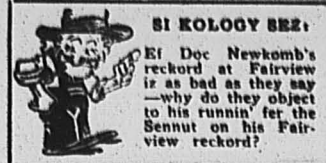


**MARCH**





## ADAMS RENEWS NEWCOMB ATTACK

Director of Board of Freeholders Accuses Doctor of Neglecting Patients at Fairview

The following statement is published by personal request of Palmer L. Adams, director of the Burlington County Board of Freeholders.

It was to some of the county papers in time for publication last week, but did not reach this paper until Friday.

The New Era is glad to publish this statement in order that its readers may become familiar with the type of attack being made on Dr. Newcomb.

Editorial comment will be found on page 4.

February 27, 1936.

My dear Editor:

I have noticed in the public press a campaign statement given out by Dr. Marcus W. Newcomb, in which he criticized and accused certain members of the Burlington County Board of Chosen Freeholders, and as Director of the Board of Chosen Freeholders I feel that the public should know the true facts.

Two new members were added to the Board of Managers at the Fair View Sanatorium for the purposes of first, taking the institution out of politics, and secondly, putting it on a business like basis, as has been done at the Almshouse and the Hospital for the Insane, and was not done for any political purpose, as Dr. Newcomb would have people believe.

Dr. Newcomb tells you that last year when the budget of the Sanatorium was made up, I went to the Sanatorium to go over same, and that I thought it should be cut several thousands of dollars. It is true; I did go over the budget and also the books of the institution, and the following are a few facts: I found that they requested \$106,417.50 to operate for 1935. I also found that they had falsified according to their own records, the amount of money required for nurses', officers' and employees' salaries, by over \$5,000 which I demanded be taken out of the budget along with a \$2,000 improvement item and other small amounts, making a total saving to the taxpayers of slightly over \$8,000. I have checked this figure of salaries expended in 1935 and found that we were correct in deducting at least \$5,000 for salaries, as it was not required for the purpose for which it was requested in the beginning of the year.

As to a report that the Sanatorium budget was overexpended \$9,000, I know nothing; but I do know that it was exceeded by about \$2,900 according to our books, and figures given us by the management at the Sanatorium, and that this entire amount was the fault of the management and no part can be blamed on the Freeholders. As was stated in Dr. Newcomb's letter, the amount requested for insurance was \$1,120 and the amount expended was \$2,008.37. This was no fault of the Freeholders but the fault of the management in only requesting \$1,120. (This insurance item was overexpended in 1934 by the Board of Managers.) Surely the management should have known when their insurance expired and made provisions for payment of the same. This was their duty and not the duty of the Board of Freeholders, but had it not been for the fact that the Freeholders had an insurance survey made and had the rate reduced from \$4.912 to \$2.648 per thousand, on the Sanatorium property, their overexpended would have been far greater.

It was also stated that the appropriation for food was overexpended. There is no doubt in my mind that this is entirely unnecessary and, as indicated the expenditure for this item was \$31,415.20. I fully realize that good and wholesome food is necessary for sick patients, but it certainly isn't necessary to trade

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## POWERS WORKING FOR INCREASE IN WPA WAGE

The New Jersey State Administrator of the WPA assured Congressman D. Lane Powers that an investigation has been ordered to determine living costs in Burlington County as the first step toward deciding whether county WPA wages can be increased under the law.

The assurance came from former Senator William H. J. Ely, now state administrator for WPA. In his reply to the Congressman's request for consideration of the Burlington county WPA wage increase, the Senator pointed out that Burlington county workmen are now receiving "wage rates . . . insofar as . . . justified and possible under the regulations of this Administration."

Under WPA regulations, the rates of wages are determined by the living costs of the locality. The original drive for increase of the Burlington county rates came from State Senator Clifford R. Powell, who brought this question to the attention of Congressman Powers and Senators Barbour and Moore.

## PALMYRA COUNCIL PASSES BUDGET

No Objection Raised by Citizens Present; Circular Matter Still in Committee

The Palmyra Borough budget for 1936 passed final reading by the unanimous vote of council at a special meeting held in the Palmyra council chambers, Thursday night.

Several matters were discussed but no objections to the budget were made by citizens present.

Howard E. Powell asked if any money is to be paid to Mr. Temple under the new lighting plan. Mayor Ward replied that Mr. Temple had been paid \$100 for survey services but no more payments had been, since Temple had failed to effect further savings in electric rates due to his own personal efforts.

Mr. Mervine objected to Mr. Powell's remarks, stating that the meeting was called for the purpose of hearing objections to the budget.

Horace Way asked council if the highway appropriation included the removal of snow and ice from private properties. Mayor Ward assured him that it did not and asked him what prompted such a question. Mr. Way replied that he had seen borough men with borough trucks removing snow and ice from Pennsylvania Railroad property on the south side of the intersection of Cinnaminson avenue and Broad street.

Borough Clerk George Spencer explained that the snow at the point in question was on railroad property but that it was piled high and was used by the children going to and from school as a slide. He stated that the officials thought with the "Nellie Bly" coming through town at such a terrific rate of speed some child might slide down the incline and be killed. Mr. Spencer stated that WPA workmen supplied the labor and borough trucks were used to haul the snow and ice away. His explanation apparently satisfied Mr. Way, who made no further objection.

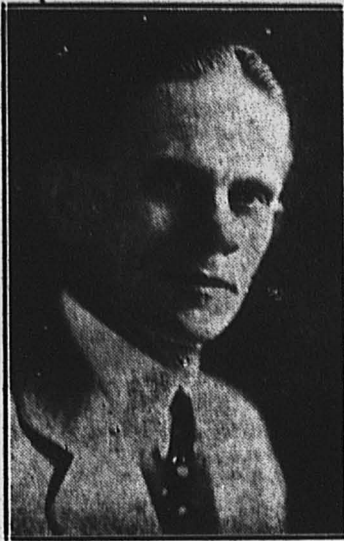
Mayor Ward asked if there were any other matters to come before the council before they would adjourn.

Howard E. Powell again asked for the floor and remarked that the full attendance of citizens indicated to him that they were interested in the proposed circular ordinance, and not to discuss it at the time was not fair to those who attended the meeting.

Mayor Ward stated that the ordinance was still in committee and that it would not be brought out or discussed at this meeting.

Red hair for brightest sunshine and mightiest storms.

## LUNCHEON GUEST



WILLIAM H. BOTTGER of Riverton, who has retired from the Bell Telephone Company after an active service of 27 years.

## WITH TELEPHONE COMPANY 27 YEARS

William H. Bottger, of Riverton, Given Luncheon on His Retirement

William H. Bottger, of 219 Linden avenue, Riverton, who since 1909 has held positions as sales and commercial representative for the telephone company in Camden, this week retires from the industry. One of the best known telephone men in this part of the state, Bottger is also active in the Kiwanis Club, in which he is now district lieutenant governor of the Bridge Division, as well as secretary of the Camden organization.

On Thursday (February 27) a group of his associates in the business honored Bottger at a luncheon at the Walt Whitman Hotel. Among those attending the luncheon were H. R. Moorman, general sales manager for the telephone company; H. A. McArdle, sales manager for the southern part of the state, and R. I. Peters, sales manager for the Camden area.

Bottger has been sales representative in this area for the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company since 1933. Prior to that time he held various positions in the sales and commercial offices of the company.

In Riverton, where he has long taken an active interest in community affairs, Bottger is district clerk of the school board.

## MEETING CALLED BY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEEMEN

The Republican county committee from all three Riverton districts announce that there will be an open meeting in the Riverton fire hall on Monday, March 9th at 8. 15 p.m.

Every Republican in Riverton is cordially invited to attend this meeting. It is the hope of the committeemen to form a new organization for intensive work at the coming elections.

This year, more important than any, because of the Presidential election, the Republican leaders want a strong local club to function in the interest of the party.

The committeemen behind the movement are: Dewees Showell and Mary Steedle in the first district; Richard M. Woodward and Alma Evans in the second district and Hilton M. Smith and Emma Elliott in the third district.

In our humble opinion if Al Smith ever turns over the Sidewalks of New York to the national administration it will be one brick at a time.

## WINNERS OF WEST POINT, ANNAPOLIS APPOINTMENTS

A Robbinsville, Mercer county, youth and a young man from Bordentown, Burlington county, won Congressman D. Lane Power's West Point and Annapolis appointments respectively, it was announced today by the Congressman.

The Robbinsville youth is Julius D. Yatrofsky, who was high on the West Point civil service competitive list with a mark of 91.25. The youth from Bordentown is Oscar Edward Gray, Jr., of 239 Spring street, who was the highest eligible on the Annapolis competitive list with a mark of 73.44.

The first alternate to Yatrofsky is David Reid, of 150 Mercer street, Princeton. Second alternate is A. Harold Zayotti, Jr., of 821 Morgan avenue, Palmyra.

The first alternate to Gray is John Charles Trybuszak, of 117 Elm street, Burlington, and second is Warren Hastings, Jr., of Maybury Hill, Snowden Lane, Princeton.

## BOARD RECEIVES SECOND PAYMENT

Several Contractors Paid Balances Due. Full Grant Not Yet Received.

The second installment of the Federal PWA grant allotment on the Riverton public school, amounting to \$4,967.02, was received last week by the district clerk, William H. Bottger, according to his announcement at the meeting of the board of education held in the school on Monday evening.

On motion of Hilton M. Smith the following contractors were ordered paid in full the balances due for the work performed under their contracts. American Heating and Ventilating Co., \$1,257; Louis Leymann, \$710.25; Roland E. McMahon, \$612.45 and the Camden Iron Service Co., \$786.75.

Karl W. Latch moved that \$2,000 be paid on account of the balance of monies due the Rafferty-Kennedy Co., general contractors. The motion was carried unanimously.

Mrs. Helen R. Elwell, board president, read a letter from Congressman D. Lane Powers in which he stated that he was making every effort to secure the final payment of the grant monies due the board of education through the PWA offices in Washington.

Mrs. Helen Eisele tendered her resignation to take effect April 1st, and her resignation was accepted with regret.

Miss Eleanor Williams, Riverton, was appointed to fill the vacancy at a salary of \$45 monthly for full time work, starting April 1.

A tentative schedule of auditorium rentals and a lease form were submitted for the board's consideration, by Mr. Latch, chairman of the property committee. These will be acted upon at a subsequent meeting of the board.

Monday night, March 9th, was granted as firemen's night. The school will be thrown open to the members of the Riverton Volunteer Fire Department in order that they may become well acquainted with the new building layout, location of fire hose, extinguishers, etc.

A letter was read from Paul Barnhart, newly-elected president of Riverton Town Meeting, in which he thanked the board of education for the use of the auditorium for their annual meeting, and expressed appreciation for the moving picture demonstration through the kindness of Walter K. Woolman.

A letter from the Palmyra Board of Education was read, in which an invitation was extended to Riverton board members to attend any of their meetings, which are held on

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## GRANGERS GRILL CO. FREEHOLDERS

Good Government Committee of Pomona Grange Asks Pointed Questions

The New Deal regime of the county government received an unexpected setback at the regular meeting of the Burlington County Board of Freeholders, held in Mt. Holly last Friday.

The good government committee of the Burlington County Pomona Grange was present on the invitation of the board to question some of the latest political manipulations. The attendance was so large that it was necessary to hold the meeting in the court house. Over a hundred citizens were present, as they stated, "in the interest of good government."

George T. Reid, spokesman for the committee of three, stated that the Grange had previously unanimously passed a resolution complimenting the New Dealers for their reductions in the county tax rate, but that recent action by those in power, concerning the conduct of affairs at the Fairview Sanatorium, needed an explanation.

A Pointed Question

The committee asked point blank, why the board of managers had been packed with two new members. Director Adams replied that it was in the interest of economy and good business management.

The discussion that followed was lengthy and heated in spots, the highlights of which will be covered in another column of this issue.

A committee from the Deborah Sanatorium was present to hear the report of the Freeholders concerning the request for county support of their institution, made at the previous meeting of the board.

Dr. Burton Pollock again spoke and outlined the advantages to the county in return for the nominal support asked by the Jewish charity organization. The arguments were much the same as were advanced at the previous meeting.

Director Adams assured the committee that it was the feeling of all of the board members to assist in the measure requested but that it would have to be done legally. He suggested that their committee meet with the Freeholders after the noon recess to work out the details.

Ray Cook, of Trenton, together with Marshall Harding, of Riverside, and Charles Hammerle, of Burlington, were present on behalf of the Workers' Alliance of New Jersey to object to the proposed 20 per cent cut in welfare appropriations, and to demand cash in the distribution of welfare aid.

Threatens Rioting

Mr. Cook, spokesman for the Alliance, stated that resolutions had been passed by other county boards of freeholders as well as other township and municipal bodies supporting these objections.

He stated that the people on welfare relief were well organized and if the governing officials did not comply with their requests, riots would soon become prevalent.

He further stated that welfare clients were in the main 90 per cent Americans and as American citizens deserved the right to receive cash relief and spend it where, when and how they pleased.

The board of freeholders immediately passed resolutions acceptable to the Workers Alliance and ordered them forwarded to Senator Powell and Assemblyman Newcomb.

They also passed a resolution favoring an increase in the wage scale on Federal projects in Burlington County to a level equal to that in Mercer and Camden Counties.

Several resolutions were offered by Freeholder Lamon which approved the form and authorized the advertisements for bids on the county bonds under the new refinancing

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THIRTY YEARS AGO

The Riverton Yacht Club has challenged, through Mr. Sharpless, of Philadelphia, the New York Yacht Club for the American Power Boat grand challenge cup, to be contested for early in the coming season.

The many friends of Mrs. Edwin C. Grice will be glad to know that she will be in Riverton on Thursday afternoon March 8, when she will talk to the Mothers' Council on "How to interest children to become good citizens."

The appearance of our streets, Main street in particular, has not been improved by the distribution of thousands of small bits of paper, which took place last night after dark.

At the election of trustees at Epworth M. E. Church Wednesday, William Rudduck, Isaac Evald and J. Frank Clark were returned to the board for three years.

Joseph T. Evans, the coal and lumber man, has moved from Cinnaminson to his new home purchased of J. L. Lippincott at Riverton and formerly occupied by Henry N. Pancoast on Seventh street.

REPUBLICAN CLUBS MEET IN PALMYRA

The February meeting of the associated Republican Clubs of Burlington County was held in Society Hall, Palmyra, Monday evening. The association is composed of 47 units and is headed by Roy McDougal, of Delanco.

The principal speaker was Joseph T. Coghlan, young attorney of Philadelphia. The program included two dances by Marilouise Baker, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Sidney White; readings by Mrs. Madeline Zeller, and soprano solos by Miss Mary Steele, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Eleanor McCrosson.

DEBATE AT PHS

A debate between Palmyra High School and Haddon Heights High School will take place Friday evening, March 6, at the Palmyra High School auditorium. The question is, Resolved: That a system of socialized medicine shall be established affording to all citizens complete medical service at public expense.

Margaret Rae, Charles Rader, Arthur Randolph and Grace Ballard, rebuttal, composed the affirmative team taken by Palmyra. Miss Edna K. Ziegler is the coach. What Do You Mean—"Storied"? All the opposition will have to do to kill off the arguments advanced by the New Dealers is to quote pre-campaign speeches of Mr. Roosevelt. Nothing will prove so effective. The way he has "storied" to the people is beyond belief.—Romney, W. Va., South Branch Record.

FOR SURROGATE



GEORGE B. BITING

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for the office of Surrogate at the Primary Election May 19; and in so doing, I am giving expression to the sentiment of many citizens who are interested in a higher public welfare. I have kept politics out of the administration of this important public office. My only concern has been the efficient and economical dispatch of public business, and making the office one of real helpful service to those having business therein. Any success we have attained has been very largely due to the loyalty and devotion to these ideals on the part of our personnel and the helpful cooperation of the public, fiduciaries, members of the bar, and press, for which I am deeply grateful.

An announcement of this kind does not permit full discussion of the many reforms initiated in method and procedure, accounting, etc., exclusive of routine judicial functions, which have made possible substantial savings in time and money, and permitted us to efficiently cope with litigation unprecedented in character and volume, fiduciary liquidations, etc., without increasing our personnel. Our present system of transcribing and recording will be adopted by several counties in the state.

A complete survey of the valuable record books in our vault has been made, and a fundamental plan evolved to restore old and mutilated records over a period of years. Much of this work has already been done. In cooperation with the Board of Freeholders and Works Progress Administration, work has begun on the initial steps of replacing our present incomplete and inadequate indices with a modern indexing system, with ultimate savings to the taxpayers of many thousands of dollars.

I have successfully sponsored legislation designed to conserve the assets of small estates, and opposed legislation which in the light of experience was considered undesirable and not in the best interest of the general public.

During the last four years we have turned over to the County Treasury a surplus over \$75,000 in excess of our appropriations, while our budget requirements have been reduced. The people have a right to expect, and it is the duty of those whom they select to serve them in Public Office, to closely limit public expenditures to the actual needs of our town and county governments, economically administered; because on the basis of these expenditures, rests the amount to be raised by taxation from the earnings of labor, or the property of the citizens.

If we are to attain the ideals of better government by constructive thinking and doing; the qualities we should look for in candidates for public office are not merely those qualities which are developed during the crisis of an election, but in the every-day affairs of life; the qualities of practical intelligence, of courage, of personal integrity and demonstrated capacity—rather than qualities whose recommendations are solely political.

As a qualified public spirited citizen whose record in the public life of this county has been one of sincere devotion to the best interests of the people, I ask and would appreciate the support of the people of Burlington county who are interested in the efficient and economical administration of public affairs, and decency and morality in politics. GEORGE B. BITING. Ordered and paid for by the candidate.

New Books at Riverton Library



The Novels

They Live, a Bronte novel, by E. Thornton Cook. A lively novel of the fascinating Bronte family set against the authentic literary world of their day. The Hurricane, by Nordhoff and Hall. A romantic, thrilling and tragic narrative of a hurricane in the South Sea, by the authors of Mutiny on the Bounty. The Exile, by Pearl Buck. A deeply moving tribute to an American mother in her long exile in China. The Sound Wagon, by T. S. Stripling. A vastly entertaining political satire.

Career, by Phil Stong. An essentially sound American novel. The House on the March, by Helen Martin. A popular novelist turns to a mystery theme. The Little Doctor, by Louise Platt Hauck. The Shining Cloud, by Margaret Pedler. Darby and Joan, by Maurice Barling. The Luck of the Bodkus, by P. G. Woodhouse. The Girl in Golden Rags, by Robert W. Chambers. Whispering River, by Helen Topping Miller. Returned, by Freeman Lincoln. The Rebel Loyalist, by Ralph Connor. Mystery and Adventure Floating Peril, by E. Phillips Oppenheim. Keep It Quiet, by Richard Hull. Dead Man Manor, by Valentine Williams. A Stranger in Black Butte, by Hoffman Birney. The Sheriff of Elk Ridge, by Maslin MacRae. Pistol Passport, by Eugene Cunningham.

