that this charge of course necessitated raising the end piers, the sum total of which left the bridge standing in the air with no means of getting on or off. The changes in the bridge specifications were approved by the war department to take care of unusually high waters and possible deterioration from heavy water traffic.

Mr. Winkelman, representing Mr. Mish, stated that the approaches in question did not come within the construction company's contract, and that Mr. Smith, former county engineer, had agreed to build the necessary approaches. This was, however, prior to the change in the height of the bridge.

A letter was read from Mr. Mish addressed to Freeholder Jones, in which it was suggested that the county build the approaches and not apply for an additional grant from the P.W.A. authorities, as such action might delay the project and jeopardize the grant already authorized.

Opposed to Paying More

Director Adams stated that he personally was not in favor of spending one cent additional on the project.

Freeholder Jones stated that he had interviewed Cornelius C. Vermeule, Jr., state engineer for the P.W.A. and that he was in possession of three letters from that office that were not in the files of the county. One stated that changes in the construction constituted a breach of contract; another, that the preliminary plans did not receive approval with regard to piers, and the third objected to a change in the material for the roadway without consulting the P.W.A. engineer.

Both Director Adams and Freeholder Jones stated that Mr. Vermeule was dissatisfied with the affairs concerning the Delanco bridge, and that unless something was done immediately to correct the condition, the county was in grave danger of losing the P.W.A. grant.

"Services No Longer Required"

Director Adams had the clerk read a resolution introduced by himself (Continued on page 5)

RELIEF DEMANDS STILL CLIMBING

December Had 21,604 More Clients
Than November; 6,354 in
Burlington Co.

State-wide compilation of relief lists for December as gathered at State headquarters of the ERA here reveals another enlargement. The total went to 597,927 persons in 448 municipalities. Of those, 26,454 were non-family individuals. The other 571,473 were divided among 132,720 families. The gross was an increase of 21,604 above the 576,323 names listed in November.

Because the condition in general becomes intensified in January and February, it is expected those months will show increases.

The average cost throughout the State of maintaining a family during December was \$31.88 and of non-family individuals \$1.63. The average per case (combining families and non-family persons) was \$28.51. Relief expenditures, including \$333,449 for administration, totaled \$4,871,854. The administration therefore represented 6.8 per cent.

In Burlington County the increase in December over November was 1856; during the year, 6,354.

SCHOOL ELECTION ON FEBRUARY 13

Present Board Members Running
for Re-election with-
out Opposition

The annual meeting of the Riverton Board of Education and election for the school district will take place in the auditorium of the Riverton Public School, next Wednesday, February 13th, between seven and nine o'clock in the evening.

Only candidates running for re-election to the Board will be on the ballot. They are, Mrs. Marion R. Elwell, Walter K. Woolman, and Hilton M. Smith, for the full three-year term. Harry E. Moyer, appointed by the Board at a recent meeting to fill the unexpired term of John Sheibley, is running for Mr. Sheibley's unexpired term of one year.

The items to be voted upon on the ballot in the 1935-36 budget are as follows: Current expenses \$33,949.55, repairs and replacements \$200, and manual training \$950.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGES RATE PETITION

Howard E. Powell, of Palmyra, made an appeal some time ago to the Public Utilities Commissioners in Trenton for better service and reduced fares on the buses plying between the riverfront towns and Philadelphia.

Among the inconsistencies as to rates he called the attention of the Commissioners to the fact that the Palmyra railroad station is 7.2 miles from the Camden plaza and the fare is 20c, whereas the distance from the Haddonfield railroad station to the Camden plaza is 7.4 miles and the rate is only 10c.

Several other fare inconsistencies were noted in Mr. Powell's letter to the Commissioners and a request was made for commutation or trip tickets over this line similar to those issued for the Haddonfield route.

On January 29 Mr. Powell received the following letter from the secretary of the Commission:

"Acknowledgment is made of your communication of January 26th, submitting petitions numerous signed, referring to the above. Same will be given due consideration by the Board, and I will communicate with you further at a later date."

Canaries Live 17 Years

Records kept by breeders of Hartz mountain canaries show some of the birds live to be 17 years old.

SCOUTS CELEBRATE 25th ANNIVERSARY

Full Week Program Arranged
for Riverton, Palmyra, Cin-
naminon District

Beginning Friday, February 8th, the scout troops of this district will have a week of activities winding up with the annual banquet. The full program is as follows:

Friday, February 8th

Recommitment Service—Lutheran Church—8:15 sharp.
Address by Matt. Shaw, County Scout Executive.

Address via radio, President Roosevelt, to B. S. of A.

The radio used for this broadcast has been loaned the scouts by John Ettriss, and will be one of the new model Philco instruments.

Saturday, February 9th

Scouts and Scout Masters Troop hikes.

Sunday, February 10th

Service by invitation of Wesleyan Bible Class. Scouts and Dads 9:45 a.m., Methodist Church. Dads are asked to turn out with their boys for this service.

Troop 5, Investure and Court of Honor Service, 7:45 Epworth Methodist Church.

Troops 9 and 21, Investure and Court of Honor Service, 7:45 Moravian Church.

Monday, February 11th

Scouts and Dads in the Home.

Tuesday, February 12th, 7 p.m.

Scouts by invitation to attend the Broadway Theatre, Palmyra, picture, "Lives of a Bengal Lancer" This invitation is made possible through the cooperation of the Broadway Theatre Co., and Lester S. Fortnum. Mr. Fortnum, besides being the owner of the Ford Agency in Palmyra and Bridgeboro, is the chairman of the Bridgeboro Boy Scout committee. All scouts will be admitted to the first showing of this picture in Palmyra without charge.

Wednesday, February 13th

Scouts in the School.

Thursday, February 14th

6:45 p.m., annual banquet, Methodist Church. The program for this banquet has been planned to be of interest to both Scouts and their Dads. Toastmasters for the evening will be Cliff Loane, Troop 9; Russel Rivers, Troop 5; Burt Shoner, Troop 21, Parry. Matt Shaw, County Scout Executive, will present ten-year program certificates to Troops 5 and 9.

The speakers of the evening will be Capt. Gill Rob Wilson, N. J. Commissioner of Aviation, and Lt. Plummer, assistant to the commissioner. Both of these men have active scout experience.

Capt. Wilson, besides having an enviable war record and a broad flying experience, is at present sponsoring an Aviation Troop in the Mercer County Scout District, and is a member of the board of governors of the National Aeronautical Association.

Lt. Plummer, besides being a flyer of much experience, while teaching in Paris, France, was Troop Master of Troop 1. He will no doubt have much to say regarding the manner in which scouts can be of service in aviation. The Scout Mothers Association will serve the meal and the boys and their dads can look forward to a real treat.

ENGAGED

Mrs. Robert Biddle, 2d, of River Bank, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Marian Scull Biddle, to Mr. Charles Lewis Johnson, son of Mrs. Howard Spafard Johnson, of Charleston, West Virginia.

PREFERENCE

"You say country life is sweeter?"
"At any rate, I prefer forest preserves to traffic jam."

TUBERCULOSIS LEAGUE REPORT

More Funds Needed to Continue
Work on Basis of Last
Year

The Burlington County Tuberculosis League reports that during 1934 there were 569 examinations at the chest clinics. Of the number examined 65% were negative for tuberculosis, 24% tuberculous and 11% listed for observation or periodical check up. A total of 5301 visits to patients in the county was made during the year and arrangements were made for the hospitalization of 56; 252 tuberculin tests were given and 117 X-rays of chests taken; 91 physical corrections were made and 23 children enjoyed preventorium care during the summer months. The program for 1935 includes tuberculin testing of school children. Funds for the support of the work comes principally from the sale of Christmas Seals. We have received to date a total of \$4100.00, which is \$400.00 less than needed to carry on the work in a similar fashion this year. There are still 2500 letters outstanding, from which prompt response would be appreciated. Total receipts from Riverton are \$337.55.

WILL DISCUSS NEW TAX PLANS FOR N. J.

Secretary of New Jersey Civil
Service Group to Speak
in Moorestown

A meeting of unusual interest to all taxpayers and farmers has been arranged for Monday evening, February 11, at Moorestown Community House.

The session has been planned by the Moorestown League of Women Voters, which has arranged to have Dr. Charles Messick, of Trenton, secretary of the New Jersey Civil Service Commission, present Governor Harold C. Hoffman's tax program.

Dr. Messick, thoroughly acquainted with the subject, will speak at the request of Governor Hoffman.

The speaker will discuss Governor Hoffman's plan to lighten the burden on real estate, and the proposed sales and income taxes.

The meeting, which will start at 8:15 p.m., will be open to the public, and residents from all over the county are being invited to attend.

Prior to the meeting, a dinner will be held at seven o'clock in honor of Dr. Messick. This affair also will be open to the public and reservations for tickets are being made with Mrs. Watson Shallercross, Chester Avenue, Moorestown.

JOHNSON HOME ROBBED SATURDAY

Eighty-Six Dollars in Cash Stolen
by Burglar Who Forced Front
Window to Enter

The home of Homer Johnson, 303 Second street, Riverton, was entered by a burglar on Saturday night and \$86 in cash and a revolver stolen.

The burglar entered by forcing a front window and ransacked the entire second floor. A strange car was noticed by a neighbor parked near the house about 9:30 p.m., who thought nothing of it at the time and failed to notify the police.

The county detective's office and local police are investigating the case.

ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Lippincott have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alice May Lippincott, to John Flower Ayres, of Riverton.

Instead of using metal blades a German inventor's electric fan whirls loops of ribbon that cannot injure the hands of persons who touch it.

CRIME SITUATION IN UNITED STATES

Criminals Reverting to Jesse
James Type. Many 100%
Americans

Palmyra-Riverton Rotarians listened to Eugene Hargett, one of their own number, discuss the crime situation in the United States at their last weekly dinner. He became interested in this subject through a recent magazine article, and has followed it more or less closely since that time. Outstanding was his comment that the criminal of today is reverting to the Jesse James type, who commit crimes all over the map, as contrasted with the racketeer, whose leaders enjoyed police protection in their local communities. Again, he stated that contrary to the common opinion the majority of the criminals are not foreign born, many of them being true 100% Americans.

Mr. Hargett introduced his subject by listing the rapid rate, cost and number of persons engaged in crime in the United States. Thirteen billion dollars is the approximate annual bill for this evil, in which, roughly speaking, one half of one percent of the whole population are engaged. Kidnappings and bank robberies lead in frequency, but the federal government is now entering into the suppression of these because public opinion has demanded it.

Chicago, Mr. Hargett, said, has improved very much since the repeal of the prohibition amendment. The worst cities at present are St. Paul and Kansas City. The burglary insurance in the latter is the highest in the United States. The middle West, in general, is the worst seat of crime.

Mr. Hargett closed his interesting talk by informing his listeners that there were, all told, 169,000 local, county and state police. Only 11 states have state police, which are usually more efficient than the others. The federal government has three types of police activities, the secret service, the narcotic squad and the division of investigation of the department of justice. It is this group, under the direction of the well-known J. Edgar Hoover, which has been splendidly rounding up our public enemies. All told, Mr. Hoover has 494 men; they are far above average in education and their median salary is \$3500 a year; 83% are graduates in law, and accountants. This is, no doubt, the reason why they are so much more efficient than other crime detecting forces.

Mr. Hargett's fellow club members thoroughly enjoyed his carefully prepared presentation.

THE ART CLASS

The Porch Club takes pleasure in announcing that the use of the club house for the Tuesday evening Art Classes is without charge of any nature. There is no charge connected with the instruction and criticism, and the Art Class is not connected in any way with any State or Federal agency. Materials are charged for. Beyond this, decorum and earnestness of purpose are the only requirements. The next meeting will be February 12.

John M. Chant Testimonial

Preparations are being completed by the Italo-American Independent Political Club, of Riverside, for a testimonial dinner to be given John M. Chant, at the club's hall, 62 Webster street, Riverside, on Sunday afternoon, February 10.

Among the speakers at the affair will be State Senator Clifford R. Powell, of Burlington county; Assemblyman Anthony J. Siracusa, of Atlantic county; Prosecutor Howard Eastwood, Surrogate George B. Bittling, and Christopher Peditto, Palmyra attorney.

She is as graceful as a waltzing camel.—Anon.

FAIRVIEW HOSPITAL WELL CONDUCTED

Commended by Inspector From
Department of Institutions
and Agencies

January 21, 1935

Board of Chosen Freeholders
Burlington County,
Mount Holly, N. J.

Gentlemen:—

Fairview Sanatorium, the Burlington County Tuberculosis Hospital, at New Lisbon, was inspected by Miss Laura Howell and Mr. F. A. Fitch of the Inspection staff of the Department of Institutions and Agencies on January 11, 1935. Dr. Marcus W. Newcomb, the Medical Director, and Mrs. Florence E. Evans, Superintendent, were both at the institution at the time of the visit and assisted in making the survey of the hospital.

The census on January 11 was 98 patients—62 of whom were from Burlington County, while the remaining 36 were charges from Salem, Gloucester, Cape May and Middlesex Counties. With the exception of two colored children, the patients were all adults.

The main building, which is of brick and stucco, and the two frame additions, were found to be clean and sanitary throughout.

The main building is used for the infirmary group, while the ambulatory patients are placed in the additions. Although at times there have been as many as 128 patients here and the bed capacity is 125, it appears that in order to allow proper bed spacing and room for nursing the number should not exceed 100.

At the present time the facilities for dressing and storage of clothing, linen, and supplies is very limited.

The professional service rendered patients is adequate and commendable. Dr. Marcus W. Newcomb, the Medical Director, is at the hospital daily and Dr. Samuel T. Busanek, the resident physician, is well informed in the field of tuberculosis. Both of these doctors are held in high regard by the patients and consequently are capable of bestowing confidence and hopefulness to them. The maintenance of a high morale has been found to be necessary in the successful treatment of this disease.

The local board at the hospital and the Freeholders should be commended for their insistence upon an excellent staff of twelve graduate nurses, with a dietitian and technician especially trained in their fields. The domestic help here also appears to have been carefully selected and of high quality. They are clean, considerate, and cooperative.

Modern facilities for treatment have been provided. These include a specially built room for x-rays and fluoroscopic treatment, four Alpine lamps, laboratory for clinic tests of blood, urine, and sputum.

All patients are examined thoroughly upon admission and routinely thereafter. Films are developed in the laboratory and sputum and Wassermann tests are sent to the State Department of Health in Trenton.

A new room has been provided for the application of pneumothorax work which has become an outstanding successful method of treatment in the last few years. Arrangements have been made for discharged or paroled patients to visit this room for refills. At the present time 10 patients are receiving this treatment and it is expected that the number will be increased as the healing results become more apparent.

Dental treatment is provided at the sanatorium one-half day each.

Food is prepared for the patients from a completely equipped main kitchen, which is well organized. The food is of good quality and a palatable diet is followed. A new diet kitchen is nearly completed in the basement of the main building. This will facilitate the disbursing of all food to bed patients. Due to the tilting on the walls and floor, and the modern equipment, this room can be maintained in excellent sanitary condition at all times. The dining rooms provided for patients and employees are clean, comfortable, and have a homelike appearance.

The main building presents difficulty in physical arrangement and

lacks proper bath room facilities and recreation rooms. The present location for the very sick patients on the second floor is unfortunate. Patients are moved from the wards on the first floor to the quiet rooms on the second when they have reached a very critical stage in the disease.

Laundry is done at the mental hospital, where good work is accomplished by patients. This is an excellent arrangement. The heating is also supplied from that institution.

A septic tank has been completed this year which has done away with the heretofore obnoxious odors.

The Alms house pig sty has also been removed. With the exception of a needed outside fire escape on the infirmary building and a fire resistive lining on the dumb waiter in the diet kitchen, the institution is adequately protected from fire.

The County is to be commended for the high degree of professional care and service maintained for the patients and also for the constant interest of the staff in modern treatments and facilities used toward the cure of tuberculosis.

Yours very truly,
DEPARTMENT INSTITUTIONS
AND AGENCIES
William J. Ellis, Commissioner.

PALMYRA P. T. A. ANNUAL SUPPER

Will Be Served by PTA Members:
Proceeds Will Benefit Needy
School Children

A splendid menu, including baked ham loaf, scalloped potatoes, peas, cole slaw, rolls, butter, apple pie and coffee, will be served at the annual supper to be given by the Palmyra Parent-Teacher Association in the high school cafeteria Saturday evening, February 9.

This supper is given each year by the ladies of this organization for the benefit of needy school children, and will be served under the supervision of the members of the P.T.A. Adult tickets are being sold at fifty cents, children's tickets, thirty-five cents. Tickets may be procured from school children, or any member of the P.T.A.

DARLINGTON NEW SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Succeeds Shaw As Head of Burlington County Council,
Boy Scouts

Boy Scout Week, February 8-14, will be marked throughout Burlington County with events of interest to every community in which there is a troop.

The week this year will mark the advent of George Darlington as the new Scout Executive of Burlington County. The present executive, M. A. Shaw having accepted a similar position in Rome, New York, after spending five years with the Burlington County Council.

Starting as a tenderfoot at twelve years of age, Mr. Shaw became an Eagle Scout in 1922. At this time he was serving as Junior Assistant Scoutmaster in Troop 24, Worcester, Mass. Later he was assistant Scoutmaster of this troop, and later of Troop 8, Pawtucket, R. I. Returning to Worcester he became a member of the Scout Council there as Special Commissioner handling several troops who were without scoutmasters.

Following this, Mr. Shaw spent three years in sales work, covering all the New England states. In 1926 he enrolled in the Second National Training School for Scout Executives, and in that year became Assistant Scout Executive in the Berkshire Council with headquarters at Pittsfield, Mass. During his stay there he saw emergency service in a New England flood and in a septic sore throat epidemic in Lee. After three and a half years he was promoted to Scout Executive with the Burlington County Council.

His fine record in building all phases of Scouting here resulted in his promotion to the Rome, N. Y. Council as Executive to fill the vacancy created by the transfer of George Guyer from Rome to the Camden, N. J. Council. He has made a host of friends throughout the county who will wish him well

in his new field of work. Mr. Darlington has been Scout Executive of the General Herkimer, N. Y. Council, for eight years.

He began his Scout experience as a tenderfoot in Rome, N. Y., and was an active volunteer Scoutmaster there before becoming an assistant Executive under Mr. George Guyer of the Fort Stanwix Council. Ten years of previous experience, including the responsibilities of Scoutmaster, enabled him to make a most successful record in his last post.

Mr. Darlington is married and has a daughter four and a half years of age. He is a Mason and a member of the vestry of Christ Episcopal Church of Herkimer. He will be accorded a hearty welcome throughout the county.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Smith, of 859 Maple avenue, Collingswood, New Jersey, announce the engagement of their daughter Louise, and Mr. John G. Woods, son of Mr. John A. Woods, Toms River, New Jersey. Miss Smith attended Palmyra High School and later moved to Point Pleasant, New Jersey, where she was a graduate of Point Pleasant Beach High School, class of 1931.

Mr. Woods is a graduate of Toms River High School, also a graduate of Reddie School, Hightstown, New Jersey, and attended University of Pennsylvania. He is a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity. Mr. Woods is associated in business with his father, in Toms River. No date has been set for the wedding.

CINNAMINSON PTA

The Cinnaminson PTA Study Class hopes to meet Wednesday evening, the thirteenth, at eight o'clock when the topic, "What Do Parents Expect of Children?" will be led by Miss Bryan.

Two of these valuable discussions have been dropped on account of the weather, but it is hoped to have them later.

In spite of winter at its worst, or best, as one looks at it, the school has been well attended, and few of the children are sick. Publicity.

K. of C. NOTES

Despite the inclement weather a goodly number of people attended the weekly card party held last Friday night at the Knights of Columbus hall, Broad and Elm avenue. These card parties are held each Friday night, and the good attendance is attributed largely to the number of beautiful prizes awarded the winners.

These prizes are gathered by the ladies committee conducting these affairs, and each committee tries to outdo the previous one. There is a door prize each week, and after the games refreshments and cake are served.

Pinchle, bridge and 500 will be played on the upper floor, while radio will be played on the first floor.

THE AIR IS BUSY

"Some day we'll be telephoning through the air without wires." "Maybe. But won't it seem queer to have an operator call back to you and say, 'The air 'a busy'?"

CLARA SHEIBLEY STRADLING
will open

The Chatter Box 518 Main Street Riverton

Fri., Feb. 15, 1935

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Boucle, Chiffon Boucle
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TALK O'TOWN
IMPORTED SPORTS WEAR
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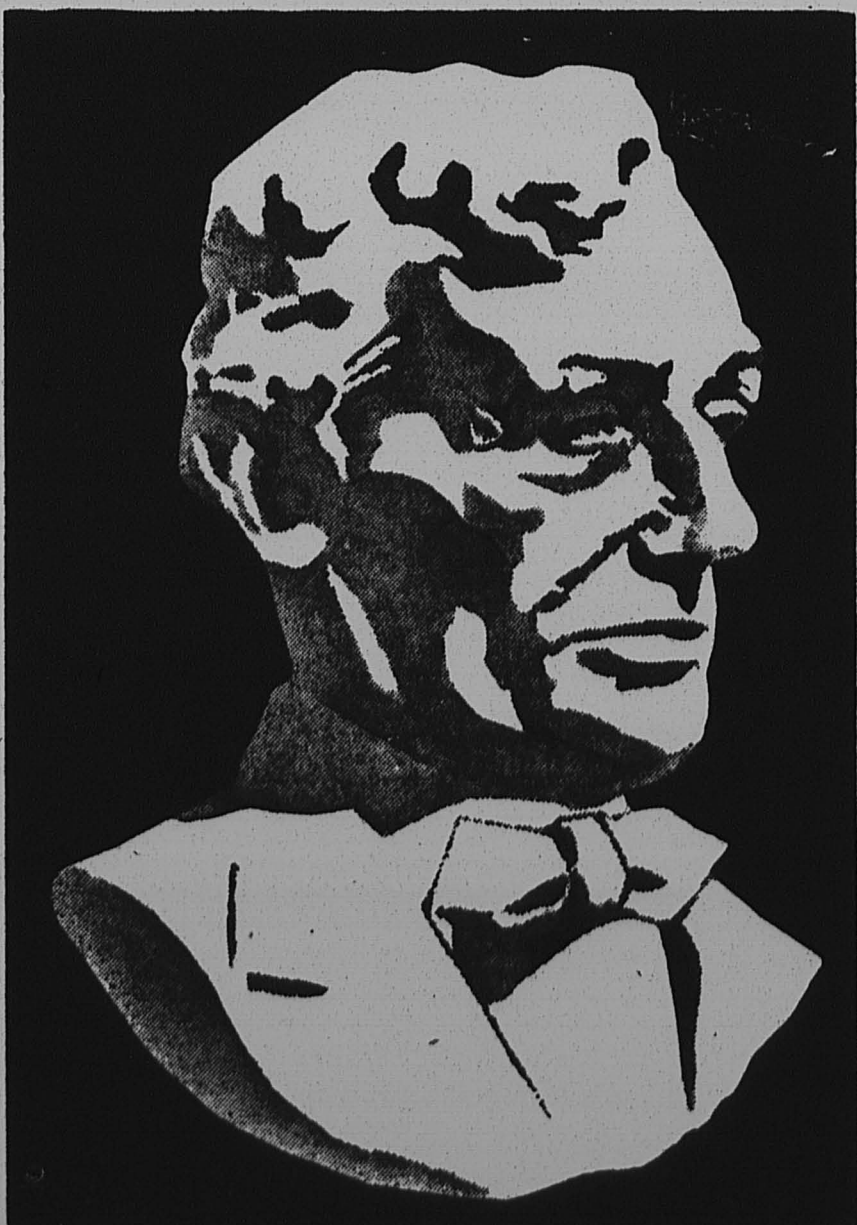
"conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal—that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom—and that Government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

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INSPIRATIONAL
THOUGHT THAT SHOULD
ENDURE FAR BEYOND THE
MARBLE IMAGE OF ITS
AUTHOR

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TODAY PUBLISHED AT PORCH CLUB

Yearly Issue of Club 'Magazine'
Portrays Events Here,
There, Everywhere

The third edition of "Today," the Porch Club "magazine" was "published" on Tuesday of this week.

World events were portrayed under the directors of the various departments of the club. A "page" of the magazine was devoted to each subject.

Under the caption of "It Never Rains But It Pours" the Dionne quintuplets were shown as the cover design. The "quint" were portrayed by Dora Parry, May Cumpston, Louise Ayres, Elizabeth Knight and Mrs. Robert Stackhouse.

The Current Events, Mrs. Gorham Sargent and International Relations, Mrs. Stuart B. Clark; illustrated, under the title of "Beauty Ltd.," the difficulties of a beauty shop proprietor who was unable to meet the exacting demands of her customers because of her inability to secure the necessary beauty aids from abroad. Those taking part were: Mrs. William G. Porter, Mrs. Percy Ransome, Miss May Cumpston, Mrs. Harry L. Rogers, Mrs. Bessie Morgan, Mrs. Henry L. Randall, Miss Eleanor Hall, Miss Louise Ayres, Mrs. Gilbert Coe and Mrs. Howard Coe.

The Music Department, under the direction of Mrs. Maurice G. Belknap, presented Mendelssohn's "Spring Song" played by Mrs. James Clark, during which a very attractive dance was performed by Patricia Benedict, of Moorestown, a pupil of Mrs. Alexine Tomes.

The Cinema section of the magazine was portrayed by three junior members who presented a porcine trio—the Misses Alice Parrish, Dora Parry and Eleanor Hall.

In the Art Department, under the direction of Mrs. Claude J. K. Anderson, Mrs. Anderson read a poem describing Mrs. Boyer's art class, and Miss Eleanor Hall posed as the artist.

In the Drama Department, under the direction of Mrs. Lucy W. Shreve, Mrs. Shreve presented a fascinating summary of worthwhile plays now running in New York.

The Garden Section, under the direction of Mrs. Bradford Stetson, presented the "Marriage of the Flowers," which was read by Mrs. Stetson, while Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Anderson, Miss Elliott, Miss Cumpston and Mrs. Rogers charmingly portrayed the flowers.

The welfare section of the magazine presented "A Day in the Welfare Office" portrayed by Mrs. Edw. Hunn.

The last page in the magazine was devoted to books, in which Miss Parry portrayed the frontispiece, "So Red the Rose," and Mrs. Richard D. Barclay gave a list of new books in the Riverton Free Library.

MRS GILBERT COE WINS NAME PRIZE

Offers "The Chatter Box" for Riverton's New Wool and Gift Shop

Mrs. Gilbert Coe, of 705 Thomas avenue, Riverton, was awarded the first prize of wool for a Jiffy Suit by Clara Sheibley Stradling, proprietress of the new Wool and Gift Shop to be opened Friday, February 15th, at 518 Main street, Riverton. The second prize has been awarded to Miss Elizabeth Hudson, of Palmyra, who submitted the name of "The Knit Kit."

Many offerings were received together with the kind wishes for success in her new undertaking by Mrs. Stradling who wishes to express her appreciation for the thought and interest shown, not only in the contest but in her welfare.

To further show her appreciation, and perhaps in a more practical way, Mrs. Stradling will endeavor to render to the public a service that will be most desirable and satisfactory.

PAGE "CLIFFY"

"Do you think personalities should be used to settle old scores in politics?" answered Senator Sorghum. "That's one case in which it is necessary to declare a moratorium."

RIVERTON SCHOOL NOTES

Entire Class on Honor Roll

The 8L class are very proud to acknowledge that they are the first class in Riverton school to receive 100% citizenship which means that the entire class is on the honor roll. Their reputation has been decided not only by their class teacher but also by all the others who teach them.

The honor roll for the third report period is as follows:

Grades 1 to 3, inclusive: Harry Watkins, Evelyn Lezenby, Edith Harris, Virginia Woodward, Mary L. Baker, Priscilla Woodward, Jean Gowell, Linda Murray, Mary Bush, Herbert Guest, Jack Carhart, Irma Hahle, Lewis Hodson, Chilton Anderson, Harry Stackhouse, Edna Johnson, Donald Hullings, Emilie Craig, Elizabeth Blackwell, Beatrice Carhart, Gladys Good, Dorothy J. Baker, Betty Henry, Edward Goodnow, Phyllis Robinson.

Grade 4: Joyce Bintliff, Phyllis Burr, Jane Bush, Eleanor Metzger, Clara Moody, Janice Pippit, Janet Webb, Marilyn Yost, Ann Furner, Frances Measey, Selma Lutts, Kenneth Barrick, Kenneth Davis, Russell Farrow, Arthur Hoyt, George Steele.

Grade 4&5: Walter Lezenby, John Rogers, John Craig, George Lutz, Donald Robinson, Fred Woodward, Robert Garwood, Katherine Elwell, Frances Borden, Marilyn Burr, Peggy Naisby, Gerry Metzger, Betsy Barclay, Patsy Weiford, Laura Yerkes.

Grade 5: Lester Friday, Robert Fuller, Ruth Henry, Anna J. Showell, Jeanne Werner, Ethel Cummings.

Grade 6: Virginia Armstrong, S. Robinson, E. Hoffman, F. Ulmer, J. Hoagland, J. Pennington, M. J. Donaghy, J. Longstreet.

Grade 7: James Brown, M. J. DeCoursey, Weston Goodnow, Eleanor Kaufman, Doris Mullen, Sylvia Reynolds, Emma Rotenbury, William Robinson, Carlette Seemuller, Helen Vile, Edmund Turnock, Robert Waters, Hilda Webb, Robert Yerkes.

Grade 8L: Dorothy Brown, Helen Borer, Mildred Cook, Mary Elwell, Elizabeth Hoffman, Sidney Hodgson, Phyllis Howard, Warren Hubbs, Charles Lezenby, Louise Moorhouse, Marion Pippit, Mary W. Rogers, Arthur Seelhorst, Jack Seemuller, Hilton Smith, Jack Stetson, Robert Stover, Jane Weiford, Jane Wolf-schmidt.

Grade 8E: Ruth Baker, Lois Bintliff, Elizabeth Guest, Philip Lezenby, Mary Webb, Dorothea Speer, Dorothy Rieger, Emily Perkins.

SCOTCH JOKE NO. 7,841,249

"Two pennyworth of bicarbonate of soda for indigestion at this time of night," cried the infuriated druggist, who had been aroused at 2 a.m., "when a glass of hot water would have done just as well!" "Weel, weel," returned MacDougall. "I thank ye for the advice, and I'll no bother ye after all. Good night!"—Pearson's (London).



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DRUG STORE
606 Main Street Riverton

PALMYRA SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION

Two Candidates for Re-Election.
Albert McCamy is New
Candidate

The voters of Palmyra will elect three members to the Board of Education at the annual school election in the high school building on Wednesday evening, February 13.

Frank Snowden and Mrs. A. C. Giberson will be candidates to succeed themselves, while Albert McCamy, a young Palmyra attorney, will be a candidate to succeed Charles A. Deitz, who will not run for election, due to ill health.

Mr. McCamy is well known to residents of this vicinity and is connected with the law office of Powell and Parker, Mount Holly.

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Executors Account
Estate of Frances G. Bennett, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the Account of the subscribers, Executors, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement and allowance to the Orphan's Court of the County of Burlington, at a session to be held Thursday, March 7, 1935, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
JAMES P. RUSHMORE and
GIRARD TRUST COMPANY
Executors.
Proctors: Boyle & Archer.
Dated: January 15, 1935.
1-17-2-14-35.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY

To FRANCES G. BENNETT:
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 Cinnaminson Building and Loan Association of Riverton, New Jersey, is complainant, and you, Frances G. Bennett, are a defendant, you are required to appear and answer the bill of said complaint on or before the 13th day of March, next, or the said bill will be taken as confessed against you.

The said bill is filed to foreclose two certain mortgages, one made by Albert M. Lewis and Leona P. Lewis, his wife, to said complainant, dated May 19th, 1924, and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of Burlington County in Book No. 175 of Mortgages, page 340, and the other made by Edward P. Bennett and Frances G. Bennett, his wife, to said complainant, dated November 1st, 1928, and recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Book No. 230 of Mortgages, page 1, both of which cover lands and premises situate in the Borough of Palmyra, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey, more particularly described in said bill of complaint.

And you, Frances G. Bennett, are made a defendant because you are one of the record owners of said premises in question.
Wm. D. Lippincott,
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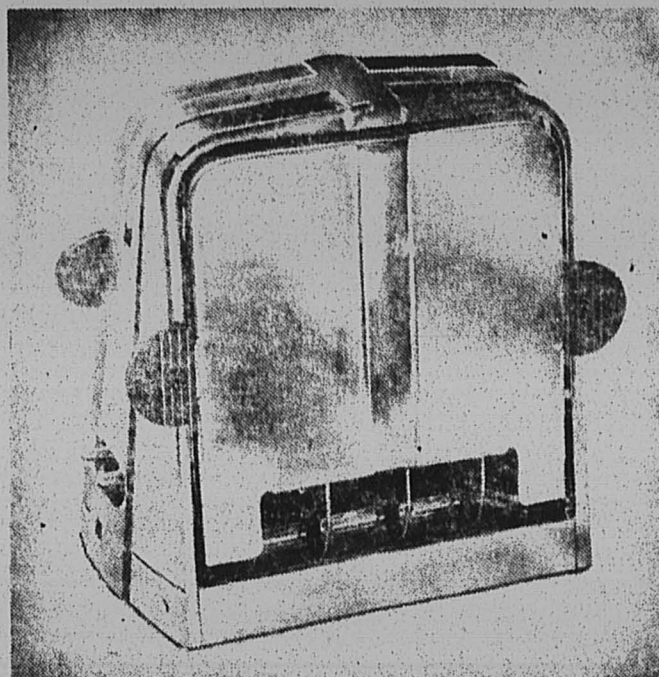
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THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN

Editor:—

In view of the general interest in the League of Nations and the World Court, I would like to offer the following:

"Up to the economic depression, world peace was held to be merely a political problem, a matter of treaty between the sovereign states. The depression served to reveal the fact that world peace in reality is a question of social justice and not merely the cessation of military strife.

"It revealed also that from the point of view of social justice the states are no longer sovereign, but have become areas of economic and psychological revolution. This fact makes the League of Nations, as now constituted, an inadequate instrument for international control. It is as though the Federal Government at Washington consisted merely of delegates from nearly fifty sovereign states, whose deliberations to become effective had to be ratified separately by each state legislature and who possessed no Federal army or navy, while each state maintained a complete military establishment in competition with every other state and refused to yield to Washington any essential elements of its local sovereignty.

Such a condition in one country could not be termed a national government nor can the League be properly regarded as an international government. The League at Geneva seems to represent the limit of attainment possible to the old civilization; it is not yet an organism of humanity."

—Horace Holley.

But the Supreme Tribunal which Baha'ullah has described will be effective. And his plan is this: "that the national assemblies of each country and nation—that is to say parliaments—should elect two or three persons who are the choicest men of that nation, and are well informed concerning international laws and the relations between governments, and aware of the essential needs of the world of humanity in this day. The number of these representatives should be in proportion to the number of inhabitants of that country. The election of these souls who are chosen by the national assembly, that is, the parliament, must be confirmed by the upper house, the congress and the cabinet and also by the president or monarch so that these persons may be the elected ones of all the nation and the government. From among these people the members of the Supreme Tribunal will be elected, and all mankind will thus have a share therein, for every one of the delegates is fully representative of his nation. When the Supreme Tribunal gives a ruling on any international question, either unanimously or by a majority vote, there will no longer be any pretext for the plaintiff or ground of objection for the defendant. In case any of the governments or nations, in the execution of the irrefutable decision of the Supreme Tribunal, be negligent or dilatory, the rest of the nations will rise up against it, because all the governments and all the nations of the world are the sup-

porters of this Supreme Tribunal."—Extract from a letter written by 'Abdu'l-Baha to the Central Organization for a Durable Peace, The Hague, December 17, 1919. —Zahra.

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CHURCH NEWS



CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Lockett, Pastor

One of the plans for this year's celebration of the 50th anniversary of the Church is to develop a greater interest in the Bible School and thereby enlarge the attendance. It seems that the members of the Bible School have sensed the plan for last Sunday the attendance passed the 300 mark despite the unfavorable weather conditions. The school starts promptly at 10 o'clock. Those who are on time enjoy the talk given by Superintendent Van Osten.

11 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon will be entitled "Conflicting Loyalties." The usual contributions to the service by the Junior and Senior choirs.

6.45 p.m.—B.Y.P.U. Last week a very interesting meeting ensued when it was led in a most able manner by William Headington. The young people are urged to come out in goodly numbers to enjoy this service. Always something interesting.

7.45 p.m.—Evening Worship. Sermon by the pastor on "The Everlasting Covenant."

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FRANCES LOUISE SCHUM

If you tuned in on Uncle Wip's Sunday Revue last Sunday at two o'clock you no doubt heard the indescribably beautiful renditions of the classics as presented by the pretty young lass pictured above. Her name is Frances Louise Schum and she resides way up there in Altoona.

Nothing I could say would in any way describe the manner in which this young artist has control of the keyboard. Miss Schum is quite a seasoned airwave star having broadcast over WFBG, Altoona, and WSUN, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Although only 15 years old, Miss Schum has given recitals before audiences upwards of 2,000 people at St. Petersburg's Million Dollar Pier and also played for the exclusive and fashionable St. Petersburg Yacht Club.

Dr. Gilbert Reynolds Combs, of Combs Conservatory, said several years ago that "She truly possesses a spark of genius." It seems to us that this spark has grown to a flame and some day you'll be hearing the name Frances Louise Schum in all parts of this great nation of ours.

Miss Schum will appear on Uncle Wip's show over WIP for the next three Sundays and we think the program department of the ABC outlet ought to try to make room on their schedule for a series of recitals by Frances. (See what you can do Mr. Hayes.)

THIS AND THAT: Former Mayor of the Quaker City Kendrick inaugurated a new series of talks over WTEL, February 4th at 12:15 p.m. when he spoke on "The Shoe-Malones of the Philadelphia Police Force." ... Amateur Night previously heard over WCAU on Thurs. at 10:30 p.m. will move to Wed. nite spot. Same time, same station. ... WIP Adventurers Club of the Air changes time on Monday nites to 9 o'clock. ... Marge Kenney, discovery of Harold Davis, is heard in a series of song programs over WDAS on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. ... Boake Carter back in Philly again to do his CBS aircasts from WCAU instead of Union Hotel, Flemington. ... Some more changes at WIP.

Murray Arnold is advanced to Production and Continuity Director with James Allen being showed to head of Public Relations. ... WTEL presents a Christian Science Quarter Hour every Thursday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock. ... We hear Glen Parker spent \$8.50 to call the girl friend in Phoenixville last week. You know Parker is a WIP announcer. ... Charlotte Pridley featured on WCAU on Fridays with Pete Woolery and Savitt's ork was a recent Amateur Night winner. ... Phoebe Elkins of WIP staff recently fell and injured herself. Taking her place at the WIP mike is Mary Barclay. ... Michale Sianco, tenor, resumed his series of vocal recitals over WDAS at 5:30 p.m. last Saturday. ... Tom Livey of the WIBG staff is frequently "panning" Bing Crosby. Rumors have it that Crosby heard about it with a result that Livey is the recipient of a letter from Bing thanking him for the publicity. Some guy this Crosby. ... Present indica-

FIVE COAL HAULERS ARRESTED, FINED

By Jacob Price
Superintendent County Department of Weights and Measures

Activities of the weights and measures men, in their efforts to close down the short-weight fuel racket, were temporarily suspended as the result of the heavy snow last week. The drive was resumed early this week.

We had very little difficulty in checking up last week, as most of the great army of coal truckers who operate between the mines of Pennsylvania and South Jersey, were unable to run the blockade of snow. Consequently most of those depending upon them failed to get delivery service. The result was that regular coal yards were kept busy.

Recent arrests and convictions include the following:
Patsy Vitullo, of Paulsboro, who was fined a short time ago for short-weight and whose seal was taken at that time, was arrested and fined a second time. On this occasion, the charge was for not weighing the coal. The fine was \$300.00.

Steven Lamia, also of Paulsboro, was fined \$25,000 for short-weight. A drive in the Merchantville section netted three arrests and convictions for irregularities, including pre-sealing, no tickets, and failure to have coal weighed by New Jersey weighmasters. Incidentally, those men convicted were all carrying "short-weight" tons of fuel. Those fined were R. E. Thomas, R. Newman and Malcolm McCallum.

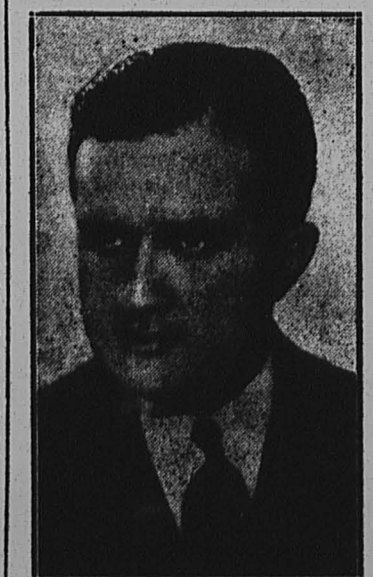
UTILITIES AND RAILROADS 40% OF NATION'S WEALTH

Investment in the public utility industry of the United States now amounts to more than seventeen percent of the estimated invested wealth of the nation. The country's railroads represent more than twenty-three per cent of such national wealth. The total capital investment in the utilities is conservatively placed at twenty billions of dollars and in the railroads it is estimated to exceed twenty-six billions of dollars.

Thus approximately forty per cent of the nation's invested wealth lies in two industries, comments the New Jersey Public Utility Information Committee. No adequate or satisfactory estimate of the number of investors in the utility industry alone are said to number more than ten million.

STEAM UP
"Do you have any trouble with your steam furnace?"
"Nothing except getting coal for it."

tions have it that the new WIP studios will open on March 1st.



VINCENT TRAVERS

The solemn looking gentleman pictured above is the disher outer of some of the swiftest adaptations in Philly. He's Vincent Travers and with his ork are heard on remoted from the Hotel Pennsylvania over WCAU. Vincent and his music are the cause of nite lifers going to the Pennsylvania instead of coming to the many "in town" spots. Why don't you tune in on the smooth rhythms of the Travers Musicrew sometime?

Time has come again to hoist anchor and until next week, so long.

P.H.S. SENIORS IN "CAPPY RICKS"

Annual Play to Raise Funds for Washington Trip, February 15

The annual senior play this year will be "Cappy Ricks," from the story by Peter B. Kyne, and rewritten by Edward E. Rose.

Alden P. Ricks, played by Joseph Rogers, is a weatherbeaten old sea dog devoted to his daughter, but underneath the rough exterior is a heart of gold. His obsession is Matt Peasley, first mate of one of his vessels, whom Ricks ships with Captain Ole Peterson, a veritable sea wolf, with the instructions to put Matt through the "grind" and cure him of his alleged "freshness."

The part of Matt Peasley is portrayed by Robert Rouse. When the ship returns from the voyage, Cappy finds Matt in command, after having beaten the surly captain. From that time on, Matt proceeds to outgeneral the captain and win the hand of the captain's daughter.

The list of characters and those who portray them are as follows: Ellen Murray, a straight ingenuite, about nineteen, dainty and pretty, Edna Meunier, John Skinner, second man, about forty, extremely correct and precise, Jack Geiss, Florence Ricks, female lead, twenty, daughter of "Cappy Ricks," Patience Northrup, Edward Singleton, typical lawyer of perhaps thirty-five, Lawrence Witte, Cecil Pericles Bernard, a supposedly Englishman and comic, Howard Barto, Aunt Lucy Ricks, sweet lady of forty, aunt of Florence, Thelma Chatham, Brookfield, chauffeur, Hamilton Gillis.

The proceeds of this production will be used to defray the seniors expenses to Washington in April.

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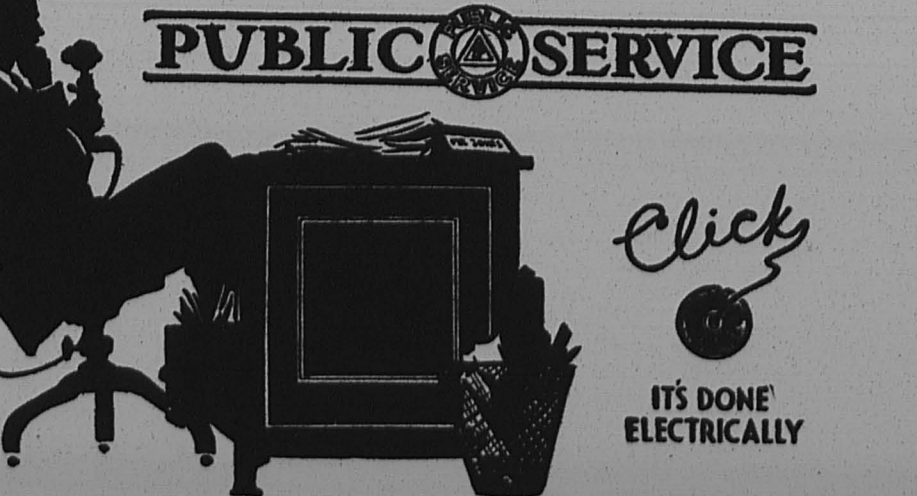


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NOT UP ON RULES? COME ANYWAY

Basket Ball Provides Plenty of Thrills Even for the Uninitiated

There are, no doubt, a fair number of our good readers to whom the term basket ball is very little. They have not a contest and hesitate to witness a game because they do not know the rules and what it is about. This does not deter many of the same people from plunking down \$4.40 to see some college foot ball scramble of which very few of us know the ever changing rules.

Basket ball has it all over the foot ditto for real excitement. The college teams have been drawing record crowds since they have adopted one of the salient features of the indoor game, namely passing the ball. It is this feature that requires real skill, and has been responsible for the heavy weights of former years not being placed on teams to act as steam rollers. Seeing the ball sail thru the air is much more interesting than the old plunging, bone crushing system ever was.

Soosie behoves you who have never shown any interest in basket ball, to take a journey to the Palmyra High Gym some evening when the High School or local Interboro League teams are staging their exhibitions. The next home school contest is scheduled for this Friday evening with the strong Camden High School as opponents. The admission charge is 25 cents. The Interboro loop is of six teams composed entirely of players who reside in Riverton and Palmyra. The lads' only recompense is the exercise and enjoyment of playing. They play three contests every Wednesday evening up to March 13th, beginning at 7:30 and ending 10:30. The admission fee is only 10 cents, which just about covers expenses.

The League was formed with the sole idea of being a community affair, and not a money making scheme. The school board is in accord with the idea and have been very generous to the boys, charging a nominal sum for lighting and janitor services. The names of the teams imply who their sponsors are. These business people and organizations gave real cash to have their squads outfitted with neat and distinctive jerseys. The players themselves, in most instances, advanced entrance or guarantee fee of the teams; thus they hold the bag if the dimes do not roll in.

Next week there will be an article on the rules, which may make the game more interesting to you. Come out, anyway, and see the boys show their skill and you will be well repaid. This applies both to the school and league games. The admission charge in either case is not excessive. You will be certain to recognize some lad that you know and will meet many of your friends among the spectators.

LONE STARS WIN

Monday night the Cinnaminson Lone Stars rallied in the last period to defeat Moorestown Y.M.C.A. to the tune of 18 to 11, in a league game.

It was a very dull game as both teams were off in their shots and passes.

Beitz starred for the locals, as he was in the thick of the battle thru-out the game. Stoner starred for Moorestown.

Lone Star Jrs.		Fld. Fl. P.
Shea, f	3	0 6
Davidson, f	2	1 5
Williams, c	0	0 0
Beitz, g	1	2 4
Briggs, g	1	1 3
Totals	7	4 18

Moorestown		Fld. Fl. P.
Brown, f	1	0 2
Poster, f	0	0 0
Ingrin, c	1	2 4
Cline, g	0	0 0
Shoner, g	2	1 5
Totals	4	3 11

Water hose that is kept warm in freezing weather by automatically controlled electric heat has been invented for automobile service stations.

S.J. Girls Independent Basketball League

STANDING OF TEAMS

	W	L	PC
Riverton	1	0	1.000
Salem	0	0	.000
Swedesboro	0	0	.000
Paulsboro	0	0	.000
Gloucester	0	0	.000
Woodbury	0	1	.000

The South Jersey Girls' Basketball League opened its season Monday at Wenonah Military Academy, where all games are to be played each Thursday night. Most of the teams were unable to compete because of the snow-blocked roads. However, Riverton and Woodbury engaged in an interesting tussle in which Woodbury lead until the final quarter. Riverton far outplayed Woodbury in the final quarter and won by five points, the score being 22-17.

RIVERTON		Fld. Fl. P.
H. Easley, f	5	1 11
C. Hinke, f	3	0 6
C. Baker, f	2	1 5
J. Beitz, g	0	0 0
P. Neely, g	0	0 0
G. Sippel, g	0	0 0
Totals	10	2 22

WOODBURY		Fld. Fl. P.
Phalines, f	3	1 7
Clift, f	3	0 6
Maier, f	2	0 4
Saner, g	0	0 0
Eppinger, g	0	0 0
Henderson, g	0	0 0
Totals	8	1 17

LEWIS VS. DUSEK IN CAMDEN RING

Former Champion and Omaha Apeman Finalists in Exciting Card

With what he terms his last stand, whether or not he is capable of still stepping on the mat and proving not only to the public and critics but to himself as well, that he still is one of the foremost challengers for his lost laurels, Ed Strangler Lewis, the only grappler in the history of wrestling to boast of the rare distinction of regaining his lost laurels four times, will be seen in action at the Camden Armory Thursday night. He will have as his opponent Rudy Dusek, the Omaha Apeman, in a two out of three falls, ninety minute time limit go.

Lewis is confident that the headlock, his own pet invention and which has brought him the championship time and again, will again stand him in good stead against the tactics of the bruising Nebraskan. In fact, the Strangler means to come out of the ring with the scalp of Rowdy Rudy dangling from his belt. He can't afford to lose and will fight tooth and nail; meet the Apeman at his own game, if necessary, just so that he is the victor. The former mat king well realizes that a loss would mean to him at this time.

Nick Lutze, popular Californian, and Tom Alley, Australian champion will be the contestants in the special one-hour semi-final.

Blue Sun Jennings, who won the Indian grappling title last week when he downed Mayes McLain, meets Joey Dusek, brother of Rudy, in the second bout, a half hour go, while the opener will present John Katan, Wild Greek and Boris Demitroff, Bulgarian champion, in a thirty minute bout.

Lone Star Jrs.		Fld. Fl. P.
Shea, f	3	0 6
Davidson, f	2	1 5
Williams, c	0	0 0
Beitz, g	1	2 4
Briggs, g	1	1 3
Totals	7	4 18

Moorestown		Fld. Fl. P.
Brown, f	1	0 2
Poster, f	0	0 0
Ingrin, c	1	2 4
Cline, g	0	0 0
Shoner, g	2	1 5
Totals	4	3 11

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INTERBORO ENDS HALF SCHEDULE

Artisans, Wesleys, 5 and 10
Tops List as First Half
Comes to Close

Standing of the Teams			
	W	L	PC
Artisans	9	1	.900
Wesleys	8	2	.800
5 and 10	5	5	.500
Pal-River	5	5	.500
K of C.	2	8	.200
Tak-Abost	2	8	.200

Last Night's Scores
5 and 10, 28-K. of C., 21
Artisans, 19-Tak-Aboost, 16
Wesleys, 30-Pal-River, 18
Next Week's Games
K. of C. vs Tak-Aboost, 7:30
5 and 10 vs Pal-River, 8:30
Wesleys vs Artisans, 9:30

The first section of the league finished their playing schedule last Wednesday night at the high school gym with a somewhat better attendance than the last two weeks. Next week the extended schedule will start and games will be played every Wednesday night until March 13th. This extension was made possible by the co-operation of the local School Board, and all those interested in the Community Movement appreciate their friendly spirit.

Those who attended the games this week witnessed some exceptionally good basketball. At no time during the present season have the "Sippers" displayed such championship style. The low score shows what a hard fought battle this was and while E. Zaun and Poinsett led in points due credit should be given to Long, Snow, King and Krauss. "Snowie" guarded his man so well that he failed to register even a single field goal while the passing of the entire team was "big league" stuff.

ARTISANS		Fld. Fl. F. T. P.
Terrell, f	1	1 3 3
Freiberg, f	0	1 4 1
Landgraf, c	0	2 4 2
Rarig, g	3	3 4 9
Reeves, g	2	0 2 4
Totals	6	7 17 19

TAK-ABOOST		Fld. Fl. F. T. P.
E. Zaun, f	3	2 4 8
Long, f	0	0 1 1
Snow, c	0	2 5 2
King, g	0	1 2 1
Poinsett, g	2	0 2 4
Krauss, g	0	0 0 0
Totals	5	6 14 16

Score first half, Tak-Aboost 11, Artisans 9; referee, Morgan; timer, Schonevelt.

The K. of C. lost a hard fought game to the 5 and 10 which was well played by both teams. Malone and Burke were high in points scored but received excellent support from the other members of their team. Wolfe was high man for the 5 and 10 with 14 points to his credit.

5 and 10, 28; K. of C., 21
5c and 10c STORE

5c and 10c STORE		Fld. Fl. F. T. P.
Gootee, f	0	1 3 1
Enskat, f	2	2 2 6
Wolfe, c	5	4 5 14
Speer, g	1	1 6 3
Bonattelli, g	0	0 1 0
Daley, f	2	0 0 4
Totals	10	8 17 28

K. of C.		Fld. Fl. F. T. P.
Prisco, f	1	1 1 3
Casey, f	0	1 3 1
Malone, c	2	2 4 6
Buvidas, g	1	1 3 3
Burke, g	3	0 0 6
McGann, g	1	0 0 2
Totals	8	5 11 21

Score first half, 5 and 10, 15; K. of C., 12; referee, Morgan; timer, Schonevelt.

In the third and final game the Wesleys seemed to be too fast for the Pal-River team and won by the score of 30-18. Baker and Foulke were credited with the most points for the Wesleys, while Kessler, Schmierer and Windhovel led their team in scoring.

Ever try a five-cent vegetable brush when washing dishes? It saves hands and dishes, and you may like it better than a mop.

Wesleys 30, Pal-River 18		Fld. Fl. F. T. P.
Foulke, f	3	1 5 7
Cahill, f	1	0 4 2
Hagstoz, c	2	1 2 5
Sloan, g	2	1 2 5
Baker, g	5	1 5 11
Heavener, f	0	0 0 0
Totals	13	4 18 30

PAL-RIVER		Fld. Fl. F. T. P.
Roach, f	0	1 3 1
Schmierer, f	2	0 0 4
Windhovel, c	2	0 0 4
Weikman, g	0	0 3 0
Kessler, g	2	1 1 5
Miller, f	1	1 1 3
Godley, f	0	1 1 1
Totals	7	4 9 18

EXTENDED SCHEDULE		February 13th
K. of C. vs Tak-Aboost, at 7:30	5 and 10 vs Pal-River, at 8:30	Wesleys vs Artisans, at 9:30
February 20th		Pal-River vs K. of C., at 7:30
Tak-Aboost vs Wesleys, at 8:30	Artisans vs 5 and 10, at 9:30	

February 27th		Pal-River vs Artisans, at 7:30
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WILL CELEBRATE FOUNDERS DAY

N. J. Congress Parents and Teachers Organized in Riverton, 1900

On Sunday, February 17, special services will be held in the Calvary Presbyterian Church, Riverton, to pay tribute to the Founders of the National Congress of Mothers, organized in 1897, and to the Founders of the New Jersey Congress of Mothers, which was organized in 1900.

The services will be at eleven o'clock. The Rev. Charles T. Bates, pastor will preach the sermon.

Mrs. E. C. Grice, formerly of Riverton, now of Philadelphia, will attend and speak of the pioneers in the parent-teacher movement.

The service has been arranged for by the Riverton P. T. A., of which Mrs. Howard S. Coe is president. On September 28, 1900, Mrs. Edward H. Ogden, president of the Riverton P. T. A., sent the following invitation to all the women's clubs in New Jersey:

"The New Jersey organizer of the National Congress of Mothers, Mrs. E. C. Grice, and the Section of the P. T. A. known as the Mothers' Council, have arranged a New Jersey Congress of Mothers, to be held Saturday, October 20th, in the Sunday School room of Calvary Presbyterian Church, Riverton, from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.

The president of the National Congress, Mrs. Theodore W. Birney, of Washington, and the vice-president, Mrs. Frederic Schöff, of Philadelphia, will attend and forcibly present the benefits to be derived from this organization.

A simple lunch will be furnished for twenty-five cents.

"All men and women interested in the work of the Congress (which should reach every home in the land), members of child study clubs, sections in other clubs, mothers, teachers and educators are cordially invited to attend.

"Every woman's club in New Jersey is invited to send its president and two delegates to the Congress. A permanent state organization will be effected at this Congress."

At this meeting a permanent state organization was effected, with Mrs. E. C. Grice as president, who served until 1904.

The members of the Mothers' Council were: Mrs. Alex. Marcy, Jr., Mrs. Annie Sharp, Mrs. Howard Parry, Mrs. William Thomas, Mrs. John T. Murdoch, Mrs. Harry Ashburner, Mrs. Edward S. Wood, Mrs. Robert Biddle, Jr., Mrs. J. Lawrence Lippincott, Mrs. Joshua Atlee, Mrs. Clarence Carter, Mrs. George S. Washington, Mrs. Charles Wright, Mrs. Joseph M. Roberts, Sr., Mrs. Charles C. Miller, Mrs. E. C. Grice.

In 1904, at the fourth annual meeting, Riverton was honored by the election of Mrs. Alexander Marcy, Jr., to the office of state president. She served until 1908.

In 1905, Mrs. Grice was elected corresponding secretary of the National Congress of Mothers.

In 1910, Burlington County gave to the state another president, Mrs. A. H. Reeve, of Moorestown, who served until 1914. Mrs. Reeve was elected in 1922 as National President, and 1927 as President of the International Federation of Home and School. She is now serving as a vice-president of the I. F. H. S. and is a member of the National Executive Board.

In 1908 the New Jersey Branch changed its name to "The New Jersey Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations."

In 1925, owing to the widening scope of its work and membership, the name was again changed to "The New Jersey Congress of Parents and Teachers."

The New Jersey Congress has grown from 295 members in 1904 to 77,000 in 1935, representing 873 local associations.

Invitations have been sent to Mrs.

BANDITS ROB GAS STATION

Two unmasked bandits entered the "Standard" service station owned by H. B. Williams, S-41 and River road, Palmyra, late Friday night and at the point of a gun forced "Johnny" Goodwin, attendant, to open the safe.

The bandits looted the safe of a small amount of cash and ran East on Spring Garden street where it is believed they had a car parked. Goodwin called the police immediately after their departure but no trace of the bandits was found.

SMALL VOTE AT SCHOOL ELECTION

Board Members Re-elected and Budget Passed; Forty-four Votes Recorded

Members of the Riverton Board of Education whose names appeared on the ballot for re-election were all returned to office in one of the smallest votes registered for several years. A total of but 44 votes was cast.

Marion R. Elwell, president of the Board of Education, received a total of 40 votes. Hilton M. Smith, 37; and Walter K. Woolman, vice president, 35 votes. All three members were elected for the full three year term.

Harry E. Moyer was elected to fill the unexpired term of one year caused by the resignation of John E. Shibley by a total of 34 votes.

The current expense item of the budget passed with 41 votes for it and none against. The amount was \$33,949.55.

Repairs and replacements amounting to \$200 passed with a vote 38 for and one against. Manual training in the amount of \$950 passed with a vote of 39 for and one against.

Mathias Sontheimer served as judge of election, DeWitt Steedle as secretary and Edson Carhart and Dewees Showell as clerks.

QUIET ELECTION IN CINNAMINSON

Harold J. Fink and Leslie W. Reeves Elected to Board of Education

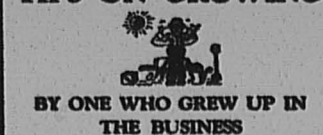
Harold J. Fink and Leslie W. Reeves, unopposed candidates for election to the Cinnaminson Board of Education each received sixty-three votes in the election held in the Westfield Public School building Wednesday night.

A total of sixty-eight ballots was cast; one was rejected.

The items of the budget received the following vote: Current expenses, \$29,130.53 for and none against; repairs and replacements, \$1,000, 57 for and two against; manual training, \$600, 48 for and five against; transfer of funds from an account having a surplus to one having a deficit, 48 for and three against.

CARD PARTY
Don't forget the card party to be given at the home of Mrs. Maurice G. Belknap, 311 Bank

TIPS ON GROWING



The word "Shrub" refers to a woody perennial plant smaller than a tree, of bushy growth, and includes an immense species, yet it is very curious how this particular term universally throughout the rural districts of the country, is applied to the Calycanthus which produces the chocolate colored pineapple-shaped bloom which the hidden knot in the corner of their handkerchiefs to inhale the sweet fragrance. This plant is also popularly known as the Sweet Shrub, Strawberry Shrub, Pineapple Shrub, Sweet Betsy and Carolina Allspice.

An English paper says the fruit and vegetables so longed for by the Israelites when in the wilderness, were the Cucumbers, Melons, Leeks, Onion and Garlic of which they had eaten so freely when in Egypt. The ancient Egyptians likely removed their handkerchiefs from their noses and breathed more freely after the exodus of the Twelve Tribes across the Red Sea, and the epidemic of halitosis subsided. Too bad Moses did not know of the Garlic surplus in my backyard. Anyhow it is fine for worming the pup. "Green" is an integral part of every well balanced garden. Some space should be given to Dill, Cress, Endive, Florence Fennel, Kale, Swiss Chard, Leeks and Romaine Salad for the preparation of salads and flavoring soups and appetizers.

Grown on the thatched roofs of the quaint cottage homes, the lovely crested blue "Roof Iris" (Iris tectorum) is one of the unique and pleasant sights greeting visitors to the islands of Japan. It may be grown in the open ground in this country and can be planted in September or early spring. It is dwarf in growth, seldom attaining a foot in height. North of the Potomac it should be well protected with forest leaves during the winter.

There is also a very rare white form.

Maroon-colored Carnations were worn in the coat lapels by all men at Vice President Garner's dinner for the President. These Dams certainly are "putting on The Ritz" since the advent of the New Deal. However, Max Schling says Maroon Carnations are the vogue in New York for dinnerjacket wear—(So that you may be correct when you again don the glad rags for the Lodge banquet).

That name for the new Dahlia "Kiss Me" is a honey, or just nutty—as you may react . . . The Kalanchoe Glob, coccinea with scarlet red flowers is just one of the nicest house plants for flowering now . . . A Valentine Novelty this season is a thin red heart-shaped metal flower basket with a full circular handle . . . I'll privately rename the Black Rose Nigrette when it blooms in my garden, "The Pickaninny" . . . Now is a good time to prune the grapes.

Odd plant names: Job's tears, Widow's tears, Beggars-ticks, Butcher's broom, Dutchman's breeches, Jupiter's beard, St. John's bread, Hunter's robe, King's mantle, Princes-plume, Skullcap, Shepherd's purse, Weaver's broom.

BIRTHDAY TEA FOR HOSPITAL

A Washington's birthday tea will be given by the Service League at the Beverly Presbyterian Church, Thursday, February 21st, from 2 until 9 p.m.

There will be an exhibition of gorgeous old quilts of rare design and other beautiful antiques. Delicious refreshments and music. Benefit Out-Patient Department Burlington County Hospital. Admission 25 cents.

CARD PARTY
Washington Camp 186, POS of A. Marlon, will hold a card party in the Marlon Community House on Thursday, February 21st, eight p.m. Prizes, refreshments, 25c admission.

RIVERTON LAUNDRY WINS CLAIM SUIT

N. Kuensell, proprietor of the Riverton Laundry, in Judge Palmer's Court, Camden, last week, was given a verdict of not guilty in a suit brought by the Harry Knecht Co., Inc., Collingswood, for the cost of installing an oil-burning outfit at the Riverton Laundry in January 1934, and for which Mr. Kuensell refused to pay, on the ground that the installation was not satisfactory. The verdict required the Knecht Co. to remove the apparatus and refund to Mr. Kuensell the \$300 he had paid on account.

Joseph Beck Tyler, of Riverton, was attorney for the Knecht Co., and Daniel Lichtenthal of Riverside, represented Mr. Kuensell.

NURSERY NOTES

Mr. Legendre, of River, was among the audience who had the pleasure of hearing the lecture on "Water Lilies" given by Peter Bisset, the celebrated horticulturist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, at the Morris Arboretum Saturday morning. Mr. Legendre, after the lecture, was fortunate in persuading Mr. Bisset to return with him to Riverton where he made a very thorough inspection of the greenhouses. Mr. Bisset expressed keen pleasure at seeing again old-time favorites such as Camellias and Fuchsias returning to popular favor.

At Riverton Mr. Bisset met his old friend, J. C. Clark, who induced him to spend the weekend at his "shack" at Browns-Mills-in-the-Pines.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Palmyra Ambulance Association gratefully acknowledges the receipt of the following contributions: Palmyra Woman's Club, \$5.00; Mrs. M. J. McDermott, \$5.00; George Rivel, \$1.00; Mrs. Jack Smith, Riverton, \$5.00.

CINNAMINSON P. T. A.

The P.T.A., as a whole offers its deepest sympathy and loving wishes for comfort, to the President, Mrs. Robert Sim, on the loss of her mother.

Mrs. Bechtel was a regular attendant, and the members will feel the loss of her cheery presence.