Non-Fiction With Napoleon in Russia, from the Memoirs of General de Caulaincourt. The fresh dramatic truth behind the mystery of Napoleon's disastrous Russian campaign. The Kipling Pageant, with a foreword by the author, Rudyard Kipling. The first collection of the finest examples of the complete works—poetry and prose—of Rudyard Kipling. Mary Shippen: Her Journal Book, edited by Ethel Armes. The romance of a young lady of fashion in Colonial Philadelphia. Portrait of a Lady, by Eleanor Farjeon. The story of an exceptionally gifted and vital family, charmingly told by one of its members.

The Whole World and Company, by Gretchen Green. The story of an amazing woman's progress through life. Desolate Marches, by S. M. Nesbitt. Travels in the Orinoco Llanos of Venezuela. Flying for 1936. The Junior Aircraft Year Book.

A CONVINCING ARGUMENT There's another advantage to snow-storms. They are the only thing that will silence those people who go around all the rest of the time saying that the Gulf Stream has obviously changed its course.—Boston Transcript.

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Veal Cutlet 41c lb Rack Veal 19c lb Loin Veal Chops 37c lb Breast 15c lb

Fancy Lamb Chops 34c lb

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Tender Chuck Roast 20c lb

ROUND RUMP STEAKS 30c lb 32c lb SIRLOIN, 40c lb.

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Adams Renews Newcomb Attack

has not been increased to \$10.00, nor is it the intention on the part of the Board of Freeholders to increase it above \$5.00, which has been the rate in the past. We would suggest that Dr. Newcomb keep politics out of the running of the hospital, and that if he runs on his record as a legislator and not on the way Fair View has been conducted.

Dr. Newcomb boasts about its costing \$4,654.88 less to operate the Sanatorium during 1935 than 1934. He cannot take any of the credit as he was forced to make these reductions in a budget, and had not the budget been overexpended \$2,900 by the management, its saving would have been nearly \$8,000; and, as a matter of fact, a good part of what he terms "savings" was realized by not expending money put in the budget for repairs and improvements. Figures are not yet available for 1935 but we find that in the per capita maintenance cost of a total of eleven state and county tubercular institutions in New Jersey, Burlington County ranks ninth high.

He speaks of the cost to the taxpayers and the amount of money turned in to the County Treasurer. This is very misleading, to say the least. He does not tell you that most of the money turned in to the County Treasurer comes from State taxes, and that we are allowed \$6 per week for every poor patient in the county, even those from other counties have the same allowance, and that we are allowed \$12 per week for all state poor patients. We now have 64 Burlington County and state poor cases, in addition to those that come from other counties. You, the taxpayers, help pay these funds. State taxes are not gotten from thin air; therefore the daily maintenance cost per capita to the taxpayer for patients at Fair View Sanatorium is \$2.52 instead of .592c as stated by Dr. Newcomb.

Dr. Newcomb states that he is very proud of the way the sanatorium has been run for nearly seventeen years, and leads you to believe that he, Dr. Newcomb, is wholly responsible. It isn't generally known, but the records prove that Dr. Newcomb has not been Superintendent of the hospital from 1922 to January 10, 1935, at which time I insisted that he be given the title of Superintendent in addition to Medical Director in order that it would be legal for him to continue doing things he had assumed without authority for a number of years. The appointment of Superintendent is always for one year and has never been made for a period of three years as some people would like you to believe.

The x-ray equipment of which he speaks was given to the sanatorium and it wasn't necessary to solicit the donor. I understand from Mrs. Evans the donor expressed a desire to do something for the hospital. This equipment was given to the county and not to Dr. Newcomb personally, and therefore, in my mind he had no right to use it in his personal practice as he admitted he did for a number of years.

Dr. Newcomb has been exceptionally well paid for his work at Fair View. Contrary to reports, he has been retained as Medical Director, with no decrease in salary, but 5% given back this year. We feel that for \$5,700 less 5%, which Dr. Newcomb receives as his salary, he should devote more time to the care of the patients in the institution. If he had done so, possibly the death rate in 1935 would not have increased to 56, out of an average of 109 patients daily. We were given to understand by the Assistant Superintendent that Dr. Newcomb did not spend an average of more than three or four hours per day on the days that he was available.

Contradicting further reports the fee allowed members of the Board of Managers for attending meetings, with one's political friends and pay prices in excess of those that can be secured elsewhere. Just as a matter of comparison with the other County institutions, I might state that the average number of patients at the Hospital for the Insane during the year 1935, was 264 daily. Their per capita cost for daily maintenance was \$1.094. Their total amount spent for food was \$27,890.60. The Almshouse, which also includes the operation of a hospital and a large farm, had an average number of patients of 131. Daily per capita cost for maintenance was 99c. Their total amount expended for food was \$9,581.68. The Tubercular Hospital had a daily average of patients of less than 110. Their per capita cost was \$2.52; and they expended for food \$31,415.50.

Adams Renews Newcomb Attack

Very truly yours, Palmer L. Adams, Director Burlington County Board of Chosen Freeholders.

Grangers Grill Co. Freeholders

A resolution was made by Director Adams to open the 1936 budget and make the following changes in the budget items. The budget item for the hospital for the insane to be reduced from \$109,000 to \$108,000 and a \$1,000 appropriation be made to the Deborah Sanatorium at Browns Mills. The director stated that this would settle the Deborah question and not increase the county tax rate. The resolution passed unanimously.

A resolution was offered by Freeholder Lamson extending the call for maturing improvement notes from February 21st to March 5th, at which time the money from the sale of bonds is expected to be available.

Freeholder Stout offered a resolution authorizing a check to the board's solicitor for \$9.06 expenses incurred on the business of the board. The resolution passed.

Freeholder Jones offered a resolution authorizing Public Service to erect one pole on the Jacksonville road in Eastampton township. The resolution passed.

A resolution authorizing the Lake Pine Property Owners Association to open the county road for the construction of a water line on Taunton road was passed unanimously.

Director Adams offered a resolution authorizing Freeholder Cook and Charles A. Thompson, county agricultural agent, to purchase cows for the tuberculosis hospital in an amount not to exceed \$2,000. The resolution was passed unanimously.

Freeholder Jones was authorized to purchase motorized equipment for the highway department not to exceed \$20,000. Funds for this equipment were provided in the 1934 budget and will not come out of the 1936 appropriations, it was stated. Director Adams was authorized to purchase one Ford touring sedan equipped with heater and short wave radio for the use of the county detective. The bid of the Barron Motor Co., in Moorestown was low at \$330.27 plus the trade in allowance of \$425.

NEW DEAL FAILS TO JUSTIFY ACTION

The New Deal combine on the Burlington County board of freeholders spent a bad two hours at the hands of a group of citizens representing the Burlington County Pomona Grange in the meeting of the board in the Court House, Mt. Holly, last Friday. The grangers, who up to then had been a strong county factor in supporting the New Dealers, resented the unwarranted attacks upon Dr. Newcomb and were there to find out what it was all about.

When Director Adams replied to their query of why the board of managers was "packed," that it was done in the interest of economy and good business management, they asked him what was the matter with the management. Adams stated that he could not see why they objected to an increased board of managers had some of the other counties had boards of seven and in some cases nine members.

One of the grangers asked, "was he efficient?" Adams replied that it was not a case of efficiency—he said, "We demand that politics be kept out of the institution." He runs for office, it is the basis of his record at the institution. This, Adams stated, was one of the reasons for Newcomb's removal from a position of authority at the sanatorium.

Another reason Adams gave was that he failed to see how Dr. Newcomb could act as superintendent and medical director and be on the job only three or four hours a day. He felt that Dr. Newcomb should devote his entire time to the job. Adams also pointed out that Dr. Newcomb was interested in several private institutions for the treatment of pay patients.

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Freeholder Lamson offered a resolution to proceed with a WPA project that will include a survey of the highway network in Burlington County and to provide safety measures at dangerous places. To Pay Printing Bills Director Adams raised the question of several printing bills for the county which he stated he knew to be excessive in price. The bills he stated were contracted by department heads and that he had tried to secure an adjustment but had been unsuccessful. Freeholder Lamson stated that since no price had been agreed upon in advance of placing the order, nothing could be done about it and offered a resolution passing them for payment. The resolution was passed unanimously.

Freeholder Jones offered a resolution that no printing order amounting to \$50 or over shall be placed without first receiving informal bids. The resolution was passed unanimously.

The following department bills were authorized for payment: public buildings, \$14,355.42; highway and engineering, \$5,637.27; bridges, \$1,737.63; public affairs, \$2,721.31; and revenue and finance, \$3,192.39.

does a good job for the county. Objects to Patients Voting

Adams resented the "third degree" from the grangers and blurted out in an angry tone, "we object to Dr. Newcomb taking patients who are confined to their beds out at election time to vote, and we mean to put a stop to it." Another granger rose to his feet and stated that he had served on the election board in Pemberton township and he was quite sure that the majority of persons who voted were employees at the institution and very few if any patients voted.

Another granger shot the question to Adams, "What's the matter, are you afraid to have them vote? Every man has the right to vote and who is the better judge of who is able to vote—you or Dr. Newcomb?" Suggests Subsidized Press Adams asked, "Have any of you men seen my statement of affairs in reply to Dr. Newcomb's statement in the press?" One granger laughed it off and said, "What appears in the press—just depends upon who owns the press."

Adams replied, "I have shown from the institution's own records that Dr. Newcomb falsified the records." A granger asked, "Are you not satisfied to discredit Dr. Newcomb, are you now trying to make a crook out of him?" He went on to say that they knew for a fact that the institution is clean, well managed, and that the patients have a world of confidence in Dr. Newcomb. "We grangers, too, have a very high opinion of the doctor," he declared.

The same granger asked, "Isn't it a fact that Dr. Newcomb's daring whole matter?" Adams replied that under no circumstances would the fees be increased. He stated that any member of the board of managers not satisfied with his fee had only to say so—and his resignation would be promptly accepted.

Dr. Tracy Explains

"We are dealing with sick people, yet the talk is about personalities and politics. People will tell you I aided Dr. Newcomb in every possible way. I am convinced he did not cooperate with me, although I was attempting to fight his battles. It seems to me he should be kept out of the institution and medical director and be on the job only three or four hours a day. He felt that Dr. Newcomb should devote his entire time to the job. Adams also pointed out that Dr. Newcomb was interested in several private institutions for the treatment of pay patients.

A communication from the War Department was read in which the department stated it was not favorable to a canal from the Shrewsbury river to Cape May and that a public hearing on the matter would be held in a few weeks. The letter was referred to Freeholder Jones of the highway and engineering department. Freeholder Lamson offered a resolution to proceed with a WPA project that will include a survey of the highway network in Burlington County and to provide safety measures at dangerous places. To Pay Printing Bills Director Adams raised the question of several printing bills for the county which he stated he knew to be excessive in price. The bills he stated were contracted by department heads and that he had tried to secure an adjustment but had been unsuccessful. Freeholder Lamson stated that since no price had been agreed upon in advance of placing the order, nothing could be done about it and offered a resolution passing them for payment. The resolution was passed unanimously.

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to the effect that, "he would take Dr. Newcomb's word for that." Dr. Tracy said he wanted to assure the grangers that he had not been a party to a DEAL, but that "something inside him" (laying his hand on his heart) makes the picture look different.

Mrs. Cooper Speaks Mrs. B. H. Cooper, speaking on behalf of the Moorestown Woman's Club, asked director Adams if 59 cents per day per patient was considered extravagant. That, she stated, is the net cost to the county under Dr. Newcomb's administration. Director Adams leaped to his feet and in an angry voice asked Mrs. Cooper, "Where did you get that figure—from Dr. Newcomb?" Mrs. Cooper replied that she did Adams declared that he had figures before him taken from the institution's own records that proved Newcomb's figures to be incorrect. Mrs. Cooper asked Adams why he criticized Dr. Newcomb for going over his budget at the institution when they (the Freeholders) overspent their insurance budget.

She stated that \$1,120 had been set up as the insurance item in Dr. Newcomb's budget and that the Freeholders had expended \$2,008.37, thus forcing an overexpenditure on Dr. Newcomb's budget. Dr. Underestimates Insurance Adams replied that Dr. Newcomb had underestimated his insurance requirements and if they (the Freeholders) had not secured a reduced rate, the overexpenditure would have been much greater. Mrs. Cooper asked why, in the face of all this economy talk, was the board of managers' pay increased from \$25 to \$70 per meeting? Adams replied that under no circumstances would the fees be increased. He stated that any member of the board of managers not satisfied with his fee had only to say so—and his resignation would be promptly accepted.

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YMCA BRIEFS

REGIONAL CONFERENCE "Your World and You" will be the theme of a regional conference to be held in the Trinity Episcopal and First Baptist Churches of Moorestown, March 6-7. Rev. Wilbur E. Saunders, Administrator Peddie School, Hightstown, will be the main speaker. There will also be commissions studying the following problems: developing a program of personal religious living; assisting in bringing about world peace; helping to build a Christian economic order; providing for a constructive use of leisure time; developing a Christian type of patriotism. At the Saturday evening session the drama "The Unknown Soldier Speaks" will be presented. On Saturday afternoon, 4:00 to 5:00 o'clock, there will be a forum on Consumers Cooperatives.

AS FOR THE ALPHABET The Supreme Court found NRA and AAA were NG, but TVA seems to be OK, but it still isn't as simple as ABC.—Sioux City (Iowa) Tribune.

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In Desperate Straits

The desperate plight of the New Dealers is plainly shown by the methods they are employing in their efforts to defeat Dr. Marcus W. Newcomb for the Republican nomination for State Senator.

Not content with charging him with mismanagement of the Fairview Sanatorium, Palmer L. Adams, director of the Burlington County Board of Freeholders, insinuates in an open letter printed in the newspapers of the county that Dr. Newcomb has neglected the patients in that institution to the point of causing an unnecessary number of deaths. His exact language, which will be found in his letter published in this issue, is as follows: "We feel that for the \$5,700 less 5%, which Dr. Newcomb receives as his salary, he should devote more time to the care of the patients in the institution. If he had done so, possibly the death rate in 1935 would not have increased to 36, out of an average of 109 patients daily."

Not only will the people of Burlington County refuse to be convinced that Director Adams knows more about the medical requirements of the patients in the Fairview Sanatorium than does Dr. Newcomb, but indignation over this unfair and unwarranted attack is mounting rapidly, and this indignation will be expressed at the ballot box in May when both Director Adams and Senator Powell will seek nomination to succeed themselves in the offices they now occupy.

Charging that Dr. Newcomb is playing politics in his conduct of the sanatorium, Director Adams said in a public meeting of the board of freeholders last Friday, that the doctor took patients to the polls to vote, and that he (Adams) was going to put a stop to it. Evidently the young director fails to realize that the prerogatives of his office do not include the right to disfranchise qualified voters. The resentment of his audience when he made this threat was unmistakable.

PHS NEWS

Chester Howland, son of a New Bedford sea captain, was the guest in a program sponsored by the Palmyra High School Activity Board Tuesday afternoon. "Early American Whaling" was the topic of Mr. Howland's talk. He exhibited to the students the various instruments, harpoon and lance, used in capturing the whale. A motion picture of a whaling voyage from the little town of New Bedford was shown. Colored slides of the ship Mr. Bedford's father sailed in the old whaling days were part of the program.

The Davies Light Opera Company of Chicago will be the next feature in the outside programs and will be given in the auditorium Monday, March 16.

The sophomore program, which was postponed last week, will be given in assembly Wednesday, March 11.

The annual Junior Frolic dance given by the class of 1937 Saturday evening was a social and financial success. The Jersey Cavaliers eleven piece orchestra supplied the music.

The door prizes were won by Betty Wilson, Betty Baker, Marie Frank and Dorothy Zoon. Robert McCurdy, class president, was in charge of the following committees: Orchestra—John Philiger, William Whitmeyer, William Althouse. Advertising—William Good, Harry Hudson, Everard Oliver, Kenneth Beyer.

Tickets—James Wynkoop, Joseph Grant, Blanche Kuensel. Decorations—George Durgin, Mary Gibson, Adele Siddel, Marjorie Koenig, William Davidson, Howard Lippincott, Marjorie Keil.

Arthur Randolph, senior in Palmyra High School, was presented with a gavel used in the mock trial at Temple University in December. In the assembly program Wednesday, Arthur by Merl Scheffey, of Abington, who was vice president of the congress last year.

M. E. Gladfel, registrar of Temple, and Dr. C. E. Sohl, of Abington, were guests at the presentation.

Margaret Rae and Alfred Van Osten presented a program of poetry and music in commemoration of Rudyard Kipling Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Rae's selections included "If," "The Thousandth Man" and "Gunda Dia." Mr. Van Osten, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Diener, sang "Route Marching," "Mandalay" and "Recessional."

THINGS TO CONSIDER

The President seems willing to admit that he saved the banks of the nation by his arbitrary proclamation closing them. The fact that in a few days he re-opened 92 percent of them with the statement that they were sound, although no change had occurred in their assets and liabilities, indicates beyond doubt that they were sound when he closed them.—Henryetta, Okla., Free Lance.

Ingratitude repels benevolence.

CHURCH NEWS

EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH

Rev. William A. Boyd, Pastor This Sunday morning at eleven o'clock the Rev. W. A. Boyd, minister of the church, will preach the fourth sermon, "Sin," in the series on "Faith and Practice." Music will be furnished by the Senior and Dulciana choirs.

Three great Sunday evening meetings begin with this Sunday—March 8, 15 and 22. This Sunday the professions will demonstrate that religion is practical and vital. Three speakers will bring personal messages upon the subject of religion as follows: Frederick Bean, Camden County Superintendent of Schools, will represent Education; Frank Propert, lawyer of Camden, will represent his profession, and Dr. W. F. Shafer, of Camden, will represent the Medical Profession. Letters received by the minister from some of the leading professional men all over the country will be read. This meeting will be one hour long and of vital interest to every one interested or not in religion.

The following Sunday evening "Big Business" will be represented and the last Sunday evening "Young People" will be given a chance to demonstrate religion.

Lenten services are being held in our church every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Excellent speakers are being implored to speak at these meetings and good music is being provided. This Thursday evening, Rev. E. T. Fitzgibbon, of Merchantville, will be the speaker. The entire community is invited to attend these meetings.

PALMYRA MORAVIAN CHURCH

Albert J. Harks, B.D., Pastor Services Sunday, March 8, 1936. 9:30 a.m., Sunday School. 10:40 a.m., Morning Worship, sermon, "We See Jesus."

6:45 p.m., Christian Endeavor. 7:30 p.m., Evening service of praise. Last sermon of the series on "Candidates for the Kingdom." "The Divided Heart."

Lenten services Wednesday at 8:00 p.m. Third message in the series on "Afar Off," "The Pharisee and the Publican."

COMMUNITY LENTEN SERVICES FOR MEN

Community Lenten services for men will be sponsored by the Wesleyan Men's Bible Class on Sunday, March 29, at 2:45 in the Broadway theatre. The speaker will be the Rev. Carl McIntire. Plans are being made by the Wesleyan committee to have a very interesting program with special music. All men, are cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

"Man" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March eighth.

The Golden Text is: "Thou hast dealt well with thy servant, O Lord, according unto thy word. Thy hands have made me and fashioned me" (Psalms 119:65, 73).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: So God created man in his own image, in male and female created he them" (Genesis 1:26, 27).

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: "Question—What is man? Answer—Man is not matter; he is not made up of brain, blood, bones, and other material elements. The Scriptures inform us that man is made in the image and likeness of God. Matter is not that likeness. The likeness of Spirit cannot be so unlike Spirit" (p. 475).

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Lockett, B.D., Pastor Services, Sunday, March 8th 10:00 a.m., Bible school.

11:15 a.m., Morning Worship. Pastor Lockett will deliver a sermon on the very timely subject on the Lenten season, "The Last Invitation." 7:00 p.m., High School Young People's Group. Last Sunday the young people were addressed by Charles Ray, of the High School faculty.

7:45 p.m., Evening Worship. The subject will be "The Church and Community Welfare." The choir will present an anthem together with a vocal solo by a member of the choir.

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. C. T. Bates, B.D., Pastor As part of the morning worship at Calvary Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock, every member subscriptions for the coming year will be received. Every member of the congregation is urged to be present. Church School 9:45; the Pastor's Class of Instruction, 10 a.m.; Junior Christian Endeavor Society, 4 p.m.; Senior Christian Endeavor, 7 p.m., at which James M. Shockley will lead; all young people are invited to this service. The mid-week service, Wednesday, March 11th, at 8 p.m., Calvary Presbyterian Church extends a most cordial invitation to any in the community who have no regular church home here to enter into its worship and fellowship.

Church Notices

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL

Riverton, N. J. Rev. Francis B. Downs, Th.B., Rector Second Sunday in Lent March 8th, 1936

7:30 Holy Communion 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Morning Prayer and Sermon Subject: "The First Temptation of Christ."

4:00 Evening Prayer, "The Question Box" Wednesday, March 11th 3:45 Children's Service 8:00 Evening prayer and instruction. Subject: "Is Forgiveness Moral?"

Thursday, March 12th 6:30 Holy Communion 9:30 Holy Communion and Meditation. Subject: "Temperance."

EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH

Rev. William A. Boyd, 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

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist Thomas Ave. and Seventh St. Riverton, N. J.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2:30 to 4:30

ASKS DAMAGES FOR DEATH OF DAUGHTER

Thomas Gilbert, of Riverside, is seeking \$85,000 for the death of his daughter, Edith, and the injuries suffered by a second daughter, Rose. Defendants in this action are Robert W. Saeger, of 306 Cooper street, Camden, driver of the car which struck the two girls, and LeRoy M. Robinson, of 427 Washington street, Haddonfield, car owner.

Edith Gilbert was fatally injured the night of January 12 when she, her sister and several others were struck by a car while crossing Admiral Wilson boulevard at Memorial avenue, Camden. They had just left the Walkathon at Convention Hall Annex and stepped from in front of a car that had stopped to let them pass when the Saeger machine hit them. Gilbert seeks \$50,000 for the death of Edith, and \$35,000 for Rose.

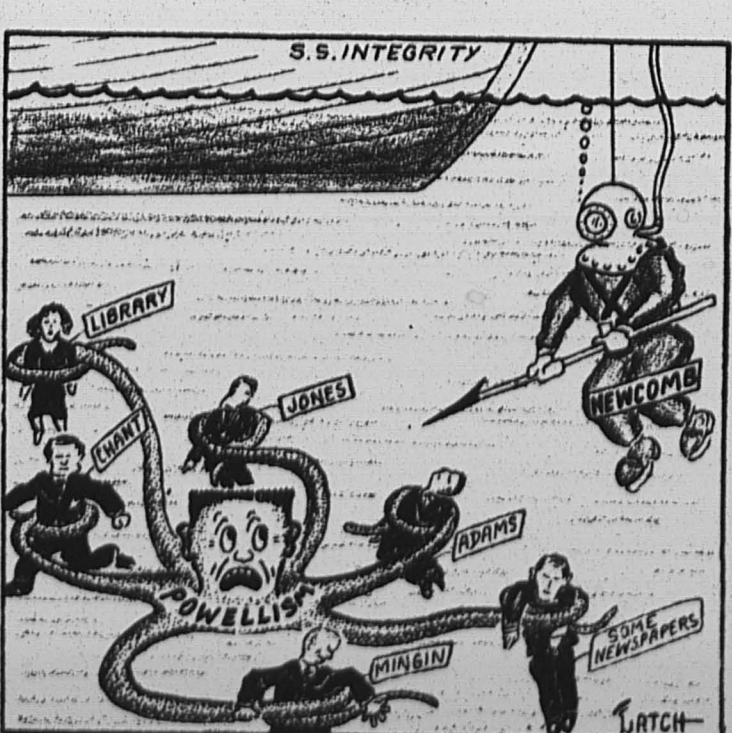
Let Us Prey

When Mark Twain wrote this "War Prayer" thirty years ago, he said, "It can be published after I am dead, for only dead men can tell the truth in this world and I have told the whole truth in that prayer." Here it is:

O Lord our God, help us to tear their soldiers to bloody shreds with our shells; help us to cover their smiling fields with the pale forms of their patriot dead; help us to lay waste their humble homes with a hurricane of fire; help us to wring the hearts of their unoffending widows with unavailing grief; help us to turn them out roofless with their little children to wander unfriended through wastes of their desolated land in rags and hunger and thirst, sport of the sun's flames of summer and the icy winds of winter, broken in spirit, worn with travail, imploring Thee for the refuge of the grave and denied it—for our sakes, who adore Thee, Lord, blast their hopes, blight their lives, protract their bitter pilgrimage, make heavy their steps, stain the white snow with their tears, stain the white snow with the blood of their wounded feet We ask of one who is the spirit of love and who is the ever-faithful refuge and friend of all that are sore beset, and seek His aid with humble and contrite hearts. Grant our prayer, O Lord, and Thine shall be the praise and honor and glory, now and ever. Amen. N. Y. World Telegram.

The question now is whether lavish federal spending has primed the pump or flooded the carburetor. —Charlotte, N. C., Observer.

To the Rescue



RABIES SPREADING IN THIS VICINITY

State Director of Health Outlines Powers of Police and Boards of Health

Rabies, which has been prevalent among dogs in parts of Camden county for several months, is appearing in nearby counties and demands concerted efforts of health departments and municipal governing bodies to prevent further spread.

In the last eight months, 58 rabid dogs have been reported from Camden county. Most of these were in Camden city but local control measures are having effect and the peak in the city was in November. Recently, however, several cases have been found in Burlington and Gloucester counties, and last week one was recorded in Riverton. Strict control of dogs seems necessary, therefore, to prevent this dangerous disease from being carried throughout South Jersey.

The state law requires the police department of each municipality to catch, impound and destroy or otherwise dispose of any unregistered dog running at large. Boards of health may require that all dogs be confined. The health boards should investigate each case of dog bite and require the dog to be confined for observation at least ten days. When a case of rabies occurs, dogs known or suspected of being bitten by such animal should either be destroyed or securely confined for six months.

—Dr. J. Lynn Mahaffey, State Director of Health.

CAST SELECTED FOR JUNIOR PLAY

After a week of sleepless nights, headaches, and tryouts galore, Miss Rose Schmidt was finally selected the cast for the Junior Class play "The Odd Job Man," which was picked by the following committee: Miss Schmidt, Dorothy Mays, Dorothy Wolcott and William Good. The cast selected is a very promising one, including William Good, Robert Coles, Joe Grant, Francis Green, Mary Gibbon, Ethel Clark, Reba Juhl, Esther Snow and Anna Phil.

After selecting the cast and seeing them work together in "The Odd Job Man," said Miss Schmidt, "I feel sure that the Junior Class of P.H.S. has a great show in store for all who attend its performances." The dates for the play have been set for Friday and Saturday, April 3 and 4. So keep the dates in mind because the Juniors need your help to make their play a success.

CINNAMINSON P.-T. A.

A large number attended the birthday celebration, on Wednesday, February 26th, postponed for a week on account of the dangerous roads. The meeting disposed of the business briskly, and all were asked to visit the teachers' room, which is almost finished. The walls looked dingy, one of the members offered paint, if the association would have it applied, this will be done immediately.

The thanks of the whole association is due to the committee who have worked so effectively in this matter. A candle-lighting service was done with dignity by ten of the members, after which four boys sang several songs in a manner that was fully appreciated. One of the members gave a couple of lines of poetry. Miss Mary Roberts, of the Friends' School in Moorestown, gave a talk on Palestine, where she has visited twice, the last time remaining for a time as a teacher. Miss Roberts opened an unusual insight as to the climate and beauties of the land with a vivid description of the people, customs, dress, etc. Many questions were asked, and satisfactorily answered. Native weaving was also displayed.

The attention of members is called to the fact that the Southern Conference of the New Jersey Congress of Parents and Teachers will be held in Camden, Wednesday, April 1st, 10 a.m. in the Broadway M. E. Church, when Miss Alice Sowers, specialist in parent education, will be the speaker. Publicity.

YMCA AUXILIARY

The Women's Auxiliary of the Palmyra-Riverton YMCA will hold its monthly covered dish luncheon at the "Y" building, Wednesday, March 11th, at one o'clock. A representative from the American Can Company will be the chief speaker. His topic, one which will be of great interest to mothers will be "The Story behind the Label." Mrs. Charles Yost, the auxiliary's president, extends to all "Y" boys' mothers and friends of the "Y" a very cordial invitation to come and enjoy this talk. Many worthwhile and interesting things are learned from the interesting speakers provided each month by the program chairman. Publicity.

PORCH CLUB NOTES

On Thursday, February 26, at 2 o'clock, a lecture on current events was given at the Riverton Porch Club by rs. Ida Wright Bowman, a graduate of Swarthmore College. Mrs. Bowman, who is well versed in national and international affairs, gave an outstanding and constructive lecture which was attended by a capacity house of club members and representatives from seventeen New Jersey clubs.

A business meeting was held on Tuesday, March 3rd, at 2:30 p.m., after which a fashion show was presented. Gowns from the shop of Mary A. Roberts, Moorestown, were modeled by junior and senior club members. A smart and attractive array of sport clothes, afternoon and evening gowns were shown.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS RALLY

The March rally of the Burlington County Federation of Men's Bible Classes will be held in the Beverly Baptist Church, Sunday, March 8, at 2:30 p.m. Speaker, Rev. Carl W. Reamer, pastor of the Audubon M. E. Church, Audubon, N. J. Special musical numbers by the Delanco Male Chorus. Ladies are welcomed to attend this meeting.

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Officer John Carhart of the Riverton Police, found an abandoned taxicab at the corner of Fourth street and Thomas avenue, Riverton, early Friday morning. The cab was the property of the Yellow Cab Company, Camden district, and had been stolen from Camden. It was returned to the owners.

Winfield Davis, of Palmyra, was arrested by Officer John Robinson, Friday, charged with careless driving. He was fined \$2 and costs by Recorder Frank Probiting.

OMEN OF THE FUTURE

Birth of the one-pound Oakland baby is significant. The new generation may be shrinking from the prospect of shouldering the United States debt.—Altoona (Pa.) Mirror.

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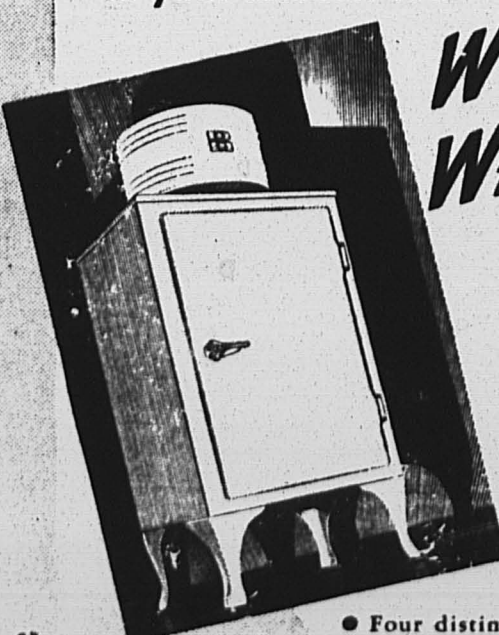
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Palmyra vs California

By Karl W. Latch

Just at this time when the State of California has occupied front page position in the daily newspapers as well as rating a spot in the news reels on its governor's drive to rid the state of "transients," a little story "pops up" in Palmyra that stands out in sharp contrast.

"Morry" Beck, Palmyra's genial police chief, who has proved himself to be "hard as flint" when the occasion demands, revealed the gentler side of his nature today when he escorted the writer on personally conducted tour of his latest hobby.

"Morry" has provided sleeping quarters for "transients," ("bums as some are wont to call them) in the Palmyra police headquarters, that excels most jails in the county. The chief reclaimed what was a room for the storage of highway tools and transformed it into a clean, well-lighted, heated, and well-ventilated "transient room."

With a little financial aid from the borough treasury, the chief built eight fairly comfortable bunks. The framework is constructed of angle-iron, and portable lattice bunks, suspended by springs, make the bed. Transients spread newspapers over the lattice bunks and manage to get a comfortable night's rest.

In the room adjoining the sleeping quarters, toilet facilities have been provided. In another section a wash stand with soap and towels is available for their use. A kitchen table is in one corner with knives and spoons in the drawer. Over the kitchen table is a cupboard containing an electric grill, a coffee pot, a can of coffee, sugar and cream and cups and saucers.

The walls and ceiling of the rooms are whitewashed to a spotless snowy-whiteness. The floors are painted gray with a red border, and they, too, are kept spotlessly clean. A couple of newly painted chairs constitute the only furniture outside of the bunks.

The use of these quarters is extended to all who apply up to the limit of their capacity. The "transient's" only obligation is to pitch in the next morning and clean out the rooms for the next group of over-night visitors.

They make themselves a hot cup of coffee in the morning and then set to with buckets and mop to clean everything in the room before leaving.

PWA EXPLAINED BY DIRECTOR MURPHY

Declared Government Not Responsible for Originating "Boondoggling" Projects

On Friday evening the Burlington County Women's Democratic Club held their February meeting and "Donkey Round-up" at the county court house.

The highlight of this meeting was the talk on WPA given by Director William Murphy, of Trenton, and the round table discussion which followed. First, Mr. Murphy explained the general set-up and working of the WPA and why it was instituted by the President.

He explained the law on the 10% non-relief quota, which allows only 10% non-relief workers in the county for supervisors and assistants and laborers. He also explained that his workers were sent to him from the ERA rolls in Mt. Holly and that if there were some who were not really eligible for relief, working as relief clients, the trouble was with the Emergency Relief organization in Mt. Holly, as they certify all persons for work projects.

He told his audience that 1984 people were working on WPA projects in Burlington County, only 98 of them non-relief workers. The sewing rooms which were instituted in the towns, now take care of 125 women, and he expressed a desire to have many more such classes formed in Burlington county.

He told his listeners that there had been no complaints on any of the WPA jobs in Burlington county, either in the personnel of supervision or in the progress of the work; in fact, local authorities have expressed gratification with the progress of these jobs.

Mr. Murphy also made a statement about "boondoggling." He told his audience that WPA did not originate projects; the county, town, borough, or township were obliged to present the project, and if it were considered a good use for manpower it was accepted by WPA and authorized. If not it was rejected. Hence, any so-called foolish "boondoggling" projects must be blamed on the local authorities, not on the Federal Government.

The "Donkey Round-up" which was the purpose of the meeting, was pushed up a little on the program, but the opening of the miniature donkeys was a very interesting rite. Twenty-six dollars in nickles and dimes were retrieved from the little iron banks and a number of the members holding banks were not there for this meeting.

The March meeting will be in Riverton Fire House and the April meeting in Bordentown.

OBITUARIES

EDWARD J. CLARK
Edward J. Clark died Tuesday, March 3, at his home in Delair. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 8.30 o'clock at the late residence 521 Union avenue, and mass will be observed at St. Cecilia's Church, Camden avenue, Camden, at 9.30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Holy Cross cemetery under the direction of Frank A. Snover. Friends may call Friday evening.

Editorial

From the Beverly Banner February 28, 1936

In the heat of a political contest the public is accustomed to blasts and counterblasts of verbal assault between the contending interests. A great deal of this wordy warfare, especially as regards "mismanagement" in office is generally accepted with the proverbial grain of salt by the public, for it is usually not difficult to produce figures to prove almost anything one wants to. Disraeli once said, "There are lies, damn lies and statistics."

But something more serious has just been injected into the controversy surrounding the Powell-Newcomb contest for the Republican senatorial nomination. Palmer L. Adams, director of the Board of Freeholders, in a public statement, issued over his signature, has practically charged Dr. Newcomb, medical director of Fairview Tuberculosis Sanatorium, with neglecting his duties to his patients and broadly insinuates that such neglect on the part of Dr. Newcomb has been responsible for the death of some of the patients under his care.

Here is a matter that cannot be lightly dismissed. Mr. Adams should be fully prepared to substantiate such charges for it is a practical certainty that he will be called upon to do so.

NEW OFFICERS OF PORCH CLUB

At the annual meeting of the Riverton Porch Club held at the club house Tuesday of this week, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Executive Board, officers, vice president, Mrs. Charles F. Allen; recording secretary, Mrs. Raymond M. Fuller; directors, Mrs. Charles H. Carpenter, Mrs. Gilbert A. Coe, Mrs. Henry H. Lippincott, Mrs. Gorham P. Sargent, Mrs. Bradford Stetson; admission committee, Mrs. Charles C. Miller, Mrs. Charles C. Rianhard, Mrs. Harry L. Rogers, Mrs. Charles H. Yost.

The following did not come up for election this year: President, Mrs. John Douglas Clark; vice presidents, Mrs. Henry Shreve, Mrs. Nathan Lane; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ralph L. Flower; treasurer, Mrs. Edward K. Merrill; directors, Mrs. H. McIlvain Biddle, Mrs. Howard S. Coe, Mrs. Herbert Kieckhefer, Mrs. Henry L. Randall, Mrs. G. Lincoln Ridley; admission committee, Mrs. Walter L. Drew, Mrs. William G. Porter, Mrs. Henry Ashburner, Mrs. James S. Coale.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY
The annual election of officers for the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church for the ensuing year on Wednesday, March 4, resulted as follows: president, Mrs. Hilton M. Smith; vice president, Mrs. S. L. W. Field; secretary, Mrs. James B. Mickle; treasurer, Mrs. Howard D. Marston.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY AT K OF C
The Ladies Auxiliary of the K of C are anticipating a merry time at the St. Patrick's Day party which is planned to take place on Tuesday evening, March 17, in the K of C home, Broad street and Elm avenue. There will be dancing and cards. Mrs. Anna Davis is in charge of arrangements for the dance, assisted by Mrs. Robert Woods and an active committee.

SACRED HEART P.T.A.
The Sacred Heart Parent-Teacher Association will hold its monthly meeting in the school auditorium on Thursday, March 12 at 3 o'clock. The executive committee will meet at 2.30.

He who lives to eat lives neither much nor long.
"Science in the modern sense is a body of knowledge which has been tested by experiment."—Julian Hux-

Reflections

At the Freeholders meeting last Friday, Adams claimed that the board of managers was "packed" in order to get control of the board that "economy and good business management" might be applied to the Fairview Sanatorium.

He also complained of the eminent Dr. Newcomb running for office on his record at the Sanatorium.

Can Newcomb's record at the Sanatorium be anything but the best—when his opponent wants to strip it from him for political reasons?