The school activities have been many. The Teachers' Welfare Committee has arranged for the purchase of shoes, tooth brushes, etc., to be given when needed. This work will not overlap the regular relief activities, as often, these articles are needed, and not asked for.

The Hobby Clubs are in full swing, Friday afternoon from two to three. Ex-high school pupils are the instructors, demonstrations of work, hooked rugs, air planes, etc., in assembly room.

Eighth grade boys have been making a survey of sanitary conditions in the building; have provided new trash baskets for the lunch room, and asked for figures on deodorants, etc.

Dental work very satisfactory; tonsilectomies will be resumed when weather permits.—Publicity.

NRA estimates code authorities are costing business about \$41,400,000 a year.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY AT BROADWAY



Robert Montgomery and Ann Harding in "Biography of a Bachelor Girl"

YWCA NOTES

Membership Campaign

At a meeting of the membership committee of the Burlington YWCA Board, held Monday afternoon at the home of the chairman, Mrs. William Grobler, of Moorestown, plans were made for the annual membership campaign to be held March 17-30. Miss Helen Woolman, of Riverton is a member of this committee.

ENGAGED

The Misses Ada and Emma Price, of 416 Lippincott avenue, Riverton, entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of the engagement of their niece, Miss Jane Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland S. Price, of 825 Columbia avenue, Palmyra, to Charles David Mattern, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Mattern, of West Point, Pa. Among those at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Mattern, Mrs. Ida Finch, of West Point; Miss Roberta Pendell, of Germantown; Mr. and Mrs. Roland S. Price, of Palmyra and Thomas and Walter Price of Ursinus College.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gardner Crowell, of 406 Main street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Alexander Marcy, February 7, at the Methodist Hospital, Philadelphia.

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OPEN MARKET FOR TOMATOES

Harvey E. Stewart & Son Will Open Market at Bridgeboro for Canning House Tomatoes

Harvey E. Stewart & Son, have an advertisement in this paper telling farmers that there will be a market established at Bridgeboro, N. J., wharf where they can sell their 1935 crop of canning house tomatoes on the open market.

Mr. Stewart has bought tomatoes in the country and on the Philadelphia market for the past 32 years and has kept an accurate account of the markets each year in regards to the price of contract tomatoes and those sold on the open market. He finds that during this period he has bought tomatoes as low as 15c per basket and as high as \$1.25 per basket for the canners, and taking the whole time through, the prices will average more than any contractor has paid.

His advice to the farmers this year in particular is to grow all the tomatoes they can and to sell them on the open market to the highest bidder. The canners all over the country are practically sold out of tomatoes as well as other commodities, and he believes this will be one of the best years for canning house tomatoes that we have had for a long time.

Mr. Stewart has made arrangements for prompt attention to those bringing tomatoes to the market, and the long, tedious hours of waiting in line will be eliminated.

PARENTS ATTENTION

Parents who are planning to enter their children in the Riverton kindergarten may do so from now until February 21, if the child is five years of age or will be before June.

A birth and vaccination certificate are required.

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YMCA BRIEFS

Congress February 23-24

February 23-24 are the dates of the Fourth Annual Congress of New Jersey young men, which will be held in the United Industries YMCA building, Bayonne.

This Congress is definitely planned by and for fellows 18-30 years of age who are interested in reading the present-day problems of life on an instructive platform. Reservations are being secured from Burlington county by the following who are members of the Congress committee: J. Edward Haines, Medford; Russell Heyer, Mt. Holly; Aylward Stockwell, Moorestown, and Secretary Clifford W. Ergood, of Mount Holly.

SEE "CAPPY RICKS" FEBRUARY 15-16

An evening of entertainment is assured if you come and see "Cappy Ricks" on February 15th and 16th at 8:15 p.m., presented by the Senior class in the P. H. S. auditorium. A whirl of drama encircling the lives of "Cappy Ricks"; his daughter Florence; and Matt Peasley will entertain you throughout the evening. The cast includes Joseph Rogers, Jack Geiss, Patricia Northrup, Robert Rouse, Edna Meunier, Howard Barto, Thelma Chaburn, Hamilton Gillis, and Lawrence Witte. The play is directed by Miss M. E. Emy. Please try to be on deck and help the Senior class to Washington.

K. OF C. NOTES

The weekly card parties held each Friday night at the Knights of Columbus hall, Broad and Elm avenue, are getting a larger attendance each week. The large array of fine prizes no doubt attract the numbers who attend, and then they also enjoy the home-made cakes and coffee that is served after the games.

A big increase in both bridge and radio players was very evident last week, but pinocchio still holds the major portion of the players.

Another group of ladies will try to outdo the last committee this Friday night. The winners last week were: Radio, Pearl Snover 760; bridge, L. A. Schaeffer 2254; pinocchio, W. Steele 729; and the door prize a beautiful fur was awarded to Miss E. Downs.

AUXILIARY COVERED DISH LUNCHEON

A covered dish luncheon is planned by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Palmyra and Riverton YMCA for Wednesday, February 20, at 1 o'clock, at the "Y" building, Broad street and Garfield avenue, Palmyra.

Edmund Tomb, YMCA executive secretary of Mercer county, will be the guest speaker.

All mothers of "Y" boys, members and friends interested in "Y" activities are very cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Joseph Morgan and Mrs. Grover F. Fox will be the luncheon hostesses. Make your reservation by calling Riverton 1030 and Riverton 692.

NEEDLEWORK GUILD

The Needlework Guild of Riverton will meet in the Riverton Porch Club, Monday, February 18, at 10 o'clock. Those desiring luncheon at the price of 25 cents should call Mrs. William Porter.

GROB-WHITESIDE

Mr. and Mrs. William Whiteside, of Delaware avenue, Palmyra have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Eva Whiteside, to Rudolph Grob, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Grob, Sr., of Palmyra Extension, on August 17, 1934.

The ceremony took place at Bristol, Pa. The couple's only attendants were LeRoy Lester, of Riverton and Miss Mary Hufford, of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Grob are now residing with the bridegroom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Storicks, of Memorial avenue, Palmyra.

There are millions of Chinese in northwestern China who have never tasted nor seen rice.

Mike Murmurs

By William Cooper, Jr.



RUTH CARHART

"Sophisticated loveliness" seems to be the title of the picture above. She is the great Rox's latest find and is none other than Ruth Carhart, young contralto from Kansas. Ruth has long been a Philadelphia favorite, and now Rox is devoting his time to her and he states that "she" has the greatest potentialities of any artist that ever worked for me." Miss Carhart is heard on the two Rox Gang broadcasts over WCAU on Sundays at 3:00 o'clock and on Saturdays at 8:00 p.m.

We want you tinner inners to follow up the column closely because next week we will inaugurate a Mike Murmurs Contest for which the prizes will be tickets to various visual broadcasts in Philadelphia.

PHILLY NOTES: WIP scooped the town the other night on the \$10,000 Bok Award to Philly's outstanding citizen. It happened that the board of directors outlawed radio but Jimmy Allen, not fazed, visited the Academy of Music, where the affair was staged, took in the first part of the show then dashed across the street to the mike in the Bellevue Stratford Palm Gardens where he announced the name of the winner of the award five minutes after it was made known. Some speed . . . You sport fans will soon be able to hear the tenor voice of Joe Cascarella, one of the A's most promising young pitchers, who will begin a new series of song programs over WCAU in the near future . . .

Charlie Gaines and his ork are heard nightly over WDAS at 11 o'clock from the Stable . . . Coffee and doughnuts, all you can dunk for a quarter, are being offered to the visual audience of the newest visible show the "8:15" which is presented by Sandy Guyer over station WRAX every morning . . . You people who buy recordings should get either the Oriole or Perfect Record on which is recorded tune "Catch On" by Johnnie Farrow, young Philly composer . . . Oh yes, we forgot to mention that Blanche Calloway and her ork supply the music for this recording . . . Henry Patrick now a featured artist on WFIL . . . Listen for the voice of Ray Fitzgerald on the SS All in Fun show singing "All Tangled Up in Love" . . . Rumors around that Billy Hayes and his Musicrew, Philly favorites are breaking up . . . WIP and WFIL both trying their darndest to get wires in Pierres Roof so as to bring to the listeners the music of the Del Regis Ork . . . Paul Mason taking over the bandstand at the Sylvania Hotel. Either a WFIL or WIP wire . . .

Allen Shaw, latest addition to roster of singers of WPEN, will be heard over that station every Monday night at 8:30 . . . A revue of the lighter vein will be heard over WTCL every Thursday morning at 11:00 . . . Jan Savitt and band heard over WCAU each Tuesday night from 7:30 to 7:45 direct from Arcadia . . . Pat and Patty, WIP boy and girl act will air thrice weekly each Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11:45 a.m. from this Philly station . . . Oliver Naylor and his famous music are now doing sustainers from the Walton Hotel over WIP.

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RIVERTON

The seating capacity of the State House at Trenton was taxed last Monday evening when Governor Hoffman addressed a joint meeting of the Senate and Assembly.

Mrs. Ogden Steedle and daughter, Miss Catharine, are spending a month in Florida.

The many friends of Mrs. Charles DeGrau, of Riverside, mother of Mrs. Robert Hullings, will be glad to know that she is slightly better.

Tickets for the annual legislative dinner of the Associated Republican Clubs may be procured from Mrs. Alma Evans, Riverton. The dinner will be held at Hildebrecht's and tickets are \$1.50.

The annual minstrel show of the O.E.S. will be held Saturday evening, February 23, at the P.O.S. of A. hall.

Several people from Riverton and Palmyra attended the dinner given Sunday by the Italian-American Club, of Webster street, Riverside, in honor of John M. Chant, proposed candidate for Sheriff of Burlington County.

The Misses Olive Smith and Natalie Evans attended the showing of David Copperfield at the Boyd Theatre last Saturday after which they attended broadcasts at WCAU and KYW.

The annual turkey dinner of the Compass Club of Palmyra and Riverton was held last Friday evening. About ninety guests were present.

Miss Frances White, of Camden, spent several days at the home of the Misses Bishop, of Thomas avenue.

Among those attending the Hauptmann trial at Flemington last Thursday were, Mrs. Mary McDermott, Mrs. Doris Brabin, Mrs. Mary Krantz, and Miss Betty Sloan.

MEN'S CLUB TO MEET MONDAY

The Palmyra and Riverton Men's Club announces the regular meeting to be held on Monday evening, February 18th. The Rev. John Hart, formerly student chaplain of University of Pennsylvania, will be the speaker. We especially invite as our guests any former student of the University of Pennsylvania who would like to renew their acquaintance with Dr. Hart.

We also invite as our guests the citizens of Riverton, Cinnaminson and Palmyra to attend some of our meetings to see what we are doing and become members of the club.

Our musical program is always enjoyable, and at this meeting we will have Andrew Hall, of Camden, who will play the bag pipe. So come out and hear some Scotch music. Come prepared to take part in the annual election.

The automotive and petroleum industries furnish employment to one-sixth of all persons engaged in wholesale, retail and service trades in the country.

SHORT-WAVE MUSINGS

THE HISTORY OF AMATEUR RADIO

From Radio Amateur's Handbook
(Courtesy of American Radio Relay League)

How did amateur radio start? What developments have brought it to its present status of a highly-organized and widespread movement?

It started shortly after Marconi had astounded the world with his first experiments proving that telegraph messages actually could be sent between distant points without wires. Marconi was probably the first amateur—indeed, the distinguished inventor so likes to style himself even today. But amateur radio as we think of it was born when the first private citizen saw in the new marvel a means for personal communication with others and set about learning enough of the new art to build a home-made station, hoping that at least one of his friends would do the same so he could have someone to talk to. Object: the fun and enjoyment of "wireless" communication with a few friends. Urge: the thrill of DX (one to five miles—maybe). That was thirty-odd years ago.

Amateur radio's subsequent development may be divided into two periods, the first before and the second after the World War.

Pre-war amateur radio bore little resemblance to the art as we know it today, except in principle. The equipment, both transmitting and receiving, was of a type now long obsolete. The range of even the highest-powered transmitters, under the most favorable conditions, would be scoffed at by the rank beginner today. No United States amateur had ever heard the signals of a foreign amateur, nor had any foreigner ever reported hearing an American. The oceans were a wall of silence, impenetrable, isolating us from every signal abroad. Even transcontinental DX had to be accomplished in relays. "Short waves" meant 200 meters; the entire wavelength spectrum below 200 meters was a vast silence—no signal ever disturbed it. Years were to pass before its phenomenal possibilities were to be suspected.

Yet the period was notable for a number of accomplishments. It saw the number of amateurs in the United States increase to approximately 4,000 by 1917. It witnessed the first appearance of radio laws, licensing, wavelength specifications for the various services. ("Amateurs?—oh yes—well, stick 'em on 200 meters; it's no good for anything; they'll never get out of their own back yards with it.") It saw an increase in the range of amateur stations to such unheard-of distances as 500 and, in some cases, even 1,000 miles, with U. S. amateurs beginning to wonder, just before the war, if there were amateurs in other countries across the seas and if—daring thought!—it might some day be possible to span the Atlantic with 200-meter equipment. Because all long-distance messages had to be relayed, it saw relaying developed to a fine



CHURCH NEWS

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Charles T. Bates, B.D., Pastor
As part of the morning worship next Sunday, appropriate recognition will be made of the thirty-eighth anniversary of the Mothers Congress which was founded in Washington, February 17, 1897, and celebration of the thirty-fifth year of the New Jersey Congress of Parents and Teachers which was "born in Riverton, New Jersey, in the Sunday School room of the Presbyterian Church, October 20, 1900."

Midweek service, Wednesday at eight o'clock.

PALMYRA MORAVIAN CHURCH

Albert J. Harke, B.D., Pastor
Services for Sunday, February 17, 9:30 a.m., Sunday School. 10:40 a.m., Morning worship. Sermon: "Our Common Salvation." 6:45 p.m., Christian Endeavor prayer meeting.

7:30 p.m., Music night. The Marshall Family Band of Roebing, N. J., will give a sacred concert at this service. This family of musicians is noted throughout this section for its concerts. Here is a musical treat to which all are cordially invited. Come, and bring your friends.

Tuesday, February 19, at 7:30 p.m. The Girl Scout troop committee will give a sock social for the Girl Scouts their mothers and friends in the church basement.

Thursday, February 21, from 5 to 8 p.m. The postponed fried oyster supper, under the auspices of the choir. Tickets, adults 50 cents, children 35 cents. The original tickets will be honored.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

"Soul" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 17.

The Golden Text is: "Set your heart and your soul to seek the Lord and your God" (I Chronicles 22:19). Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "This I say then, Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh. If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit" (Galatians 5:16, 25).

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: "Metaphysics resolves things into thoughts, and exchanges the objects of sense for the ideas of Soul. These ideas are perfectly real and tangible to spiritual consciousness, and they have this advantage over the objects and thoughts of material sense,—they are good and eternal" (p. 269).

art—and what a priceless accomplishment that ability turned out to be later when our government suddenly needed dozens and hundreds of skilled operators for war service! Most important of all, the pre-war period witnessed the birth of the American Radio Relay League, the amateur organization whose fame was to travel to all parts of the world and whose name was to be virtually synonymous with subsequent amateur progress and short-wave development. Conceived and formed by the famous inventor and amateur, Hiram Percy Maxim, it was formally launched in early 1914 and was just beginning to exert its full force in amateur activities when this country declared war on Germany and by that act sounded the knell for amateur radio for the next two and one-half years. By presidential direction every amateur station was dismantled. Within a few months three-fourths of the amateurs of the country were serving with the armed forces of the United States as operators and instructors.

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FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Harold L. Creager

What is the Christian conception of marriage? This very important factor in life will be discussed in the sermon at our morning worship service this Sunday. So much of the happiness and success of life, as well as its richer personal development and its social usefulness, are tied up with the family and hence with the marriage which is the basis of the family; the right attitude here will save a lot of trouble. We are very much in need of getting God's message on this.

In the evening service the sermon theme will be, "Some Every-day Marks of the True Christian." Singing of gospel songs, a plain and practical sermon, friendly Christian fellowship; we invite you cordially to worship with us.

The Ladies Aid Society will make and sell vegetable soup next Wednesday at the church. It will be ready at noon. Your patronage will be appreciated.

The Women's Missionary Society will meet next Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Schopp. Bible Study hour Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

OBITUARIES

ROBINET STEEDLE

Robinet Steedle, 70, of 2508 West Dakota street, Philadelphia, died at his home Sunday, February 10, after a short illness.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Snover Funeral Home, Rev. Frances B. Downs, officiating.

Interment was made at Morgan Cemetery.

Mr. Steedle was one of the pioneers of the Bell Telephone Company where he had been employed for twenty-seven years.

The deceased is survived by his widow, Frederica, two brothers, Morris, of Riverton and DeWitt of Allentown; two sisters, Mrs. Wesley J. Barrett, of Haddonfield and Mrs. Charles North, of Richmond.

Mr. Steedle who lived in Riverton for the first thirty years of his life moved from here about forty years ago.

YMCA STAMP CLUB of Palmyra and Riverton



STAMP EXHIBIT

The regular monthly meeting of the Palmyra and Riverton Stamp Club, scheduled to be held on February 22nd, has been postponed to March 1st, due to holiday on the former date.

At this meeting an exhibit has been planned and it is hoped that all those interested in stamp collecting will make every effort to enter in the exhibit, which will be open to all collectors, adults and junior.

The awards will be based solely on condition and arrangement, and separate awards will be made for each class.

It is expected that there will be many fine entries, and the club hopes that those interested in Philately will make a special effort to visit the club room in the YMCA building and take part in the evening entertainment.

Eileen Mattis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross E. Mattis, of Riverton, manipulated the harmonica player in a marionette show given by the Marionette Guild at George School, Pa. Eileen, a freshman, was a member of the second hockey team at George School.

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"They who are often at the looking glass seldom spin."

FEBRUARY

19—Knights of Pythias organized at Washington, 1864.

20—Cuba revolts against cruel Spanish rule, 1895.

21—Congress authorizes coinage of \$3 gold pieces, 1853.

22—Woolworth opens first "five and ten" store at Utica, 1879.

23—First free library in U. S. opens, Dublin, N. H., 1822.

24—Indians introduce colonists to pop-corn, 1630.

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LOCAL GIRLS AND LOCAL HAIRDRESSER WIN NEW JERSEY AWARD



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The attractive arrangement of the golden tresses of Miss Anna Glud, of 513 Howard street, Riverton, and of the blond curls of Miss Sarah Messenger, of 17 W. Charles street, Palmyra, captured first prize and a silver cup for Tony D'Amato, Palmyra, whose skilled fingers fashioned the prize winning coiffures. Tony, proprietor of Tony's Beauty Salon, Palmyra, executed the head-dress at the Bellevue Stratford Roof Garden, Wednesday, February 6th, in competition with fifty other hairdressers and captured first prize in the New Jersey award. The competition was sponsored by the Master Guild of Philadelphia, the Philadelphia Hairdressers Association, and the Cosmeticians and Hair Artists Association of Pennsylvania.

OVERDOING IT

Two men met in the club. "Well, Jack," said Fred, "how's your insomnia? Did you take any advice?"

"Yes, and rotten advice it was too," said Jack, with some warmth. "Why, old chap, what happened?"

asked the other, showing great concern.

"I got into bed and started counting sheep jumping over a hurdle," commended Jack. "Do you know, when I'd counted 24,470 of the brutes I was so keen on making it 30,000 that I had to get up and make myself some black coffee to keep awake."—London Answers.

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A famous actor was a witness in a sneak thief case. The lawyer roared at him:

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A. I think . . .

Q. Not what you think, but what you know.

A. Don't you want to know what I think?

Q. No!

A. I might as well leave the witness chair. I cannot tell you what I know, without thinking. I am not a lawyer.

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SIX "BOOTLEG" COALMEN CAUGHT

By Jacob Price
Superintendent County Department
of Weights and Measures
One Camden "bootleg coal" hauler

found himself in considerable difficulty this past week, as the result of the drive in our department to smash the short-weight coal "racket." This man, who apparently was not satisfied to create a "short-weight record"—he was found to be 490 pounds short on a ton of buckwheat coal—he also resisted arrest and in the bargain must answer to hit-and-run charges.

The man, who gave his name as Alex Cyszewitz, of Camden, was stopped by one of our men on his way to deliver coal ordered by Mr. Evans, 605 Lincoln avenue, Collingswood. The coal was weighed and found to be nearly five hundred pounds short!

The man was ordered under arrest and instructed to continue to Audubon for a hearing before Judge

Courtney. Instead of doing this, he "stepped on the gas" and headed toward Camden, crashing into an automobile in his effort to escape. We were compelled to summon State troopers to bring him to court.

Cyszewitz was fined \$285.00 at the Audubon court.

Six other "short-weight" arrests were made in this vicinity during the past week.

SO QUICK

A lady who had just received an interesting bit of news said to her little daughter:
"Marjorie, dear, auntie has a new baby, and now mamma is the baby's aunt, papa is the baby's uncle, and you are her little cousin."
"Well," said Marjorie, wonderingly, "wasn't that arranged quick!"

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Entries must be mailed by midnight to be eligible.

Judges are Philadelphia advertising and newspaper men.

Credit Checks are good only on ANY PHILCO World-Wide Radio from \$49.95 up!

Follow These Easy Rules:

1. Any man or woman (no children) may enter except STERN & CO. employees and their families.
2. Only one contestant to a family!
3. Only standard English words accepted. No proper names, no abbreviations, no slang. Webster's Standard Dictionary will be used for authority.
4. Letters may be used only as often as they appear. For example: "H" may be used only once; "I" may be used twice.
5. Words that sound alike, but are spelled differently, will count as two words.
6. Words MUST BE NUMBERED AND LISTED ALPHABETICALLY!
7. Neatness, legibility and originality will count.
8. In event of tie, duplicate capital letters will be awarded.
9. We reserve the right to issue additional prizes for neatness, legibility and originality.
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Tak-Abost Five

Standing of the Teams			
W	L	PC	
Wesleyans	9	2	.818
Artisans	9	2	.818
5 and 10	6	3	.667
Pal-River	4	7	.363
K. of C.	3	8	.272
Tak-Abost	2	9	.181

Next Week's Games
Pal-River vs. K. of C., 7:30
Tak-Abost vs. Wesleyans, 8:30
Artisans vs. 5 and 10, 9:30

The Wesleyans again defeated the strong Artisan team last night by a score of 30-17. This was a hard fought battle all the way through and while the "Lodgers" played exceedingly well they were not able to "sink" the ball when the opportunity presented itself as did the 316 Boys. Both teams played a good passing game and was full of thrills to the last whistle. The scores follow:

WESLEYANS			
Fld.	Fl.	Ft.	P.
Foulke, f	2	3	3
Sloan, f	1	3	6
Hagstoz, c	2	0	4
Cahill, g	1	0	2
Baker, g	5	2	12
Totals	11	8	11

ARTISANS			
Fld.	Fl.	Ft.	P.
Terrill, f	3	1	4
Rarig, f	0	2	4
Landgraaf, c	0	3	4
Eisley, g	0	1	2
Reeves, g	0	0	0
Freiberg, g	0	0	0
Totals	3	11	19

5c and 10c STORE			
Fld.	Fl.	Ft.	P.
Wolfe, f	5	9	11
Bonattelli, f	1	0	1
Daley, c	1	2	3
Enskat, c	2	2	4
Speer, g	1	3	4
Gootee, f	0	1	2
Totals	10	17	25

PAL-RIVER			
Fld.	Fl.	Ft.	P.
Roach, f	1	0	2
Schmierer, f	3	1	3
Godley, c	0	0	4
Windhovel, c	1	0	2
Weikman, g	2	2	6
Kessler, g	0	0	0
Miller, g	0	0	0
Totals	7	3	17

K. of C.			
Fld.	Fl.	Ft.	P.
Prisco, f	0	0	4
Carr, f	2	1	4
Malone, c	1	1	3
Totals	3	1	11

LONE STARS WIN

The Cinnaminson Lone Star Juniors won their second league fust by defeating Mount Holly 24-15.

TAK-ABOST			
Fld.	Fl.	Ft.	P.
Krauss, f	2	2	3
Zaun, f	0	3	6
Snow, c	2	1	5
King, g	0	1	6
Poinsett, g	0	0	3
Heavner, g	0	0	1
Windsor, g	0	0	0
Totals	4	7	24

RIVERTON GIRLS WIN SECONDDGAM E

Local Team Easy Victors Over
Merchantville Thursday By
19-7 Score

STANDING OF TEAMS			
W	L	PC	
Riverton	2	0	1.000
Vineland	1	0	1.000
Swedesboro	1	0	1.000
Merchantville	0	1	.000
Paulsboro	0	1	.000
Woodbury	0	2	.000
Audubon	0	0	.000
Salem	0	0	.000

With several new teams entering, The Girls' Independent Basketball League of South Jersey, got into full swing Thursday evening at Wenonah.

Riverton, with two victories chalked up, heads the league, while Vineland and Swedesboro by virtue of their wins Thursday night still stay in the winning column.

RIVERTON			
Fld.	Fl.	Ft.	P.
H. Eisley, f	6	1	13
C. Hinkle, f	2	2	6
C. Baker, f	0	0	0
G. Sippell, g	0	0	0
J. Beitz, g	0	0	0
P. Neely, g	0	0	0
Totals	8	3	19

MERCHANTVILLE			
Fld.	Fl.	Ft.	P.
Linguist, f	0	1	1
Brooks, f	1	0	2
Vaugh, f	1	2	4
Sullivan, g	0	0	0
Jenkins, g	0	0	0
McCone, g	0	0	0
Totals	2	3	7

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RIVERTON, NEW JERSEY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1935



PRICE FIVE CENTS

"NOT GUILTY" IS JURY VERDICT IN CHARGE AGAINST ROBINSON

Atrocious Assault and Battery
Case Consumes Three Days
In County Court

MANY WITNESSES
FOR BOTH SIDES

Motion of Rothermel to Drop
First Count Denied by
Judge Hendrickson

The trial of John Robinson, former police officer in Riverton, who was charged with atrocious assault and battery on Frank J. Holvick on the morning of November 7 following an altercation in the polling place of the first district, occupied three days in the county court this week starting Monday morning and resulted in a verdict of not guilty, after the jury had been out nearly eight hours. Judge Frank A. Hendrickson presided.

County Prosecutor Howard Eastwood conducted the case for the state. Robinson was represented by George D. Rothermel, of Camden. When arraigned before the court Monday morning Robinson pleaded not guilty.

The Jurors

The jurors were: Frank D. Crain, clerk, Tabernacle Township; Fred C. Hercher, farmer, Moorestown Township; John J. Morris, retired, Burlington City; Harold E. Payn, radio mechanic, Moorestown Township; Isaiah Prickett, farmer, Medford Township; P. Remer Shivers, Smith, engineer, Florence Township; Frank Wainwright, retired, Florence Township; William C. Warrack, blacksmith, Bordentown City; David Williams, roller, Florence Township; Albert E. Wilson, foreman, Florence Township; and Harry Wood, farmer, Florence Township.

The Witnesses

The following witnesses were called by the prosecution: Frank Holvick, Dr. Harry L. Rogers, John Ruppert, DeWitt Steedle, Karl Latch, Robert Knight, Walter Moyer, Jerome Zisak, William Gootee, Mayor Biddle and Ross Elliott.

Defense witnesses were: John Steedle, Bernard Goodwin, Dr. H. B. Mark, William Goodwin, Ezra M. Carhart, Jr., Gorham P. Sargent, M. Sontheimer, William Evans, Frank Goodwin, Alvin Holman, William Steedle, Lloyd Major, Joseph Laverty, D. M. Clifton, Frank Fitzpatrick, Wilton E. Mount, Walter Radcliffe, John Renshaw, William J. Thomason, Gus Roedig, Joseph Flynn, George D. Steedle, Matilda Eagan, Charles Kalani, Mary Steedle, Mayor Biddle, Jacob Pfeiffer.

Character witnesses for defense—Mrs. Arthur T. Hagstoz, Mrs. Mary M. Johnson, Mrs. Bessie Morgan, Robert A. Marshall, Michael O'Neill, Mrs. Blandon G. Cook, Miss Ada Price, Miss Emma Price and Mrs. Mary Reinhardt, Edward W. G. Borer, Mrs. Martha Carpenter, the Rev. Charles T. Bates who testified that he was intimately acquainted with Robinson, who had been sexton of Calvary Presbyterian Church, 1927-1931, and that his reputation was almost universally excellent. He had furnished \$1000 cash bail for Robinson.

Motion Denied

A motion made by George D. Rothermel, Robinson's attorney, made during the noon recess on Wednesday that the part of the indictment charging atrocious and battery be quashed was denied by Judge Hendrickson.

Prosecutor Opens Case

In opening the case Prosecutor Eastwood said that it was the purpose of the state to show that Holvick who was on duty as challenger in the first district and engaged in (Continued on page 2)

ACQUITTED



JOHN J. ROBINSON

who was pronounced "not guilty" by the petit jury following an eight-hour session of deliberation climaxing a three-day trial on a charge of atrocious assault and battery upon Frank J. Holvick, former Riverton councilman. Riverton Borough Council in a special session Friday morning ordered his re-arrestment to the Riverton police force.

SORDON RESIGNS; ROBINSON RETURNS

Robert W. Knight Made Chairman of Police Committee at Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Mayor and council of the Borough of Riverton was held at 8:30 Friday morning, February 22, at which time the resignation of Howard D. Sordon as member of council, dated February 15, was read and accepted. Mr. Sordon was chairman of the police committee. Following Mr. Sordon's resignation Robert W. Knight was appointed chairman of the police committee and Mayor H. McIlvaine Biddle appointed John J. Robinson as borough marshal for the year 1935. The appointment was confirmed, and the clerk was instructed to draw a check for his salary from the first of the year.

TWO ACCIDENTS ON ROUTE 25

Injured Taken to Burlington County Hospital by Officer Dorworth

Last Saturday, February 16 at 7 o'clock in the evening, Alucina Book, of Greenwood, South Carolina, was struck by a hit and run driver on Route 25 near Lakeview Memorial Park. Officer George Dorworth took Booker to Dr. Mark, who ordered him to the Burlington County Hospital, Mt. Holly, where it was found he was suffering cuts and bruises of the head. Booker was on his way to visit two brothers who live in New York.

Wednesday night, February 20 at 9:30, Harold E. Moore, of the Y.M.C.A. Newark, lost control of his car on Route 25 and ran into a pole at Moorestown-Riverton road. Chief Dorworth took him to the Burlington County Hospital where it was found he was suffering from a broken collar bone and two fractured ribs.

Moore proceeded on his way to Newark.

SCHWARZ-CHAMBERLIN

James G. Chamberlin, of Palmyra, has announced the marriage of his daughter, Miss Adelaide B. Chamberlin, to Francis J. Schwarz, Jr., of Medford Lakes. The ceremony was performed at Wallingford, Pa., on December 17, 1934.

BUSINESS BOYS ORGANIZE CLUB

J. Horace Finney, Jr., President.
Leon Sloan Tells of Educational Changes

On Monday last a meeting was held at the YMCA hall, to organize a club for business boys and young men. This club was conceived about three years ago but didn't get under way and organized until February 18, when officers were elected and plans laid temporarily for the coming meetings. The officers are, president, J. Horace Finney, Jr.; vice president, Giles Knight; secretary-treasurer, W. Maynard Bowen. Leon Sloan, a member of the teaching staff of the Riverton public school, gave the club a very interesting and informative comparison of the educational system of today and yesterday. The next meeting will be March 4.

OPPOSE CHANGE IN TAXING METHOD

Riverton Borough Council Sends Protest Resolution to Legislators

At a meeting of the Riverton Borough Council last Thursday night, Councilman Robert W. Knight presented the following resolution which was unanimously passed and the clerk instructed to send copies to Senator Powell, Assemblyman Newcomb and the State League of Municipalities:

WHEREAS, Governor Hoffman in his inaugural message, expressed his opinion that taxes could be more effectively collected and assessed by the state or county instead of by local authorities, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Riverton hereby voice their objection to the proposed change in procedure, and direct the clerk of the borough to forward a copy of this objection to our senator and assemblyman, and send a copy to the League of Municipalities.

DeWitt Steedle, of the lighting committee, reported that a new gas light would be installed at Linden avenue and Harrison street as soon as weather permitted and one removed near the water company's plant. Mr. Steedle also reported that the shed belonging to Robert Clelland in the rear of the jail had been removed.

The building inspector submitted a report of operations amounting to \$3772 with fees of \$8.00.

A letter was received from Howard Coe in reference to placing insurance on borough property, which was ordered acknowledged and referred to the insurance committee.

Councilman Sargent made a strong plea that local insurance men be given favorable consideration when this business is placed.

A letter was received from George D. Rothermel, attorney for John Robinson, a former member of the Riverton police force, stating that unless Robinson's salary since the first of the year was paid immediately, proceedings would be instituted against the borough. The communication was referred to the borough solicitor.

Frank A. Mathews, Jr., was appointed borough solicitor by Mayor Biddle and the appointment was unanimously confirmed.