Later on in the Grangers' inquest, when his temper got the better of his judgment Adams blurted out that "he was going to stop the practice of patients getting out of a sick bed at the Sanatorium to vote at election time."

And then, too, was the "packing" of the board of managers done purely in the interest of economy and efficiency, or does Adams' own statements suggest a morsel of political strategy?

If the director of the board of freeholders has the right to disfranchise a man because he is unfortunate enough to be ill, it is a power that he has recently assumed. Who is better qualified to judge as to whether or not a patient is able to make such a trip—Adams, a layman—or Dr. Newcomb, a highly qualified specialist?

Adams and Jones would have you believe (from their own statements) that the twelve to fourteen hours a day they spend in the freeholders office is on county business.

They failed to divide the time into county business and political manipulation. There is a difference, after all!

Dr. Newcomb was censured by the New Deal freeholders for having other interests. Does the pot dare to call the kettle black? Freeholder Jones admits to plenty of lucrative outside interests—and then, too, State Senators don't get rich on \$500 a year salary.

Dr. Tracy is just getting over a serious case of extended "repression." Maybe Dr. Newcomb could prescribe for that—if he'd let him.

But one of the most amazing features of the meeting was the repeated admission by Dr. Tracy that he "didn't know" when plied with questions about the management and operation of Fairview Sanatorium, although he had been a member of the board of managers for eight years. And this is the man Adams made acting superintendent in the interest of "efficiency!"

A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM AT BURLINGTON FOX

Shakespeare's matchless fantasy, "A Midsummer Night's Dream," is coming to Fox Theatre, Burlington, Tuesday, March 10, at 2.30 and 8.00 o'clock.

"A Midsummer Night's Dream" is the first motion picture to be made by Prof. Reinhardt, the genius who staged the mighty theatrical spectacle, "The Miracle."

Once committed to the task, Reinhardt proceeded to surround himself with specialists who are the recognized leaders of their profession. To stage the ballet he brought to this country Bronislava Nijinska, whom he considers the outstanding Maitre de Ballet in Europe. She is the sister of the famous Nijinska, greatest of all dancers.

For ballerina he would have no one but Nine Theilade, protege and successor of Pavlova, and premiere danseuse of many of Europe's foremost ballets.

To adapt the music of Mendelssohn, who originally wrote the score of the stage production, Reinhardt insisted upon Erich Wolfgang Korngold, one of Vienna's most famous composers, who was brought to this country for the task.

As his assistant, in charge of technical details he selected William Dieterle, one of Warner's ace directors who had been trained by Reinhardt himself and who had been his assistant in Europe for many years.

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At 11 a.m. the delegation attended a worship service at the Friends' Meeting House. Following the worship hour, a group picture was taken and the Congress recessed for luncheon.

YOUNG MEN MEET AT MOORESTOWN

Sixth Annual Young Men's Congress Held at Moorestown Friday and Saturday

The sixth annual Young Men's Congress was held in the Community House at Moorestown on Friday and Saturday of last week.

The lounge of the club house was the scene of activity wherein the welcoming addresses were made and the major address by Dr. Crane was heard with great interest and appreciation to his views.

Dr. Crane's theme was entitled "A New Adventure." It was reported that Dr. Crane was the most interesting speaker the congress has had to date. A few of the major points of his talk were that every person should investigate the story of Soporitis; that there is no preparation for war, unless war results; that young men should take up the task of living with intelligence and sincerity; that there are new policies to seek out for the betterment of civilization through the medium of the individual; that there is one major decision in every young man's life to be made, and the result should make for his success or failure. In his talk he also related that "proportional representation" will be the fairest method of election in the future. He held his listeners for two and one-half hours and when he finished they were visibly disturbed.

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The afternoon session began at 2.15 with the continuation of group discussions. At 3.30 p.m., the entire Congress assembled in the lounge where the summation of ideas emanating from the discussions was given by Rev. Wood, of Moorestown.

Charles West, of 515 Leconey avenue, was tendered a surprise birthday and dinner Saturday evening by sixteen of his relatives and friends. Mr. West who is forty-nine years old has only actually observed twelve birthdays.

Pithy Paragraphs On National Air Defense

THE GEOGRAPHIC and strategic situation of the United States with respect to probable enemies is far different from that of most foreign countries where the advent of air power has made their frontiers immediately more vulnerable.

Our own scheme of national defense is based on the knowledge of the indisputable fact that no potential enemy can reach our shores except via the sea. As to our over-sea possessions, not only must potential enemies approach them via sea, but we, ourselves, must proceed via the sea to protect them. To be able to do that successfully, we must maintain a mobile fleet, adequately equipped in all its branches with a powerful air arm, and supported by the necessary shore establishments.

AVIATION IS a powerful factor in Naval warfare. It is essential that the Navy provide, train and control its air component and that the air component be a part of the Navy.

AIRCRAFT HAVE not supplanted ships but have added to their power and effectiveness. They constitute a striking force that has gone far toward increasing the value of our Naval forces.

LUCRATIVE OBJECTIVES for enemy aircraft are innumerable. The generally accepted idea of bombing is that an enemy will simply fly over and bomb the residential or commercial districts of various cities and kill a few hundred people. Such objective will be the exception rather than the rule. There are many far more important targets such as the water and power supplies, communications which serve these cities, oil tanks, docks, and other utilities without which cities cannot exist. Two dozen well-placed bombs could, within twenty-four hours, make the average industrial city untenable and drive out the population with an appalling loss of life and property. Destruction of the aqueducts and power lines would leave the city a prey for fire and put a stop to all industrial activity in the vicinity. A few more bombs dropped on key bridges or tunnels might very easily cripple all communication.

PALMYRA

Mrs. Marcus Schontz, 412 Garfield avenue, has been spending the past six weeks in St. Petersburg, Florida. Mr. Schontz left Saturday night to meet her there and enjoy a week of Florida sunshine. They are staying at the Royal Palms.

The Calder Bible Class will meet at the home of Mrs. Morris, of Elm avenue, Riverton, Wednesday, March 11. All members are urged to attend.

Miss Jane Hulse, of Highland avenue, entertained a group of her friends at dinner Saturday evening before the June dance. The guests were: Miss Marjorie Nace, Miss Dorothy Trout and Miss Helen Mansfield, Jack Seemuller, George Mattis, Robert Snover and Donald Clemens.

Miss Ruth Yerkes, of Delaware avenue, entertained at a dinner party Monday evening at the home of her grandmother Mrs. Mary J. Yerkes, of Linden avenue. The guests present were: the Misses Janet Carson, Marie Dimon, Louise Rahelic, Mariouise Baker, Lois Ward, Doris Housh, Doris Mingin, of Medford; Jean Dannenbower, of Camden; Eleanor Kinkler, of Auubon.

Mrs. Lily Shinn and daughter Dorothy, of Burlington were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kerrigan, of Charles street, Sunday.

SOFT BALL MEETING

The Memorial Park Playground Baseball League will have its first meeting in 1936, in the Riverton Fire House, Monday night, March 9th.

All the managers and players are asked to attend this meeting. The playing rules, kind of ball, and other subjects of interest will be discussed. The directors of the league will attempt to have the two diamonds fixed and in better condition this season.

BLANKET CLUB WINNERS

The winner of the blanket club, sponsored by the Sacred Heart Parent-Teacher Association, last week was Miss Cathryn Gottlieb, of Palmyra. This week the Rev. John J. McGrath was the lucky winner.

WCTU INSTITUTE AT MOORESTOWN

Moorestown Women's Temperance Union will hold an all-day institute at the Community House on Tuesday, March 10, the theme being "The Five Point, Five Year Centenary Program."

"How the institute can help the Centenary Program" will be discussed by Mrs. Gilbert, followed by a symposium on duties of officers and directors and the Centenary program in its relation to the departments. Discussion will be led by Mrs. Hinkle on the duties of the president; Mrs. Cornelia Lawrence, vice president; Mrs. Mary Haines, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Eva Lewallen, recording secretary; Miss Kate J. Aitken, treasurer; Mrs. Theodore Welsh, child welfare; Mrs. Elizabeth Matlack, social welfare; Mrs. Anna Whitacre, publicity; Mrs. C. O. Fountain, department on spiritual life; Mrs. Pearson, alcohol education; Mrs. Ida Hudson, character building; Mrs. W. Henry Jones, Christian citizenship; Mrs. William C. Coles, peace.

Mrs. Poff will address the group on the subject "Our Work."

SECOND MEETING OF BUSINESS MEN

Newly-organized Group Considers Plans for Improving Conditions in Palmyra

The Palmyra Business Men's Association held their second meeting in the YMCA building last Thursday night.

A publicity committee consisting of Allen Taylor, Frank Wenof, James E. Wolfe, and Arthur Kees, who is president of the group, was appointed. This committee was instructed to act in coordination with the local publications.

Considerable time was devoted to the subject of alien peddler's licenses. A committee of four was appointed to investigate the possibility and feasibility of such an ordinance. The members of the committee are: Charles Hahn, C. A. Busohl, Frank Chambers and Philip Shulman. The committee will present the matter to borough council when a definite and concise ordinance has been compiled.

An initiation fee of one dollar, with a monthly fee of twenty-five cents, was passed by the group in order to finance the obligations they may incur.

A motion was made and adopted to have the association honor the Palmyra High School basketball team with a cup in recognition of the splendid court season they enjoyed this year and the fine showing made in the county basketball league.

Business men of every trade and profession are invited to attend these meetings in order that Palmyra may progress on a larger scale.

Mayor John F. Ward expressed the desire to see every business man forgive petty grievances between themselves and try to work together in harmony for the benefit of Palmyra, which will in turn benefit the business men. He believes they will share and share alike as the result of their cooperation.

Arthur Kees, president, gave a convincing talk on the possibilities of the town. He believed that having a few small industries locate here would greatly benefit the business men of Palmyra.

The future meetings of the group will be held on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 8.30 p.m.

RIVERSIDE LAD KILLED BY CAR

Anthony Cugliotta, of Burlington Struck Boy While Attempting Cut Out on Pike

Anthony Cugliotta, Wood and Glenwood avenues, Burlington, and brother of Jacob Cugliotta, of Palmyra, struck and killed George Graze, 14, of Filmore street, Riverside, Wednesday evening at seven o'clock on Route 25 near the Bridgeboro bridge.

While attempting to pass a truck, Cugliotta saw the boy riding a bicycle on the other side of the road, but going the same way. Cugliotta tried to fall back into line behind the truck, but was too close to the lad. The door handle of the car struck the boy on the head and took the top of his head completely off. Cugliotta rushed the boy to the Zurburg Memorial Hospital, Riverside, and surrendered to Chief of Police Voshell, of Riverside, who took him before Recorder Irving Worthington, who held him under \$1000 ball until he could be heard before Prosecutor Howard Eastwood Thursday morning.

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The following shrubs have recently been recommended for planting against a wall: Cotoneasters, Forsythia, Ceanothus, Kolkwitzias, Eleanus, Abelia and others. The Firethorn (Pyracantha Lalandi) can probably not be improved upon for the purpose of winter effect, the orange-red berries hanging on throughout most of the winter. The golden-belleu Forsythia suspensa is lovely in spring against the house wall.

At the gloomiest period of his recent incarceration in a hospital, a well-known rosarian received a bunch of "Better Times" Roses with a card saying "Cheer up, Better Times are here." He says the mental effect was so invigorating that he suggests, as but few people know cut roses by their names, that all roses for the sick room be "Better Times" and be accompanied by the message "Better Times are coming to you." And it would be hard to find a lovelier rose than this recently introduced variety to carry the message of cheer. The long crimson buds expand into flowers of a sparkling crimson carrie. It is very free-flowering and a good garden rose.

For sheer dainty loveliness the fragrant ephemeral flower of Marica Northiana (Toadcup Lily) which I saw today cannot be surpassed. Three pure white pointed outer petals, with mottled bronze base with three exquisitely curled inner

petals bright violet, veined white, with bronzy mottled base. It is probably the most handsome of the Maricas, which, by the way, is a fine window garden plant, and a native of Brazil. The Marica is sometimes called the Fan Plant on account of the Iris-like leaves arising from the crown-like splints of a fan or the fingers of the hand. The flowers arise from the leaf, and while they last but a day, a constant succession of new flowers follow.

That new race of dwarf Hardy Border Asters which took the horticultural world by storm last season, has received a number of new additions whose names, descriptions and colored illustrations appear in the new catalogues for this year. These plants seldom grow more than a foot in height and are exceptionally valuable for the rock garden, blooming at a time (in late fall) when there is usually a paucity of bloom in dwarf-growing plants. Last year's lavender blue Victor has a lovely companion in the new 1936 variety, Lilac Time, a deep and more violet blue but somewhat taller, the former being the tiniest of all, seldom attaining a height of more than nine inches. Two other near blues are Hebe and Lavanda, while the pinks are represented in Diana, a bluish and Constance a clear light pink while Viola is a yellow-centered white. As they make round compact heads of bloom, they are fine subjects for mass planting or edging or plantings.

A curious fact about the flowers of the Crown of Thorns (Euphorbia splendens) not generally noticed is that the plants first produce two flowers on a cyme, and as they grow more vigorous they make four, then eight, then sixteen... always doubling up. The Crown of Thorns is one of the most interesting of house plants, and when it drops its leaves

which it sometimes does, the appearance of the bright colored flowers at the end of the leafless thorny stem only adds to the bizarre effect.

Will winter never be over? Will the dark days never go? Will the violets and the clover? Be forever hid under the snow?

## MONTE CARLO NITE, MARLTON, MARCH 19

The Marlton Civic Club, of Marlton, N. J., will sponsor a Monte Carlo night, to be held in the Marlton Community House, Thursday evening, March 19th, 8 o'clock. The committee, headed by Harold Fehr, is making extensive preparations for a big night for those who like to "take a chance." The admission price will include the initial amount of "inflation" money to play the games.

There will be all the games that the chance takers delight in trying to beat, and also a refreshment stand where tasty bites to eat will be served. The Marlton Civic Club is only about one year old but has been the instigator of several movements of community improvement, and this Monte Carlo night is to provide the financial means to carry out more of their plans for civic improvement.

Success of the Civic Club thus far is mainly attributed to the leadership of its president, Dr. C. A. Munro, of Marlton. The other officers are: Mark Lippincott, Jr., vice president; Harold Fehr, secretary, and Robert Anderson, treasurer, all of Marlton.

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Board Receives Second Payment

(continued from page 1) third Thursday night of every month.

The following is the principal's report in part: Owing to the bad weather only two dental clinics were held during the month, attendance 14.

The nurses have taken 6 children to eye clinics, two to Camden and four to Dr. Remer in Mt. Holly.

Twenty-six children are taking diphtheria inoculations. These are not quite completed, owing to absence.

The general health has not been so good as there have been many colds and cases of grippe, two cases of measles and one of trench mouth.

Eleven children have been sent to the school physician, 5 being excluded.

Our assemblies have been of a very high type. The student council officers have presided and arranged the programs for the upper grades.

One room being responsible for entertaining each week. There is also a monthly junior assembly (kindergarten to 3rd grade) which has been remarkably good.

Twenty parents attended the last of these. We shall have a PWA band concert, Friday, March 6th in the regular assembly period.

The banking system has been changed and a renewed interest in banking has resulted.

Five sound films have been booked for March 24, 31; April 21; May 5, 8.

The following bills were ordered paid: World Book Co., achievement tests \$ 213

Mrs. Charles Voss, traveling expense 4.53 Principal's expense 2.40 President of Board's expense 2.00

County Board 6.04 Antek Forj 1.25 L. E. Keating, medical supplies 1.25

N. J. Bell Telephone Co. 11.80 Christian Science Pub. Co. 5.00 The New Era 7.50

J. S. Collins & Sons, Inc. 284.62 Strawbridge & Clothier 4.05 The New Era, election ballots 27.75

Public Service Elec. & Gas Co. 114.72 J. B. Battie, district clerk office exp. 4.50

John Wansman 4.50 N. Snellenberg Co., sewing machines 127.80

N. Snellenberg Co., maple chairs 57.00 Palmyra Board of Education, tuition 1363.35

KOVERLY VS DUSEK IN CAMDEN RING

Rough and Tough Californian to Tackle Older Dusek in 3-Fall Match

When George Koverly is on a wrestling bill, the fans are sure to get their thrills in over abundance.

When Koverly has a Dusek as his opponent the patrons are sure to witness a battle, for there is no hatred in grappledom like the Koverly versus The Dusek family hatred.

And Thursday, at the Camden Armory, Haddon avenue and Mickle street, Koverly will face Emil Dusek in the feature two out of three falls, ninety minute time limit tussel.

Koverly seeks a conquest over Emil. He wants that victory badly. George, the Hollywood Howitzer, will be out to punch his adversary into submission as early as possible.

Ivan Managoff, of California, and Freddy (Legs) Grubmeier, of Harlan, Iowa, will supply the fireworks in the forty-five minute semi-final.

This bout, like the main event, is sure to supply the customers with an over abundance of thrills and excitement.

The balance of the card, all half hour engagements, will bring together Irish Jack Donovan, of Boston, and Ed Mecke, of Columbus, Ohio; Abie Coleman, St. Louis, and Walter Underhill, of Canada; and Tom Alley, Australian champion, and George Lenihan, of Boston.

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY BROADWAY THEATRE

Public Relations Banquet March 31

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Irene Dunne and Robert Taylor in "Magnificent Obsession," Universal production.

DENTAL DETECTIVES The plan to have the nation's 60,000 dentists aid the G-men in identifying criminals by means of their repair work seems to be an eminently practical one, as by the time the Federal men get the suspect in a position to examine his oral peculiarities the resultant capture, in the event that identification is confirmed, should be comparatively easy.—Los Angeles Times.

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RIVERSIDE UNDER WAY MONDAY

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P.O. WILL MOVE TO OLD BANK BUILDING

Brick Structure Will Be Ready for Occupancy April 1, After Remodeling

The Riverton post office has transferred its lease to the building next door, formerly occupied by the Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company, and after alterations are completed, will occupy the building.

Mrs. Mervil E. Haas, postmaster, has been negotiating with the post office department in Washington since last fall to bring about the transfer of the lease.

The Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company, owners, are completely reconstructing the building. The vault on the main floor is being removed to provide adequate floor space. The old board room will be used by the carriers for sorting mail. The postmaster will have a new and larger office in the room formerly occupied by the president of the bank. A loading platform will be built in the rear for the trucks.

It is expected that alterations will be completed and that the post office will occupy the building by April 1.

The first Riverton post office was established in the year of 1871. Prior to that time mail for Riverton went to Palmyra and the addressee was obliged to go to Palmyra for his mail or pay a volunteer carrier two cents for delivery.

Charles Mattis (grandfather to Ross E. Mattis) was the first postmaster, and the office was located in the railroad station, Main street, in the house now occupied by "Wheels" Hullings (next to the Joseph T. Evans office).

From there the post office moved to a house on the corner of Broad and Main streets formerly occupied by J. J. Adolph, now the site of the Williams-Wright building; from there it went to Cowperthwaite's drug store, 304 Main street, next to the present library building.

From there it started on the move up Main street, again stopping for awhile at 520 Main street, where Miss E. B. Eudessow has her real estate office. From there it went to 528 Main street, the building now occupied by the Riverton News Agency.

It moved to its present address at 609 Main street July 1, 1908. The Riverton post office became second class in 1901, at which time it handled a daily average of about 9000 pieces. It had two rural carriers serving 210 families in a twenty mile area, and the average was 800 pieces of mail daily.

Today there is one rural carrier, who covers a 28-mile route and serves 1543 patrons, delivering a daily average of 1000 pieces of mail. The post office handles approximately 15,000 pieces of mail daily. The two city carriers deliver a daily average of 3000 pieces.

The annual average for the Henry A. Dreer firm, the biggest local user of the mails, is 29,000 pieces. At Christmas time the outgoing mail has a daily average of 47,000 pieces, and it is estimated that an even greater number is incoming at that season.

MAGEE APPOINTED COMMISSIONER Arthur W. Magee, former deputy Motor Vehicle Commissioner, and Acting Commissioner since the election of Harold G. Hoffman as the governorship, was unanimously appointed Motor Vehicle Commissioner by the New Jersey House of Assembly Wednesday night of this week.

POLICE SUGGEST DOGS BE TIED

During Epidemic of Rabies, Dogs Should Be Kept Close for Their Protection

A dog owned by Mrs. Harding, of 1106 Garfield avenue, Cinnaminson Township, went mad last week after an illness of several days. It had been treated by Dr. John Zurburg, of Moorestown, for several days when traces of rabies were noticed. The dog was killed and his head sent to Trenton for inspection. The report came back positive.

It is the suggestion of the Cinnaminson Township police that people caring for their pets should keep them tied, or preferably in kennels for the next sixty days.

THE VISITING NURSE SOCIETY

Work Carried on as Usual During Worst Storm Period in Recent Years

During the past weeks, when weather conditions prevented carrying out very many other activities in our community, the visiting nurses have been answering calls and doing their routine work without regard to ice, snow and sleet. Every day their cars were out, covering the large area they serve. An unusual number of pre-natal cases were looked after, twenty-two children taken to the doctor for toxoid treatment, and a great amount of bed-side work.

The motor corps has rendered excellent service in assisting in carrying patients to hospitals, although the roads often made it very difficult.

The help given by the work by the Needlework Guild has been of the greatest value as often the nurses are called to a home where there is serious illness, but nothing in the house to work with. A request for needed articles is answered at once from the closet the guild keeps supplied.

Every family which has had the benefit of the skilled attention given their sick by Miss Blair and Miss Cook will agree that their visits bringing relief to the suffering, also bring cheerfulness to the mind of the patient.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN MEET IN RIVERTON The regular meeting of the Burlington County Democratic Women's Club was held in the Riverton Fire House on Tuesday evening. More than a hundred members and friends attended.

The program consisted of a band concert under the direction of Frank Welch, of Mount Holly. The principal speaker was Robert W. Criscuolo, attorney-at-law, of Trenton. Mr. Criscuolo is a member of the speakers' bureau of the Young Democrats of America. His talk dealt with facts and figures incident to the achievements of the Roosevelt administration.

The committee in charge of arrangements consisted of the members of the Riverton and Palmyra District group of the club, namely: Mrs. Lucy Kenny, Riverton, secretary of the club; Mrs. George Porter, Mrs. Harry Williams, Mrs. John Doonan, all of Palmyra; Mrs. Nan Mitchell, of Riverton, and Mrs. Mervil Haas, Riverton, Burlington County member Democratic State Committee.

Mrs. William R. Murphy, of Bordentown, president of the club, acted as chairman of the meeting. Publicity Chairman.

SOFT BALL OFF TO GOOD START

Popular Park Sport Organized Monday Night; Eight Teams Now Registered

A meeting of the Riverton Playground Baseball League was held Monday night at the Riverton Fire House to organize for the coming season.

The meeting was called to order by President Conway and the following officers were elected: President, Fred Conway; vice president, Joseph F. Yearly; treasurer, William Schopp; secretary, Lawton Steele.

President Conway appointed the following committees: Executive—John Strohlein, chairman; Dick Woodward, Wilton Mount, Sonny Wright, Dick Oliver. Rules—Joseph F. Yearly, Chick Foulke, Herbert Richman, William Oliver, Sonny Wright.

Committee on grounds—Sonny Wright, William Anderson, Joseph F. Yearly, Dick Woodward, Dick Oliver. Umpires—Edson Carhart, chief; Earl Rotenbury, Herbert Richman. It was decided by the managers to adopt the official Spaulding rules with the exception of having 9 innings instead of 7. These rules will make a few changes by having the bases 60 feet instead of 55; no bumping will be allowed and each player will be permitted to wear a glove. The opening game will be May 4th. All team entries must be in by April 6th with an entrance fee of \$1.

Applications of teams so far are: Dreer's, Schwering's, Broadway, Banker's, Joseph T. Evans', K. of C. Firemen, and Farmers.

The playing nights and applications of teams will be passed upon at the next meeting, April 6th. Hard baseball got off to a good start in Riverton when Judge Landis (Conway) sent out contracts to all the members of last year's team. The same players have indicated a desire to keep the last year's team intact, the only possible exception being "Bill" Baker who recently broke his arm playing basketball.

Several applications have been received for the post of team manager, but as yet no selection has been made.

REPUBLICANS TO REORGANIZE CLUB

Effort Will Be Made to Revive Charter of Former Organization

A meeting was held in the fire house Monday evening for the purpose of organizing a Republican Club in Riverton. Hilton M. Smith acted as temporary chairman, and after some discussion it was decided to have the members of the county committee in Riverton look into the possibility of reviving the charter of the old Republican Club, Inc., started by the late Mayor Killam E. Bennett several years ago, and report at a meeting to be called at an early date.

AUTO DEATHS THIS YEAR TOTAL SEVEN

On Monday of this week the number of car accident deaths for 1936 in Burlington county totaled seven. Lawrence Bentliff, 30, of Riverside, succumbed Sunday night in Zurbrugg Memorial Hospital, Riverside, from injuries resulting from a car crash near Beverly on March 1. Bentliff sustained a fractured skull when the car he was driving struck a tree on St. Mihel Drive and did not regain full consciousness.

Tests made at the University of Pennsylvania show that mental arithmetic greatly increases the rate of perspiration. (Any school boy could have told them that!)

CELEBRATION OF FOUNDING OF G. S.

Troop No. 1, of Palmyra, Hold Mother-Daughter Dinner in M. E. Church

Ninety Girl Scouts, mothers and friends of Troop No. 1 of Palmyra attended the mother-daughter dinner, given in honor of the founding of the National Girl Scout organization Thursday evening at the M. E. Church.

Mrs. William Boyd was the guest speaker and Mrs. Melvin Kreps, assistant captain, was the toastmaster. Leaders of other local troops and teachers were also guests of the girls.

An exhibit of scout handiwork was shown in connection with the dinner. After the dinner each patrol took part in entertaining the guests. Miss Irene Anders is the captain of the troop.

PHALANX MEETS AT TAYLOR'S CABIN

Plans for Entertainment at Meetings Discussed. Next Meeting at Bob Finney's

Due to a change of plans the Omega Chapter of the Phalanx Fraternity met at Taylor's Cabin. They assembled around the glowing embers of the fire and had routine discussions. Plans for entertainment at future meetings were discussed and approved. This meeting was adjourned and open to the program committee.

The group was to have been entertained by the "Hawaiian Islanders," but they were unable to keep the appointment, so the fellows amused themselves with bridge, pinochle and ping pong. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be held at Bob Finney's house, Monday, March 23rd.

CINNAMINSON P-T. A.

Calling at School Number Two last Tuesday morning was a joy, for the pretty little group of kindergarteners were listening intently to their teacher, Miss Seckle, as she held a spray of pussy willow and told a story about it. This class is always so active. Some of their plays have been to act as lollypop salesmen, and later they have been doctors and nurses, wearing homemade Red Cross emblems, and ringing a tiny bell to announce the passing of an ambulance, while they tell of their willingness to take care of operations, etc.

The first grade was listening to a re-reading of a condensed story of Hansel and Gretel, as the day, Miss Rush had obtained a movie about the book, and the little ones were invited to see it.

The school paper for February has been issued, and is a very new and interesting sheet. The young editors have collected material grading from lectures and school work, to recipes and cross-word puzzles. An instructor from Gloucester will visit the school from six-thirty to eight, the evening of March seventeen, to talk to the teachers and any others who may be interested about Rhythm (in motion), to help natural development in children. Friday of last week the executive committee of the P-T.A. met to discuss, among other business, the programs for the balance of the year, and only tentative programs having been suggested in September. Owing to the very bad weather during the past winter, many worth-while subjects were not used, when meetings were not held as scheduled. The next meeting, March eighteenth, an afternoon affair, will be full of business and afterwards—well just don't miss it! Publicity.

NATIONAL MEETING ON SOCIAL WORK

Mrs. E. N. Cooper and Mrs. Catharine Blair, of Riverton, on Committees

Plans for Burlington County to be largely represented at the 63rd annual meeting of the National Conference of Social Work and Associate Groups, to be held in Atlantic City, May 24 to 30, are being made by a committee of prominent residents headed by Dr. C. T. Jones, superintendent of the State Colony, New Lisbon.

The campaign to arouse county-wide consciousness of the importance of the National Conference will be high-lighted by a meeting to be held at the Moorestown Community House, April 27, under the auspices of the Burlington County Social Workers Club, when Dr. Ellen C. Potter, Medical Director of the New Jersey State Department of Institutions and Agencies, will be the principal speaker.

All county organizations will be represented at the meeting and final plans to have a large delegation from the county in attendance at the National Conference sessions will be completed.

Dr. Jones heads a committee composed of leaders in more than 20 organizations, Churches, county agencies, schools and civic groups. It includes clergy, Rev. Milard O. Pierce, of Burlington; church mission and health, Miss Mary French, of Burlington; courts, the Honorable Frank A. Hendrickson, of Mt. Holly; judge of the Burlington County Common Pleas Court; probation, Mrs. Edna Perry, of Mt. Holly; county probation officer; County Tuberculosis Association, Mrs. Daisy Hollingshead, of Pemberton, executive secretary; E.R.A., W. Rex McCrosson, of Palmyra, county director, and Mrs. Maria E. Shimire, of Moorestown, case supervisor; county adjutor, Howard G. Stackhouse, of Mt. Holly; State Board of Guardians, Miss Elizabeth Terry, of Edgewater Park; Burlington County Business and Professional Women's Club, Miss Margaret J. Warner, of Burlington; Boys Scouts, George A. Darling, of Moorestown; YWCA, Guy Hendry, of Mt. Holly; YWCA, Miss Elizabeth McHenry, of Mt. Holly; Girl Reserves, Mrs. Charles S. Beckwith, of Pemberton; P.T.A., Mrs. Eugene Pharo, of Moorestown, County Council Chairman; Social Workers Club, Mrs. Dorothy Cooper, of Riverton, and Mrs. J. Herman Terry, of Edgewater Park; County Library Association, Miss Mabel C. Clark, of Mt. Holly; New Jersey State Colony, Miss Margaret S. Haines, of Burlington; County Schools, Louis J. Kaser, of Mt. Holly; Miss Reba Troxell, of Burlington, and Miss Elizabeth Coppertwaite, of Medford; Cinnaminson Home, Miss Carrie M. Garrison, of Riverton; Burlington County Hospital, Mrs. Alexander Wood, of Moorestown; League of Women Voters, Mrs. Ward Dilly, of Moorestown; Zurbrugg Memorial Hospital, Miss Elizabeth W. Ancker, of Riverside; and Burlington County Children's Home, Miss Isobel Graves, of Mt. Holly.

The committee's first meeting was held Thursday night, March 5, at Four Mile Colony, when the group was entertained by Dr. Jones. W. Rex McCrosson, Miss Carrie Garrison and Mrs. J. Herman Terry were chosen to compose the group's public relations committee, and Miss J. Margaret Warner was named publicity chairman. A committee of Social Workers Club headed by Mrs. Catharine Blair, of Riverton, will arrange county-wide meeting in Moorestown.

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OFFICIAL DATA ABOUT ELECTIONS

County Clerk Issues Instructions for Officials and Candidates

April 1st, County Clerk to certify to every municipal clerk list of county offices to be filed.
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April 19th, Clerk of every municipality to cause notice of elections to be published during this week.
April 23rd, Last day for filing petitions nominating candidates for primary election with the county clerk.
April 23rd, Last day for filing petitions nominating candidates for primary election for municipal offices with the municipal clerk.
April 24th, Clerk of every municipality certifies to County Clerk petitions filed for municipal offices.
April 24th, County Clerk at 3 p.m. determines by drawing the position which candidates for county offices shall occupy upon the primary election ballots.
April 24th, Clerk of every municipality at 3 p.m. determines by drawing the position which municipal candidates shall occupy upon the Primary ballots.
April 28th, Members of the District Boards of Registry and election meet and organize.
April 29th, Last day vacancy can occur by death or declination of candidate for primary election.
May 2nd, Last day vacancy can be filled, caused by death or declination of candidate for primary election.
May 3rd, Application for appointment of challengers for the primary election to be filed with the County Board of Elections on or before this date.
May 5th, District Boards of Registry and Election shall proceed with the house to house canvass of voters.
May 5th, District Board of Registry and Election shall post notices of primary election.
May 8th, House-to-house canvass of voters by District Boards of Registry and Election shall be completed by this date.
May 8th, District Boards of Registry and Election shall transcribe and make up from canvassing books one register of voters to be used at the general election.
May 11th, District Boards of Registry and Election shall complete primary registry books by this date.
May 12th, Clerk of every municipality shall furnish at his office sample primary ballots and stamped envelopes to the District Board of Registry and Election for mailing.
May 12th, District Boards of Registry and Election shall deliver canvassing books duly certified to the County Board of Elections on or before date.
May 12th, District Board of Registry and Election shall transcribe from the register of voters to the general election registry list and post in some conspicuous place on or before this date.
May 13th, District Board of Registry and Election shall mail sample ballots for primary election before 12 o'clock noon.
May 14th, Last day for filing petitions for independent candidates for general election.
May 15th and 16th, Campaign managers must file statements, etc., with county clerk on or before either of these dates.
May 19th, Primary election day. Polls open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m., (Eastern standard time).
May 20th, District Board of Registry and Election shall deliver to the county clerk register of voters, party primary poll books, of 1934 and 1935, current primary poll books, and primary registry books and keys for primary ballot boxes.
May 23rd, Members of county committees elected at primary election take office on this date.
May 26th, Annual meeting of each County Committee held on this date.
May 26th, Last day any person who did not file petition for primary election, but received nomination at said election by having his name written on ballot, to file acceptance with county clerk.
May 27th, Last day for clerk of every municipality to certify to county clerk and County Board of Elections, two copies of the names and postoffice addresses of the persons

lected as members of the county committee of each political party.
June 8th, Campaign managers shall file statement of receipts and expenses with county clerk on or before this date.
September 27th, Clerk of every municipality to cause notice of election to be published during this week.
October 5th, Last day for filing request with county clerk for proposition to appear on General Election ballots.
October 6th, County Clerk to draw to determine which columns each political party shall occupy on the general election ballots.
October 9th, Last day vacancy can occur among candidates nominated at the primary election caused by death, removal or otherwise.
October 9th, Last day vacancy can occur in any county or municipal office.
October 12th, Last day for filling vacancies among Primary Election nominees.
October 12th, Last day for filling vacancies in any county or municipal office by the county committee or petition.
October 13th, Third registration day of voters by District Boards of Registry and Election between 1 p.m. and 9 p.m.
October 13th, County Clerk at 3 p.m. determines by drawing the position which candidates for county offices shall occupy upon the general election ballots.
October 13th, District Boards of Registry and Election shall make one complete list of all persons registered and deliver to the county clerk.
October 20th, Application for appointment of challengers for the general election to be filed with the County Board of Elections on or before this date.
October 27th, Clerk of each municipality shall deliver at his office sample and general election ballots and stamped envelopes to the District Board of Registry and Election for mailing.
October 28th, District Boards of Registry and Election shall mail sample ballots for general election before 12 o'clock noon.
October 30th and 31st, Campaign managers must file statement, etc., with county clerk on or before either of these dates.
November 3rd, General Election Day. Polls open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
November 3rd, County Board of

FOR FREEHOLDER



NELSON G. MYERS

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for Member of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Burlington County at the Primary Election to be held May 19, 1936.
Experience gained from being in business here in the county for the past ten years and associations with the various governing bodies has given me a practical knowledge of governmental affairs and the desire to be of service to my fellow citizens.
If nominated and elected I shall endeavor to serve faithfully in the performance of my duties and to the best interests of Burlington County always.
NELSON G. MYERS.
Ordered and paid for by the candidate.
Elections to sit between the hours of 6 a.m. and midnight.
November 4th, District Boards of Registry and Election shall, not later than noon, deliver to the county clerk one tally sheet, keys to the ballot boxes, poll book and register of voters.
November 9th, County Board of Canvassers shall meet for the purpose of checking canvass made by the county clerk.
November 23rd, Campaign managers shall file statement of receipts and expenses with county clerk on or before this date.

PALMYRA POLICE REGISTERING DOGS

The Palmyra police department is now making preparation to register all dogs in the borough for 1936. The usual house-to-house canvass will be made in order to ascertain who owns dogs. Dogs running at large will be caught and impounded. This project is now under way and a dog catcher may be seen on the streets of the borough any day.

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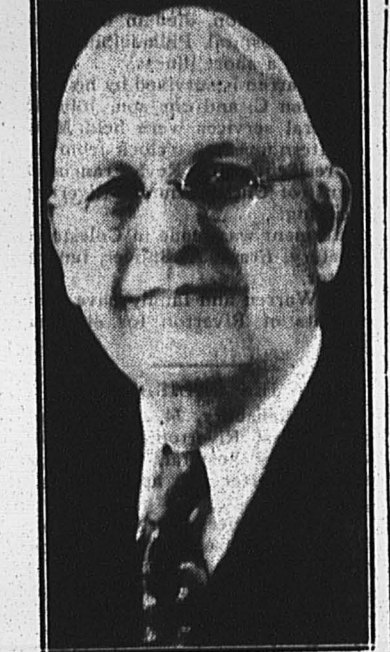
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Sunshine Macaroon Bars 1b 19c
Wheat Hearts Crackers (toasted just right) pkg 18c
Sweet Mixed Pickles qt 22c
Crescent Peanut Butter 1 lb jar 15c
Kellogg's Coffee (packed in glass jar) 1b 27c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes large pkg 75c
Kellogg's Merion Peaches (sliced or halves) 2 large cans 25c
Dole's Pineapple Juice No. 2 cans 11c
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Large Size, reg. 20c size, Now 15c—Plus bottle deposit
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YOUNG G.O.P. TO MEET IN PALMYRA

All sections of Burlington County are expected to be represented at the social and rally to be held by the Palmyra-Riverton-Cinnaminson Unit of Young Republicans in the P.O.S. of A. Hall, Palmyra, Saturday evening.
Senator Clifford R. Powell, Surrogate George B. Biting and Freeholders Palmer L. Adams and Albert C. Jones are expected to be present to say a few words to the young people.
Following these brief addresses music for dancing will be supplied by a well-known orchestra. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the dance.
The general public is cordially invited to attend this affair, which is the first of its kind to be sponsored by the Palmyra-Riverton-Cinnaminson Unit. Admission will be only thirty-five cents.
Walter D. Lamon, Jr., president of the local young G.O.P., extends an invitation to any and all interested persons to attend this event.