The police report for the month of January was as follows: three arrests, two breaking and entering, twenty-two complaints and reports investigated, one complaint on dog, six calls from other police departments, two dogs and cats gassed, one complaint about garbage man, three homes closed, two lost and found reports, \$750-worth of goods stolen, \$10 bond forfeited and turned into the borough collector.

The following bills were ordered paid:

FINAL REPORT OF COMMUNITY CHEST

Amount Collected Only \$5 Less
Than Last Year: Total
\$3660.70

James S. Coale, chairman of the Community Chest Collection for 1934, has issued the following report. I take pleasure in giving you below a final report of the Community Chest Collection for 1934. You will observe that our collection was within \$5.00 of what we made last year, and under the present economic conditions, I feel that it is an excellent showing and that you should feel very gratified as a result of your efforts.

Dist.	Team Captains	Contributors	Total
1—A. C. Bush	48	\$	717.00
2—Edith S. Coale	47	\$	415.25
3—George Beaton	20	\$	146.00
4—J. Rowland Day	36	\$	207.00
5—Walter L. Rogers	71	\$	506.50
6—Charles E. Cunningham	58	\$	209.75

CINNAMINSON	282	\$601.50
	64	1059.20
Expense, printing	346	3660.70
		23.00
		\$3637.70

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS—			
Nurse	42	\$	46.50
Hospital	10	\$	10.50
Home	55	\$	112.00
			\$3525.70

HOME—	18	\$	1527.29
HOSPITAL—	40	\$	634.63
			\$1410.28
			\$1420.78
			\$3637.70

James S. Coale,
Chairman.

COLLIE RESCUED FROM ICE FLOE

"Three Men in a Boat" Save
Pet Collie Owned by Miss
Campbell

Last Thursday afternoon a collie owned by Miss Antoinette B. Campbell, of Lippincott avenue, Riverton, wandered out on the ice in the river about fifty feet off shore in front of the home of Claude J. K. Anderson, and fell into the icy water where it was in imminent danger of being drowned when Mr. Anderson called Chief of Police William Gootee, who with William Seagraves and Hobart Wright donned hip boots and proceeded to the scene of rescue. When they got to the river they realized that the dog had drifted too far out to water to die, and so borrowed a boat which was on the wharf of the yacht club.

When the dog saw the men coming to its rescue, it immediately stopped struggling and clung to the piece of ice on which it had been trying to climb. "Bill" Seagraves leaned over the side of the boat and caught hold of the dog and pulled it into the boat. There the dog stood perfectly still until they reached shore. The hair and skin had been torn off the under part of the front legs while the dog was struggling for a footing.

The men picked the dog up and took it into the Anderson home where they wrapped it in a blanket and put several hot water bottles around it. This treatment with the aid of a small "nip of whiskey" soon warmed the dog up.

Chief Gootee checked the tag number of the dog with the borough clerk and found that it belonged to Miss Campbell who came and took it home.

Moral: Be sure that your dog is registered for 1935.

WHY WORRY?

The New Dealers seem to have it figured out like this: The next generation will pay for the relief of this generation and since birth control is spreading there won't be any next generation, so why worry.—Fairbury Journal.

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Robinson Acquitted

watching the board tally the ballots, had been assaulted with a blackjack by Officer Robinson following an argument between Robinson, Ruppert and Holvick over an affair the night before, that the attack was premeditated and that Robinson had his blackjack "palmed" at the time he struck Holvick; that after the fracas Holvick handed the blackjack with which he had been struck to Robinson with the remark, "This is what you struck me with you dirty yellow cur" and that Robinson had taken the blackjack, had admitted that he was a dirty yellow cur, that he had lost his head and made a mistake in striking Holvick. The Prosecutor further stated that he would endeavor to show that Robinson after assaulting Holvick had stepped back and placed his hand on his gun when someone said "Robinson, you have done enough, don't pull your gun."

FRANK J. HOLVICK, being sworn, testifies as follows:
Direct Examination by Mr. Eastwood:

Q. Mr. Holvick, where do you reside?

A. Riverton, N. J.

Q. How long have you lived at Riverton?

A. All my life.

Q. How long is that?

A. 43 years.

Q. What is your present occupation?

A. I am an Inspector in the Motor Vehicle Department.

Q. Know the defendant, John Robinson?

A. I do.

Q. How long have you known him?

A. Probably five years.

Q. On election day, the General Election, on the 7th of November last, Mr. Holvick, did you have any official connection with the polling place in the district where you resided?

A. I was appointed by the County Board of Election, as an official challenger in that district, which is the First District.

Q. And were you on duty at the polling place, in the First District on that day, discharging the duties as an official challenger?

A. I was.

Q. Were you there at the polling place of the First District after the polls had closed?

A. I was.

Q. There at any time during the period which the votes were being tabulated by the election board?

A. Off and on I was there all evening.

Q. During the latter part of that night, Mr. Holvick, did you have any difficulty with the defendant, John Robinson?

A. I did.

Q. Will you just state what the circumstances were, what started this difficulty and just what happened, please?

A. That is, previous to this evening.

Q. No. That night? What happened that night between you and Robinson? What started this difficulty and just what happened?

A. Well, I can't give the exact time, but will give the approximate time. I would say about 1 o'clock, or 1.15, in that neighborhood. I was sitting beside the Judge of Election, scrutinizing the ballots as they were being read. That gentleman's name is Karl Latch, when I was attracted by a noise or signal "pas." It was repeated several times. I turned and looked and Officer John Robinson was standing at the door, probably three or four feet inside and he beckoned to me. At that time the election was very close.

Q. How far away from you was that?

A. I would say probably approximately 20 feet or 25 feet, in that neighborhood. I went that way (indicating), signalling I couldn't come, he would have to wait. I don't know if he interpreted it correctly, but that is exactly what I meant and so, some time later, if I recall the time, it was about 2 o'clock, we had completed the count and the election board was then, I suppose, compiling the ballots, etc., I don't know, but was still engaged in watching the procedure beside Mr. Latch when I again heard the signal from Mr. Robinson. I got up and walked back to him, he said, "There is Ruppert, that rat, in here now. I want him." I said, "What about it," or something to that effect.

He said, "I want him to make a statement in my presence that he supposed to have made in your presence." I then said to Mr. Robinson, "What is the use of doing that. I was present and overheard the conversation," and this is pertaining to the morning before, I imagine the 5th or 6th, the day before, when Ruppert—

Q. Don't state that. Just what conversation took place and what happened there.

A. I said to him, "That is not necessary. I heard it all and why hash it up again tonight." He said, "I insist, if he really said it." I called him over, and I said to Mr. Ruppert, "You make a statement to Officer Robinson, of just what took place and what you told me when he took you to the doctor's." Mr. Ruppert started to talk about how long it took Mr. Robinson to arrive at the house after the call was sent to the police headquarters as an emergency call. I interrupted him by saying, "Never mind how long it took, probably he had something to do that delayed him, but just what was said when he arrived at your home and what he told you at the doctor's office. He then proceeded to tell the story. When that was through, Officer Robinson grabbed him viciously with his left hand by the right shoulder and said, "You dirty rat," are the words he used, "I am going to drag you outside." I then said to Officer Robinson, "What is the big idea? What are you dragging this fellow outside for? He has only did what you asked him to do—to make a statement," with that he said "I am going to lock you up," was the exact words. I said, "You are going to lock him up? What for? What are the charges?" Well, he hesitated. I could see he was really angry and gave Mr. Ruppert a violent shove from him and with that I said to Mr. Robinson, "This is a fine illustration of how you are involved in so much trouble with other people. You came in to the polling place and practically assaulted this man," I said, "What are you doing in here?" He said, "My Chief ordered me in here." I said, "Your Chief ordered you in here?" I said, "That is the duty of the election board," and I said, "Johnny, you have had a lot of trouble," I said, "I intended for you twice and saved your position when you were in a bad way, for the same kind of stuff you are pulling tonight, probably not as bad." Well, that practically ended the conversation. John was the first one to move away. Mr. Ruppert and I moved over to where Mr. Ruppert was sitting beside Mr. Steele, who was tallying as the votes were read and I was walking over toward him when John called me, said—

Q. John who?

A. John Robinson. He said, "You say you saved my job twice for me?" I laughed and said, "You would say I didn't now, would you?" and the only harsh words of the evening were then used, "You are a liar," and I said, "You are a d— liar and I will prove it to you and you are a fine person to call anybody a liar." With that I walked toward him and I then tried to convince him that he was a liar because I knew that he was from his previous record and started to show him.

Q. What do you mean?

A. I tried to convince him, that I knew all about it, which I knew he knew.

Q. Did you say something, or do something?

A. Yes I did. I told him about the affair where he tried to plant a revolver on a person and gave a statement to the New Era of Riverton and later on retracted it. I then also told him of where he attempted to frame two innocent men in an American Store. We went through quite a little conversation and about that time John started to wink and laugh, apparently to me, he was signalling to someone in the rear.

Q. When you say "John" who do you mean?

A. John Robinson, or Mr. Robinson, rather.

Q. There is a John Ruppert too, isn't there?

A. Yes, but I am speaking now of Mr. Robinson, Officer Robinson. I turned and looked to see who it was and I noticed several people behind him but no expression on their face or anything to indicate they were exchanging signals with Mr. Robinson and I said to him then, "This is

no laughing matter, why make a joke out of it, to come in and start an argument like this," and again I asked him who sent him in there and what he was doing in here. He said, "My Chief has sent me here," with that I turned to walk away. I had taken probably a step and I probably was a step from Mr. Robinson, when I heard a remark from Mr. Robinson, "I have taken this crap off of you for about, either two or three years and I am not taking it any longer." I heard the remark and I turned around to make sure the remarks were being addressed to me, when something struck me on the right side of the head, on the right side of my neck, just below the skull. I didn't know if I was going around and don't know yet, or if the building was spinning around, but I know I was in a helpless position, or condition, when I looked John is in front of me, whether I spun around or not, I don't know. I am trying to explain the situation. I wasn't hurt, any more than dropping on my leg.

Q. What did it do to you?

A. It apparently paralyzed me for the time being. I looked up just in time to see John with a black-jack, or a brown covered black-jack, commonly called, regardless of cover, "a black-jack," but this had a brown cover, in the palm of his hand, looking "as big as a house," with his thumb over the black jack, and I tried to get my hands up, but I couldn't. I then realized I was paralyzed. He struck me then over the left eye and knocked me to the floor. I had an overcoat on, a loose overcoat. I tried to rub my head, I was dazed. I don't know, it might have been a fraction of a second, might have been a second, or two seconds, I don't know how long I was down, but nevertheless I got up and while I was getting up, I took my overcoat off when I was getting up off of the floor, watching him all the time. At that I saw him walking with the black jack, he slipped it from his right hand and had it in his left. I probably, I can't say any more than what I thought he was going to do—

Q. Tell just what you saw?

A. I closed in on him right away, I thought I would be able to protect myself in that way, didn't know what was going to happen. I had reasons, I was afraid of the man and was afraid he would assault me again with the jack. He swung the jack the third time at me and at that time he had it in his left hand and hit me a glancing blow on the right side of my face, cutting the skin off of my face, off of the lower part of my ear and the black jack took up into my back. With that I got his left arm between my arm and my body, reached over with my left hand and tore the black jack out of his hand and threw it in back of him. I then grabbed him and what followed I don't recall it until the crowd separated us. I recall some saying, "Here you are, Frank, here is the black jack he used on your head, use it on his head." I took the black jack from the person and by that time there was a lot of confusion and excitement and John maneuvered around and was in back of the table. I walked over and I handed the black jack to him, handle first and said, "This is what you hit me with, you yellow cur and I wasn't even looking at you" and I said, "Another thing, you have no right to have this in your possession," he reached over and took the black jack with his right hand. I handed it to him with my left hand, handle first, he said, "Frank, you are right, I am a yellow cur. I am wrong. I lost my head." That is the story and the end of the black jack.

Q. What about this blow over your eye, Mr. Holvick, what injury did that cause?

A. It opened my eye. The scar still remains.

Q. And to whom did you go for any medical treatment?

A. Dr. Harry Rogers, of Riverton.

Q. Did anyone go with you that night?

A. There were quite a few went over.

Q. What, if anything, did Dr. Rogers do to the wound?

A. Dr. Rogers, if I recall, put two or three clamps in my eye.

Q. Metal sticks?

A. Yes, and said he would take care of it in the morning.

Q. Were you later sent to the Burlington County Hospital?

A. Yes, but that wasn't the injury I suffered.

Q. What other injuries did you suffer?

A. I had a lump at the back of my head here, which the swelling still remains, over the right ear. The blow over the eye bothered me and still bothers me, with headaches. The back here is where the blow that apparently did the damage and that is what I suffer most from and when I fell, I was knocked down so hard, I hit my left hip and broke a blood vessel that caused a lot of trouble.

Q. Who sent you to the hospital?

A. Dr. Rogers.

Q. How long were you there?

A. I don't recall, can't say that, I think I went on a Saturday, I don't know for sure, or Thursday. Maybe the records will show.

Q. Approximately how long were you there?

A. I was there six days, I believe.

Q. Mr. Holvick, in this argument that you had with Officer Robinson, preceding these blows which you state he inflicted upon you, did you at any time before he struck you blow, threaten to strike him, or make any gesture of any kind to strike him?

A. No. Only two harsh words, "liar" and "d— liar."

Q. Make any overture or gesture of any kind, indicating you were going to attack him?

A. Positively no.

Q. Are you familiar with the "Billies" and "jacks" that the officers of Riverton have?

A. I am.

Q. I show you what purports to be known, I believe, as a "hard rubber Billy?"

A. That is it.

Q. I show you another and ask you whether or not the type used by him was that?

(Shown a black jack.)

A. That is not the jack.

Q. What about the type he had?

A. This is the type of jack. Probably the jack was a trifle longer and not quite as heavy.

BY MR. EASTWOOD—May I have this marked for Identification?

BY THE COURT—Yes.

(Black jack is marked Ex. S1, for Identification.)

Q. Mr. Holvick, so the Court and Jury may have some conception of the place where this occurred, can you describe just where this occurred and what the physical situation was, as to the inside of the fire house? Where the objects were located?

A. Well, the fire house, we took up for the election purposes, the part where the fire equipment is stored. That is where it was and the people that came to vote, came into the side of the fire house and in a door and that is where John was sitting, near the door, when he first signalled me. They had election tables, I would say, this is only approximate, about the length of the two tables, joined together, and they were running lengthwise of the building, I would say, to the left of the building as you entered the door and the members of the election board were sitting at that table and I was sitting beside the Judge of Election.

Q. That is, at the time he first called you?

A. Just prior to this unfortunate affair.

Q. You were seated there at the time he signalled to you?

A. When Mr. Robinson signaled me twice to come back to talk to

him.

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A. I had three glasses of beer around 9 o'clock that night.

Q. Where?

A. Riverside.

Q. Had you had any other than these three glasses of beer that day?

A. That is all I had that day.

Q. At about 10.30, in this very same polling place, did you have some whiskey?

A. I did not.

Q. I did not?

A. I did not.

Q. Have you any wine at about 11 or 11.15 at the same polling place?

A. I did not.

Q. Now, you were over in the Second District polling place some time between 11 and 12 o'clock on this evening, weren't you?

A. Yes, I think I was.

Q. Know Mr. Sontheimer?

A. Yes.

Q. Member of the election board in the Second District?

A. I had him appointed there.

Q. Did Mr. Sontheimer order you out of the Second District?

A. No, he did not.

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Q. No entrance upon that night, on the front?

A. No, there was not.

Q. The main entrance you speak of, which leads upstairs to the Council chamber, and also into police headquarters, is possibly what—10 or 15 feet?

A. A room also.

Q. You are talking about the room between the fire house and the police headquarters?

A. That is correct. There is a room also between that.

Q. And possibly 10 to 15 feet between those two doors, isn't there?

A. I imagine there was.

Q. That room is a rest room, or lounging or something of that nature?

A. A lounging room.

Q. Robinson then, when you first saw him, had not entered the room or fire house? Had not entered the room where the polling or counting was taking place?

A. Yes, very much so, was right in the polling place.

Q. Had he been there for any length of time prior to that, or don't you know?

A. I would say he was there at least half an hour. That is, I noticed him about a half an hour, maybe longer, I don't know.

Q. Was there anyone with him during the course of that half hour?

A. When he first signaled me?

Q. No, I will withdraw that.

A. Remember, I first saw him when he signaled me.

Q. I misunderstood you to say he was there at least a half an hour before he signaled you. Am I wrong?

A. That is correct.

Q. Which is correct? He was there a half an hour before he signaled?

A. No, I can't answer how long he was there at that time, but I noticed him off and on for two hours at different times in the fire house.

I went in and out several times and each time I came in, Officer Robinson was there, but in between times I left the building he might have left too, I don't know. I can't answer that question.

Q. Immediately before this thing happened, you had been in the fire house for the same length of time?

A. Yes, that is correct.

Q. And that would probably cover from an hour—

A. Half an hour to an hour.

Q. Between the time when—the last time that you had left and returned to the fire house, up until the time of the alleged assault?

A. I was there approximately 10 o'clock.

Q. And you were there continuously from 1 o'clock on?

A. That is right.

Q. During that time Mr. Clifton had been there and had left?

A. That is correct.

Q. And the incident to which you referred, so far as Mr. Clifton is concerned, is that true?

A. That is correct.

Q. Robinson was there when Clifton left?

A. That I can't answer.

Q. Didn't Clifton, after what you did say to Clifton, as he walked out, didn't he speak to Robinson on his way out?

A. If he did, I didn't notice him.

Q. Now, how soon after Clifton left did you become aware of the fact that Robinson was in the fire house?

A. I can't. How long after Mr. Clifton left? I can't answer that question. I don't know.

Q. Let's go back to the other question?

A. Understand, I wasn't interested in Mr. Robinson at that time, whether he was in and out, but I saw him off and on for approximately two hours.

Q. Now, then, the next thing that occurred in so far as Robinson is concerned, is when you heard this signal, is that correct?

A. That is right.

Q. And Robinson was then near the door or fire truck, or both?

A. No, near the door. I would say about four feet from the door.

Q. How far?

A. Inside of the building, three or four feet.

Q. How far would that be from the fire truck?

A. That would be, I imagine about

12 or 13 feet, something like that.

Q. Was he alone at that time?

A. I can't answer that either. There were so many people in there. Yes, at the time he signaled me, he apparently was alone.

Q. And you did not go over there immediately, did you?

A. No, I didn't.

Q. Only went at the second signal from him?

A. That is right.

Q. When you went over there, was he alone?

A. I can't answer that either. There were so many people there, I can't say if he had some one with him.

Q. When you got over to Robinson, how was he engaged in some conversation?

A. That is right.

Q. Was Ruppert there when you first got over to the place where Robinson was standing?

A. No, sir, he was sitting beside Mr. DeWitt Steedle, tallying. I had to call him over.

Q. How far was that point when you called Ruppert over, from the table at which the election board was working?

A. I would still say between 12 and 13 feet, maybe not as much and maybe more. It is just a guess.

Q. During your conversation did either you or Mr. Robinson, or Mr. Ruppert, either of you, get any nearer to the election table than the 12 or 13 feet?

A. Yes, sir, later, and after the first blow was struck, or second blow, which I can't recall, Mr. Robinson jumped back after he hit me and bumped into the table of the election board.

Q. In other words, after you turned to walk away, as I understand it?

A. Yes, that is correct.

Q. I understand you started to walk back to the election table?

A. Yes, that is correct.

Q. And in so doing, Mr. Robinson struck you and jumped back and bumped into the election table?

A. Or stepped back.

Q. If you were walking toward the election table and he jumped back, he certainly would have jumped in the opposite direction, wouldn't he?

A. If he was what?

(Question repeated.)

I wasn't walking to the election table when Mr. Robinson was standing. I was walking to the opposite side of the table where Mr. Ruppert and Mr. Steedle were at that time.

Q. This table, is that that wide? (Indicating.)

A. I would say it is four feet wide at least.

Q. And were standing a little bit to the right or left? You are standing to the left, facing the front of the building, or facing the rear?

A. Facing the front of the building.

Q. And the table is on the right of the building, facing the front, isn't it?

A. Table is on the left of the building, facing the front.

Q. Now, the door is also at the left side, facing the front, isn't it?

A. The door is at the left, facing the front.

Q. And was the table running lengthwise with the building, or crosswise?

A. Well, I would say the room is almost square. It was running lengthwise, facing from the door to the front.

Q. I don't understand, Mr. Holvick, let's keep it with relation to the building. The building faces on the street, was the table running at right angles with the street, or parallel with the street?

A. Right angles, what do you mean?

Q. Was the table running at a right angle with the street—the street runs in front of the building?

A. That is right.

Q. Was the table running up and down the length of the building?

A. Are you speaking of the building now, or the street?

Q. The building?

A. I still don't get your question exactly.

Q. I understand this was a long table, or two long tables?

A. Don't know if it was two or one.

Q. Anywhere from 10 to 12 feet in length?

A. Approximately.

Q. And about four to six feet in width?

A. I would say around 4 feet or a little more, maybe not that much.

Q. Tell me how that table was placed in the room with reference to the building or street, so we can fix how it ran?

A. I would say, if I understand it, it would be right angles to the street.

Q. And on the left-hand side, facing toward the street?

A. That is right.

Q. That is the same side the door is on?

A. That is right.

Q. We are all straight on that?

A. Yes, that is right.

Q. How close to the left-hand wall of the building, was the table?

A. Just about room enough to get a chair there and get through, probably, just a little space. I would say maybe 18 inches or two feet to pass back with the chair and around the table.

Q. When Robinson first called you, he was then about four feet within the door, which was 12 or 15 feet away from the table?

A. That is right.

Q. He was facing, I assume, the table, or you?

A. No, Robinson was facing across the fire house.

Q. Directly across?

A. Facing Ruppert. He was facing toward the door. I stood in a position between them, with my back to the election board. That is, when we first started this conversation with reference to statement that Ruppert is supposed to have made.

Q. Did you continue in that position while this conversation was progressing?

A. All the time.

Q. And then you made a half turn to go away?

A. Oh, no, that is not the story at all.

Q. Mr. Robinson turned?

A. You are talking about when Mr. Ruppert, Mr. Robinson and myself were first engaged in conversation?

Q. No.

A. That is what you said, or at least I misunderstood you.

Q. You are in those positions, you have just described, do we agree upon that?

A. In what respect?

Q. Mr. Ruppert is facing the door, Mr. Robinson away from the door, when the argument started and you are with your back to the election table?

A. That is correct.

Q. Now, when did you change those respective positions and in what positions were you then?

A. After the conversation ended there and Mr. Robinson—Officer Robinson released John Ruppert, he turned and walked toward the election board, Ruppert and I turned to walk toward the fire truck.

Q. Which is on the right of the building, facing the front?

A. Right where John went up along the wall to the election table, when he called to me.

Q. Go ahead?

A. He said, "You say you saved my job twice?" I said, "You wouldn't deny that, would you?"

Q. You told us of that. At that time, what were your respective positions? Did you go over to him again, or what?

A. Yes, I walked over there.

Q. How close were you then from the table itself?

A. I imagine Officer Robinson would be about, maybe 18 inches, two foot, leaving me about a space away from him—a full space.

Q. And while in that position, Robinson struck the blow?

A. No, he didn't. Not while he was in that position.

Q. Did he change his position again?

A. He evidently had to because I changed mine.

Q. I am sorry. Tell us what positions you were in when they changed?

A. The positions were probably about the same, but Robinson had to turn to a slight angle because I had

started to walk away when I got it in the back of the head, whether it spun me around, or what happened, I don't know, but when I came around, Robinson was standing in front of me, with his back to the election table and again I say he was about 10 inches to 2 feet away from the table.

Q. And those tables are sitting on trestles?

A. Not very secure or firm.

Q. The old saw-horses, as we called them?

A. Yes, that is right.

Q. With the boards on top of them?

A. That is right.

Q. And you still say you didn't strike Mr. Robinson at all?

A. I positively did not, or at any time prior, until I was hit with the black jack that I ever touched him.

Q. Did you touch him after you were hit?

A. Yes, self-preservation.

Q. I understood you to say, when I asked you that question before, that at no time during the entire affair, did you touch him?

A. I was misunderstood then. Yes, certainly, I clinched with Robinson after I was hit the third time with the black jack.

Q. Did you hit him?

A. I wouldn't say whether I did or didn't. I can't answer the question.

Q. Why?

A. I am almost helpless, if I grabbed him, my hand struck him and I had ahold of the man.

Q. I wouldn't hold you to that technical definition. I want to know if you actually struck him?

A. With my fist?

Q. Yes.

A. I can't answer if I did or not. I answered this way, that I did not strike him before he struck me with the black jack at least three times, if I did at all.

Q. Now, do you recall calling Mr. Robinson on the telephone about 3.30 or 4 o'clock that same morning?

A. Who? Me?

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Q. Yes, you?

A. I positively did not.

Q. At Police Headquarters?

A. I positively did not.

Q. Recall at that time, saying to Mr. Robinson you were going to get his job?

A. I just said I didn't call him at all.

Q. Still maintain you didn't call him?

A. I didn't call him any time after, or since that day, or up to the present time.

Defense Opens

George D. Rothermel, Robinson's attorney, opened the defense by declaring that he hoped to show that Robinson was not the aggressor, that there had been disorder at the polls, that a member of the board did ask for an officer to keep order, that Robinson had been in the polling place an hour when Holvick started an argument placing his hands on the officer and interfering with what he (Robinson) was trying to do to Ruppert, and pushed Robinson into the election table. He declared that Robinson had a black eye and marks on the face which were received in the fracas. He declared that Holvick was drunk and that Robinson was warranted in what he did.

Robinson's Direct Testimony

JOHN ROBINSON, being sworn, testifies as follows: DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. ROTHERMEL:—

Q. Mr. Robinson, you are the defendant in this case?

A. Yes.

Q. And as I understand it, on November 6th, General Election day last year, you were a Police Officer of the Borough of Riverton?

A. I was.

Q. What time did you go on duty that day?

A. 6 o'clock in the evening.

Q. When did that, or was that tour of duty supposed to end?

A. 4 a.m. the following morning.

Q. On from 6 p.m. until 4 a.m.?

A. Correct.

Q. Now, when was the first occasion when you came in the neighborhood of the First District Polling place in the Borough of Riverton that evening?

A. About 7 p.m.

Q. Just as the polls were closing, or before they closed, or after?

A. That was before the polls closed.

Q. And from that time on, were there any on your tour of duty?

A. I was between the different polling places, as instructed.

Q. And you came back there, I understand, around 12 or 12.30 that same night, or early the next morning?

A. I went to lunch at five minutes of eleven and came back five minutes to twelve.

Q. Now, from that time on, you just tell the gentlemen of the jury just what happened in so far as you are concerned?

A. From 5 minutes of 12, until approximately 20 after 12, I sat in the police car, adjoining the railroad station, where we have our outside police telephone. About 20 minutes after 12, Lloyd Major approached me and asked me if I would not admit him into Police Headquarters and call the tally to the County Clerk's office. I agreed and we walked down together.

Q. Police Headquarters, as I understand it, is in the rear of the Fire House where the First District polling place is located?

A. That is correct.

Q. And you and Mr. Major went to the Police Headquarters so he could use the telephone?

A. Together. He on the right and I on the left. As we went into the yard adjoining Police Headquarters I saw there was somewhat of turmoil inside. I hastened to let Mr. Major in and in crossing the yard I heard someone call for an officer. I didn't know who it was. I hurried and let Mr. Major in and we had some quick conversation and I turned to go out the door and saw Frank Goodwin, or heard him say, "Yes, Joe, you can have all the cops you want" and at that, Holvick interrupted him and said, "Wait a minute, you G—d—yellow rat, if you call a cop, I will break your neck and will crucify you" and Holvick went after Goodwin and Ruppert tried to get ahold of him and he ran

to the station and a crowd after him. I realized there was a need for an officer—

BY MR. EASTWOOD:— Just a minute—

BY MR. ROTHERMEL:— Not what you realized. I want to know what you did. I want the jury to have the facts.

BY MR. EASTWOOD:— So do I.

A. I went into the polling place and it had quieted down somewhat and then I walked out and I met Mayor McIlvaine Biddle, who was then on the Police Committee and only a member of Borough Council because the votes hadn't been counted, and they didn't know who was Mayor yet. Mr. McIlvaine Biddle and I knew he had influence with Holvick, more so than I did because I had an argument early in the evening over Ruppert and knew Holvick's attitude toward me wasn't good and I requested Mr. Biddle if he wouldn't quiet him down in a peaceful way, due to his standing and Mr. Hilton Smith butted in and said, "Oh, Frank is all right. He is expected to have a couple of drinks on election day." I agreed with him and said, "I know that, but if my duty has to be performed, regardless of whether it is Frank Holvick, or who, with all his influence, I am going to do it" and I made it plain to Mr. Biddle.

Q. Just tell what happened?

A. I made it plain to Mayor Biddle there couldn't be any partiality shown regardless of who it was and asked him to quiet Frank down. I milled about in the police headquarters, in and out, and in the polling place and out and I went into the ante-room adjoining and there was Wilton Mount, Mayor Biddle, who then wasn't Mayor, and there was a drunken man laying stretched out on the morris chair—a morris chair, that drunken man was Benciliff—

Cliff Benciliff. We talked for a while and I had been to a target match previously and we were discussing target practice—Mayor Biddle, Hilton Smith, Wilton Mount and myself and I don't recall who else was in there.

Q. When did you next go in the polling place proper?

A. About 1 o'clock.

Q. Where did you go?

A. I stood very near the door for quite a while, talking to Mr. Fitzpatrick.

Q. And anything happen while you were there?

A. Yes.

Q. Go ahead and tell us, please?

A. Frank Holvick would look up occasionally and pass a nasty jeer at me. Once he said, "You yellow b—d—sucker and I will get him and Ed, Merrill, and I will get the both of them. They were elected on fraudulent ballots." I still said nothing and sat there and when the counting was finished at 5 minutes of 2

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headquarters, led out on the side of this building, didn't it?

A. Yes.

Q. It was about 15 or 20 feet from the door that led into the polling place, wasn't it?

A. About 15 or 20.

Q. So that from the time you arrived there, when you accompanied Mr. Major, you were in and out in the police headquarters and the polling place, up to the time this difficulty occurred, were you not?

A. That is true.

Q. When did you first come into the polling place?

A. After I admitted Major to the Police Headquarters.

Q. Why did you go in?

A. I knew there was an officer sent for.

Q. Had you been sent for?

A. I had.

Q. Who sent for you?

A. Mr. Joseph Laverty.

Q. Who told you, you had been sent for?

A. I heard Frank Goodwin, say, "Here is John, I will get him."

Q. Who sent for you, as an officer?

A. Joseph Laverty.

Q. What was the message that was given you?

A. Didn't get to me, Holvick and you hit him with your other hand?

Q. You didn't get the message to go to the polling place?

A. It was interfered with.

Q. Who interfered?

A. Frank Holvick threatened him for going for an officer.

Q. What I am driving at, Mr. Robinson, you did not, at any time, receive from anybody any message to go to the polling place, did you?

A. I had sense enough to know—

Q. Did you receive such a message from anybody?

A. No.

Q. And yet you went in there and had not been sent for?

A. Don't have to be sent for.

Q. You went in without being sent for?

A. Absolutely.

Q. Wasn't your duty that night, at the telephone booth?

A. No.

Q. Out on the corner of the Main streets?

A. It was not.

Q. Were you required to be in the polling places unless you were detailed to be there for any particular reason?

A. I was instructed to work between the different polling places and try to prevent any disorders.

Q. Who gave you those instructions?

A. Chief Gootee.

Q. When?

A. Early in the evening, and as a matter of fact, it was talked over two days before election.

Q. Now, what time was it you first went in the polling place?

A. I told you it was after I admitted Lloyd Major to the Police Headquarters.

Q. How long?

A. Five minutes after that and was 20 after 12 when I admitted him.

Q. I am asking you when you first went in the polling place?

A. I told you.

Q. You haven't told me yet?

A. I told you about 25 after 12, or somewhere near there.

Q. I thought you went into Police Headquarters?

A. No.

Q. How long were you in the polling place before this difficulty occurred?

A. Before this difficulty occurred?

Continuously.

Q. To stay?

A. Yes. About an hour.

Q. And during that time you didn't arrest anybody for any disorder, did you?

A. No, I warned them two or three times, Ruppert.

Q. You didn't warn Holvick, did you?

A. No, I was afraid of him.

Q. You were?

A. Yes.

Q. You had your gun and jack and were afraid to?

A. Yes, I am afraid of him and I admit it.

Q. And you are a member of the police force?

A. Absolutely.

Q. And yet, you are afraid?

A. Yes, the same as the witnesses are afraid to tell the truth.

BY MR. EASTWOOD:— I move that be stricken out?