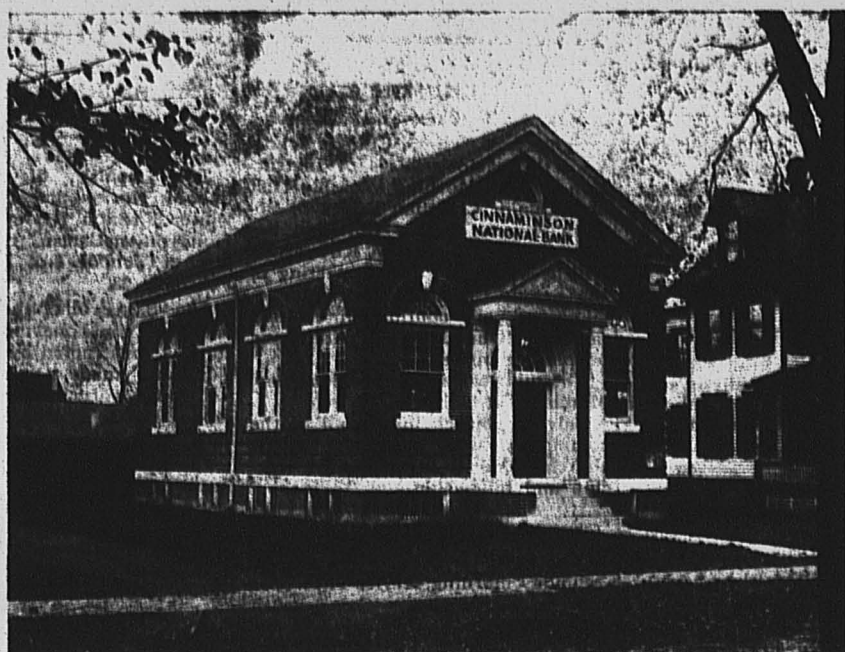
FOR SURROGATE



GEORGE N. WIMER
Former Sheriff of Burlington County who will enter the lists as Republican candidate for nomination for Surrogate.

Palmyra, N. J. March 7, 1936.
After consulting with a number of my friends, I have concluded to offer myself to the Republican voters of Burlington County as a candidate for the nomination for Surrogate at the coming primary election.
Four years ago when I ran for the nomination of Sheriff I gave as my platform—
"Fidelity to the interests of the people as shown in past performance based on a lifetime of service."
I still stand on the same platform. You are the jury—decide if I am worthy. If so, I ask your support.
GEORGE N. WIMER.
Ordered and paid for by the candidate.
Custom is a tyrant.

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Former home of the Cinnaminson Bank and Trust Company, Riverton, which is being renovated to house the Riverton Post Office. It is expected the Post Office will occupy its new quarters by April 1st.

BURLINGTON COUNTY STUDENTS INVITED TO EXHIBITION

Students from eleven Burlington County secondary schools, their parents and teachers, are included among those invited to view the many special demonstrations and exhibits of the University of Pennsylvania's annual Engineering and Fine Arts Day to be held on the campus in Philadelphia on Saturday, March fourteenth.
All buildings of the University used for instruction in engineering, chemistry and fine arts will be open on that day from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., and faculty members, alumni and undergraduates will serve as guides for the visitors and will explain the work of the various departments represented.
Among the Burlington County high schools invited are: Bordentown, Burlington, Moorestown, Pemberton, Mount Holly, Palmyra and Riverside.
The following other institutions in Burlington County are included: Bordentown Military Institute, Saint Mary's Hall (Burlington), and Moorestown Friends' School.
The half of genius is hard work.

JOINT MEETING P.T.A. AND PORCH CLUB, MARCH 17

A joint meeting of the Riverton Parent-Teacher Association and the Porch Club will be held in Tuesday, March 17, at 2:30 p.m., at the Porch Club. Mrs. Clarette Sehon, secretary of the Vineland Training School, will be the guest speaker. A report of the Visiting Nurse Society of Riverton, Palmyra and Cinnaminson, will be given. A short skit has been planned depicting the joys and trials of the transportation committee.

ACCOUNTANTS TO DISCUSS M'F'G COSTS

The regular monthly meeting of the Philadelphia Chapter of the National Association of Cost Accountants will be held on Thursday, March 19th, at 8:00 p.m., at the Manufacturers and Bankers Club, Broad and Walnut streets, Philadelphia, Pa. The Past Presidents of the Chapter will discuss various problems affecting manufacturing cost.
Following introductory remarks by Edmund L. Oerter, Walter Camenich will discuss "Budget Methods"; Edw. P. Mosey, CPA, "Depreciation"; Geo. P. Landwehr, "Valuation of Inventories"; John Balch, CPA, "Standard vs. Actual Cost," and Arthur W. Marshall, "Distribution of Plant Overhead."
Accountants and executives of this locality are extended an invitation to attend the meeting and enter into the discussion of their Manufacturing Cost problems.
Dinner is served at 6:30 p.m., with entertainment sponsored by the Atlantic Refining Company.

A Democratic congressman claims that all pre-campaign pledges have been kept. Where? In a safe deposit vault—Seattle, Wash., Republican State Call.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DINNER OF B&PWC

The Honorable Harold G. Hoffman, Governor of New Jersey, and Miss Lena Madess Phillips, of New York City, well known author and radio speaker, will be the principal speakers at the first annual public relations dinner of the Burlington County Business and Professional Women's Club, to be held Tuesday night, March 31, at 6:30 at Log Cabin Lodge, Medford Lakes.
Miss Phillips is the honorary and past president of the National Council of Women of the United States, president of the International Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs and associate editor of Pictorial Review.
The public is invited to attend the affair, the first of its kind ever held here under the auspices of the Burlington County Business and Professional Women's Club, of which Miss J. Margaret Warner, of Burlington, is president.
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PALMYRA H. S. IN FIVE VICTORIES

Defeat Opponents in Boxing, Swimming, Debating and Basketball

Five victories were won by Palmyra High School during this past weekend. Boxers, swimmers, debaters and boy and girl basketball players all contributed to one of the most successful weekends Palmyra has experienced.

The girls' swimming team won the meet with Moorestown at the Moorestown Community pool Friday afternoon. The 20-yard dash was won by Olive Jones, with Dorothy Wolcott second. Margaret Mount won the breast stroke race. The back stroke was won by Elsie Showell, with Betty Corner second. Elsie Showell, Olive Jones, Anne Knight and Dorothy Wolcott won the relay. The diving division's winner was Blanche Kuensell, and Ellen Bradley was second. Betty Corner, Margaret Mount and Christine Ridley composed the winning medley team.

The debating team, composed of Margaret Rae, Charles Rader, Arthur Randolph and Grace Billard, defeated Haddon Heights. High school's negative team at Palmyra Friday evening. The question for debate was: "Resolved: That a system of socialized medicine should be adopted, making available to all complete medical service at public expense. Bernard Borsh, member of the University of Pennsylvania Debating squad, was the judge. The Haddon Heights team was composed of Charlotte Newport, Martin Cummings, William Saar and Naomi Douglas.

Bernice Hercher, Dorothy Stevens and Mary Young, the three members of the four-shooting contest, won first place in a contest sponsored by the Taylor School of Business at the YMCA in Philadelphia, Saturday. Each girl was allowed 25 shots. Dorothy made 15 baskets, Bernice 20 and Mary 18, making a total of 53 baskets for the team. The team was presented with a statuette in honor of its work. Bernice won second place in the individual division and was highest in Burlington county. She received two medals. Twenty-nine schools took part in the contest.

On Saturday afternoon P.H.S. boxers won the meet in Bordentown Military Academy by the score of seven and a half to three and a half. The Palmyra winners of the bouts were: J. Brown, W. Griggs, F. Martucci, J. Prisco, C. McCullough, and R. Bauer.

Camden Convention Hall was the scene of a fast moving game Saturday evening when Palmyra defeated Audubon 24-20. Rohbaum, Rockefellow, Shea, Gamble, Coe and Sacca were outstanding players in this game. With this victory Palmyra will enter the final round of the Burlington County High School League playoff championship. The "Pals" defeated Mount Holly at Riverside court Tuesday. Palmyra and Moorestown will meet for the season's championship at Riverside next Tuesday.

Light hearts, light tasks; heavy hearts, heavy tasks.

Church Notices

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. C. T. Bates, B.D., Pastor Sunday, March 15, Church School 9:45; the pastor's Class of Instruction 10 a.m.; Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Junior Christian Endeavor Society, 4 p.m.; Senior Christian Society, 7 p.m. Robert W. Kirkpatrick will be the leader at the meeting of the Senior Christian Endeavor Society and will continue interesting talks on "Our Church." All young people are invited.

The midweek service, Wednesday, March 18, at eight o'clock. Calvary Church invites all in the community who have no regular church home to enter into its worship and fellowship.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Lockett, B.D., Pastor Sunday morning service 11.15. The church will celebrate the seventh anniversary of the dedication of the new church building. The subject of the sermon will be "The Beauty of God's House." The choir will render special music.

7:00 p.m., High School Group will meet in the Sunday School room. 7:45 p.m., Evening service, sermon subject, "Fountain of Water."

PALMYRA MORAVIAN CHURCH

Albert J. Harke, B.D., Pastor This Saturday our church will be host to the Phil.-Riv.-Pal Christian Endeavor Conference. These conferences are held quarterly and are sponsored by the Moravian churches in this section. There will be an afternoon and evening session with a fellowship supper served by our C. E. Society at 5:30 p.m.

The afternoon session opens at 3:30 with a song service. The speaker is Rev. Earl H. Christianson, pastor of Edgemoor Moravian Church, Bethlehem, Pa., and his subject will be "The Observance of Lent in the Moravian Church."

The evening session will open with a song and devotional service led by the pastor of the local church. The evening speaker is Rev. George H. Mundell, pastor of Community Church, Lindenwood, N. J., who will bring a challenging message to young Christians. These sessions are open to the public and cordial invitation is extended to any one interested.

Services for Sunday, March 15: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:40 a.m. Morning Worship. Sermon: "With or Without Christ." 6:45 p.m. Christian Endeavor. 7:30 p.m. Evening service of praise.

Wednesday, at 8:00 p.m., Lenten service. Sermon, "Afar Off"—(4) "Blind Bartimeus."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

"Substance" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday March 15.

The Golden Text is: "Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the fruitfulness of all thine increase" (Psalm 134). Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord reigneth, he is clothed with majesty; the Lord is clothed with strength, wherewith he hath girded himself; the world also is established, that it cannot be moved. Thy throne is established of old; thou art from everlasting" (Psalm 93:1, 2).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Substance is that which is eternal and incapable of discord and decay. Truth, Life, and Love are substance, as the Scriptures use this word in Hebrew. The substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen" (p. 468).

The Community Lenten Service for men which is being planned by the Wesleyan Men's Bible Class for Sunday afternoon, March 29th, in the Palmyra Theatre, is receiving the hearty cooperation of those who have so far been contacted. The speaker, the Rev. Carl McIntire, of Collingswood, is planning to present an unusual subject. Special music and a large orchestra will assist.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

Commencing March 15th the Epworth League will conduct a series of meetings concerning the meaning of Easter.

You are cordially invited to attend.

SACRED HEART P.T.A.

Sunday, March 22, will be Fathers' Day at the Sacred Heart Parochial School. All members of the Sacred Heart P.T.A. as well as members of the parish and their friends are invited to attend.

Addresses will be made by the pastor, the Rev. J. J. McGrath, also the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John J. Bonner, D.D., L.L.D., superintendent of parochial schools in the Philadelphia Diocese, and Mrs. Mary Walsh Kobus, director of public safety in Camden. The children of the school will also have a program arranged.

Following the meeting all present will be invited to visit the classrooms where the work of the children will be on display.

FIREMEN VISIT SCHOOL

Upon the invitation of the Riverton Board of Education, the Riverton Volunteer Fire Company members were taken on a tour of inspection through the new and remodeled school building last Monday night.

The purpose was to acquaint the firemen with the new layout of the building, type of construction, location of fire exits and location of fire hose cabinets and extinguishers.

Approximately twenty-five members were present for the inspection including the Chief, "Butts" Carhart.

SEEK MISSING RELATIVES

Chief of Palmyra Police C. Morris Beck, made a very thorough and exhaustive search this week in an attempt to locate relatives of a Miss Albertina Lawrence, 60, who died suddenly in a Philadelphia church last Sunday.

Miss Lawrence shared a room with Miss Eleanor Hagy at 2253 N. Sydenham street, Philadelphia, who informed the police that Miss Lawrence spoke of having lived in Cinnaminson and that her father was in Cinnaminson and that her father was in Cinnaminson and that her father was in Cinnaminson. She had also mentioned cousins named Maisie who lived in Moorestown, and "Joe" who was supposed to be employed at Dreer's Nursery, Riverton.

SURPRISE SHOWER

Mrs. Horace Houser and the members of her Sunday school class gave Miss Elsie Dold a Pyrex surprise shower at the Dold home on Thursday evening of last week. Among those present were: Miss Mary Patterson, Miss Ann Cook, Miss Ruth Seber, Miss Doris Black, Miss Jean Black and Miss Thelma Chatburn.

Miss Dold will marry Murray Kirkpatrick this Saturday in the Presbyterian church.

NOTICE

Pal-River Chevrolet, Inc., 10 Broad street, Riverton, announces that Harry D. Lewis no longer represents this company in any capacity.

FRANK T. EASTLACK, Sr. President 3-12 to 3-19

FASHION REVUE AT CINNAMINSON

Faculty of School No. 4 Presents "A Honeymoon Cruise" on Cruiser S.S. Frolic

The faculty of Cinnaminson School No. 4 presented a "Mid-winter Fashion Review" entitled "A Honeymoon Cruise," in the auditorium of School No. 2, on Friday, February 28.

The "S.S. Frolic," the huge cruiser on which the honeymooners traveled, was constructed by the teachers. The ship made stopovers at the following ports, Florida, Mexico, Japan, Holland, Switzerland, Spain, Italy, Hawaii and New York.

The first part of the program portrayed costumes of people in public section were: Courtney Houston, Sr., postman; William Coleman, soldier; Irving Conwell, sailor; Mrs. Gertrude Nelson, nurse; Miss Laura Keech, teacher; Rev. Madison Bove, minister; and Officer George Dornworth, policeman.

A vocal solo was rendered by Mrs. Maude Poindexter prior to the wedding scene.

The wedding party included Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Terry, the honeymooners, Misses Helen and Altaedna Tyson, bridesmaids, little James Tyson, ring bearer, and little Mary Rumble as flower girl. The entire bridal party, with the exception of the flower girl, are residents of Philadelphia. The mock marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Alexander Wmte, of Riverton.

Miss Mary Ella Ann was a typical Japanese with a stunning outfit of flowered white pongee, with a tiara of cherry blossoms adorning her hair. The Land of the Windmills was represented by Freddie Turner and Jeanette Stanford wearing the native costumes of the Dutch peasants.

Mrs. Henrietta Walton, of Philadelphia, portrayed a Spanish senorita, wearing a peach colored dress with a black mantilla. Miss Peggy Johnson, in the role of an Italian, wore an orange and green costume with large hoop earrings. Styles from Mexico were modeled by Miss Ernestine Robjsson. A raffia skirt with garlands of native lei around her ankles, neck and hair were worn by Miss Marjorie Morgan, of Philadelphia, in her representation of Hawaii. Others participants in the revue included: Miss Dorothy Johnson, Catherine Conwell, Marie Muse, Beatrice Muse, Timothy Johnson, Marie White, Regina Bove, Florence Coursey, Helen Coursey, John Poindexter, Jr., Maude McCombs, Bunny Hinkson, Betty Hinkson, Bubbles Norris, Alma King, Rosalie Terry, Dolores Stanford, Grace Ransom, Mrs. Howard Richardson, Mildred Richardson, and pupils of Cinnaminson School No. 4.

The revue was given for the benefit of the Parent-Teacher Association of Cinnaminson School No. 4.

EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH

Rev. William A. Boyd, Pastor

Sunday morning, the Rev. W. A. Boyd will preach the last sermon, "Satan," in the series on "Faith and Practice." Music will be provided by the Senior and Dulciana choirs. "Big Business" night, the second service in the interest of "Religion in the Life of Today." The speakers during this service will be Charles Tushingham, head of the Educational Department of the Prudential Insurance Co., Frank Johnson, president of the Business Men's Association of the State of New Jersey; Harold V. Holmes, ex-Mayor of Burlington, agent for Hendricks and Eastwood, Philadelphia brokers.

"Young People's" night will be observed the following Sunday evening.

We are announcing a religious crusade for two weeks, beginning Sunday, March 29, and ending with Easter Sunday, April 12.

The Ordinance of Christian Baptism will be administered in our church Palm Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

Those who desire to join our church on confession of faith or transfer of membership, will be given the opportunity Easter Sunday morning. A large class of young people will be received into the church during this service. Those desiring to join our church should get in touch with Mr. Boyd at once.

Church Notices

EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH

Rev. William A. Boyd, 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 Help-ful Hour Wednesday, 4:00 p.m.—Junior Epworth League

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist Thomas Ave. and Seventh St. Riverton, N. J.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2.30 to 4.30

OBITUARIES

SHERMAN L. WARREN

Sherman L. Warren 411 Thomas avenue, Riverton, died in the Presbyterian Hospital, Philadelphia, Friday, after a short illness.

Mr. Warren is survived by his widow, Helen C. and one son, John R. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence, the Rev. Francis B. Downs, of Christ Church, Riverton, officiating.

Interment was made in Colestown Cemetery, Frank A. Snover, funeral director.

Mr. Warren and family have been residents of Riverton for eighteen years.

JAMES SALISBURY

James Salisbury, 74, of Randolph avenue, East Riverton, died in the West Jersey hospital, Camden, on March 9, after an appendectomy operation.

Funeral services were held from his late residence, 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Interment was made in Morgan cemetery, Palmyra.

Mr. Salisbury is survived by his wife, Bertha, and two daughters, Mrs. Ethel Sprout, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Arthur Stow, of East Riverton.

RIVERTON

Mrs. Harvey E. Stewart spent the weekend in Scotch Plains as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Evert spent the weekend in Hackensack visiting friends.

Don't forget the Patty dance given at the Riverton fire house Saturday evening, under the auspices of the Riverton Fire Company Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Ritschard, of 302 Eighth street, were recent visitors in Atlantic City, stopping at Chalfonte-Haddon Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Zieber, of 226 Linden avenue, have returned to Riverton after spending several days in Atlantic City at Chalfonte-Haddon Hall.

The monthly business meeting and covered dish supper of the Junior Philatelic Club of the Central Baptist Church of Palmyra and Riverton will be held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Andrews, 231 Elm avenue, Riverton, Monday evening, March 16, at 6:15.

Mrs. Edward Faunce, of East Riverton, was the winner in the B.H. P.T.A. blanket drawing last week.

Howard G. Taylor, Jr., is in the Burlington County Hospital, Mt. Holly, for observation for mastoid complications.

Mrs. Alma Evans is slightly improved following a severe attack of the gripe.

The Golden Hour Circle will hold their annual turkey dinner on Wednesday, March 18, in the social hall of Calvary Presbyterian Church.

ST. PATRICK PARTY AT K. OF C. HOME

Are you planning to attend the St. Patrick's party to be held Tuesday evening at the K. of C. Home, Broad street and Elm avenue, Palmyra, under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus?

There will be dancing, as well as card playing. Mrs. Anna Davis is in charge of arrangements for the dance, while Mrs. Robert Woods is making plans for the card players. Many prizes have already been offered. Admission is only thirty-five cents. A tea cloth and China tea set will be given for a door prize.

WM. MCGINLEY DIES AT MERCHANTVILLE

Former Palmyra Resident Victim of Heart Attack. Noted Ball Player

William McGinley, aged 52, who died at Indian Mills in Shamong township, Thursday of last week of a heart attack, was a former resident of Palmyra. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. McGinley, who lived at 483 Morgan avenue, and who moved to Philadelphia 37 years ago, later going to Merchantville, where Mrs. McGinley, now widowed, still lives.

Mr. McGinley was one of the smartest minor league catchers ever developed in this section. He played with both the York, Pa., and Lancaster, Pa., clubs of the old Tri-State League for five years, then spent the next six years in the New York State League, catching for both the Albany, N. Y., and Wilkes-Barre, Pa., clubs.

He also caught for several representative Camden clubs, the last of which was the XXV club of the old Camden County League.

"Bill," as he was familiarly known to his intimates and the fans, attended Villanova College and in 1905 participated in both football and baseball, embarking on a professional baseball career before he graduated.

For the past 10 years he acted as clerk of the township in which he resided.

He bought a 66-acre farm 15 years ago on the Tuckerton road, near Indian Mills, and worked it himself. He apparently was in the best of health when he was stricken suddenly with the heart attack.

The deceased is survived by his widow, Martha, his mother, three brothers and three sisters. The brothers are George and Edward of Merchantville; Herbert, of Philadelphia.

The sisters are Mrs. Oscar Cox, Merchantville; Mrs. William J. Gobbright, Camden; and Mrs. Harry Hodson, Palmyra.

Interment was made Monday afternoon in Morgan Cemetery, Palmyra, the services being conducted by the Rev. John T. Ward, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Burlington.

FATHERS' NIGHT AT PALMYRA PTA

Two One-Act Plays Will Be Given for Entertainment; Also a Monologue

Fathers' night will be observed at the regular meeting of the Palmyra Parent-Teacher Association to be held Tuesday evening in the Palmyra High School auditorium.

Following the business meeting two humorous one-act sketches will be presented under the capable direction of Mrs. Albert B. Parker, well-known elocutionist.

These plays will be given by a group of high school girls, most of whom are pupils of Mrs. Parker.

The first sketch will be "Poison Ivy" and will be played by Yvett Nash and Betty Parker.

The second, "Sardines," will have a cast consisting of Marjorie Nace, Dorothy Trout, Carol Bauer, Helen Mansfield and Ruth Black. Between the two short plays Betty Louise Nash will give a monologue.

Refreshments will be served at the close of the program.

BIG DRAWING NEXT MONDAY

Awards to Be Made at Broadway Theatre, Palmyra, in Evans' Big Contest

Next Monday evening, March 16, the Joseph T. Evans firm, coal and lumber dealer, of Riverton, will bring their big drawing for valuable prizes to a close. The awards will be made from the stage of the Broadway Theatre, Palmyra, immediately after the first performance.

Hon. Walter D. Lamson, freeholder of Burlington County, will preside and award the several prizes, consisting of an R.C.A. 1936 console radio, one ton of premium anthracite coal or 200 gallons fuel oil, \$5.00 in merchandise, ten Broadway Theatre tickets, and six awards of \$1.00 in merchandise.

A blackboard will be on the stage and the numbers as drawn will be announced and placed on the board. Coupons will be given with all purchases of \$1.00 made at Evans up until closing of business on Monday the 16th, and A. W. Keys, manager of the Broadway Theatre, will give an extra coupon with each admission the night of the drawing.

It is advisable to arrange your coupons in consecutive order as to numbers so that it is easily located if your number is drawn, as there are ten separate prizes.

Mr. Evans wishes to thank his many friends who have cooperated and made it possible to make these valuable awards.

"You May Be Next" will be the feature on the screen with Ann Southern and Lloyd Nolan.

TESTIMONIAL DINNER TO PALMER L. ADAMS

Friends of Palmer L. Adams, director of the Burlington County Board of Freeholders, are planning a testimonial dinner to be held at the Log Cabin Lodge, Medford Lakes, Saturday night, March 28. Senator Clifford R. Powell will be toastmaster.

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be comparatively free from troubles,  
but a strange malady which literally  
chokes the plant to death has made  
its appearance in the suburbs of  
Philadelphia. No remedy has been  
found for it and there is grave danger  
that the Sycamore may go the way of  
the Chestnut.

Plant lovers who fancy the diminutive  
plants and flowers, and who  
were intrigued by the miniature  
Rose, Rosa Rouletti, when exhibited  
at the Philadelphia Flower Show a  
few seasons since, will also like the  
new seedling from Rouletti, called  
Tom Thumb, and which is equally  
small. It is offered by the catalogue  
men for the first time this year and  
resembles Rouletti excepting that  
the color of the tiny flower is a dark  
crimson shading to white at the  
petal base.

As reported in "Horticulture,"  
Baltimore has probably the most  
unique Garden Club on Record. It  
is an indoor club of folks who live  
in apartment houses and it is called  
"The Cliff Dwellers." Club discus-  
sions the past year have been on  
hanging baskets, dish gardens, flower  
arrangements, aquariums and ter-  
rariums. A plant lover does not need  
a ten-acre lot to ride his hobby.

Chiang Yee, author of the book  
"The Chinese Eye," says that the  
Chinese have chosen a dozen flower  
and fruit blossoms to symbolize the  
twelve months of the year; they are  
the most characteristic flower of  
each month, and, beginning with the  
first, run in the following order:  
plum blossom, apricot blossom,  
peach blossom, rose, pomegranate  
flower, lotus, balsam, cassia blossom,  
chrysanthemum, tea flower, poppy  
and winter plum blossom. Selected  
to represent the four seasons are:  
peony for spring; lotus for summer;  
chrysanthemum for autumn; and  
plum for winter.

A dogwood festival is being  
planned for Atlanta, Georgia, in  
April. Thousands of Dogwood  
trees have been planted along the  
sidewalks in many of the residen-  
tial sections and for the past several  
years the pink and white blooms  
have probably been equal to the  
Cherry Blossoms of Washington.  
Considering how well Dogwoods  
thrive and how abundantly they  
bloom in this section, this might  
be an idea for the adornment of  
some of our South Jersey towns.

An old-world gardener opines his  
theory that infant children and in-  
fant plants have many wants in com-  
mon. What is good for the one is  
good for the other and vice versa.  
Instance the matter of cold draughts.  
What would lead to disastrous re-  
sults to the baby, would, in all prob-  
ability, have disastrous results for  
the plant. It is much to sustain an  
equable temperature and, at this time  
of the year, the minimum of humid-  
ity. A harsh, dry atmosphere would  
kill; so, too, would one full of mois-  
ture. We must study and practice  
the happy medium.

**MISS CADBURY TALKS  
TO SOROPTOMISTS**  
At a business meeting of the Sorop-  
tomist Club of Burlington County  
held at the home of Mrs. Alfred  
Hunt, Church Road, Moorestown,  
March 4, 1936, Miss Emma Cadbury,  
of Vienna, a former resident of  
Moorestown, and a member of the  
Soroptomist Club of Vienna, ad-  
dressed the meeting.

Miss Cadbury, secretary of the  
Friends' International Centre of Vi-  
enna, Austria, told of her work and  
also of the social and economic con-  
ditions as they exist in Austria to-  
day.

Miss Cadbury returns to Europe  
some time early in April.  
Peiping, China's old capital, was  
so renamed by the revolutionists from  
Peking. Two thousand years B.C.  
its name was Yochow and at 800  
B.C. Yen.

## SAVOLDI vs. DUSEK IN CAMDEN RING

"Jumping Joe" and Emil to Lock  
Horn in 3-fall Match  
in Camden Tonight

Jumping Joe Savoldi, of Three  
Oaks, Michigan, and Emil Dusek, of  
Omaha, will answer the clang of the  
gong in the feature two out of three  
falls wrestling bout at the Camden  
Armory, Haddon avenue and Mickie  
street, tonight.

This will mark Savoldi's first  
appearance at the Drill Shed this ses-  
sion. The Latin, who turned to a  
mat career after making football  
history at Notre Dame, under the  
guidance of the late Knute Rockne,  
is anxious for a crack at Dick Shi-  
kat's newly won title.

A bout of rare interest will take  
place in the forty-five minute semi-  
final when Joe Cox, of Kansas City,  
recent conqueror of Ernie Dusek,  
will attempt to toss Tom Alley, pop-  
ular Australian, for the fatal count  
of three. Cox, in his last appear-  
ance at Camden scored a win over  
Freddy Grubmeier, while Alley's  
surf-board grasp forced George Len-  
han to yell "kamerad" last week.

Joey Dusek, baby member of the  
Omaha Riot Squad, is carded for  
the main half hour preliminary.  
Pitted against the Nebraskan will  
be Jim Coffield rugged Kansan. In  
Coffield's only appearance in Cam-  
den, two weeks ago he held Tom  
Alley to a half hour draw.

Able Coleman, the Apeman, who  
spilled Walter Underhill last week,  
will take on Stan Sokolis, former  
captain of the University of Penn-  
sylvania's football and wrestling  
teams, in the second number, a

thirty minute duel.  
Sam Cordovano, line coach of  
Columbia University, and Dr. Len  
Hall, of Seattle, will come to grips  
in the curtain raiser, a thirty minute  
bout. Cordovano will make his ap-  
pearance in Camden in over a year.

**JUNIOR WOMEN  
TO PRESENT PLAY**  
The Junior Woman's Club of Pal-  
myra will hold its monthly social  
meeting in Society Hall, Palmyra,  
Monday evening at 8.15.  
Members of the club will present  
a play, "Be a Little Cuckoo." The  
cast, which is also entered in the  
Little Theatre Tournament, includes  
Mrs. Eleanor Hemple, Adelaide  
Webb, Doris Hampton, Florence  
Stevens and Marie Jander. The play  
is being coached by Mrs. Evelyn  
Wear.

Miss Dorothy Goodwin and Miss  
Marjorie Spahr will be the hostesses  
for the evening. Members of the  
Palmyra Woman's Club are cordially  
invited to attend.

**YWCA NOTES**  
A reunion of the YWCA Day  
Camp will be held Saturday, March  
14th from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., in the  
Moorestown Community House.  
Every camper and counselor is cor-  
dially invited to come and bring a  
guest and enjoy "A Day at Camp."  
Miss Hannah Severns, chairman of  
the camp committee, has arranged  
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## Miss Adelaide Webb and Mrs. Harry Hemple represented the Pal- myra club at this conference.

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14th from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., in the  
Moorestown Community House.  
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dially invited to come and bring a  
guest and enjoy "A Day at Camp."  
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newest model, Bell accidentally upset  
an acid battery. Crying out, "Mr. Watson,  
come here, I want you", he sprang back  
to save his clothes from acid burns.  
And Watson, in another room, listening  
at a receiving telephone, HEARD THE  
WORDS and came rushing in.  
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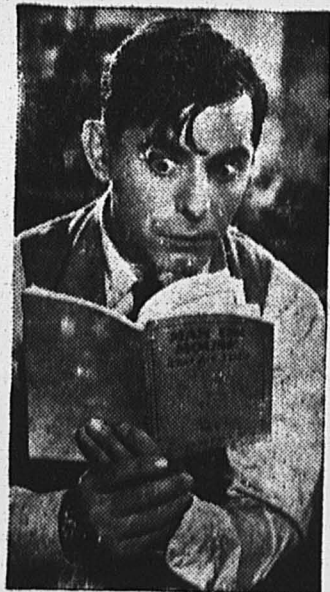
The Marlton Civic Club will hold its Monte Carlo night in the Marlton Community House on Thursday evening, March 19, at eight o'clock.

ARTISANS PLAN ANNUAL BANQUET

The annual banquet of Palmyra Assembly No. 65, A.O.M.P., will be held next Tuesday evening, at 6.30 o'clock, in the P. O. S. of A. Hall.

DeWitt Morris, of Horace avenue, member of the Palmyra Board of Health, visited Dr. Lynn Mahaffey at Trenton last week in reference to milk supply legislation.

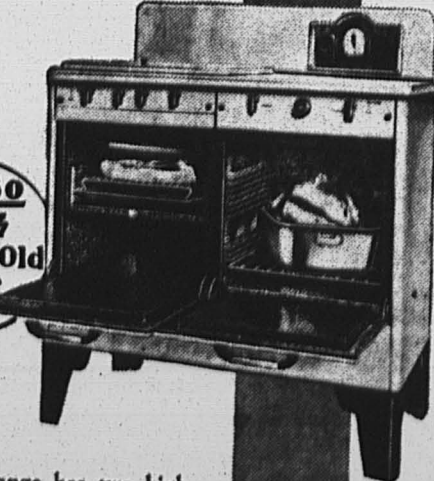
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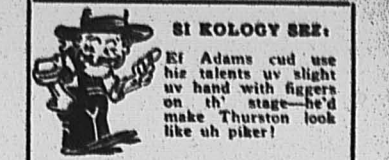
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COUNCIL ACTS IN MAD DOG MENACE

Mayor Issues Proclamation Restricting Freedom of Dogs Under State Law

Members of the Riverton Borough Council were in complete agreement that an emergency exists relative to the mad dog situation and authorized Mayor Biddle to issue a proclamation regulating the freedom of dogs within the borough limits at their monthly meeting last Thursday night.

The proclamation was suggested by the borough attorney, Walter Carson, and will be drafted by him immediately. The regulation is based on the state laws governing the situation and is provided with "teeth" for enforcement.

Robert W. Knight, chairman of the police committee, was instructed to take steps to rigidly enforce the terms of the proclamation.

Will Destroy Dogs While the text of the proclamation is not known to the press it is expected that dogs will not be permitted to run at large without muzzles. If a dog is caught without a muzzle, the authorities are expected to destroy the animal.

The fact that a dog may have been inoculated against rabies does not exempt the owner from the terms of the proclamation.

It is expected that the ban will be on for a period of ninety days from the date of issuance.

Within the last few weeks three cases of rabies were established in dogs formerly running at large in Riverton. The decision was made in Trenton where the heads of the dogs suspected to be infected with the disease were sent by the police.

Broad Street Discussed Councilman Sylvester raised the question of the paving of Broad street. He stated that he understood that the county intended to pave the River Road from Beverly to Palmyra and wondered why they had stopped at Riverton. The clerk was instructed to write the freeholders to see if they planned to continue the paving to Palmyra.

Audit Reviewed William H. Welcker, of Charles S. Rocky Co. presented the annual audit and went over the high points of the 37-page audit. He highly complimented the borough tax collector, C. Kenneth Davis, the finance committee and the whole council.

The following statement was prepared by him for the press: 1935 Borough of Riverton Audit "At the meeting of the Mayor and Council on Thursday, the 12th instant, the annual audit of the accounts of the Borough of Riverton was presented by William H. Welcker, Certified Public Accountant and partner in the firm of Charles S. Rocky & Co.

"The report submitted contains thirty-seven typewritten pages and deals with every financial transaction of the Borough for the year 1935.

"Mr. Welcker stated that the affairs of the Borough, as usual, were in excellent financial condition. At a time when many other municipalities are struggling with large debts, increased taxes and the problems of refinancing, the Borough of Riverton, on January 1, 1935, had a total indebtedness of only \$12,609.34 and there was a reduction in indebtedness over the previous year amounting to \$27,400.00, the total debt having been at the beginning of last year \$40,009.34.

Reduction in Unpaid Taxes "In so far as the report concerns outstanding taxes, the report indicates that the outstanding taxes as of January 1, 1935 were approximately \$70,800.00 and this had been reduced on January 1, 1936 to slightly less than \$61,000.00 or a reduction over \$9,000.00. This result was accomplished also at a time when other municipalities were struggling with delinquencies, the non-payment

BOROUGH OF RIVERTON PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS several dogs suffering from Rabies have been found in the Borough of Riverton and there is danger of the spread of said disease:

THEREFORE, in the interest of public safety, and pursuant to an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act for protection against mad dogs" (Revision of 1877, as supplemented and amended), all persons owning or harboring any dog or dogs, male or female, are hereby notified and directed to cause the same to be properly muzzled with a wire muzzle about the nose, securely fastened, and to prevent every such dog from running at large within the said Borough unless muzzled in accordance with the said Statute and this Proclamation.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that all dogs, male or female, found running at large within the limits of the said Borough after one day's public notice hereof, and not muzzled as hereby required, will be destroyed, and such destruction in the manner provided by law is hereby authorized.

This Proclamation shall remain in full force and effect for ninety days from the date hereof.

By the advice and consent of the Borough Council of The Borough of Riverton in the County of Burlington.

H. McLVAIN BIDDLE, Mayor. Dated, March 19, 1936.

of County taxes and indifference by the taxpayers. "Mr. Welcker took the opportunity of commending C. Kenneth Davis, Tax Collector and Treasurer, and Mr. E. K. Merrill, Chairman of the Finance Committee and the Mayor and Council upon the improvement in the finances during the year 1935."

The report of the auditor was accepted and authorization for the advertisement as required by law was made.

Seek WPA Road Aid O. A. Grosskreuz, supervising engineer for the WPA at Trenton, was present at the council meeting and discussed the possibility of WPA aid on a street improvement program for the Borough of Riverton.

If a program is decided upon and acceptance of the project is received, the sponsors of the project (Borough of Riverton) will have to bear 20 per cent of the total cost of labor and materials.

A tentative survey of the blue prints was made at the meeting. The project calls for some streets to be collected and some to be paved with asphalt.

Mr. Grosskreuz suggested that the Borough Engineers, Sherman and Sleeper and the highway committee of council, take an afternoon off and go over the streets of the town to determine the exact requirements in the way of repairs.

Council accepted his suggestion and an appointment will be made in the immediate future.

Police Report Councilman Robert W. Knight submitted his monthly police report which was accepted, and filed. He submitted the names of Edson Carhart, Joseph Lezenby, William Thomason, Hobart Wright, Walter Armstrong, John Carhart, Jr., Jacob Strohlein and George Carnie for approval as special officers for the year of 1936. Council confirmed their appointment.

The police report for the month of February is as follows: 2 arrests, one accident, sixteen complaints and reports answered and investigated, two complaints on dogs, six calls from other police departments, one commitment to insane hospital, one cat gassed, one dog killed, one home closed, one lost child returned to parents, one car stolen and returned to owner, six night lodgers.

A complaint was made by Chief of Police William G. Gootes that the Pary Volunteer Fire Company operated its fire truck through the town at an excessive rate of speed. The clerk was instructed to relay the complaint to the township officials of Cinnaminson.