BY THE COURT:— You will not offer any information, Mr. Robinson. That will be stricken out.

Q. Yet, you were so afraid of Holvick you didn't hesitate to strike him and knock him down?

A. I had to.

Q. You weren't afraid of him if you did that?

A. My back was at the wall, I had to.

Q. You were against the wall?

A. I mean, I had to take care of myself.

Q. He hadn't done anything to you, had he?

A. Oh, yes, he had. He interfered with me making an arrest.

Q. Was there any need for you to attack him because he shoved you?

A. Had no right, with me making an arrest.

Q. Your fear was so great that because he shoved you a little, you knocked him down?

A. He hit me first with the hand.

Q. You are sure of that—the time you hit him, your jack was in your pocket and the hand the jack was in, was held by Ruppert, wasn't it, and you hit him with your other hand?

A. That is true.

Q. And you knocked him down?

A. Yes.

Q. Are you right, or left-handed?

A. Right.

Q. You had your jack, at that time, in your right hand?

A. I did not.

Q. Your left hand?

A. I did not.

Q. What hand did you have it in?

A. In neither hand.

Q. Where was it?

A. In my pocket.

Q. Wasn't your finger around it?

A. My hand was on it.

Q. Wasn't Ruppert holding the jack with your hand at the same time?

A. Absolutely.

Q. That was your right hand?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. You hit him with the left?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And hit him hard enough to knock him down, and you are right-handed?

A. Yes.

Q. Was that the wound you opened on his right eye?

A. Had none.

Q. None at all?

A. No.

Q. You are sure of that? Did you see any blood flowing from his face?

A. Did you say the right?

Q. Or his left, either one?

A. The wound was over the left eye.

Q. And that was the one that was caused by this blow with your left hand?

A. No, by the black jack.

Q. You did hit him with the black jack, did you?

A. I surely did.

Q. How many times?

A. Once.

Q. You didn't say that on direct, that you hit him with the black jack?

A. I haven't been asked if I hit him with the black jack.

Q. Weren't you questioned at length, in your direct examination, as to what happened?

A. Quite so.

Q. Didn't he ask you to describe what happened?

A. Yes.

Q. Did you, in your description of what happened, say you hit Holvick with a black jack? As a matter of fact, you didn't did you?

A. I don't remember.

Q. Did you hit him?

A. Hit once with the black jack.

Q. What was Holvick doing when you hit him with the black jack?

A. He fell down to his knees.

Q. Was down on his knees?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Was he down on his knees when you hit him with the black jack?

A. No.

Q. What was he doing at the time you hit him with the over the eye?

A. He struck me over the eye.

Q. You freed yourself of his grip that Ruppert had on the jack at that time?

A. I did.

Q. And you were freely swinging

the jack at that time, weren't you?

A. That is true.

Q. As a matter of fact, you hit Holvick in back of the ear with the jack, didn't you?

A. No, sir.

Q. As a matter of fact, Officer, you were swinging the jack quite freely in the scuffle with Holvick, weren't you?

A. I was not.

Q. And when you hit him with the black jack, was that what knocked him down to his knees?

A. No, it was the first blow with the left hand.

Q. That knocked him to his knees?

A. Yes.

Q. Didn't I understand when you hit him with the black jack?

A. The first blow knocked him on his back, on the step.

Q. And that was the time when you hit him with the left hand?

A. That was it.

Q. And then what happened?

A. And then he got up and hit me on the eye and knocked me clear across the room.

Q. And then what did you do?

A. I reached for my jack.

Q. And you were still up to him?

A. Yes.

Q. You were mortally afraid of him?

A. Yes, and I am still afraid of him.

Q. And how far were you away from him after he struck you on the eye?

A. I was close enough for him to hit me in the eye.

Q. I understand that. You said he shoved you across the room when he hit you over the eye?

A. He knocked me in the eye.

Q. After he hit you in the eye, how far were you then away from Holvick?

A. After I struck the table, I bounced back, and the table went down.

Q. And when you did, you had the jack in your hand?

A. I reached and got it.

Q. Didn't you have it in your pocket all the time?

A. It was in my pocket.

Q. When did you first draw your jack out of your pocket?

A. As I told you, after I was struck on the eye.

Q. You said you hit Holvick before he hit you in the eye?

A. With my hand.

Q. Then you had your jack in your pocket and right hand on it that Ruppert tried to interfere, so you must have had it out before you hit Holvick with your left hand?

A. I didn't have it out. I reached for it and Ruppert saw it.

Q. And he interfered. What pocket was it in, Mr. Robinson?

A. Right side, an extra pocket that was put there, alongside of the leg.

Q. That is where you carried it?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Now, kind of jack was it?

A. A jack like this, all wrapped up with tape to brace it. (Indicating.)

Q. You had another jack like that on the table, marked Ex. S. 1, for identification?

A. Like this? (Indicating.)

Q. Yes.

Q. No, sir.

Q. You had one turned over to you by Officer Quigley?

A. He was dead when I was appointed.

Q. It was his jack?

A. Yes, previously.

Q. And that remained in your possession, did it not?

A. Yes, sir, not until then, though.

Q. You called that jack you had gotten from Officer Quigley, that had been Officer Quigley's, "your old trusty," didn't you?

A. No, sir.

Q. Holvick handed this jack back to you afterward, didn't he?

A. He did.

Q. And said you were a dirty yellow cur?

A. That is true.

Q. And said, "This is the jack you hit me with?"

A. I don't remember.

Q. Would you say he didn't say that?

A. I don't recall what he said.

Q. Didn't he say, "I have the right to carry a jack like that too, but I wouldn't do it, or wouldn't use it on a man?"

A. He did not.

Q. You took the jack from him, didn't you?

A. He handed it to me and I took it.

Q. Holvick had no jack or weapon

of any kind?

A. I couldn't say what he had in his pockets.

Q. You didn't see him have anything in his hands that he attempted to use, did you?

A. I did not.

Q. And when he handed the jack to you, didn't you say, "Yes, I am a yellow cur. I was wrong. I lost my head?"

A. I did not. I shook my head at him.

Q. You shook your head, "Yes," didn't you?

A. Yes.

Q. Intimating you agreed what he said was true?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Didn't you say, "I was wrong. I lost my head?"

A. No, sir.

Q. Sure of that?

A. Positive.

Q. You stepped back, didn't you, with your hands on your hip, didn't you?

A. Yes.

Q. And you had your hand on the gun?

A. I readjusted it on my belt.

Q. You were mad at the time?

A. I was angry.

Q. And were angry in the argument that led up to this difficulty?

A. To some extent.

Q. And were getting madder as the argument continued?

A. Ordinarily.

Q. Didn't Ross Elliott say, "John, or Robby, don't pull that. You have done enough damage. You will do something you will be sorry for the rest of your life?"

A. He surely did.

Q. You must have made some gesture or motion of some kind, you were going to?

A. I made a gesture to readjust the gun. It was moved in the fracas.

Q. Didn't you do that to pretend you were going to use your gun?

A. I did not.

Q. You made a statement to Chief Gootee, did you not?

A. Yes, sir, I did.

Q. Didn't you say in that statement, "I laid my hand on my holster to pretend I would defend myself if I had to go to extremes?"

A. Yes, that is true.

Q. You did give the intention and put your hand on the gun that you were going to pull it?

A. No.

Q. Why did you make that statement?

A. I made a statement I put my hand on the holster, to pretend I—

Q. "I laid my hand on my holster to pretend I would defend myself if I had to go to extremes?"

A. That is true.

Q. You had some thought of pulling the gun, possibly?

A. No.

Q. Officer Thomason was there while this was occurring, wasn't he?

A. I don't know. I couldn't say.

Q. Didn't you see him there?

A. I saw him answering the telephone.</

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to you, and Holvick is on the left and I am in the center, just slightly ahead of Ruppert.

Q. All right, I will accept your statement for it. You said he was on your right, and it would seem to me it was on your left, but if you insist he was on your right I will have to accept your statement. Is that the position the three of you occupied during this argument about the previous night's incident?

A. It was.

Q. And is that the position that you were in at the time you say that Holvick gave you a shove?

A. That is the position I was in when he gave me the shove.

Q. And when Holvick gave you a shove will you indicate on the sketch just what direction you went in?

A. When Holvick gave me a shove, he gave me a shove more to Ruppert.

Q. And did that send you sort of backward toward Ruppert?

A. When I bumped into Ruppert, I came back to Holvick again.

Q. When he shoved you, did you bump into Ruppert?

A. Yes.

Q. And you rebounded in the direction of Holvick?

A. That is right.

Q. And what did you do when you rebounded toward Holvick, is that when you struck him this blow with your left hand?

A. Yes.

Q. And you say, at that time, you were reaching for your jacket which was in your right pocket?

A. That is true.

Q. And Ruppert grabbed your right hand and held it there in your pocket?

A. That is so.

Q. And so you couldn't get the jacket out?

A. That is true.

Q. And you swung around and with your left hand and hit Holvick in the eye, was it?

A. Somewhere near the right eye.

Q. And that blow sent Holvick almost to the floor, or did it send him to the floor?

A. Sent him on the step.

Q. And are these the steps to which you refer?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. And what kind of steps are they?

A. The bottom is a concrete step and the other is the floor. I don't mean there are two—there is one and the next platform is a wooden floor.

Q. And the blow you struck Holvick with your left hand, knocked him down so he struck this step?

A. Yes.

Q. How far would you say he was from the place you were standing when you hit Holvick that caused him to go down and hit that concrete step?

A. About four or five feet.

Q. You say it is only four or five feet from that point over to the step?

A. I think so.

Q. Sure of that?

A. I positively did think it is near.

Q. I think you will find the steps are closer to the sides. That is my impression.

Q. If you hit Holvick with the left hand, it would be in the direction of Ruppert, wouldn't it and not your right hand?

A. No, in the direction of Holvick.

Q. Wouldn't it be on the side where Ruppert was?

A. My left hand? It couldn't have been if Ruppert was on the right.

Q. And when you hit Holvick and knocked him down, wouldn't it normally cause him to fall in this direction, instead of here?

A. No, it twisted him.

Q. It was a pretty hard blow, wasn't it?

A. Yes.

Q. And you are right-handed?

A. Yes, I am right-handed.

Q. And Ruppert was holding your hand in your pocket and had ahold of the jacket at the same time and yet you were able to drive a blow of sufficient force, against Holvick, that it knocked him completely down and he struck this step?

A. That is true.

Q. What part of his body came in contact with this concrete step?

A. Somewhere, I don't know what.

Q. Some part of his back appeared to be near the corner of the step.

Q. Will you indicate on that sketch, just where Holvick's body was, the position of it, when he laid

there on the step?

A. Somewhere near the corner, in that direction, I would say. (Indicating.) That would be his head.

Q. You have indicated that step as being the lower step. There was more than one step?

A. One step and the second lift is the floor.

Q. So there is really only one step?

A. One concrete.

Q. And the other you step on to the floor of this reception room?

A. Up to the floor. You must take two steps. It is two lifts higher.

Q. So that Holvick's body lay in that position and his head on the step, was it?

A. I don't know where his head was, but I feel it was somewhere near the second step.

Q. Did he go completely down so his head struck that part of the floor, or his back seem to be the part?

A. I believe his head struck too.

Q. You are not sure?

A. I am not positive.

Q. Now, then, that was the first blow you struck at Holvick, was it?

A. Yes.

Q. After then what happened after that?

A. After that Holvick got up.

Q. And then what happened?

A. Struck me on the eye.

Q. And where were you when he struck you in the eye?

A. Right here. (Indicating.)

Q. You stayed right there?

A. No, I moved facing him.

Q. And you did move away from that spot?

A. Just turned around and faced him.

Q. So, when you faced him, you were practically in the same position as related to this ballot box, as you were before?

A. Very much in the same direction.

Q. And you were four or five feet away from him?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you see him coming toward you, aiming this blow at you?

A. No, it came pretty fast.

Q. He was able to inflict this blow on you—get up, inflict this blow on you, a distance of four or five feet and strike you in the eye?

A. And made you go back, did it?

A. That is true.

Q. Knock you down?

A. Knocked me against the election table.

Q. All the way from that point over here, to the election table? You went over in this direction?

A. I absolutely did.

Q. What part of the election table did you strike?

A. This corner here.

Q. How far away from the election table were you when Holvick struck you that blow?

A. About four or five feet.

Q. You were about an equal distance from the election table and the rear of the fire house and this step which led into the reception room when you struck Holvick and when Holvick later struck you?

A. Somewhere near there, yes.

Q. Now, then, what happened after that?

A. When I struck the election table and that fell down, the force of me hitting the election table and my cap went off backward and from the effects of the blow sort of staggered me and I reached for my jacket and by being knocked against the election table, he got me away from Ruppert and he couldn't interfere with me getting the jacket.

Q. You don't mean to say you dragged Ruppert over to the election table with you?

A. No, he wasn't holding me then.

Q. When did Ruppert release his grasp?

A. As soon as I knocked Holvick down.

Q. Then you tore away from the grip that Ruppert had on your hand and the jacket?

A. That is true.

Q. And then, where was Ruppert then?

A. I don't recall.

Q. You don't recall where he was then?

A. No.

Q. When you got to the election table, you say you reached for your jacket?

A. After I rebounded from the election table, I reached for the jacket.

Q. Didn't you have your hand on the jacket the whole time?

A. No, sir.

Q. When you wrestled the control of the jacket from the clutch of Ruppert, didn't you then pull the jacket out of your pocket?

A. No, sir.

Q. And wasn't it then that you swung at Holvick and struck him the blow with the jacket?

A. No, sir.

Q. Did Holvick strike any blow at you between the time when he struck you in the eye and when you came back and hit him with the jacket?

(No answer.)

Q. After he hit you in the eye, he struck you again before you used the jacket on him?

A. Before I used the jacket? No, didn't strike him between that time.

Q. You testified in direct examination you hit him three times in the face with your fist?

A. Oh, yes.

Q. "While I was against the fire truck?"

A. That was afterward.

Q. That was afterward?

A. Yes.

Q. And when you rebounded from the election table, it was then you pulled your jacket and struck Holvick?

A. Yes.

Q. Where was Holvick when you struck him with the jacket?

A. Directly in front of me.

Q. Where, as related to the election box?

A. With relation to the election box?

Q. Yes.

A. I would say cat-a-corner to the right.

Q. How near to it?

A. About midway between the step and the box.

Q. And then you had gotten from the election table, when you rebounded from the blow he struck you and midway between the election box and the step?

A. Yes.

Q. When you struck this blow at Holvick with the jacket?

A. That is true.

Q. So that in that way, you had gotten about six feet toward Holvick and Holvick had only gone about two feet from the step?

A. You are wrong. I went about three and he met me halfway.

Q. Didn't you state that Holvick, when Holvick was struck by the jacket, he was about halfway between the step and this election box?

A. That is right.

Q. And didn't you testify the distance between the step and the box was about four feet?

A. Possibly.

Q. And Holvick wouldn't only have gone two feet if he went midway?

A. I can't give positive measurement.

Q. Wasn't that your statement, it was four feet between the step and the election box?

A. I did not. I said six feet. At least six feet.

Q. Then Holvick went about three feet at the time you struck him? How far was it from this place here (indicating) not the election box?

BY MR. ROTHERMEL:—Will the Prosecutor permit him to answer the question?

A. Was there any question I asked that you didn't understand?

A. I don't quite get that question clear. Would you mind repeating it?

Q. I understand you say now, the distance between this step and the election box was six feet?

A. It is all of that, and possibly more.

Q. Is it any more?

A. Some, possibly, yes.

Q. Didn't you first say it was four or five feet?

A. I want to make this plain before we go further. The step is further from the telephone. Can't we get that a little different and get it straight?

Q. Yes, you mark where the step was?

A. I think you can prove it is closer.

Q. Well, you indicate what your recollection is, where the step extends?

(Witness indicates on the sketch.)

Q. Then the step extends, in your recollection, over in this direction, toward the telephone booth?

A. There is no booth there.

Q. Where the telephone is?

A. Where the telephone is.

Q. This is where you think the step extends?

A. About.

Q. And was it still this part of the step, would you say, that Holvick was lying on?

A. I did not.

A. I would say he was over on the corner.

Q. Won't you indicate that? Where you think he was?

(Witness indicates.)

Q. Holvick was then on this corner?

A. Correct.

Q. And then, as I understand it, he went about midway between that step and the election box and was about midway between the two at the time you rebounded from the election table and came over to where he was and struck him with the jacket?

A. I can't say. He was a little further this way.

Q. Didn't you say a little while ago he was midway?

A. Let me have the question again.

Q. Did you not say a short time ago that at the time you struck Holvick with the jacket, he had come about midway between the step and the election box?

A. No, I did not.

Q. What did you say?

A. I said midway between the step and the election table.

Q. You are positive that is what you said?

A. I know that is what happened.

Q. Then, if what you say is correct, now then if he came midway from the step to the election table, he was about where the election box was?

A. No, over here more.

Q. Well, indicate where he was when he was struck with the jacket? (Witness indicates.)

Q. Then you would have been midway between the step and the election table?

A. Approximately.

Q. And that was about an equal distance, would you say, from the step to the election table?

A. Yes.

Q. What was the distance from the point where Holvick was when you struck him with the jacket to this upper end of the table?

A. Somewhere near six feet.

Q. So, you went six feet from the end of the table, when you rebounded over to the place where Holvick was when you struck him with the jacket?

A. I did.

Q. And Holvick did not, at any time, approach you, when he got up from the step, closer than six feet?

A. Further than six.

Q. And it might have been less?

A. I am not so sure of that.

Q. When you struck him with the jacket, what happened to Holvick?

A. I don't remember what happened, whether he went down on his knees, or stayed on his feet.

Q. I think you said that blow drove him to his knees?

A. I think I did.

Q. And your best recollection is, that blow did send him to his knees?

A. I think it did.

Q. And then what happened after that?

A. Then he got up and we clinched.

Q. And was it when you clinched and were against the fire truck then that you struck him these three blows?

A. Yes.

Q. And was it during that clinch that he struck you, or put his hands on your face?

A. That was when he had his hands on my face.

Q. And the only other blow Holvick struck you, aside from the scratches on your face and the finger he had in your nose, was the blow he struck you in the eye?

A. Two body blows.

Q. Where were they administered?

A. In the short ribs.

Q. Where were you when he administered those?

A. Against the fire truck.

Q. Before you clinched, after you had administered your blows with the jacket and your fist and Holvick hit you in the right eye, there were no other blows until you clinched and were against the fire truck, isn't that right?

A. That is true.

Q. And while you were clinched at the fire truck was when Holvick hit you two body blows?

A. Yes.

Q. And it was then that you struck him three blows with your hand?

A. That is true.

Q. And while you were at the fire truck, you still had your jacket in your hand?

A. I did not.

Q. What happened to it?

A. The jacket was wrenched from me. I don't know what happened, but I am quite sure it was wrenched from me.

Q. Who got the jacket from you?

A. There was quite a crowd, some tearing at me and some at him.

Q. The statement to which I referred yesterday, which is marked Ex. S 2, I believe, for Identification, did you not say, "My jacket was taken from me by several spectators?" Will you refer to it please, and read it?

A. That is here.

Q. Then your jacket must have been taken from you by spectators for you to put it in your report?

A. I am sure it was.

Q. Where were you when they wrested this jacket from you?

A. May I have the sketch and I will show you?

(Witness is shown sketch.)

A. About right here (indicating). Some jumped in back of Holvick and some in back of me and some one back here wrenched it from me and we clinched and went against the fire truck.

Q. Now, as I understand it, the jacket was wrested

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RE-CROSS-EXAMINATION
BY MR. ROTHERMEL—
Q. When did you have these three glasses of beer?
A. Well, I imagine the polls closed at 9 o'clock, I imagine we were there about 9.30, about 9.30.
Q. Was it three or five?
A. It was three.
Q. Recall testifying December 3, 1934, before the Recorder in Riverton, don't you?
A. Yes, I did.
Q. Recall this question being asked and this answer being given—
"Q. Excuse, let me ask you another way, had you had any drinks that night?"
"A. Yes, that is right."
Recall that?
A. No, I do not.
Q. Recall this question being asked and this answer given—"Q. How many?" "A. Five glasses of beer?"
A. No, I do not.
Q. Will you say you did not so testify before the Recorder in Riverton?
A. Yes, I would.

THE END

DRAMA SECTION
ENTERTAINS CLUB

Two Plays Directed By Mrs. Shreve
Were Much Enjoyed By
Members and Guests

On Tuesday, February 19th the Drama Section of the Riverton Porch Club entertained the members and their guests with two delightful plays which had been most ably directed by Mrs. Shreve, chairman of the section, and herself a very talented actress.

"For Distinguished Service," the first play presented, was quite modern in both setting and theme, portraying a triangle situation in which a flirtatious wife never stopped her philanderings long enough to realize that her husband might too be having an affair. Her good friend, to whom the husband had fled for sympathy, finds that she too can readily fall into an affair with the husband. Realizing the folly of it all, she lets the wife know that such might be the case, and in so doing shows her friend that she really prefers the man to whom she is married. The flirtatious, high-strung wife was most amusingly played by Mrs. Stuart B. Clark, while the calm, reasoning friend was delightfully done by Mrs. J. Douglas Clark. Miss Louise Ayres, playing the part of the maid, added a bit of comedy which was most entertaining.

The second play, "Candle or Kerchief," quite in contrast to the other, was laid in Revolutionary Philadelphia, with the charming colonial costumes of that period. The play was perfectly cast. Miss Alice Parrish, as Sally; Mrs. Ralph Flower, as her mother, a staunch Tory; Mrs. Henry Randall, the aunt, a very staunch Whig; Mrs. E. M. Stackhouse, as the vague maid servant, and Miss Elizabeth Elliot and Miss Elinore Hall, as two charming young toy maids. Sally, being loyal to her family and her King, had accepted an invitation from a Tory officer to the Meschianza, a dance given by the Tories, and so incurred the wrath of her Whig lover with whom she is deeply, but not admittedly in love. The aunt comes to visit just in time to suggest a sprained ankle which would necessitate her absence from the dance and save her lover from risking his life by attending the dance in disguise.

Mrs. Randall, as the old maid aunt, played the part with great understanding, sympathy and humor. Miss Parrish as the colonial maiden was most attractive, and Mrs. Flower as the mother and hostess was delightful, as were Miss Hall and Miss Elliot in their attractive colonial costumes.

MUSICAL EVENING

Miss Alice A. Herr, pianiste, of Riverton, and Mrs. Parry H. Paul, soprano, of Moorestown, presented an evening of music before the Port-nightly Club, of Mount Holly, on Monday evening, February 18th. The audience was large and enthusiastic. This musical evening was a departure from the usual literary meeting and was well received.

Most of the fellows who discourse so wisely on capital and labor have no capital and never did any labor.

RIVERTON

Miss Mary Brooks, of Appleton, Wisconsin, is spending two weeks as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kieckhefer. Miss Brooks engagement to C. C. Schwartzburg, of Riverton, was announced last fall.

Miss Bertha Broderson, of Harrison street, was sent to the Burlington County Hospital Wednesday with acute appendicitis.

Ross Evans and Miss Naomi Evans, of Riverton, and Miss Evelyn Cheesman, of Burlington, left Sunday to spend some time in Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Plumly of Riverton, and Miss Ella Kerr, of Tioga, left Riverton Wednesday to spend the rest of the winter at Miami Beach, Florida.

Mrs. Joseph Laverty, of Cinnaminson street, entertained at cards Wednesday evening for the benefit of the Sacred Heart Parent-Teacher Association.

Mrs. Elsie Brownell, of Frankford, spent the weekend with her father, Edwin Evans.

The many friends of little "Donny" Garwood who was taken to the West Jersey Hospital two weeks ago for a mastoid operation, will be glad to know that he is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole, of Main street are spending the weekend in the Poconos.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johansen and daughter, of Scotch Plains, are spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Stewart, on Thomas avenue.

Mrs. R. C. Powers, of Yonkers, New York, has returned to her home after spending the week with Mrs. Arthur Bowker, on Elm avenue.

Mrs. Charles Seemuller will entertain the Auxiliary of the Odd Fellows next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. A. M. Bowker entertained at a radio party Tuesday evening of this week.

Mrs. Norman C. Graham has moved from Thomas avenue to the Hazehurst Apartments, 101 Main street.

ASSEMBLY No. 65, A.O.M.P.

Palmyra Assembly No. 65, A.O.M.P., initiated one candidate at the regular meeting last Tuesday evening. A committee was appointed to arrange for the third annual banquet to be held on the regular meeting night, March 19 at 6.30. There will be a good meal and a big show. Tickets are now on sale.

The members were asked if there was anybody present that was famous. To be famous is to produce three candidates by June 1. The award for producing three candidates will be a big surprise, and well worth working for. Every member who produces one candidate will receive a ticket to the Jersey Producers' dinner at Weber's Hof Brau, Central Airport, on Monday evening, June 3.

"UNDER PRESSURE"
AT WALT WHITMAN

Traveling six thousand miles just to look at a tunnel seems an unusual form of entertainment. But Raoul Walsh, noted screen director, did just that as part of his preparation for "Under Pressure," Fox Film production coming to the Walt Whitman Theatre on Saturday.

In the preparation of this film, a full-sized replica of an actual tunnel, nearly 500 feet long, was built at the studio. This setting contained every bit of apparatus used in actual tunneling operations and its realism aroused the admiration of engineers who visited it.

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ANNUAL DINNER
WELL ATTENDED

Governor Hoffman and Ex-Governor Stokes Among Speakers Monday Evening

About two hundred and fifty attended the annual dinner given by the Associated Republican Clubs in the Hotel Hildebrecht, Trenton, Monday evening of this week.

Among the speakers were Governor Harold G. Hoffman, former Governor E. C. Stokes, Donald Sterner, former senator and present secretary to Governor Hoffman, Senator Powell, Assemblyman Marcus W. Newcomb and Roy McDougall, president of the Club.

Those sitting at the speakers table were: Chief Ellis H. Parker, Sheriff George N. Wimer, State Committee-man Pearl Bridgeport, Chairman Charles R. Stout, Surrogate George B. Bittling, County Clerk Lawrence Mingin, president of the Young Republican Club Albert Jones, vice president county committee, Effie Phillipino, director of the Board of Freeholders Palmer L. Adams, treasurer of the club, Elwood Zigenfus, vice president, Charles Myers, William Hart, John Lavinsky and Frank Wimberly.

The entertainment committee was composed of Jack Whomsey, chairman, Sarah Parker, Henry Tresch, Effie Phillipino, Elwood Zigenfus and Alma Evans.

After the dinner the guests were entertained with dance music by Andy Nelson and his orchestra. Charles Myers capably filled the position of song leader.

RIVERTON P. T. A.

On Monday, February 18th, the Riverton Parent-Teacher Association held their monthly meeting combined with a food sale.

The business meeting and reports of various committees was followed with a program planned by the teachers.

The first grade children performed a dance coached by Miss Justice. Each teacher gave a brief account of her particular subject.

The food sale consisted of various types of food donated by the members of the P.T.A. Publicity.

A great man is always willing to be little.—Emerson.

OBITUARIES

DATIS REED

Datis Reed, of 716 Main street, Riverton, died at his home last Saturday after an attack of pleurisy. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock from his late residence, Rev. Charles T. Bates, officiating.

Interment was made at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Lambertville, Frank A. Snover, funeral director.

The deceased is survived by his widow, Sallie, and two daughters, Mrs. Frank P. Coddington, of Riverton, and Mrs. Fred Cummings, of Lambertville; two sons, Richard, of Milltown, and Warren, of Orange.

Mr. Reed was born in Rosemont, New Jersey, July 8, 1859, and moved to Riverton in May 1905.

He has been connected with the Presbyterian church since 1904 at which time he lived in Palmyra. He was made Sunday school superintendent in 1904 and served in that capacity for a number of years. In 1905 he was made ruling elder and served also as clerk of the session. In 1883 he entered the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in Trenton, as a clerk. In 1886 he was promoted to the Relief Department which had just opened, where he served as special clerk in the relief and pension department. Later Mr. Reed was promoted to second highest man in that department in the Philadelphia division.

Mr. Reed served on the Lambertville school board, Riverton school board, and was president of the Burlington County Sunday School Association. In May, 1882, he married Sallie N. Moore, and moved to Riverton in 1905.

MARY E. CONNER

Mrs. Mary E. Conner, of 829 Cinnaminson avenue, Palmyra, died at her home Friday, February 15. She was the widow of John W. Conner.

Services were held Monday from the Snover Funeral Home at two o'clock, Rev. George Lockett officiating.

Interment was made in Mt. Peace Cemetery, Philadelphia, Frank A. Snover, funeral director.

Mrs. Conner is survived by one son, Lewis Jones, of Washington, two brothers in Philadelphia, and one

sister, Mrs. A. C. Giberson, of Palmyra. Services were held at the Snover Home Sunday by the following organizations: Covenant Chapter O.E.S., Ladies of the Golden Eagle and the P.O. of A.

ISAAC S. MALSBUY

Isaac S. Malsbury, 431 Thomas avenue, died in Cooper Hospital Thursday, February 21, after a short illness. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Headington M. E. Church, Bordentown.

Interment was made in Borden-town Cemetery, Frank A. Snover, funeral director.

The deceased is survived by his widow, Cynthia, and two children, Mrs. Sarah E. Rorak, of Belmar and Richard Malsbury, of Florence.

JACOB LEAP HARRIS

Jacob Harris, of Cinnaminson, died at his home Saturday morning. Mr. Harris is survived by his widow, Louisiana Shoemaker and five daughters.

Funeral services will be at the convenience of the family. Interment will be made at Asbury M. E. Cemetery, Frank A. Snover, funeral director.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN
Patrick McLaughlin, of 727 Broad street, Beverly, died at his home, February 20.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 9 o'clock at the late residence and solemn high mass at St. Joseph's Church, Beverly, at ten o'clock.

Mr. McLaughlin is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nora McLaughlin and seven children: Mrs. William Van-Seiver, of Beverly; Mrs. Charles Loreaux; Bernard McLaughlin; Mrs. Eric Straub and Mrs. Charles Kogel, of Philadelphia; Patrick McLaughlin, Jr., of New York City; Mrs. Jane D'Aurechy, of Beverly; and William McLaughlin, of Palmyra.

Interment was made in St. Peter's Cemetery, Riverside, Frank A. Snover, funeral director.

"Well, I see another girl gets a medal for flying."
"Yes, and some day a girl is gonna get a medal for sewing."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

We know a woman who has a little boy who rambles continually when he talks. She is afraid he will grow up to be a radio announcer.



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If you have an annual income of \$2,080 or less, how much of it goes for taxes?

There's a good chance that you will say "none," inasmuch as your income is below the level reached by the income tax, and you may have little or no property on which taxes must be paid.

But, according to an article by Royal F. Munger in the Chicago Daily News, your taxes come to some \$480 a year. One hundred and twenty dollars of this represents taxes included in your rent—the landlord pays them and passes the cost on to you. Ninety-six dollars is included in the price of your family's food—the farmer, the processor, the distributor and retailer pay them, and they become part of the cost of everything in the grocery store. Twenty-four dollars is included in the clothing, furniture and similar items you and your dependents purchase—here again, manufacturers, middlemen and retailers are all heavily taxed and must pass their taxes on to the public.

This totals \$240. Finally, says Mr. Munger, other indirect tax burdens that affect the cost of living are estimated to take \$240 more out of your family's \$2,080 annual income. On a percentage basis, as a result, you pay almost twenty per cent of all you earn to government.

Too many people have accepted the fanciful theory that the rich pay all the taxes while the rest of us get the benefits for nothing.

No one escapes taxes—no one ever will. And the average man, with a small or medium-sized income, would gain most from retrenchment in tax levies, regardless of the guise under which they may be labelled.

Home-Town Service

We Americans demand more service than any people in the world. When we want something—whether it is a pound of beef or a ton of coal or an automobile—we want it at once. If it rains or snows, we reach for a phone and order it—and of course we are willing to pay for it.

In an effort to meet these demands, we have created a form of efficient business organization that has never been equalled in the whole world's history.

It is only when we realize that our pennies are limited that we suddenly start to shop about in an effort to nurse these coins. But we haven't changed a bit fundamentally—we still demand Service with a capital "S." It is just such times as the recent snowstorm that made many of us realize that to get that service, we can't depend on transient, "cut-rate" dealers.

The neighborhood grocer and butcher delivered their merchandise if you couldn't get out—the regular coal dealers were on the job—and many of us suddenly realized that dependability was something worthwhile after all—the kind of dependability that goes with the regular established business concerns right in our own community.

Asks for Repeal of Repeal

Senator Sheppard of Texas, is the original prohibitionist. The other day he made his annual plea for that cause, and illustrated his remarks in the Senate by showing that under repeal in 1934, 134 persons were killed and 3,387 injured by automobiles in the city of Washington, which was an increase of 68.75 per cent. He insisted that the country has more legalized saloons than ever before in history. Senator Sheppard is a consistent fighter—even if it takes a lifetime.

"In New Jersey the taxation cost per kilowatt hour of electricity generated is now higher than the cost of generating the same unit."—Thomas N. McCarter, President, Edison Electric Institute.

Who Are the "Conservatives?"

The true Conservatives are the silent majority who have made America. They do not sing their own praises on the platform, calling attention to the nobility and purity of their purposes. They do not croon sweet nothings over the radio, and expose their hearts beating beatifically and rhythmically for the poor and the oppressed. But they help them; they give their own and not others' money; they live sanely; they spend wisely; they save, and invest in America and its future, thereby developing industries and creating jobs. They do not want a continuance of buccaneering, for they too, have at times been looted, but they want reform by orderly process of law and not by the decrees of bureaucrats. They want no boring from within on the Constitution, but such amendments as the times and conditions call for, made by the methods duly provided. They are no more hard-hearted than the New Dealers, but they are not being paid to spend, and are not spending other people's money—they are being slowly taxed to death by the spenders. Yet they have been and still are giving freely from what the taxpayer leaves them—to help the poor, to support friends, relatives and dependents, and to carry on the work of hospitals and charitable institutions. All propaganda to the contrary, they are not for child labor, for sweatshops, for starvation wages or for starving the unemployed. In short, Conservatives want to conserve the good and to eliminate the bad by orderly and pragmatic methods.

—Saturday Evening Post, February 9, 1935.

CHURCH
NEWS

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Harold L. Creager

Next Sunday evening we shall conduct an open forum discussion on "Life After Death." This subject has been brought to popular attention in a special way by recent newspaper reports of a man who says he was in heaven for a few minutes when his heart stopped beating during an operation. With that as a starting point, we shall talk informally on whatever phases of the subject prove to be of interest.

The sermon theme in the morning worship will be on a special phase of the same topic, "The Christian View of Death."

Bible study hour on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

"Mind" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 24.

The Golden Text is: "Behold, the fear of the Lord, that is wisdom; and to depart from evil is understanding" (Job 28:28).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty; for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine; thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head above all" (1 Chronicles 29:11).

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: "We lose the high significance of omnipotence, when after admitting

that God, or good, is omnipresent and has all-power, we still believe there is another power, named evil" (p. 469).

WIVES OF EX-PRESIDENTS

Gossip is to the effect that Mrs. Calvin Coolidge may re-wed. She is attractive and lovely. Her close friends deny the stories. Mrs. Grover Cleveland married the second time, but she is always known as "the wife of Cleveland." Benjamin Harrison's second wife remains a widow.

Mrs. Taft lives quietly in Washington, goes out some, but is self-effacing.

Mrs. Wilson has a few more wrinkles and more gray hair. She has recently "taken to the air," and declares her love for aviation. Washington is her home and she is sometimes spoken of as "the only woman who ever was President."

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt lives quietly at Oyster Bay, New York.

Maybe we couldn't ride as fast when we had the horse and buggy, but at least the horse knew what he was doing.

that God, or good, is omnipresent and has all-power, we still believe there is another power, named evil" (p. 469).

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Lockett, Pastor

Services for Sunday, February 24, 10:00 a.m., Bible School. Secretary James Weart provided the classes with a report of their attendance with comparative figures of last year. In most instances the reports showed a decided gain both in attendance in the Bible School and those attending the Morning Worship. The teachers as well as the scholars appreciated this information and thoughtfulness of the secretary.

11:15 a.m., Morning Worship. The subject for Pastor Lockett's sermon will be "The Message of Comfort." Selections will be rendered by both the Junior and Senior Choirs.

6:45 p.m., B.Y.P.U. An invitation is extended to all the young people without church affiliations to join in this hour of devotion and fellowship.

7:45 p.m., Evening Worship. Inspirational song service of fifteen minutes followed by sermon by the pastor, the subject being "They Followed Jesus."

Wednesday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock regular Junior Choir rehearsal and the Junior B.Y.P.U. meeting.

In the evening at 8 o'clock, the mid-week prayer service.

On Friday evening the Philathea, Jr., Philathea and Samaritan classes will be the guests of the Baraca class in the social hall. Much preparation is being made to make this a most enjoyable affair. The members of these classes are urgently asked to be present.

THE FIVE AGES OF MAN

"Daddy, I know how to do everything," said the little boy of five.

"What I don't know isn't worth knowing," said the young man of twenty.

"Well, anyway, I do know my own trade from A to Z," said the man of thirty-five.

"There are few matters, I am sorry to say, that I am really quite sure about," said the man of fifty.

"I have learned a bit, but not much, since I was born; but knowledge is so vast that one can not become wise in a short lifetime," said the man of sixty-five.—Selected.

The piano, it is announced, is now fighting for its life in the American home. And one we heard the other night was taking a terrible beating. —N. Y. Evening Post.

Of course these are lean years. More people are leaning on the government than ever before.

ALMANAC

Who to his friends his money lends, may lose his money and his friends.

FEBRUARY

26—First U.S. lighthouse built off Virginia coast, 1792.

27—Congress assumes control of District of Columbia, 1801.

28—Republican Party founded at Ripon, Wisconsin, 1854.

MARCH

1—Yellowstone established as a national park, 1872.

2—Avalanche at Wellington, Wash., kills 100, 1910.

3—Congress orders Capitol building lit with gas, 1897.

4—Horlick invents his famous malted milk, 1882. eww

Church Notices

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL

Riverton, N. J.
Rev. Francis B. Downs, Th.B., Rector

February 24, 1935

7:30 Holy Communion
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Prayer and Sermon
8:00 Choral Evensong and Prayer

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN

Charles T. Bates, D.D.

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Church School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Midweek Service, Wednesday 8:00 o'clock.

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Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m.

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.

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EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH

Rev. Ira S. Pimm, Minister

9:50 a.m.—Wesleyan Men's Bible Class

10:00 a.m.—Church School

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

6:45 p.m.—Epworth League

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.—The Helpful Hour

Wednesday, 4:00 p.m.—Junior Epworth League

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FEBRUARY IS BOY SCOUT MONTH

Twenty-fifth Anniversary Being Intensively Celebrated In County

Celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America is being intensively observed throughout February by all Scout troops in Burlington County. Starting with the nation-wide broadcast of its Honorary President, Franklin D. Roosevelt, a special week of events has followed. Governor Harold G. Hoffman has sent the following letter to the county council:

"To the Boy Scouts of America, celebrating their 25th anniversary, on behalf of the citizens of New Jersey, I wish to extend our sincere wishes for a successful program."

"The organization, since their incorporation in 1910, has become one of the most altruistic movements towards the betterment of humanity, and the creation of a sterling up-right citizenry."

"There is no phase of our national life more important than character development in our youth, and you, the national officers and the members of the executive board, are contributing to the history of our country's most noble chapters."

"Yours is divine work, and I hope that there will come, in the days ahead, an augmented inspiration to carry on."

Senator Warren Barbour made the following statement in connection with the anniversary celebration:

"The Boy Scout movement which had its inception twenty-five years ago has contributed in a definite and positive way to the character building of American citizens and to the perpetuation of those principles upon which the nation was founded."

"The Boy Scout movement is an integral and invaluable phase of our national life. It should be supported by every man and woman in the nation in a generous and unstinting way."

Scouts, Scoutmasters and Scouters of Burlington County joined in a farewell tribute to Scout Executive M. A. Shaw on February 12, when a testimonial dinner in his honor was attended by some forty men with whom Mr. Shaw has been closely associated during his five years in Burlington County. The dinner was held at the Moorestown Field Club with E. A. Mehlman as toastmaster. Mr. Shaw leaves to take up a new post at Rome, N. Y. He will be succeeded by George Darlington, of Herkimer, N. Y.

Oppose Change in Taxing Method

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Borough Organization—
MacCullagh & Quigley Co., 8 3.00
1924 N. J. Session
New Jersey State League of Municipalities, 1935 subscription 35.00
C. Kenneth Davis, clerk hire and stamps 37.00
Borough Property (1934 Reserve)—
Edward K. Tryon, soccer ball 7.50
Fire and Water—
John Carhart, tel. Jan., Feb. 6.00
Lewis W. Sharp, repairs to siren 7.00
Garbage—
John Driedick, salary for February Highway—
Robert H. Cleveland, snow plow and chains 21.00
Robert H. Cleveland, sal. February 50.00
Clinton B. Woolston, repairs and chains 10.80
J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., supplies 33.30
E. Collins & Son, Inc., bolts 11.50
Bill Brown, work on sea wall 78.40
Lighting—
Public Service Electric and Gas Current 204.92
Gas 248.55
Police—
William Gootee, sal., February 138.00
John W. Carhart, sal., February 128.00
Robert Wright, special duty 52.00
William Thompson, special duty 184.00
N. J. Bell Telephone Company
No. 57 January 5.55
No. 57 February 5.55
Clinton B. Woolston, oil and gas 124.00
Maryland Casualty Co., insurance police car, fire and theft 7.81
Lamb Brothers, ledger 2.32
William Gootee, stamps and cabinet 8.69
Frank J. Holrick, hospital and doctor's bills 150.00 and 865.00
Printing—
Walter J. Bowen, advertising 58.00
Keystone Blue Paper Co., maps 7.80
Shade Tree—
J. A. Pock, tree surgery 361.00
Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Co.—
1932 Tax Revenue Note 5,000.00
1933 Tax Revenue Note 5,000.00
Joseph S. Bright, County Treasurer—
First quarter Emergency Relief—
Treasurer State of New Jersey Jan. 675, Feb. 673 146.00
Daniel M. Clifton—
Cash on hand 260.00

The Jews spend at Easter, the Moors at marriage, and the Christians in suits of law.—Italian.

RUSSIAN TO TALK IN PHILADELPHIA

"The Power Behind this Changing World" will be the subject of a talk given by Madame Gita Barry-Orlova, of New York City, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the St. James Hotel, Philadelphia.

Madame Orlova, an American-born Russian whose husband and estate was lost in the revolution, is a well known lecturer, author and dramatic teacher. She was educated in London and Paris and has a wide diplomatic experience. Mme. Orlova was a member of the Imperial Court and during the World War was decorated by both the Czar and the Czarina for her services as a surgical nurse. On numerous occasions she executed dangerous service as a special secret messenger for the Czar to the Allies. Mme. Orlova has been conducting a series of lectures in New York City and will stop in Philadelphia en route to Washington, D. C. for a lecture engagement.

The Baha'i Community of Philadelphia extends a cordial invitation to the public. Free admission and no collection.

Mike Murmurs

By William Cooper, Jr.

Not long ago a British freighter rammed and sank a ferry boat in the Delaware off the Pennsylvania R.R. ferries. Station WIP got the flash from the Wilson Line, whose ship participated in the rescue, and immediately secured permission from the P.R.R. to air from the ferry slip. Within an hour after the mishap the station announced on the air with a vivid word picture of the accident and the efforts to save the ferry boat from its last plunge into Davy Jones locker.

DID YOU KNOW: that Franklin Lamb, vice proxy of WIP, has resigned his job to take over the sales department of WINS in New York? Replacing him at the Gimbel Station is A. A. Cormier, formerly vice prez of WOR . . . that Billy Hayes is rehearsing a new orchestra in the auditorium of Radio Center at 22nd and Walnut streets . . . Lou Herscher, composer of the famous ditty "Dream Daddy," has just completed another tune titled "Just a Waste of Tears." Working with him on this song were Frank Capano and Clark Van Ness . . . WTEL's Shenandoah Mountaineers are hitting it high if fan mail means anything because they pull down plenty of that. Even "Bosny, the cow" received a fan letter . . . The newest sensation in musical circles in Philly is that given to the public by Jan Savitt, CBS WCAU maestro, in the form of a new style of dancipation . . . Mrs. Benedict Gimbel, WIP prez, is planning an elaborate affair for advertisers and agency men to precede the opening of the new studios on March 18th . . . The RCA publication, "Broadcast News," is featuring a story of the rise to fame of WPN's S. S. All in Fun. If you want to find out about different personalities on this show it would be well worth your while to get a copy . . . Two of WIP's shows have folded in the past week. They are the Gimbel's Boys' Club and the Adventurers Club. Collapse is due to the expense of running them as sustainers . . . Amateur Nights at the Earle Theater are drawing thousands, of people there the turnstiles. And why shouldn't they? It is a chance to witness an actual broadcast over WDAF and an entire show for one admission price . . . The swankiest of the swank will be heard in the near future when the Junior League goes airing over KYW . . . Rumors state that when WFL gets into new quarters it will also have on its payroll a 15 piece house band; something for the place stations to shoot at . . . Jerry Crowley not doing publicity at the Arcadia . . . Ted Hale WIP staff pianist leaving Pioneer Voice piano band to pound the ivories for Jack Griffin and his ork on a vaudeville tour . . . Listen for Gabowitz and Sodofoff and their twenty nimble fingers at two pianos over WCAU every Tuesday at 10:30 p.m. . . WPN's "Laugh Roundup" is leaving Billy Penn Auditorium to play an engagement at Pierre's Roof, where its aircast will

LOCKETT SPEAKS ABOUT LINCOLN

Tells Rotarians Sources of Power of the Great Emancipator

Abraham Lincoln's greatness is founded on three things, said the Rev. George B. Lockett, who addressed his fellow Rotarians on the great Emancipator last Thursday; they are a gift of language, a mastery of men, and the fact that Lincoln was a war president. The first two he received as an inheritance from a father who did not amount to much, and a mother who, while of a higher type than her husband, died too early to have a pronounced influence on her son. The remarkable effect of a step-mother's vibrant personality on a responsive lad, prepared him to lead the nation.

Lincoln, said "Bishop" Lockett, was our greatest natural orator. In his judgment, the second inaugural address, carved on the wall of the Lincoln Memorial at Washington, is inspired in much the same way as are the Psalms; it is the greatest speech ever made on this continent. The familiar Gettysburg address has spread throughout the English speaking world, while the oration of Edward Everett, brilliant, but less inspired, has been filed away with history books that describe the memorial celebration. Lincoln was a master of humor, and skilled in the use of short, pointed words, the kind that hold the attention of a large audience. His powers were the more remarkable because of his rather poor voice, a defect his genius was able to overcome.

Lincoln was a leader who won over the ablest of his enemies, so that one of the most bitter exclaimers at the moment of his death, "Now he belongs to the Ages." Four of his seven-man cabinet were Democrats, several had been actively opposed to his election. All looked down on him, but grew to realize that his mental and spiritual stature was far above theirs, as was his physical. He led because his true worth soon became manifest to those who worked with him.

The country was at the crossroads when Lincoln began his term, he guided it well, only to fall at the hour of victory. He should have been spared to perform the great work of reconciliation, that prolonged the evils of the Civil War. Rotarians were united in the feeling that Mr. Lockett had done the unusual, in taking a much talked about subject and injecting into it new life, through a refreshingly different point of view. His efforts were much appreciated.

entertain during dinner hour 6.00 to 6.00 . . . After writing for a number of years music which is pleasant to the ear and Andrew and Frank Black along with Frank Capano, noted song publisher, have stepped into the limelight with a new tune tagged "Who'll Take Your Place, (When You're Gone)?"

The new studios of WIP which are scheduled to open the middle of March with a big splurge are sure going to be some swank set of studios. All done in the very latest of modernistic design and so arranged that visitors will be able to see aircasts in any one of them, they involve some very interesting features.

Rambling down to Music Row the other day we met a tall, dark and handsome gent by the name of Paul Valentino. Paul used to sing over WCAU, WIP and other stations in the Quaker City. Along with his parents he runs a hairdressing establishment way out on Chestnut street, and also sings at the Manufacturers and Bankers Club. Paul has done bits of light opera and enjoys singing the semi-classics. If you ever get a chance to hear him don't miss it because it will be well worth your while.

A man touring Europe sent back a picture postcard bearing this message:

"Dear Son: On the other side you will see a picture of the rock from which the Spartans used to throw their defective children. Wish you were here. Your Dad."—Gas and Electric News, Rochester.

POWELL FIGHTS FOR LOWER RATES

Denied By Public Utility Commission, Plans Appeal to Washington

Howard E. Powell, of Palmyra, who has for months been endeavoring to get better rates from the water company for private consumers and the elimination of the service charge, has received the following letter from the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities Commissioners:

State of New Jersey
Board of
Public Utility Commissioners
Trenton

February 5, 1935.
Mr. H. E. Powell
261 West Broad Street
Palmyra, New Jersey

Dear Sir:
Attention has been given petition submitted by you, containing the signatures of a number of taxpayers of Palmyra requesting the Board to require a substantial reduction in rates of the Riverton-Palmyra Water Company and to eliminate the annual service charge.

This schedule of rates was allowed by this Board to become effective with bills for the period commencing October 1, 1927.

A careful review of the company's property has been made by the Board's Engineers correcting the appraisal of January 1927 and adding thereto certain items which represent capital additions. In the opinion of the Board's Engineers, the tentative value found for rate making purposes based upon reproduction less depreciation is found to be \$357,800.

The study shows that the average gross revenues for the past three years is \$73,433, whereas the total revenue requirements for an adequate rate of return is given as \$73,490.

An investigation was made of the rates of this Company by the Board's Engineers in 1933 on the complaint of the Mayor of Riverton. This investigation indicated that at no time during the five year period prior to 1933 was an excessive return enjoyed by the Company. The contention is still, in the opinion of the Board's Engineers, proper in that there were no new facts which would support a reduction in rates at this time.

Very truly yours,
E. T. Drew,
Secretary.

To this letter Mr. Powell replied on February 8 calling the attention of the board to the fact that the installation of a large number of private water plants in the homes of erstwhile patrons of the local company is sufficient proof that the rates are considered excessive.

Mr. Powell states that he is not satisfied to accept the decision of the Utilities Commission as final, and that he will appeal direct to the Government at Washington.

One out of every four persons is on the government rolls, and it looks as though two out of the other three voted to get on.

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This will go down as the brass age. People have brass enough to ask Uncle Sam for anything.—Atlanta Constitution.

CINNAMINSON P. T. A.

Founders Day meeting and business session of the Cinnaminson PTA were held this week.

On the twenty-seventh Miss Bryan and the study class will consider the question, "What Do Children Expect of Parents?" as logically following last week's talk upon, "What Do Parents Expect of Children?" at eight o'clock in the auditorium.

The next lecture will be given March twenty by Dr. E. Newbold Cooper, of Girard College, Pa.

Publicity.

RULE TO BAR CREDITORS
Estate of Anna Scott, Dec'd.
Notice is hereby given that an order has been made by the Surrogate of the County of Burlington, bearing date the 11th day of February, 1935, upon application of the subscriber, Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company of Riverton, New Jersey, requiring the creditors of Anna Scott, late of the County of Burlington, deceased, to bring in their claims against the estate of the said deceased, under oath or affirmation, on or before August 11th, 1935, or they will be barred of any action thereafter against the said Executor.

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THE "NEW DEAL"

BY JULIAN MASON

Vice President National Republican Builders

The Lincoln's Birthday oratory this year contained and conveyed an unusual amount of Republican emotional faith.

At the party gathering in New York, where Mr. Hoover spoke, this was markedly noticeable. It seemed to me rather unfortunate that Mr. Hoover had to speak. It might have looked, just as did his recent magazine articles and book, as if he were presenting himself again as a Republican nominee for the Presidency. Which would, in my opinion, be a regrettable event.

However, when an ex-President of the United States, still the titular leader of the Republican party, happened to be in New York at a Lincoln's Birthday dinner of the National Republican Club (of which he is a member) his presence at the dinner was a natural, necessary and fitting happening. Had Col. Theodore Roosevelt, as President of the club, listened to some of the younger "liberals" and failed to invite Mr. Hoover, he would, I think, have been guilty of an unpardonable affront to a great American figure. Col. Theodore Roosevelt declined to be so yellow.

As it turned out, the result abundantly repaid him. The applause that greeted Mr. Hoover, as he rose to speak, was electric in its spontaneity. It rose and fell and rose again. For two full minutes the diners clapped and whistled and stamped and cheered. There have been many an official, pulmotored, "demonstration" at a National Convention that have gone but half as long. The ex-President seemed as surprised as anyone in the hall and deeply touched.

Perhaps it was this opening moment of emotion that gave Mr. Hoover an unusual surety and delicacy of touch. He had not committed the mistake of preparing and reading one of those long, intricate addresses that used to discourage us so in the last Presidential campaign. The fact seemed to give him some of the appealing humbleness of the man on whose undying anniversary he spoke. He spoke briefly, thoughtfully, clearly, and, above all, spiritually.

And the burden of his message was this: "Lincoln was a great liberal. He believed passionately that Americans should be the masters of the state and not the pawns of the state. He believed that in the conception of personal liberty as the basis of society. He believed that it was only through its release of the human spirit that human happiness and human progress were possible. Lincoln believed that 'white changes' were inevitable to meet the shifting scenes and problems of the day, those changes should be in method and not in principle."

"He held the abiding spiritual truth that all individual and national security must rest upon the orderly processes of constitutional self-government. In his own words: 'A majority held in restraint by constitutional checks and limitations, is the only true sovereign of a free people.' Thus his faith was based upon the solid foundations of freedom of the human spirit, which had been America's translation into government."

"This provides us with our text for today. Whatever violates, infringes or abrogates fundamental American liberty violates the principle of America as a nation. So, I feel, Lincoln would judge and express in illuminating phrases were he with us tonight."

Pretty fine, wasn't it? Mr. Hoover got away from his former dogmatism. A year ago, his friends reported that he had said that all the Republican party needed for a rallying cry was "Sound Money and the Bill of Rights!"

But, this week, like many of the rest of us, the ex-President seemed to have learned that in the assault upon America, now being conducted by Franklin Roosevelt, there are far deeper spiritual values.

And, when political issues enter into the field of the spirit, they are the things upon which swing the

changes of nations and the fates of peoples.

It was an extraordinary emotional experience to go under the spell of the speech of Mr. Hoover and of the speeches of Colonel Roosevelt and President Glenn Frank, of the University of Wisconsin. All three had, in them, to a greater or less degree, the mystic quality of Faith, which has been so absent so long from Republican councils.

Oddly enough, as the world's misunderstanding goes, I have found, right along, this quality in the speeches of Ogden Mills. Certainly, Mr. Mills, from the start, glimpsed the fundamental fact, which Mr. Hoover emphasized, that opposition to regimentation, whether royal, clerical or economic, is, and always has been (since the birth of the word) the truest definition of "liberalism."

It was a strange coincidence that on the very evening when Mr. Hoover, the "reactionary," was delivering this surprising moving appeal to the Republican party's traditional liberalism, Chase Mellen, Jr., the young New York county chairman, who has made himself a national leader of young, so-called "liberal" Republicanism, was preaching in a speech at Watertown, Conn., this gospel of despair:

"The party today is like the Whigs of 1854. It has grown soft. It has lost its militancy because of an abundance of success. The leaders have lost contact with the men in the street, with the men and women in the fields, with the countless thousands in factories, shops, offices and in the highways and byways of the land. They have forgotten the political creed of Lincoln."

I do not think that the party has "grown soft." Nor do I think that it is affected by any "abundance of success." What is affecting it now is its "abundance" of failure.

Mr. Mellen is a young man to be reckoned with. As I said in this series of articles last week, he, too, merely a county chairman, has established a national forum to debate the future of the Republican party.

Yet, I feel, and feel very deeply, that he and his "young" Republicans have in their uprising no impulse beyond that of the simple natural law that "youth must be served." They want, and should have (as they win it) greater representation in party power.

But when they begin to talk about party "principles," they seem to me absolutely to lack vision. They don't "feel," as Lincoln felt, or as "T.R." felt. They don't have time to care about things of the spirit. They're "on their way" to physical power, and that's what they want.

I believe that the Lincoln's Birthday speech, even so inept a speaker as Mr. Hoover, will eventually prove to be a greater force upon the fate of the Republican party and the United States of America, than anything that any young Republican has produced to date.

Mr. Hoover went back to the heart and soul of the man who Spiritualized Republicanism—Abraham Lincoln.

Injustice

Jones: So many people are struck by automobiles while alighting from trolleys.

Frolley Official: Well, yes, but those people have paid their fares; it's this running over people who are waiting to get on that gets our goat!

Like to Be Sure They're Wanted "Can't something be done for that ship in distress?" asked an old lady at the seaside.

"It's all right, mam. We sent a line to the crew to come ashore," said the surferman.

Old Lady (excitedly): "Good gracious! Must they have a formal invitation?"—Bristol Messenger.

"Since Howard lost all his money, half his friends don't know him anymore."

"What about the other half?"

"They haven't found out that he lost it."—Exchange.

CURIOUS BLUNDERS MADE BY CHILDREN

Interesting Collection of Odd Ideas Received in the Schoolroom

Curious blunders made by public school children in examination papers throw an interesting sidelight on their impressions and mental processes.

"A blizzard is the inside of a hen." "Gravitation is that which if there were none we should all fly away." "Tennyson wrote 'In Memorandum'."

"The President takes the yoke of office." "The organs of desperation are the lungs and the diaphragm."

"A telephone is a kind of lone wire with a spout at each end." "The settlers gave a Thanksgiving dinner to the Indians for their kindness and to the Lord for fair water. They kept up their festivities for three whole days, eating all the time. A party of sixty Indians came rolling their ware whoops down the hill."

"A ruminating animal is one that chews its cubs."

"Benjamin Franklin produced electricity by rubbing cats backwards."

"In them days people lived on corn like horses do now. They always called pudden and porridge messes. Jacob could eat a good mess, but Esau who was the oldest could not eat as much as you might think."

"To kill a butterfly you pinch its borax."

"The blood vessels are the veins, arteries and arterities."

"The Constitution of the United

States was established to insure domestic hostility."

"Blood flows through the alimentary canal to the abdominal canopy (cavity)."

"The cow has a pulse as well as anybody else, but you cannot feel it at the wrist."

"Louis XVI was gelatines during the French revolution."

"James I died of argue."

"Algebraic symbols are used when we don't know what you are talking about."

"Name six animals of the Arctic zone?—Three polar bears and three seals."

When it looked like Uncle Sam would join the World Court, the brass band at Geneva started to practice playing: "Santa Claus is coming to Town." But since the Senate got in its work, the band has started rehearsing: "What'll We Do When the Rent Comes Around?"

A Morris County culprit faced the bar of justice.

"Jones," said the judge, "your first wife tells me you are three months behind with your alimony."

"I reckon that's right, judge," admitted Jones. "You see, it's this way. That second wife of mine ain't turned out to be the worker I thought she was goin' to be."

When one considers all the relief agencies and government bureaus functioning, one is tempted to agree with the farmer who said that there was too much harness and too little horse.—Scandia Journal.

Remembering the thriftiness of old Ben, we sometimes wonder where our President got that name Franklin.—American Lumberman.

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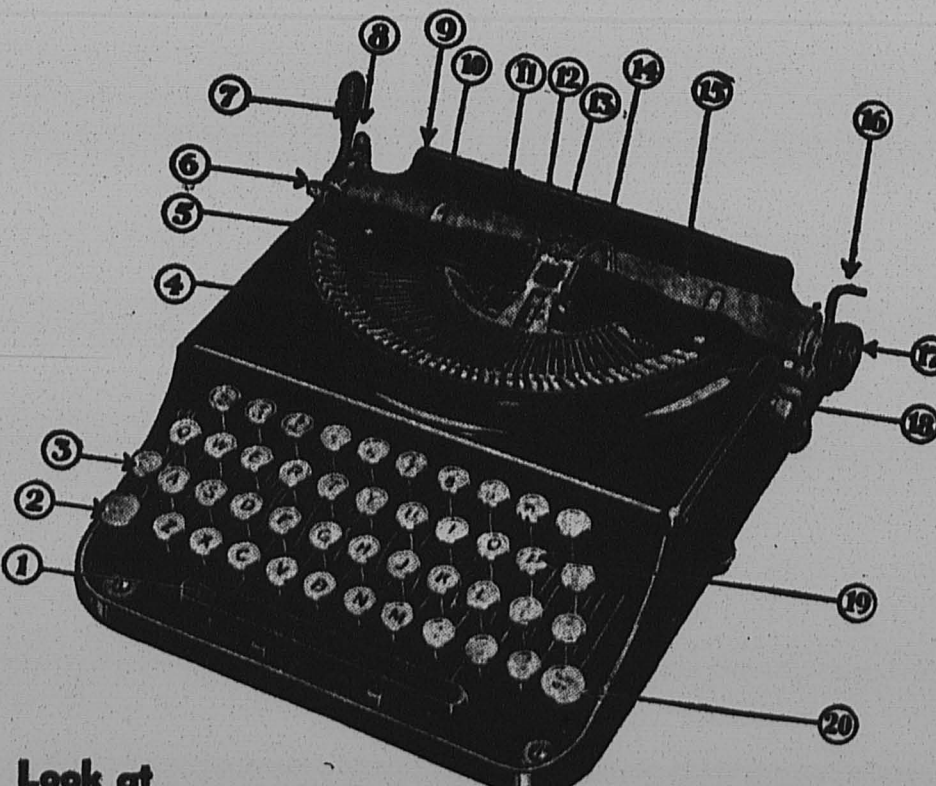
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DELANCO BRIDGE PAYMENT HELD UP

Freeholders Await Engineers' Report Before Passing \$26,744.94 Bill

Upon the advice of the inspecting engineers, Ash, Howard, Needles and Tatum, an estimated payment of \$26,744.94 due the Kolyn Construction Company, a part payment for construction of the Riverside-Delanco bridge was passed for payment subject to approval of the inspecting engineers, by the Freeholders last Friday afternoon in an adjourned meeting.

The inspecting engineers were appointed recently by the majority members of the Board of Chosen Freeholders at the time the Bridge Weld Corporation was dismissed as consulting engineers for the county. Freeholder Jones stated that the new engineers had advised him not to approve any further payments until they had completed their inspection for quantities against the contract, etc.

Freeholder Jones also stated that the PWA engineer on the project suggested the same thing.

Director Adams asked Mr. Kolyn if he could get along without the payment until the next meeting of the Board which would be February 26th. Mr. Kolyn stated that payment had already been postponed once and that he would like to have it at this time.

Freeholder Jones stated that the inspecting engineers must have some reason for advising the board to withhold payment and suggested that there was no use of having inspecting engineers if the Board was unwilling to accept their recommendations.

Freeholder Stout stated that this was not the last payment to be made and suggested that adjustments if any as a result of the inspecting engineers' findings could be made in subsequent payments.

The matter was finally settled by approval of the bill for payment pending the report of the inspecting engineers' report which is expected within a few days.

A resolution was introduced by Freeholder Jones that all county employees who received, had the custody of or payment of county funds be bonded and where it is not prescribed by law for the bonds to be filed elsewhere that they shall be recorded in the office of the county clerk. The resolution passed unanimously pending an opinion from the solicitor.

A certified copy of a court order by Hon. Judge Perkaie of the Quarter Session Court was read by the clerk. The order provided a raise in salary from \$500 to \$900 for the clerk of the grand jury, Ralph W. Haines. The order was received and filed.

A communication was read by the clerk from the treasurer of the Zurburg Hospital, Riverside, in which he referred to an article in a Riverside newspaper which was apparently a misunderstanding concerning the county appropriation of \$10,000. The fact of the case is that the Freeholders originally planned to appropriate \$15,000 to the hospital in consideration of its being open all of 1935. However, the hospital authorities found that they would not be able to open except for a part of 1935, and the appropriation from the county was therefore cut to \$10,000.

A letter was read addressed to the Construction Company from one of its sub-contractors, the American Bridge Company, in which they stated that a new application for electrical service with Public Service would have to be made. The new bridge construction calls for electrical power from the Riverside end of the bridge rather than the Delanco side, as heretofore.

A copy of a resolution adopted by Burlington City Council and sent to the Board of Freeholders was read by the clerk. The resolution empowered the city clerk to write Senator Powell and Assemblyman Newcomb asking that legislation be enacted changing the present system of taxing personal property.

The objection raised about the present system was that in lieu of the personal property tax the Public Service Corporation of Burlington was receiving a gross receipts tax, which is yielding the City less than it would receive if it were re-

That you may enjoy ham better, know its variety of uses, its economy and its ready convenience, I shall endeavor to tell you something about it today. Ham is delicious, hot or cold, and is a splendid food during the whole year—being especially popular in summer months, its ease of preparation gives it a prominent place on the menu, and during the winter, what is more tempting than a savory ham shank or roast? An actively garnished ham vies with the most distinctive meat dish you can serve, and on the other hand, it is a favorite with the thrifty homemaker, because of its economy. Today, suppose I give you some recipes for left-over ham.

HAM CANAPE
1 cupful minced cooked ham
1 chopped sweet pickle
1 hard cooked egg—chopped
6 stuffed olives
6 slices bread

Cut bread in rounds with cookie cutter. Toast and butter it. Mix ham with all ingredients except olives. Spread mixture on toast, garnish with a border of finely chopped olives and a piece of green or red pepper cut in fancy shapes in center.

CURRIED HAM ON TOAST
1 cupful minced cooked ham
1/2 teaspoonful curry powder
1/2 cupful white sauce
1 hard cooked egg—chopped fine
Mix all ingredients together and serve very hot on buttered toast. Garnish with minced parsley.

FRIED CORNMEAL MUSH AND HAM
1 qt. boiling water
1/2 teaspoonful salt
1/2 cupful cold water
1 cupful cornmeal
3/4 cupful cooked diced ham
Stir cold water into cornmeal to prevent it from lumping. When stirred into boiling water, stir five minutes over direct heat. Remove place over hot water, cover and cook one hour. Add ham, pour into small greased bread pan and chill. Slice thin and fry.

HAM CROQUETTES
2 cupfuls finely chopped cooked ham
3 egg yolks
2 tablespoonfuls butter
2 cupfuls mashed potatoes
2 tablespoonfuls cream
Dash of cayenne
Combine finely chopped ham and mashed potatoes. Then add cream, butter and the yolks of two eggs, well beaten. Beat all together until smooth, then add a dash of cayenne. Mold mixture into pyramid shapes. Roll in the remaining beaten egg, then in bread crumbs and fry in deep fat at a temperature of 380 degrees F. for about two minutes.

quired to pay a personal property tax based on the same rate that similar property is taxed in the same district.

Another objection was that the city pays a state and county tax based upon the personal property, and yet receives in taxes from Public Service an amount less than their proportion of personal property would yield.

The resolution was received and filed.

The report of the county fire marshal, William J. Smith, was received and filed with the press given the opportunity to look it over.

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Short-cuts to the Dinner Table

BY VERA A. SCHNEIDER

That you may enjoy ham better, know its variety of uses, its economy and its ready convenience, I shall endeavor to tell you something about it today. Ham is delicious, hot or cold, and is a splendid food during the whole year—being especially popular in summer months, its ease of preparation gives it a prominent place on the menu, and during the winter, what is more tempting than a savory ham shank or roast? An actively garnished ham vies with the most distinctive meat dish you can serve, and on the other hand, it is a favorite with the thrifty homemaker, because of its economy. Today, suppose I give you some recipes for left-over ham.

HAM CANAPE
1 cupful minced cooked ham
1 chopped sweet pickle
1 hard cooked egg—chopped
6 stuffed olives
6 slices bread

Cut bread in rounds with cookie cutter. Toast and butter it. Mix ham with all ingredients except olives. Spread mixture on toast, garnish with a border of finely chopped olives and a piece of green or red pepper cut in fancy shapes in center.

CURRIED HAM ON TOAST
1 cupful minced cooked ham
1/2 teaspoonful curry powder
1/2 cupful white sauce
1 hard cooked egg—chopped fine
Mix all ingredients together and serve very hot on buttered toast. Garnish with minced parsley.

FRIED CORNMEAL MUSH AND HAM
1 qt. boiling water
1/2 teaspoonful salt
1/2 cupful cold water
1 cupful cornmeal
3/4 cupful cooked diced ham
Stir cold water into cornmeal to prevent it from lumping. When stirred into boiling water, stir five minutes over direct heat. Remove place over hot water, cover and cook one hour. Add ham, pour into small greased bread pan and chill. Slice thin and fry.

HAM CROQUETTES
2 cupfuls finely chopped cooked ham
3 egg yolks
2 tablespoonfuls butter
2 cupfuls mashed potatoes
2 tablespoonfuls cream
Dash of cayenne
Combine finely chopped ham and mashed potatoes. Then add cream, butter and the yolks of two eggs, well beaten. Beat all together until smooth, then add a dash of cayenne. Mold mixture into pyramid shapes. Roll in the remaining beaten egg, then in bread crumbs and fry in deep fat at a temperature of 380 degrees F. for about two minutes.

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SHORT-WAVE MUSINGS

BY O. M. "C. W."

On Tuesday, February 26, at the home of Buddy DeLaney, 607 Thos. avenue, Riverton, there will be held a meeting open to all interested in radio. It is the purpose and aim of this meeting to form some sort of a tangible organization of "Hams" and "Fans". The meeting is called for EIGHT o'clock.

THE HISTORY OF AMATEUR RADIO

From Radio Amateur's Handbook (Courtesy of American Radio Relay League)

Few amateurs today realize that the war not only marked the close of the first phase of amateur development but came very near marking its end for all time. The fate of amateur radio was in the balance in the days immediately following declaration of the Armistice, in 1918. The government, having had a taste of supreme authority over all communications in wartime, was more than half inclined to keep it; indeed, the war had not been ended a month before Congress was considering legislation that would have made it impossible for the amateur radio of old to be resumed. President Maxim rushed to Washington, pleaded, argued; the bill was defeated.

But there was still no amateur radio; the war ban continued in effect. Repeated representations to Washington met only with silence; it was to be nearly a year before licenses were again to be issued.

In the meantime, however, there was much to be done. Three-fourths of the former amateurs had gone to France; many of them would never come back. What of those who had returned? Would they be interested, now, in such things as amateur radio; could they be brought back to help rebuild the League? Mr. Maxim determined to find out and called a meeting of such members of the old Board of Directors as he could locate. Eleven men, several still in uniform, met in New York and took stock of the situation. It wasn't very encouraging; amateur radio still banned by law, former members of the League scattered no one knew where, no League, no membership, no funds. But those eleven men financed the publication of a notice to all of those white parrots in his Columbia garden and saw the word "Patented" imprinted, he might be justified in assuming with certainty that it was edible and not a toadstool. The childhood belief that a poisonous variety when cooked would blacken a silver spoon is said not to be reliable.

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These developments had an inevitable result. Watching DX came to represent 1,000 miles, then 1,500, and then 2,000, amateurs wondered about that ole debbil ocean. Could we get across? We knew now that there were amateurs abroad. We knew, too, that their listening work, their signals was still fruitless, but there was a justifiable suspicion that their unfamiliarity with 200-meter equipment had something to do with it. So in December, 1921, the A.R.R.L. sent abroad one of our most prominent amateurs, Paul Godley, with the best amateur receiving equipment available. Tests were run, and thirty American amateur stations were heard in Europe! The news electrified the amateur world. In 1922 another trans-Atlantic test was carried out; this time 315 American calls were logged by European amateurs, one French and two British stations were heard on this side.

Everything now was centered on one objective: two-way communication across the Atlantic by amateur radio! It must be possible—but somehow we couldn't quite make it. Further increases in power were out of the question; many amateurs were using the legal maximum of one kilowatt. Better receivers? We already had the superheterodyne; it didn't seem possible to make any great advance in that direction.

(continued next week)

TIPS ON GROWING

BY ONE WHO GREW UP IN THE BUSINESS

The Amazon Lily (Eucharis Amazonica), is a lily-like plant of bulbous habit for the conservatory or living room where a high moist temperature can be maintained.

It bears waxy, fragrant, pure white flowers formed somewhat like a Daffodil bloom, on stems 15 to 24 inches high, arising from Calla-like leaves. Plants usually bloom in early spring, but they may produce two or even three crops of flowers a year. Fine for cutting. The best soil is a rich loam with the addition of some leaf mold or peat and some coarse sand.

After flowering the plants should be rested for several weeks by applying less water and keeping in a cool temperature but at no time should they be allowed to become just dry. The flowers are borne in umbels of four to six blooms—sometimes as much as four inches across. If kept growing the plants will make quite a lot of foliage but at the expense of flowers.

Eucharis belong to the Amaryllis family and the word is derived from the Greek meaning very graceful. Most species of Eucharis come from Columbia. Insects such as thrips or mealy bug can be controlled by thorough syringing.

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WESLEYANS AND ARTISANS WINNERS

Championship Series Planned With Victors of Burlington City League

Standing of the Teams		
W	L	PC
Wesleyans	10	2 .833
Artisans	10	2 .822
5 and 10	7	5 .583
Pal-River	5	7 .416
K. of C.	4	8 .333
Tak-About	2	10 .166

Next Week's Games

Pal-River vs. Artisans at 7:30 K. of C. vs. Wesleyans at 8:30 5 and 10 vs. Tak-About at 9:30 The Wesleyans and Artisans continued to divide honors for first place in the local basketball league last night by defeating their opponents, making it ten wins each. The league enjoyed a good attendance this week and all three games were interesting. Between halves Harry J. Mills entertained the crowd with many fancy and trick shots at the basket. After a four-year layoff, Harry claims to be getting himself in condition rapidly, and has consented to put on some trick stuff again next week. A championship series with the winners of the Burlington City League has been arranged and will start immediately after the close of the present schedule. Where these games will be played has not been definitely decided but at least one game will be played at the Burlington high school gym. An extra period was necessary to decide the K. of C.-Pal-River game. At the end of the game the score stood at 22 all, but with field goals by Prisco, Burke and Buvidas in rapid succession the game ended 29-23.

K. of C.

Fid.	Fl.	P.
T. Buvidas, f	2	5 7 9
A. Buvidas, f	2	5 6 5
Burke, c	2	0 3 4
Malone, c	1	1 2 3
Brennan, g	0	1 4 1
Prisco, g	2	3 4 7
Totals	9	11 26 29

PAL-RIVER

Fid.	Fl.	P.
Schmierer, f	2	1 4 5
Kessler, f	0	0 0 0
Windhovel, c	0	0 2 0
West, g	2	2 3 6
Welkman, g	3	1 3 7
Goodly, c	0	1 2 1
Roach, f	1	0 0 2
Miller, f	1	0 1 2
Totals	9	5 15 23

WESLEYANS

Fid.	Fl.	P.
Poulke, f	5	2 4 12
Hagstoz, f	1	1 2 3
Zayotti, c	2	0 1 4
Sloan, g	0	0 0 0
Baker, g	8	1 1 17
Cahill, c	0	0 2 0
Totals	16	4 10 36

TAK-ABOUT

Fid.	Fl.	P.
Krauss, f	2	0 0 4
Zaun, f	2	0 0 4
Snow, c	4	1 1 9
Lloyd, g	0	0 1 0
Long, g	0	1 2 1
King, g	0	0 0 0
Windsor, g	0	0 0 0
Heavner, g	0	0 0 0
Totals	8	2 6 18

ARTISANS

Fid.	Fl.	P.
Terrell, f	0	0 0 4
Rarig, f	0	4 4 5
Landgraff, c	1	0 3 2
Eisley, g	4	0 0 8
Reeves, g	3	2 6 8
Totals	8	6 14 22

Sc and 10c STORE

Fid.	Fl.	P.
Gootee, f	1	0 2 2
Bonnettelli, f	2	0 1 4
Daley, c	0	0 0 0
Speer, g	2	2 5 6
Ensket, g	1	1 1 3
Totals	6	3 9 15

Referee, Morgan; timer, Schoenvelt.

DIVORCE RECOMMENDED

Charles Heberly, of 403 Horace avenue, Palmyra, was recommended a decree of divorce from his wife, Mrs. Elsie Heberly, at a hearing before Advisory Master Marshall Van Winkle in Camden Chancery Court Monday.

RIVERTON GIRLS WIN THIRD GAME

Winning Streak Continues When Swedesboro is Defeated By 29-15 Score

STANDING OF TEAMS		
W	L	PC
Riverton	3	0 1.000
Vineland	2	0 1.000
Maple Shade	1	1 .500
Swedesboro	0	1 .500
Paulsboro	0	1 .000
Salem	0	2 .000
Woodbury	0	2 .000
Audubon	0	0 .000

The opening game between Salem and Maple Shade was close and interesting throughout, finally being won by Maple Shade 10-7. Salem, in order to make up the late entrance into the league, also played Vineland the same evening. Vineland easily defeated them.

Riverton girls again had an easy victory defeating Swedesboro. The score at the half time was 9-5, but Riverton played a fast passing game in the second half to pile up 20 points to Swedesboro's 10, making the final score 29-15.

RIVERTON		
Fid.	Fl.	P.
H. Easley, f	9	3 21
C. Hinkle, f	4	0 8
A. Ross, f	0	0 0
J. Beitz, g	0	0 0
P. Neely, g	0	0 0
G. Sippel, g	0	0 0
Totals	13	3 29

SWEDESBORO		
Fid.	Fl.	P.
Crawford, f	4	1 9
Parks, f	2	2 6
Simler, f	0	0 0
Magin, g	0	0 0
Parks, g	0	0 0
Berger, g	0	0 0
Totals	6	3 15

YMCA STAMP CLUB of Palmyra and Riverton



The impression, widely held, that Palmyra-Riverton YMCA activities are confined to young boys will be dispelled for those who take advantage of the invitation of the Stamp Club of the Y to attend the special meeting to be held on Friday evening, March first, at 8 o'clock in the YMCA building, Broad street and Garfield avenue, Palmyra.

The Stamp Club is essentially an adult organization of thirty or forty men and women, although juniors are always welcome and invariably attend in numbers. It is one of a number of activities promoted by the YMCA for young people and their elders as distinct from the younger boy activities.

The meeting on March first will include an interesting exhibit of collections and display pieces open to both seniors and juniors whether members or not. Judging will be based on condition, arrangement and completeness rather than value. Certificates will be awarded seniors, and prizes to junior exhibitors.

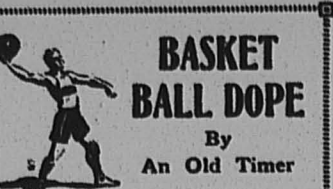
A typical stamp auction will be held similar to those which have been news in the papers from time to time recently because of the great value of the stamps involved. This should be an interesting feature even for visitors whose interest in the hobby may be only casual. The Stamp Club and the YMCA sponsoring it, extend to all their friends a cordial invitation to be present at this demonstration of a popular adult activity. A door prize will be awarded promptly at 8 p.m.

OFFICE BULLETIN

"All office boys going to weddings or funerals must speak to superintendent by 10 o'clock the day of the game."—Yale Record.

"Conductor! Help me off this train, please!"

"You see I'm stout and I have to get off the train backwards. The porter thinks I'm getting on and gives me a shove on again. I'm five stations past my destination now."—Powergrams.



BASKET BALL DOPE

By An Old Timer

It is never too late to learn. So read on and you may find out a few facts about the most popular indoor game there is for the masses. It is stated by many authorities that there are more basketball teams in this country than any other sport, and that includes the grand game of baseball. If for no other reason than curiosity, come out to the high school gym some night when there are games on the carpet and see for yourself just what the attraction is.

Basketball is, as a rule, played in a hall, although there are provisions made at most play and school grounds for practice purposes rather than contests between rival teams. The playing floor or court is usually about 40 x 90 feet in dimensions, with a ceiling height of at least 15 feet. At mid-point of each short end of the space and 10 feet above the floor there is a 18-inch iron ring or hoop in a horizontal position supported 6 inches in front of a backboard of approximately 8 x 8 feet, well braced above the playing space.

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The court has markings for a center and a foul line 15 feet from each basket, and a boundary line around the entire space about 3 feet from the walls. The ball is usually about 10 inches in diameter and weighs around one and one-half pounds inflated similar to a foot or soccer ball. There are five players to a team, they being designated as two forwards, one center and two guards. The principal official is known as the referee. He mingles among the ten players and his duties are to see that the rules are enforced and that the players are kept in bounds both as to the court lines and clean playing.

At the beginning of the game, after the several rest periods and after EACH goal (a successful dropping of the ball thru the hoops) the referee tosses the sphere about 12 feet in the air between the two center men who endeavor to tap the ball to a member of their own team. The play is then on. The player securing the ball passes it to another of his mates and so the play goes on up to the basket for a comparatively easy shot. But all does not work so smoothly because of the fact that the other team endeavors to get the ball for themselves in divers manners. Rough play or holding of an opponent prompts the referee to call a foul and permit the victim to play a free or unhindered shot at the basket from the foul line. If successful it counts one point, and if missed the ball is automatically in play again.

If a field goal, or successful shot is made from play into the proper basket, two points are recorded. The making of a goal close to the basket is not always possible. There may not be the best of cooperation between the members of the team, or perhaps the opponents have too good a defense. Long or distance shots are then attempted. Their possible effectiveness decreases greatly with the increased distance, and at the same time gives the opponents an opportunity to secure the ball and work it to the opposite basket. Since the rules prohibit carrying the ball it can be advanced by a player bouncing it before him as he runs. This is called "dribbling."

It is sometimes necessary, but is usually a confession of the lack of team work or that a player is doing so for individual glory. This type of play should be bounced off the team.

The team having the highest total score at the close of 40 minutes of actual play is declared the winner. There are three rest periods, with time outs permissible in the course of the game. Ties are played off in extra five minute periods.

It might be well to add that strict observation of the rules aim for non-contact of the players. This is impossible where ten men are after one ball in a limited playing space. There have been games where the ball was a minor consideration. Result—a young riot. Poor work on the part of the referee and perhaps hard feeling between the teams is responsible for such a condition. During one decade (of less than 50 years ago) the battles were confined in cages about 30 x 60 and 12 feet high made of 3 x 4 uprights and heavy chicken wire. There was a 2 x 4 foot door which during the course of some games was used to carry the wounded out and sometimes the remains of the referee. Dem wuz de gud ole daze. Page J. S. Bartley for more detailed description of these "love feasts."

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"So your name is Johnny Thompson," the teacher said, to make sure of the facts, "but your mother's name is Jones?"

"Yes, ma'am," Johnny said. "You see she married again, and I didn't."—Selected.

LONDON — PARIS BERLIN—MADRID ROME via PHILCO \$59.50 JOHN H. ETRIS 17 W. Broad Street, Palmyra Phone 978

MAKE IT A REGULAR STOP GAS SUNOCO OILS GARWOOD'S SERVICE STATION Broad and Main Streets Riverton

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed, issued out of the Burlington County Circuit Court, I will sell at public sale on

THURSDAY, MARCH 7th, A.D. 1935 between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day (to wit, at 2 o'clock) Standard Time, at the Court House, Mount Holly, 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 in the center of Main street two hundred feet southward from the southerly line of Seventh street, thence extending southward along the center of said Main street fifty feet in front or width; thence extending southwestwardly of said front line to the southerly line of right angles to said Main street, twenty-five feet to the westerly line of said Main street; thence continuing on in the same direction one hundred and ninety feet to the line of Edward Lippincott's land, containing within said bounds a lot fifty feet front by two hundred and fifteen feet deep.

Being the same premises which Mary W. Allen, widow, by deed bearing even date herewith and intended forthwith to be recorded, granted and conveyed unto the said Harry C. Kramer. Decease approximately \$5694.12 besides interests, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Julia S. Latch, at alia, defendants, taken into execution at the suit of W. W. Allen, complainant, and to be sold by GEORGE N. WIMER, Sheriff.

Richard B. Eckman, Solr., Dated: February 6, 1935. 27 to 2-28-35 Pira. fees \$18.06

NOTICE I will not be responsible for any bills unless contracted for by myself or agent. WILLIAM SEAGRAVE. 1-3-21-35

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'INVESTIGATION' OF BRIDGE CONTINUES

New Engineers Report Specifications Were Changed, But Work is "Adequate"

A report addressed to Freeholder Jones was read at a board meeting held Tuesday morning in Mt. Holly, from Ash, Howard, Needles and Tamont, inspection engineers for the county on the Delanco bridge project.

They stated that their investigations were not finished but felt that a report of their findings thus far should be made.

Their report stated that the contract plans showed incorrect elevations, the appropriation for operation machinery was insufficient, the foundation piling quantities reduced, steel reduced, the piers and abutments do not conform to specifications and many changes were made in the plans.

Cause for Changes

They stated that the changes in the plans were caused by the unusually high tide recorded after construction began, and that some of the changes resulted in a benefit to the county and some to the benefit of the contractor.

The bridge they showed was raised three feet at the abutments and four feet at the wing span. The exposed concrete work, they stated, appears to be satisfactory. The piers were not all the same nor did they conform to plan as to height or depth, and the estimate—saving to the contractor as a result of the changes amounted to \$29,000.00. They did, however, state that the piers appear to be entirely adequate.

The steel work in the superstructure was changed entirely from the original plans, but with a few minor changes it, too, would be entirely adequate.

The only real objection registered by the inspection engineers was the paving slabs in the roadway of the bridge. They stated that the material being used was not suitable for highway traffic.

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International Relations Will Be Topic of Discussion Next Tuesday

The International Relations and Legislation Department of the Riverton Porch Club, Mrs. Stuart B. Clark, chairman, has secured Mrs. Frederic Beggs to speak at the club meeting on March 5th.

Mrs. Beggs is a former vice president of the Sixth District and chairman of the Department of International Relations of the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs. She has also served as vice chairman of the New Jersey Committee on the Cause and Cure of War and has twice been chairman of the annual Princeton Conference. At present she is national chairman of the Marathon Round Tables of the National Committee on the Cause and Cure of War, and a Counsellor of Foreign Affairs for the National Society of New England Women.

Her wide experience qualifies her as a speaker on International Relations and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance at the meeting on March 5th.

On March 12th, Jane Leslie Kift will speak on "Landscaping of Small Gardens" and there will be a display of arrangements of winter bouquets by members of the Garden Section.

Once in an English class the teacher assigned a composition to be written and it had to contain 250 words. The next morning one little boy was asked to read his. This is what he had written: "My uncle was driving his new car one day and he had a puncture. The other 236 words are not fit for publication."—Louisville Trolley Topics.

THE NEW ERA

RIVERTON, NEW JERSEY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1935

WILL ORGAIZE BUSINESS CLUB

Young Men of Riverton and Palmyra to Meet at YMCA Hall Monday Night

On Monday evening, March 4, at eight o'clock, at the YMCA building, Palmyra, there will be held a meeting of business young men.

The program will consist of a debate, the subject of which will be: "Resolved: That education and its application in advancing sciences increases happiness of human life."

The two sides of the question will be presented as follows: Pro—Leon Sloan, Stanley Lippincott, Grandon Layton, Con—Dewees Showell, Wilson Schmierer, Edward Dages.

The speakers will each be allowed five minutes in which to present their case, and eight minutes in rebuttal.

The judges will be three members of the YMCA board of directors.

COP SALARY CUTS MEET OPPOSITION

Mayor Lamont Vetoes Resolution Readjusting Salaries of Palmyra Officials

A resolution by Palmyra Borough Council fixing salaries of municipal officers and employees for 1935, one feature of which was the readjustment of the police payroll which had been reduced by 10 per cent, was vetoed by Mayor Walter D. Lamont at the council session last Thursday evening.

Former Councilman Lippincott took the floor to comment on the proposed salary readjustment for policemen, already vetoed by Mayor Lamont. He said he thought the time had come for building up morale by increasing pay, not by still further reducing it, and that furthermore he believed the small amount saved in this instance, about \$110 in all from three men, wasn't worth the injustice it appeared to do.

The salary problem will come up for further consideration at the next meeting of Council.

Harry W. Seaber, of Horace avenue, was present to protest against the levy sidewalks about town following the deep snow of January. He said he had several bad falls and called on Council to enforce the snow ordinance.

Mayor Lamont assured Mr. Seaber that hereafter the snow regulations would be strictly enforced.

Mr. Seaber also took occasion to renew his oft-repeated protests against dogs running at large and damaging flower beds and lawns.

Councilman Thomas said he feared the Emergency Relief system was "a failure." (Continued on page 2)

NURSERY NOTES

Through the February 23rd issue of the "Florists' Review" we learn of the death at his home in Schenectady, New York, of Walter Mott, a traveling salesman formerly in the employ of Henry A. Dreer and who was then a resident of Riverton. Mr. Mott died on February 5th. He was one of the best known florists identified with the florist business. Born in England 72 years ago, he came to the United States in 1888 and represented Dreer's for many years and even after leaving the firm he continued his friendship with the late Mr. Dreer by correspondence and by calls at the nursery. He is survived by his widow and four children, all of Schenectady.

REPUBLICAN MEETING

A meeting of Young Republicans of New Jersey, Burlington County Unit, will be

"Investigation" of Bridge Continues

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Claims Inspection Needed

Director Adams stated that the inspection service of Ash, Howard, Needles and Tatum was certainly needed. Had the bridge been built according to the original plans it would have looked like a scenic railway, he declared. In some cases piers had been raised and in some places the depth to which they were built had been shortened. Adams stated that he had interviewed Cornelius C. Vermule and had his approval of the course of action taken by the majority group, and that such action would not jeopardize the government grant to the county.

Freeholder Jones stated that he had received a verbal report from the inspection engineers that morning that 250,000 pounds of steel was called for in the plans but not used. This he estimated would result in an approximate saving of \$5,000.00 to the contractor. Jones stated that the county should pay the contractor what was due him but no more.

Mr. Kolyn, of the Kolyn Construction Company stated that the bridge was built in accordance with freeholder authority, P.W.A. authority and county engineer authority.

10 Per Cent

Letters were read from the Mount Holly National Bank and the Maple Shade National Bank asking the board to appoint someone to apply for the 10 per cent dividend due the county in the liquidation processes of the closed institutions. The clerk by resolution was appointed to file the necessary papers and collect the dividend in the name of the Board of Freeholders.

Ask for Conference

Dr. Marcus W. Newcomb addressed a letter to the Board of Freeholders asking for a conference of the freeholders with the board of managers of the Burlington County Sanatorium of Tuberculosis relative to plans for the enlargement of the institution to care for out-of-county patients. The letter was received and filed and referred to the director.

Want Tax Check

The Township of Mt. Holly wrote the freeholders stating that their state and county taxes were paid up to date and that the second class railroad tax in an amount of \$1,548.16 was due them and that they would appreciate a check for the delinquent item. The letter was referred to the director of finance.

Notice of Bulkhead

The War Department notified the Board of Freeholders that the Township of Bass River had applied for a 500 foot bulkhead to run downstream from the highway bridge on Route 9 and that protest if any should be filed with the War Department immediately.

Hospital Complaint

J. Margaret Warner, chairman of the public relations committee of the Burlington City Council, addressed a complaint to the Board of Freeholders of the attitude taken by authorities of the Burlington County Hospital when admission was asked for two Burlington men who had been critically injured in an explosion in Burlington. When asked by telephone to admit them the question was asked whether they would be paying patients and if they were covered by compensation insurance. When told they would be ward patients, it was found "there was no room."

The men were later driven to the Burlington County Hospital in a Beverly ambulance by misunderstanding of the instructions to the driver who was told to take them to the West Jersey Hospital in Camden. When the men arrived at the Burlington County Hospital by mistake, and those in charge realized their critical condition, they were admitted and cared for. At the time the accident occurred in Burlington, the Burlington City ambulance was not available, having been loaned to the Burlington County Hospital, without charge, to assist that institution.

The communication was ordered received and filed and referred to the director with instructions for him to report back to the board on the subject.

GRAND JURY INDICTS SHORT-WEIGHTERS

By Jacob Price

Superintendent of Camden County Department Weights and Measures Samuel Ginn, of the Diamond Coal Company, has been indicted by the Grand Jury on "short-weight" charges preferred by the Camden County Weights and Measures Bureau. The arrest was made in December, 1934. The Grand Jury indictment came on Friday.

Other dealers to receive fines, in our most recent report, include Oster Bros., who were fined \$25.00 on a charge of improper weighing apparatus. We were compelled to put 72 pounds on this scale before it would even balance. J. B. DiMauro of Camden was another dealer to be fined \$25.00. This was a "shortweight."

Outside of Camden, W. Smith, of Camden, was fined \$25.00 for "shortweight." (Smith is also a public weighmaster.) Perry's Express was fined \$25 for "shortweight."

William Abdell, superintendent of weights and measures in Gloucester county, reports the following "short-weight" arrest in his territory: Patsy Pitullo, \$100.00 for "shortweight," and Stephen Lamian of Paulsboro, \$25.00 for "shortweight."

PHS NEWS

The Sophomore Class of Palmyra High School will hold a motion picture benefit at the Broadway Theater of Palmyra, March 4th to March 7th. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the sophomore class at 25c. Only tickets that are purchased before Monday, March 4, will be of benefit to the class.

The movies that will be given during the benefit are "Wings in the Dark," Monday and Tuesday; "Imitation of Life," Wednesday and Thursday. The tickets are good for any of the dates.

Cop Salary Cuts Meet Opposition

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It hard for householders to find men to clean off their sidewalks. Forherly, he said, there were always men glad to get a few hours work of such nature after snow storms, but now they all look to the E.R.A. for support.

Councilman Mervine said he thought men were still available for the purpose and suggested a labor board to furnish workers for odd jobs might be a good thing.

Fire Chief Stack again called attention to several vacant properties in bad condition which he considered both a fire hazard and a menace to public safety. One policeman had skinned his leg when he broke thru the floor or one building while chasing boys out of it.

Councilman Luce said he also knew of several properties which should either be repaired or torn down.

Mayor Lamson and Solicitor Low recited some of the legal entanglements surrounding some of the properties in question, because they are parts of estates in process of settlement.

It was decided, however, to have a committee of Council prepare a list of the properties and to send the owners a formal notice to make property repairs within sixty days, else the buildings would be ordered torn down.

Councilmen Arthur Wright, William Engle and Carl Thomas were appointed members of this committee.

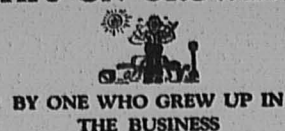
Tar Missing

Freeholder Jones reported that he had been unable to locate records in the highway department covering 103,390 gallons of tar. He stated that he had found work slips signed by the foreman and duplicate slips signed with the foreman's name but not his handwriting.

Charles R. Stout, former director of highways, stated that if Mr. Jones would look under special highway projects he might find the records that would account for the missing tar.

The following department bills were approved for payment: Finance \$2,245.22; Highway and Engineering \$2,739.65; Bridges \$985.61; Buildings \$11,656.30, and Affairs \$2,549.23.

TIPS ON GROWING



BY ONE WHO GREW UP IN THE BUSINESS

According to Leonard W. Kephart of the Bureau of Plant Industry there is no grass or mixture of grass which has any particular ability to keep in check noxious weeds in the lawn.

"We regularly are being told of some new grass or grasses with marvelous ability to free lawns of such pests as dandelions and crab grass. Usually such highly advertised seeds sell for much more than their real value, since they can be at best only a good, standard lawn grass or mixture. Sometimes they are even seeds of only ordinary grass."

Mr. Kephart also says, "Good lawns start with a good stand of grass, which must be carefully tended and fertilized each fall and spring with a well balanced fertilizer. Lawns should not be watered too heavily nor mown too frequently. The best time to sow seeds is in the fall but they may be sown early in the spring or even in the winter, preferably when snow is on the ground."

It is not at all likely that many lawns in Riverton are watered too heavily.

From the English "Gardener's Chronicle," ninety years ago: "As we never wear gloves ourselves, we cannot recommend them to gardeners unless they are employed in pruning thorny plants. A man might as well put a bag on his nose as a glove on his hand. We do not fancy tender fingered gardeners." Now that nose bag during frosty weather might not be such a bad idea. Of course, the cold sleeve too is always handy. Anyway a good gardening glove is the "Easy Wear," light weight, soft leather.

In a "Talk on Trees," E. P. Felt of the Bartlett Tree Research Laboratories says, "It is well known to real estate men that properties with well-kept trees are more salable and bring higher prices than those where the trees have been allowed to deteriorate. It follows that judicious pruning and competent cavity work cannot be considered a luxury. Filling the small cavity is relatively inexpensive. It prevents the larger cavity or the loss of a valuable tree."

A Rose grower's circular relates a beautiful legend about the origin of the Moss Rose. In return for the refreshing odor and cooling shade granted the Angel who takes care of the flowers, the Moss Rose was told that any favor it might ask would be granted. "Adorn me then with a new charm," said the Rose and the Angel adorned the loveliest of flowers with the simple moss.

Whether culled from ancient folk lore or evolved from the fertile imagination of a Pennsylvania nurseryman, it's a lovely story.

Victor Groshens, of Roslyn, Pa., grower of cut Roses for the Philadelphia market has a new yellow "sport" of the Rose Talisman. The new Rose has been christened Golden Charm. Talisman remains, not only one of the best varieties for greenhouse forcing, but an exceptionally fine Rose for the garden display and for home adornment when cut.

In Chicago a gardenia flower was presented last week to customers of Marshall Field & Company who would purchase a dram of "Gardenia" perfume, both for \$1.50. It was reported the store used 3,000 gardenias.

JUNIOR P. C. DANCE 10C
The Junior P. C. Club will hold a dance Friday evening of this week at the P. C. Club.

Music will be furnished by the Skytop Highlanders at the price of \$1.65 per couple, dancing from nine to one.

Everyone is cordially invited to come out and enjoy themselves.

Placid old lady (to golf apparel salesman): "I'd like to look at some large handicaps, please; my husband said if he had had one yesterday he would have won the golf tournament."—Exchange.

GARDEN AUTHORITY TO SPEAK HERE

Jane Leslie Kift Will Address Open Meeting at P. C. Club March 12

The Garden Section of the Riverton P. C. Club will hold an open meeting on Tuesday, March 12, at 2.30, at the P. C. Club.

Jane Leslie Kift, who answers garden queries in the Philadelphia Inquirer, will be the speaker. Miss Kift is a well-known authority and sponsors and serves the New York Flower Shows, the Philadelphia Flower Shows and is actively interested in many garden movements. All who are interested in "Landscaping the Small Garden" are cordially invited. There will be arrangements of winter bouquets by members of the garden section.

CINNAMINSON P. T. A.

The meeting last week, owing to the absence of the president, Mrs. Robert Sim, was led by the vice president, Mrs. Russell Musser, who presented a pleasing Founders Day Program.

Devotional exercises were offered by Mrs. Manderville.

In a short business meeting Miss Bryan was voted financial aid needed for several projects.

Two visitors entertained with vocal and instrumental solos, choosing some delightful old selections. Miss Bryan gave a practical talk, after which an upper grade girl paid a tribute to the helps given the school by the P.T.A.

Mrs. Edward Wood gave a resume of events since 1930, thus keeping the history of the Cinnaminson P.T.A. up to date.

The next discussion will be on "What Does the World Expect of Citizens?" March thirteenth, at eight in the evening. Publicity.

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MUSICALES AT CINNAMINSON

A musical will be held Friday evening, March 15, in the Cinnaminson Public School.

The artists will be the primary band, the boys and girls choruses of the upper grades, assisted by G. Edward McComsey, principal of the Moorestown Junior High School; Miss Elsie Weigner, of Audubon, reader; and Harold Protish, of Moorestown, violinist.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend and hear an evening of real music.

An Englishman has invented phonograph records made of candy, which can be eaten when a person tires of record's repetitions.

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By William Cooper, Jr.

WIP's publicity department is now in a tie-up with the Stanley Theater. The connection this time is a contest to discover a perfect imitator of Rudy Vale, whose latest picture "Sweet Music" is now playing at the Stanley. Response for auditions for the competition have been so great that they had to be moved from the WIP studios to the Gimbel Brothers auditorium. Some of the auditionists are heard every day from 1.00 to 1.15, over the Pioneer Voice. The contest will run until March 1st and the prize will be \$50 and one week theater engagement. Nice chance for some young fellow.

A letter from Tom Livezey of WIGB tells us that WIGB is undergoing a complete change in equipment and facilities. These changes will tend to make this station one of the finest of the smaller metropolitan broadcasting units.

PHILLY NOTES: Jim Fetta and his famous ork will present a program of dance tunes over WCAU every Tuesday night at 7.30 o'clock. . . . WDAS adds two more bands to its dance parade. Those of Les Robinson and Joe Smalls. . . . WIP scoop dailies again when it aired Connie Mack's departure to Florida with the A's. . . . Forty members of the Riverton Fire Department visited WIP from All in Fun the other evening in full uniform. We wonder what would have happened if there had been a fire. . . . Charlie Kerr, Philly's pioneer batonier, is airing a program of dance rhythms over WIGB daily at 12.30 p.m. . . . Harold Knight, of Cathay Tea Garden fame, is about to go on a vaudeville tour through upper Pennsylvania with an eleven piece dance unit under his trusty baton. . . . The Pickard Family are now appearing over WIP with an eye toward an ABC network spot. . . . Arnold Hartley of WCAU's program department has been moved to program head of KYW. Replacing Hartley at WCAU is Byron Kaufman. . . . Johnny Brown and his Great White Fleet ork are now ethering over WIP from the Rafter. . . . a new feature of WIGB is the "Breakfast Special." The show is composed of dance tunes, time service and hints for the housewife and shopper. Tune in some morning at 7.30. . . . Doc Hyder and a fourteen piece dance band airing over WIP from the Plantation. . . . Duke Ellington will soon make his appearance in the Quaker City with his orchestra. . . . Horace Foyle once on WCAU's Amateur Night show will shortly debut on another Amateur show which will be etherized on Sundays. . . . WIP is now planning visual audience broadcasts when they move into new quarters. That explains Benedict Gimbel, Jr.'s, visitation of S. S. All in Fun the other eve. . . . Bob Harding is the new staff comedian at

RIVERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Randall left Riverton Tuesday for an eight-day cruise to the West Indies.

Miss Alice Laverty is spending several days in Florence with Mr. and Mrs. John Pippitt.

Miss Naomi Evans is returning to Riverton Friday after spending several days in Florida.

Mrs. Corner Clelland and sons, of Virginia, are spending several days in Riverton.

Mrs. S. A. Plumly, who is on her way to Florida with her husband and Miss Bina Kerr, was suddenly taken sick in Georgia, where the party has had to stop until Mrs. Plumly's recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Reeves, Sr., spent Sunday in Atlantic City with their daughter, Miss Esther Reeves, who is employed at the Jefferson Hotel.

Several friends of Mrs. John Sloan, formerly of Riverton, spent last Saturday with her at her home in Maple Shade, at which time they celebrated her seventy-second birthday. Mrs. Sloan is still confined to her bed by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ludlow have moved from Thomas avenue to Melrose avenue, Palmyra.

Robert Hahn, of Westfield, spent the weekend in Riverton visiting friends.

The annual minstrel show of the O.E.S. Covenant Chapter held Saturday night was unusually successful. The songs and jokes of the end men and the entire chorus were well done and well received.

Mrs. Oliver G. Willits is spending some time in Lake Placid.

Mrs. Lewis Bell is entertaining friends from Camden for several days.

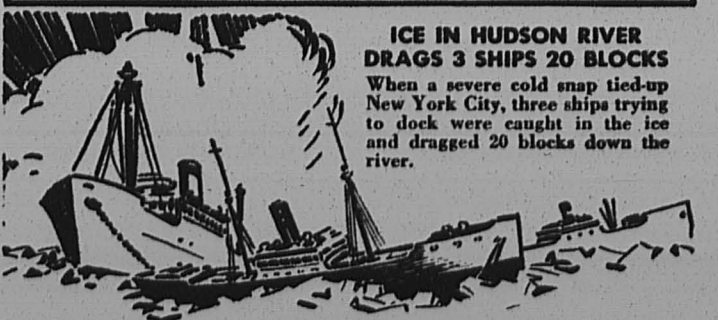
Charles Coddington, a former second lieutenant in the R.O.T.C., has received his commission as first lieutenant.

WIP. And while we're on the subject of new comers the new face you've seen in the publicity dept. of WIP belongs to Marcia D. Wilt.

Ellis Reynolds sepiated writer of "Confession! That I Love You" and "Because I'm Yours Sincerely" has just turned out another tune tagged "Just Another Plaything for You." It looks as though this ditty is going to prove a smash hit because the Casa Loma band has already made a recording of it. Be on the lookout for it.

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BY Ed Wells



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YWCA NOTES

County Club News
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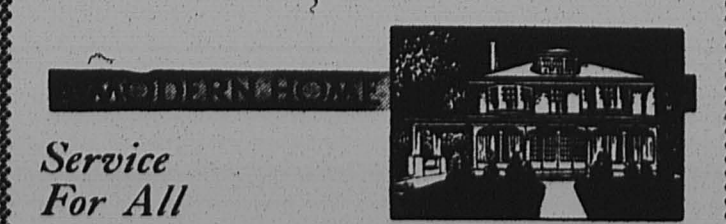
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Who Suffers Most From Heavy Taxes?

It should be everlastingly emphasized that the tax problem is EVERY citizen's problem—whether he is a millionaire or a worker for wages.

It should likewise be emphasized that the tax problem is of greater significance to the man of small means than to the man with large means. In spite of all the talk about "taxing the rich," government subsists principally from revenue derived from taxes on things bought by the millions of representative Americans. The rich are taxed heavily, it is true—but the revenue from that source barely makes a dent in governmental receipts. The rich are so few and far between, especially in these days, that if government confiscated all their wealth it would soon be bankrupt without additional funds.

It has been reliably estimated that 20 per cent of an annual family income of \$2,000 goes for taxes. Little of it is paid in direct taxes—and that fact has led to the erroneous belief that people with small means escape from paying for government. That belief should be thoroughly exploded—every bag of groceries, every gallon of gasoline, every pair of shoes you buy, is taxed. If you rent your home, part of the rental represents taxes which the owner of the house must pay. If you take a trip on a train, the heavy taxes paid by the railroads are reflected in the cost of tickets. If you turn on a light, about 15 per cent of your electric bill goes for taxes.

The average citizen eats as much, wears as many clothes and moves about as much, as do people with much larger incomes. As a result, it is this average citizen who is most seriously affected by extravagant or wasteful government. And it is the average citizen who profits most from economical, efficient and thrifty government.

When these facts are realized by the American people, there will be a campaign for tax reduction that will not confine itself to pretty speeches, but will get results.

The world will be nearer the Millennium when making war becomes as hard as making peace.—Mark Cross.

PALMYRA

A young man of Palmyra, Melvin H. Bonsall, of 325 Cinnaminson avenue, first class private, now with our army in the Philippine Islands, was highly commended for acts of bravery. This commendation was given personally by the head general before a vast body of men.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bonsall, of Highland avenue, Palmyra, celebrated their first wedding anniversary Saturday evening.

Mrs. Earl Naylor, of Burlington, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Eula Roach, of Delaware avenue.

The card party held by the P.O. of A. in Society Hall Monday evening, was very successful. More than 50 persons attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Baker, of Garfield avenue spent the weekend at Haddon-Hall, Atlantic City.

The many friends of Mrs. Robert Taylor, of Burlington, formerly of Palmyra, will be pleased to know that she is recuperating very nicely after a very serious operation, at the Presbyterian Hospital.

Mrs. Howard Dingee and daughter Barbara, of New Rochelle, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Branson, of Washington avenue.

Mrs. Edith Blackburne, of Cinnaminson avenue, is visiting in Lebanon, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hunt, of Morgan avenue, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lindberry, of Burlington, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Simpson, of Woodlyn, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kerrigan, of Charles st., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell Musser, of Morgan avenue, entertained Mrs. T. J. Lloyd, of Pottsville, this week.

BOY SCOUT MOTHERS
The Boy Scout Mothers Association will hold the regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Hansen, 607 Lincoln avenue, Thursday evening, March 7, at 8 o'clock.

The Bore: "I'm rather good at imitations. I imitate almost any bird you can name."
She (stifling a yawn): "How about a homing pigeon?"—Clipped.

For those whose forte is grammar: Punctuate this sentence: That that is that that is not is not is not that it is.—Sanley Journal.



CHURCH NEWS

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Charles T. Bates, B.D., Pastor
Morning worship, next Sunday at 11 o'clock. The midweek service, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The Girls Club will meet in the church parlor on Monday evening, March 4, at 7:45 o'clock.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet on Wednesday, March 6th, at 2:30, and the Women's Missionary Society at 3 o'clock. These meetings will be preceded by a missionary luncheon, under the direction of the Women's Missionary Society, at one o'clock. The charge for the luncheon will be 25 cents and the proceeds will be used towards the Missionary Apportionment. Reservations should be made not later than noon on March 4th, to Mrs. Frank Rue, 112 Morgan avenue, telephone, Riverton 763.

On Sunday, March 10th, the Rev. Llewellyn C. Anderson, from Bafin, Cameroon, West Africa, will speak at the morning worship.

A cordial invitation is extended to all in the community, who have no church home, to join in the fellowship and the worship of Calvary Church.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Harold L. Creager
At the morning worship service next Sunday, the sermon theme will be "Faithful Stewards of Christ." In the evening service the series of studies in the Epistles of James will be continued, the subject being "Christian Faith and Christian Living."

Next Wednesday evening, being the first day of Lent, we will start a special series of Lenten messages in the mid-week service.

Next Tuesday evening the Ladies' Aid will hold a doughnut social in the Church basement. Silver offering.

This Friday and each Friday the ladies will have fish cakes on sale.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Lockett, Pastor
Services, Sunday, March 3, 1935. 10:00 a.m., Bible School. The attendance last Sunday was about 170 over and above last year's, the record breaker.

11:15 a.m., Morning Worship. Musical offerings by the choir and sermon by Pastor Lockett on "The Eternal Life."

6:45 p.m., B.Y.P.U. We are glad to note the added interest in the B.Y.P.U. meetings. Always something of interest to the young people.

7:45 p.m., Evening Worship. Sermon, "The Shining Light" by the pastor, preceded by song service of 15 minutes.

Don't forget the Junior Choir rehearsal at 4:15 on Wednesday afternoon, followed by the Junior B.Y.P.U.

And for the grown ups, we want to remind them of the midweek Prayer Service at 8 o'clock.

One of the social events of the week will be a musical and literary entertainment under the auspices of the Philathea Class, to be held in the Sunday School room on Friday evening. A silver offering will be taken.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

"Christ Jesus" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 3.

The Golden Text is: "As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk ye in him: For in him dwelleth all the fullness of the Godhead bodily." (Colossians 2:6,9).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. And these signs shall follow them that believe: In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues" (Mark 16:15,17).

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: "We

acknowledge that the crucifixion of Jesus and his resurrection served to uplift faith to understand eternal Life, even the ailment of Soul, Spirit, and the nothingness of matter. And we solemnly promise to watch, and pray for that Mind to be in us which was also in Christ Jesus; to do unto others as we would have them do unto us; and to be merciful, just, and pure" (p. 497).

FELLOWSHIP PLANS SACRED CANTATA

"Seven Last Words of Christ" to Be Presented on Wednesday, April 17

The success of the presentation last Holy Week of "Olivet to Calvary" sponsored by the Fellowship Choral Club and assisted by a chorus of women's voices, has led to plans for another sacred cantata this year at the same season. Theodore Dubois' "Seven Last Words of Christ" has been chosen for presentation this year, and all singers who assisted in last season's performance are cordially invited to join the members of the Fellowship group in rehearsals at the Porch Club on March 11th, time 8:15 sharp.

As previously, a small rental charge will be made for the use of musical scores. Rehearsals under the Club's director, Alfred VanOsten will be held regularly until Wednesday the 17th of April, when "The Seven Last Words of Christ" will be sung in the Methodist Episcopal Church of Palmyra.

Everyone who participated in last year's performance will recall the inspiration derived from contributing to this noteworthy musical and religious project. And all are urged to make the same contribution and enjoy the same inspiration this Holy Week.

Remember the time and place: Riverton Porch Club at 8:15 on March 11.

TO HOLD COTTAGE PRAYER MEETINGS

Central Baptist Church Will Begin Celebration of Its Fiftieth Anniversary

The evangelistic committee of the golden anniversary committee of the Central Baptist Church met during the past week under the chairmanship of Mrs. Thomas Moore and arranged, as a beginning of the 50th year's celebration, a series of cottage prayer meetings to be held during the month of March.

The meetings will be conducted on Tuesdays, March 5, 12, 19 and Fridays, March 8, 15, 22, from 7:30 until 8:00, at the following residences:

Charles Geelan, 401 Midway avenue, Riverton.

Claude Barto, 626 Thomas avenue, Riverton.

Thomas Van Osten, 813 Lincoln avenue, Palmyra.

Rev. George Lockett, 509 Elm avenue, Palmyra.

Mrs. Margaret Mays, 313 Leconey avenue, Palmyra.

Walton Taylor, 716 Garfield avenue, Palmyra.

Harry Ellis, 1000 Cinnaminson avenue Palmyra.

William Cooper, 833 Washington avenue, Palmyra.

Attend the meeting nearest to your home. Services will start and close promptly.

FRIENDS' SCHOOL CONCERT AND DANCE

The Moorestown Friends' School Association will present its third annual concert and dance on Saturday, March 2.

The Haverford College Musical Clubs will give the concert. Their past performances in Moorestown have been very successful.

Richard Graff is chairman for Riverton and vicinity.

The Townsend old age pension plan won't help the ladies much. Few of them will ever admit getting old enough to qualify.

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"He who will not pardon others must not himself expect pardon."

MARCH
5—First Shakespearean play presented in U. S., 1750.

6—President Roosevelt orders all of our banks closed, 1933.

7—Ben Ames Williams, noted novelist, born 1889.

8—Dr. Shuckburg writes "Yankee Doodle," 1755.

9—Mexican Gen. Villa raids Columbus, New Mexico, 1916.

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THE "NEW DEAL"

BY JULIAN MASON

Vice President National Republican Builders

The Gold Decision

How should business regard the "gold" decision of the Supreme Court?

One of the shrewdest and best trained industrial observers within my ken analyzed, for me, the ruling thus:

"It is a solemn warning to the government against inflation, and Business should be thankful for it."

This interpretation of the decision will, I believe, be amongst the fundamental aspects eventually accepted by the best business and financial thought of the country.

It was slow in appearing. The reading of the decision by Chief Justice Hughes gave a false impression, followed as it was by the bitter dissent of Associate Justice McReynolds.

"Roosevelt Upheld on Everything" ran the headlines.

He certainly was not upheld on everything. He received some rather staggering blows.

The ruling accused the government of Repudiation, but said that the government could not be penalized for it, because nobody could prove damages.

That Significant "Now"

The word "now" is important. In this hint of the future, there is implicit a warning that, if damages could ever be proved, the government would have to pay. And damages certainly can be proved if ever inflation shall reduce the Liberty bond dollar so low that it will be able to purchase only a few cents worth of goods.

Here is the "warning against inflation."

It might even be called a "moral" bar. The trouble is, however, that it can be oversteered by any government "immoral" enough to do it. Which is what our present administration is apparently getting ready to do.

After the post-decision White House conference, it was strongly indicated that Congress would be asked to pass a bill forbidding "gold" damage suits to be filed before the Court of Claims.

Repudiation

Any government has the right to limit the field in which civil suits may be brought against it. If it wants to be sufficiently "immoral," it can do as dishonest a thing as to repudiate its promises and deny its citizens any redress for the provable damages of such a repudiation.

Attorney General Cummings remarked that the passage of such a law of limitation would be "merely ringing down the curtain" on the gold decision. This was but a piece of the old Roosevelt bally-hoo buoyancy.

Honor at Stake

As a matter of fact, if the repudiation of the gold clause was followed by an inflation which made the bondholders actual sufferers instead of possible profiteers, the whole face of the situation would change. Mr. Roosevelt would face a bombardment that would hurt him in practical politics as much as it now appears to do in the reactions of his own personal honor.

Business may take the reassurance that whether or not Congress shall consent to "ring down the curtain," the curtain will not finally go down. The asbestos curtain will still hang, half-poised. Because the Supreme Court has put up to Mr. Roosevelt himself the maintenance of his honor. It has given him a stern new reason against inflation. If not his honor, his pride at least is at stake—the pride of his moral position before History.

History Will Tell

Senator Hastings, the uncompromising Republican foe to the New Deal, conceded that the immediate effect of the Supreme Court's decision was helpful to Business. He added, "No man can predict what effect it will have upon the country in years to come."

For the moment, it seems to be accepted as an act of practical statesmanship. I leave out of account its ethical and constitutional aspect. I am not at all sure that what the country needs most of all, the restoration of Business confidence might not have been better served by a more uncompromising decision.

But, in addition to its warning against inflation, Business may take from this ruling two conservative constitutional reassurances.

The court, neither by word or by inference recognized the cheerful New Deal doctrine that "anything goes" because of (a) a "national emergency," or (b) the "general welfare." The majority opinion, indeed all nine justices, accused the New Deal of repudiation and did not let it "get by" on either of its prime excuses.

Not Dead

"The Constitution is gone!" cried Justice McReynolds bitterly. I do not think so. The Constitution may have been subjected to a judicial trick, but it is not "gone." Or, if it was not subjected to a "trick," it was subjected to one more of those "followings of the election returns," which has made it keep alive.

At any rate, it is alive. And so is the authority of the Supreme Court. The people and the administration accept this ruling. The talk of "packing" the Supreme Court, once openly advocated by Brain Trusters in Prof. Raymond Moley's magazine, is now no longer heard.

Business can, again, take reassurance from that. Suppose the contrary were the case. Suppose that the "gold" decision had been greeted with a wave of anger and a roar for the abolition or political dilution of our Supreme Tribunal, where would our poor struggling return of business confidence be today?

Decision a Compromise

It is true, I suppose, that the Court hurt confidence by its lack of courage and candor in the wording of its ruling. Mr. Hughes is blamed for that.

But it must be perfectly evident that the decision was the result of a compromise. Perhaps, the mudiness of the language is the result of that. Perhaps, the Chief Justice, in order to get a workable agreement, had to stand fast against loose doctrines like "Emergency" and "general welfare," and yet was able to win declarations against repudiation and (by inference) against inflation, might not the outcome be worth while?

Mr. Hughes, be it remembered, has not merely a legalistic mind. As governor of New York, as Secretary of State of the United States, he has had the practical experience of a Statesman. And, like the late Dwight Morrow, he has ever shown an ability to bring the minds of men together upon the best obtainable plan.

As of today, it looks to me as if that is what the country has been given in the "gold" decision.

B. AND P. WOMEN ON THE STAGE

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Full information may be obtained from Riverton N. J. Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of examiners, at the post office.

REV. JACK HART AT MEN'S CLUB

Former Student Chaplain of U. of P. Speaks on "Personal Relationships"

The regular meeting of the Palmyra-Riverton Men's Club was held Monday evening, February 18.

The meeting opened with two musical selections by Miss Anne McConnell assisted by Miss Edith Tees. Miss McConnell sang "My Laddie" and that old Scotch favorite, "Loch Lomond." Andrew Hall then played several Scotch selections on the bagpipe.

A. E. Fowler made a few remarks on the value of the club to its members.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Wilbur F. Crane; vice president, James Davidson; treasurer, A. E. Fowler; secretary, James B. Mickle; corresponding secretary, Elwood D. Poulson.

The speaker of the evening was the Rev. Jack Hart, former student chaplain of the University of Pennsylvania. Rev. Hart gave a very interesting address on the subject, "Personal Relationships."

Music was furnished by Robert Hudack, teacher of music, Burholme, Pa.

The Hartford Courant quotes a scientist as saying an insect responds to kind treatment, but it's a safe bet he never tried patting a bumblebee on the back—Louisville Times.

Motorist: "Well, there's only one part of it that doesn't make a noise, and that's the horn."—U.G.I. Circle.

BE STRONG!

Be strong! We are not here to play, to dream, to drift, We have hard work to do, and loads to lift. Shun not the struggle, face it, 'tis God's gift. Be strong! Say not the days are evil, who's to blame? And fold the hands and acquiesce. O shame! Stand up, speak out, and bravely, in God's name. Be strong! It matters not how deep intrench'd the wrong, How hard the battle goes, the day how long; Faint not, fight on! Tomorrow comes the song. —Maltbie D. Babcock.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed, issued out of the Burlington County Circuit Court, I will sell at public sale on THURSDAY, MARCH 7th, A.D. 1935 between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day (to wit, at 2 o'clock) Standard Time, at the Court House, Mount Holly, New Jersey.

ALL the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereunto particularly described, situate, lying and being in the borough of Riverton, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey: Beginning in the center of Main street two hundred feet southward from the westerly line of Seventh street, thence extending southwardly along the center of said Main street fifty feet in front or width; thence extending southwardly of that frontage, between two parallel lines at right angles to said Main street, twenty-five feet to the westerly line of said Main street; thence continuing on in the same direction one hundred and ninety feet more to the line of Edward Lippincott's land, containing within said bounds a lot fifty feet front by two hundred and fifteen feet deep.

Being the same premises which Mary W. Allen, widow, by deed bearing even date herewith and intended forthwith to be recorded, granted and conveyed unto the said Harry C. Kramer in fee.

Decrees approximately \$5094.12 besides interests, costs and fees.

Seized as the property of Julia S. Latch, et al, debtors taken into execution at the suit of Mary W. Allen, complainant, and to be sold by
GEORGE N. WIMER, Sheriff.

Richard B. Eckman, Sol'r.
Dated: February 6, 1935.
27 to 28-35 Ptra. fees \$18.00
1-3—2-21-35

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any bills unless contracted for by myself.
WILLIAM SAGRAVE.

RULE TO BAR CREDITORS

Executor's Notice
Estate of Anna Scott, Dec'd.
Notice is hereby given that an order has been made by the Surrogate of the County of Burlington, bearing date the 11th day of February, 1935, upon application of the subscriber, Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company of Riverton, New Jersey, requiring the creditors of Anna Scott, late of the County of Burlington, to bring in their claims against the estate of the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, on or before August 11th, 1935, or they will be barred of any action thereafter against the said Executor.
CINNAMINSON BANK AND TRUST COMPANY OF RIVERTON, NEW JERSEY, Executor.
Dated: February 11th, 1935.

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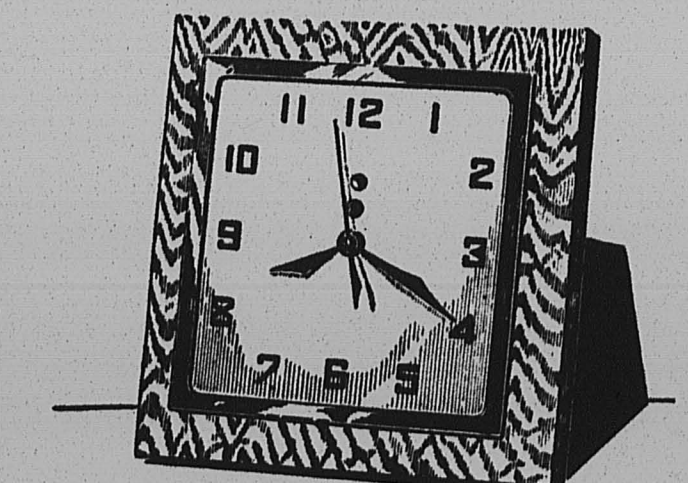
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PUBLIC SERVICE

A-3460



BASKET BALL DOPE

By
An Old Timer

There are no doubt some parents who are wondering if Junior should be permitted to play the game called Basket Ball. Will it be a safe past-time for him to indulge in? Can it be classed as an exercise? What will it benefit him in later life? There may be more wonderments but the above will cover most points.

The following are the views of one who served about twelve years during the period that the activities were performed in a cage-like court. This style of game is now entirely out of vogue. The play is now on much larger courts without the sides (cage or wall) to crash into or to give some players a good start in dashing into action with a grand rush. This was an accomplishment that many were real proficient in, especially where there was a good springy screen for a cage.

Should Junior play? If he has a natural bent for the play, desires to toss the ball around, let him do it. It is good for the development of his arm and chest muscles and likewise his legs.

Those with the real instinct for the game are always on the move when handling the ball. This playing, or rather fooling around with the ball, and some goal shooting should be his first year or so limitations. After that he should be permitted to play with teams chosen from boys of his weight and age. He will lose interest if he tires or is easily winded. If he enjoys it you might as well try and keep him from eating. He will get plenty of bruises and perhaps some broken bones if he goes into it strenuously. This might happen in any other game where physical contact is possible.

As a muscular exercise there can be no real claims made for the game. For immature boys or girls of ANY age it should not be encouraged. The objections are too many to list here. For grown boys and men it develops many unused muscles, if that has any value. The consistent playing of the game does develop the senses of touch, balance and observation which in turn bring out skill, accuracy and alertness, along with a subconscious or reflex action of many muscles. Sportsmanship, coolness under fire and the willingness to share the glory of team play should tend for unselfishness in later life.

Later years' benefits. This is a tough one. The last sentence in preceding paragraph would cover the best in most instances. The game leaves one with an almost insane desire to toss almost any object resembling a ball into any container that may be in reach. The ability to sidestep and dodge thru a crowd seems to hang on in later days. Many players learned that smoking impairs the wind, or physical endurance in any strenuous work or exercise. This is a fact in spite of what Cliff Montgomery and Mrs. Astorbilt say in the cigarette ads now in most magazines and papers. But who cares about endurance when he can step on the gas and go places in no time, or with the new 30-hour week that 7A has in store for us?

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LONE STAR JRS. WIN THREE IN ROW

Defeat Masonville Y., Moorestown Friends and Riverton Windbags

The Cinnaminson Lone Star Juniors won three basketball games during the past week. The victims were Masonville YMCA, Moorestown Friends and Riverton Windbags.

The Stars defeated Masonville Y to the tune of 39-16, Moorestown Friends 21-17, and Riverton Windbags 24-16.

Masonville was the only league game. Shea and Willie starred for the locals while H. Cameron stood out for Masonville.

LONE STARS

	Fld.	Fl.	P.
R. Coe, f	3	1	7
Shea, f	5	0	10
Williams, c	2	0	4
Pfleger, g	1	1	3
Willie, g	5	0	10
Davidson, f	0	0	0
Wittmeyer, f	1	1	3
H. Coe, c	0	0	0
Total	18	3	39

MASONVILLE

	Fld.	Fl.	P.
C. Cameron, f	0	0	0
E. Cameron, f	2	0	4
L. Clerenger, c	0	0	0
H. Cameron, g	2	2	6
R. Cann, g	1	0	2
Elbertson, f	0	1	1
Grock, c	1	1	3
Total	6	4	16

Score first half: Lone Stars 20, Masonville 6.

LONE STARS

	Fld.	Fl.	P.
Williams, c, f	2	1	5
Beitz, f, g	0	1	1

ANNUAL DINNER OF PALS CLUB

Mayor Lamon Speaker at Affair Held at Riverton Country Club Monday Night

The Pi Alpha Lambda chapter of Sigma Kappa fraternity held its first annual dinner at the Riverton Country Club, Monday evening, February 26th.

Honored guests were Mayor Lamon, Floyd Spahr, principal speaker and Grand Chapter officers of Sigma Kappa.

The Grand Chapter officers present were Vin Farren, president; Jesse Matlack, vice president; Charlie Smith, vice president; Al Moitz, secretary; H. Brumfield, treasurer, and Ed Rust, historian.

Bob Ginn, Pi Alpha Lambda chapter president, gave a short talk after which Bill Cooper acted as master of ceremonies.

Each Grand Chapter officer delivered a short talk complimenting the fine spirit of Pi Alpha Lambda.

Mayor Lamon told of the fine organizations existing in Palmyra, and commended the achievements of each. The mayor in turn introduced Mr. Spahr who spoke on "The Art of Living." He related the experiences of young men in entering occupations without the aid of a college education. Mr. Spahr in his speech pointed out that altho it is very fine to have a college education can succeed without it.

The Pi Alpha Lambda chapter, locally known as the Pals Club, is one of fourteen chapters comprising the Sigma Kappa fraternity. Chapters are situated in New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

PALMYRA PTA

Dr. H. Paul Jane, director of the Delinquent Boys' School in Camden, will be the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Palmyra Parent-Teacher Association to be held in the Palmyra High School auditorium Tuesday evening, March 5, at 8.00 o'clock.

Dr. Jane's topic will be "The School Child and Money."

Following his talk the primary grades will entertain those present with a delightful program. Miss Harriet Egan, supervisor of the primary school, will be in charge.

It is hoped that all persons interested in starting a class for delinquent pupils in the Palmyra Schools will make an effort to be present at this meeting.

Shields, c	0	0	0
Pfleger, g	0	0	0
Wittmeyer, g	2	0	4
Coe, f	3	1	7
Shea, f	3	1	7
Total	10	4	24

RIVERTON

	Fld.	Fl.	P.
S. Wallace, f	0	2	2
McDermott, f	1	0	2
Shieble, c	2	1	5
H. Rieger, g	1	0	2
C. Rader, g	1	3	5
Total	5	6	16

As we understand Huey, every man is to be a king but Huey is to be the emperor.—Dallas Morning News.

BOXING MATCH IN PALMYRA HI GYM

Intramural Contest to Select Squad to Represent PHS in Interschool Bouts

The Palmyra High School boxing squad will stage an intramural boxing meet between two teams chosen from the members of the squad on Saturday night, March 2nd, in the high school gym.

The contest will consist of either six or seven bouts of three rounds each to a decision, and the first will begin at eight o'clock.

This intramural meet is staged for the purpose of selecting the best boxers in the various weights to represent P.H.S. in contest with other schools.

To date all attempts to schedule meets with other schools have met with failure, but it is still hoped that at least two such contests may be arranged.

Although the majority of the boys are new to the sport this year, some of them have shown promise of developing into pretty good boxers.

The price of admission will be ten cents for all those who do not possess athletic association tickets, which will be accepted for admission.

And some have fame thrust upon them—by quintuplets.—Manchester Union.

PALMYRA SPORTS TO BE REVIVED

Palmyra Athletic Association Organized to Promote All Types of Sports

A movement is now on foot to place Palmyra athletics upon the high standard enjoyed during the hey-days of the old Palmyra Field Club.

With the completion of the new athletic park, which is owned by the borough, it is only reasonable to expect that it be used to its fullest extent.

Russell Blackburne, James Hartley, Sonny Wright, Joseph L. Stack and C. N. Buchholz offered to help the younger fellows in the town organize an athletic association to foster all types of athletics throughout the community.

Accordingly a meeting was held in Society Hall Monday evening and a temporary organization was formed. The new club is to be called the Palmyra Athletic Association, and the membership is open to all men and boys over 18 years of age.

It is the intention of this club to place teams on the field in all types of athletic competition.

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