Councilman Merrill stated the fire

JOINT MEETING OF PTA AND PORCH CLUB

Local Talent Puts on Original Skit Written by Members Delecting Hospital Service

Mrs. J. Douglas Clark presided at the joint meeting of the Porch Club and the Riverton Parent-Teacher Association, which was held on Tuesday at the Porch Club.

A skit, written and staged by Mrs. Victor Ritschard and Mrs. Nathan Lane, was presented by the following cast: Mrs. Gardner Crowell, Mrs. Nathan Lane, Mrs. Ralph Flower, Mrs. Joseph Morgan and Mrs. Henry Randall. The action took place in an automobile containing four patients and a volunteer driver en route to the clinic at Mt. Holly Hospital. The pathos and the humor of the situation were very well portrayed.

Miss Clarette Sehon, secretary of the Vineland Training School, told (continued on page 5)

DELAWARE RIVER OVERFLOWS BANKS

Yacht Club Pier Submerged; East Riverton, Bellevue Cellars Flooded

Riverton, Palmyra and vicinity were visited by flood waters today when the Delaware and tributaries overflowed their banks in some portions.

The Riverton Yacht Club was under water most of the morning to a height half way up the railing on the walkway. Water came over the stone wall to the edge of the road at the foot of Linden avenue.

East Riverton and Bellevue as usual received a good drenching when the river advanced several hundred feet from its normal high water mark.

Many cellars have been flooded in several situations near the river bank. Several residents were seen paddling up the street in row boats.

The water rose to a height of six inches above the floor level in the factory of the American Rayon Co., East Riverton. Employees disconnected electric motors and moved them to higher levels to avoid damage.

A crew of Public Service linemen stood by at the sub-station in East Riverton in the event the water should rise much higher. They were not forced to shut down the power, however.

Riverside Park and Riverside, too, received a fair share of the flood waters. Many homes in Riverside Park near the river were completely surrounded by water and cellars filled.

Water covered Pavilion avenue at the entrance to the Landon-Stone Memorial bridge, and autos were forced to run through water running-board deep to cross the span. The J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., store and lumber yard in Riverside was surrounded by water but none seeped into the cellar.

The little Fork Landing community had excessive waters but not to the extent of several years ago. The Reidenbakers who maintain a carp fish industry at Fork Landing, have been able to keep their fish impounded in their artificial lakes. They increased the height of the banks since the last flood waters and this has helped to keep Fork Landing comparatively dry.

Traffic on the River Road was again interrupted and cars were forced to detour via the Burlington Pike.

Since the flood several years ago which did considerable damage at Dreer's Nursery at Riverton, the (continued on page 4)

CALL FROM THE RED CROSS All who desire to contribute money to the local chapter Red Cross for relief of the flood districts may get in touch with Mrs. J. Carl DeLaCour, Miss A. B. Campbell or leave it at the Riverton Free Library.

BRIDGEWELD TO SUE FOR BALANCE

Freeholders Notified That Legal Steps Will Be Taken to Collect \$13,332.95

The Burlington County Board of Freeholders received a letter from Thomas L. Hanson, attorney representing the Bridgeweld Engineering Corporation of New York, threatening suit if an immediate adjustment of the fees still due that corporation is not made. The letter was read at the regular meeting of the board held in Mt. Holly, last Friday.

The Bridgeweld Engineering Corporation was the original consulting engineers for the county on the Riverside-Delanco span. When the "new deal" faction got control of the board of freeholders January a year ago, they cancelled the contract with the Bridgeweld Corporation in February because they felt that the commission rate was too high and that in their opinion no authoritative contract really existed between the board and the corporation.

The amount the Bridgeweld Engineering Corporation claims still due them is \$13,332.95. They were paid \$10,000 of their alleged \$23,332.95 contract.

The communication was referred to the board's solicitor, Lester A. Drenk.

Another Resolution

A resolution from the Paragraph Club of Beverly protesting the removal of Miss Sarah R. Budd from the County Library Commission was read and referred to Director Adams with the request that he reply to it.

The text of the resolution follows: To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Burlington County: Whereas, Miss Sarah A. Budd organized the Burlington County Library Commission and has since that time served most conscientiously as a member of said commission without gratuity, and

Whereas, she has the education, experience and leisure to acceptably fill the position of chairman, and

Whereas, living in the County seat and being a member of the State Commission she has been able to keep in touch with the Library at Trenton and to coordinate the county work for most efficient service; therefore, be it

Resolved that the Paragraph Club of Beverly deplores the action of the Board of Freeholders in failing to reappoint Miss Sarah A. Budd as a member of the County Library Commission, and

Be it Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Paragraph Club, and be it further

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Burlington County.

Helen B. Curtin, Secretary. February 28, 1936.

The Paragraph Club is a prominent women's with members in Beverly and Edgewater Park.

Freeholder Lamson suggested that since so many protests against the board's action in removing Miss Budd have been received, it might be well for the director to frame a letter explaining their reasons for the removal and forwarding a copy of it to the protesting organizations.

Adams remarked that all of the resolutions seemed to read alike and it looks like someone is going about the county getting them passed in the various women's organizations.

Deborah Extends Thanks A letter from the Deborah Sanatorium expressing their appreciation of the board's compliance with their request for support was read by the board.

Solicitor Drenk reported that he had gone to Washington last week and was informed that it would be necessary for the county to sponsor



**SPRING CONFERENCE IN CAMDEN APRIL 1**

Miss Alice Sowers, Specialist in Parent Education, Will Be the Speaker

The spring conference of the southern district of Parent-Teacher Associations will be held in the Broadway M. E. Church, Camden, on Wednesday, April 1, at 10 a.m. The theme chosen for this meeting is "Character Building—A Joint Responsibility," and Miss Alice Sowers, specialist in parent education will be the speaker.

A letter to local presidents describes Miss Sowers' work as follows: "In carrying the parent education program of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers to the various states, Miss Sowers gives addresses before conventions and other gatherings, to instruct parents in the education of the community, and to stimulate the organization of study groups; holds conferences with educators to develop parent education leadership; and conducts conferences and schools for parents and teachers to plan programs for study groups and methods of carrying on the work. "Miss Sowers conducts the "In Our Neighborhood" department in "The National Parent-Teacher Magazine" and is co-author of the feature "It's Up to Us" in the same publication."

**ANOTHER RIVERTON RESIDENCE RAZED**

Another of Riverton's older residences being torn down. The former Dr. Witte property, as it is commonly known, is going the way of many old-time houses, which seem to be too large for the present-day family.

The Dr. Witte residence, at 613 Main street, was built in 1898 by Samuel Rudderow for Samuel Heulings, lumberman, who formerly owned the Joseph T. Evans lumber yard. The residence formerly occupied by Charles Trego, at 615 Main street, and torn down several months ago, was built at the same time.

Some of the families who at one time lived in these homes are: A. R. Cavanna, Fred Pfeiffer, Percy Thomas, Mrs. Starr, Dr. Witte, Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. Dickman and Mrs. Shaffer, Charles Trego at two different times and Mr. and Mrs. Portley. Percy Thomas at present is living in Merchantville.

**LOCAL GIRL MEMBER OF HONORARY MUSIC SOCIETY AT N. J. C.**

Miss Elizabeth Mayfield, of 611 Fourth street, Riverton, has been elected a member of Delta Mu, honorary musical society of New Jersey, College for Women, according to announcement made by Miss Evelyn Neeb '36 of Easton, Pa., president. Nine undergraduates have been awarded membership in the society because of the special talent which they have demonstrated as musical performers or composers.

Miss Mayfield is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Mayfield, and a graduate of George School in Pennsylvania. A junior, Miss Mayfield is the recipient of academic honors, a member of the choir, and music editor of Campus News, the student newspaper.

**LAMB FOR FIRST PRIZE**

The Riverton Electric Shoe Repair is offering its patrons a special pre-Easter gift inducement. With each purchase of 10 cents or over, the genial proprietor, Frank Barone, will give a numbered ticket. On Saturday, April 11th, at 7.30 p.m., the stubs will be drawn from a box and three gifts will be distributed. The first gift will be a live lamb. Second will receive a quart bottle of Griffin's all-white shoe cleaner, and the third will receive a half-sole job free.

Mr. Barone invites you to avail yourself of his services and in return receive a free ticket for the prize awards.

We seem to remember that there was a ditty popular a few years ago under the title "Would You Like to Take a Walk?" Maybe the Philadelphia convention will substitute this for "Happy Days Are Here Again" as the New Deal campaign song.

**BARTO NEW LEADER OF CHORAL CLUB**

Alfred Van Osten Resigned on March 2, After Several Years of Service

The resignation of Alfred Van Osten was received at the meeting of the Fellowship Choral Club on March 2nd. Due to other conflicting matters, Mr. Van Osten was unable to continue as its conductor, and the members, individually and collectively regret his inability to remain as their leader, which post he held from early in the career of the organization. His resignation was accepted with sincere reluctance.

On Monday, March 16th, at the Porch Club, Claude Y. Barto was installed as the new director of the organization. He was warmly welcomed by the members and there followed an enthusiastic rehearsal. Mr. Barto has had a wide musical experience with choral and instrumental groups and is leader of the choir of the Central Baptist Church, Palmyra.

Ernest Warnick has resumed his voice placement and tone control class lessons as part of each regular rehearsal. Rehearsals are being held every other week and will continue until June. Next rehearsal will be March 30th.

Plans for next season are being formulated and a successful season is anticipated.

**RIVERTON P.-T.A. STUDY GROUP**

A regular meeting of the child study group of the Riverton Parent-Teacher Association will be held on Monday, March 23, at 3.30 p.m. Dr. Harry L. Rogers, of Riverton, will talk on "First Aid." A short skit demonstrating first aid treatments will be presented by a group of students, under the direction of Miss Clark. A plant will be presented to the class having the largest number of Mothers attending the meeting.

**KIRKPATRICK—DOLD**

Miss Elsie Ruth Dold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Dold, of 608 Elm Terrace, Riverton, became the bride of Murray M. Kirkpatrick, son of Mrs. R. M. Kirkpatrick, of Lincoln avenue, Palmyra, in Calvary Presbyterian Church, Riverton, at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, March 14, the Rev. Charles T. Bates officiating.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was dressed in a gown of white satin and lace, with a Madonna veil held in place with a lace cap. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and sweetheart roses.

Miss Harriet Read, sister of the bride, was her only attendant, and was gowned in Alice blue taffeta and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Little Elsie Custer, of Bridgeton, was flower girl and carried a basket of mixed flowers.

Robert Kirkpatrick, brother of the groom, was best man. Robert Finney and Robert Young were ushers.

Mrs. Frank Bell played the wedding march and Miss Mary Patterson sang "I Love You Truly."

After a reception to the families and wedding party Mr. and Mrs. Kirkpatrick left on a short trip. They will reside at the home of the bride's parents for the present.

Mr. Kirkpatrick is connected with the Public Service in the Camden district.

**RIVERTON LADS LOSE LICENSES**

Edwin McVaugh, 19, of East Main street, and Robert W. Knight, 21, of 211 Howard street, both of Riverton, were deprived of their drivers' licenses for one year last Saturday evening in the Pennsylvania police court at state motor vehicle inspectors testified they were driving their motorcycles 78 miles an hour on Burlington Pike.

The youths were fined \$25 and \$25.00 costs, each, by Recorder George E. Yost. State inspectors H. C. Wilson and John Johnson made the arrests.

**INTELLIGENCE**

If people were half as confident of their knowledge as they are about things of which they know nothing the level of intelligence would rise at least 13 years.—Fon Du Lac Commonwealth.

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who served for two years with the Pal-River Chevrolet when it first began business in Riverton, has this week succeeded C. R. Sweeney as the Dodge and Plymouth dealer in this territory.

**ANNUAL DINNER OF GOLDEN HOUR CIRCLE**

The annual turkey dinner of the Golden Hour Circle was held Wednesday in the Sunday School of Calvary Presbyterian Church at 1 p.m. Three of the charter members were present: Mrs. Daniel M. Clifton, of Riverton; Mrs. Joseph M. Roberts, Haddonfield, and Mrs. H. B. Hall, of Wilmington.

Approximately fifty-two members and their friends were present. This circle was started about thirty years ago by ladies of all denominations, Quakers, Presbyterians, Baptists, etc.

**APPEAL FOR CLOTHING**

The Riverton-Cinnaminson Welfare Association is in need of the following articles of clothing: Girls' dresses, size 10 to 12; spring coat for girl, size 10; spring coats for boys, size 8 and 10. Also household furniture, especially chairs.

Please bring articles to the Welfare office in the Riverton fire house or telephone Riverton 284 and someone will call for them.

**SCHOLARSHIP FOR CHARLES W. RAY AT HEIDELBERG**

Charles W. Ray, of the economic department of Palmyra High School has been awarded a full scholarship to the University of Heidelberg to study during the entire summer. He will study in education and psychology for work applied on his Ph.D. degree. He already has his A.B., B.S., and M.S. degrees.

Mr. Ray will also act as the official representative of Birmingham Southern College at the 55th Jubilee Anniversary of the founding of the university.

The scholarship was awarded on the basis of past records and grades. He has previously been the recipient of three scholarships to Central College and an assistantship at Syracuse.

He has done graduate work at the University of Alabama, doctor work at Columbia University, and work in progressive education at Syracuse

and Montevallo College in Alabama. He is also president of the Alabama Club at Columbia University.

Before coming to Palmyra High School Mr. Ray was the assistant principal at Baldwin High School in Bay Minette, Alabama. He will go abroad June 13 and return in time for the opening of school in the fall.

**YWCA NOTES**

The Burlington County YWCA will hold a maintenance campaign during the latter part of March, to raise funds to carry on its work during the next fiscal year. Plans for the campaign were made at the board meeting, held all day Tuesday in the Mt. Holly "Y" clubrooms, with Mrs. Charles S. Beckwith, of Pemberton, county president, presiding. Mrs. Charles Barton, of Marlton, chairman of finance will announce details later.

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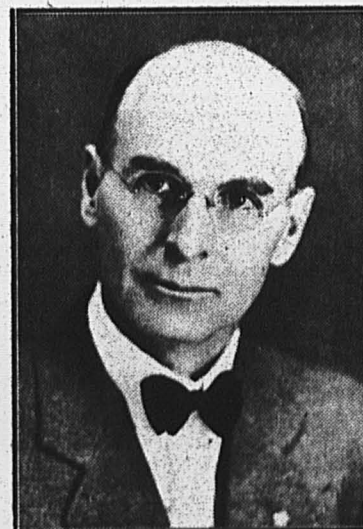
Do You Hold Any of These Numbers for Prizes That Have Not Been Awarded?

The Joseph T. Evans firm brought their prize contest to a close on Monday evening, March 16th, at the Broadway theatre before a crowded house. Howard Law, 423 Linden avenue, Riverton, held the first number drawn 7926, and was awarded the RCA 1936 Console Radio; Earl Bishop, 16 Front street, Riverton, won the third award, a \$5 merchandise order with number 24-729; William Grollman, 925 Cinnaminson avenue, Palmyra, was sixth with coupon No. 10666, and another Palmyra resident was eighth with No. 14420. Dr. H. B. Mark, Broad and Elm Terrace, won the 10 movie tickets with No. 16577, and John Banff, of East Riverton, received \$1 merchandise prize with No. 18951.

The ton of Premium Anthracite coal and three \$1 merchandise orders are still unclaimed. Look over your coupons and see if you hold any of these numbers: 10869, 18281, 1254, 4501. If so present them at the office of Joseph T. Evans on or before Tuesday, March 24th, in order to qualify for awards.

Several people dropped "Buy at Home" coupons by error in the wrong box, but where this occurred they were put in the proper receptacle, as Evans are also participating in the distribution of \$150 in prizes in the "Buy at Home" prize contest.

**IN TO STAY**



DR. M. W. NEWCOMB

who declares he will not be "scared out" of the fight for State Senator.

**NEWCOMB REFUSES TO BE SCARED OUT**

Popular Assemblyman Denies Rumors That He Will Withdraw

Browns Mills, N. J., March 17, 1936.

Editor The New Era:

It has been called to my attention that the rumor is being circulated that I do not intend to run for the nomination for State Senator, and that I will withdraw my name before the May Primaries. Whether the wish is father of the thought in this instance, or whether it is propaganda being used to embarrass me by giving the impression that I am not in earnest, I do not know. However, I want my many loyal friends to understand that my announcement was made in all sincerity and that I have no intention of being "scared out" by the numerous attempts that have been made, and undoubtedly will continue to be made, to discredit me personally, professionally and politically.

M. W. NEWCOMB, M.D.

**THE CHAMPION THROWER**  
The story that Washington once threw a silver dollar across the Potomac River has been branded officially as a myth. But there is no doubt that he did throw a crown across the Atlantic Ocean.—Toronto Mail and Express.

Better give a shilling than lend a crown.

**HOW IT WAS DONE**



Hold this picture up to the light.

**SUNRISE SERVICE LAKEVIEW PARK**

Fourth Consecutive Commemoration of the Resurrection at Dawn on Easter

The Palmyra Moravian Church will again conduct this beautiful and symbolic service at this shrine of the departed, building it around the Easter Liturgy used for 204 years at the dawn of Easter morning. Plans are being completed to make this year's service even more reverent in spirit and significant of the truth of the resurrection of Christ. Rev. Albert J. Harke, the pastor, has been assured the fullest cooperation of the Lakeview authorities in carrying out the plans in the most effective way.

The large ensemble of trumpets and trombones will again lead in the chorales. A new feature at this year's service will be several selections by the quartet of Moravian College and Theological Seminary of Bethlehem, Pa., which is rated as one of the best student quartets in the East. The large illuminated cross on top of the Singing Tower will again herald this event. Music from the Singing Tower will begin at 4.00 a.m., and the assembled instrumental choir will follow with selected chorales at 4.40. The service proper will begin at 5.00 a.m., and will be sent out from the Hill-side Altar over the park by means of amplifiers. A large vested choral group will sing the chorales of the liturgy. The public is invited.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

Mrs. John Althouse and William Evans, Jr., announce that they are no longer connected with the Riverton Market House in any way.

Mrs. John Althouse, William Evans, Jr.

**PUBLIC RELATIONS DINNER MARCH 31**

"Cooperative Effort Toward Social Goals" will be the theme of the first annual public relations banquet of the Burlington County Business and Professional Women's Club, to be held Tuesday night, March 31, at Log Cabin Lodge, Medford Lakes. Governor Harold G. Hoffman and Miss Lena Madessin Phillips, of New York City, will be the principal speakers at the affair, to which members of more than 35 county civic, social and political groups have been especially invited.

The public is invited to attend the affair. Members of the ticket committee include Miss H. Eloise Bryan, of Beverly; Miss Edith Darnell, of Moorestown; and Mrs. Mervil E. Haas, of Riverton.

Dancing will follow the dinner and speaking program.

A servant says we pay more for entertainment than for protection against cold, heat, disease, animals, criminals and pain. We gotcha, Professor—you've been visiting a night club.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

In the good old days men and women grew old gracefully. Now they try not to grow old at all, but when the Townsend plan is adopted they will at least endeavor to grow old economically.

**ANOTHER ROLE**  
Some are hoping Haile Selassie will emerge from the war a great historic personage, just to see how Arliss will look in burnt cork.—San Francisco Chronicle.

**FLASH!!**

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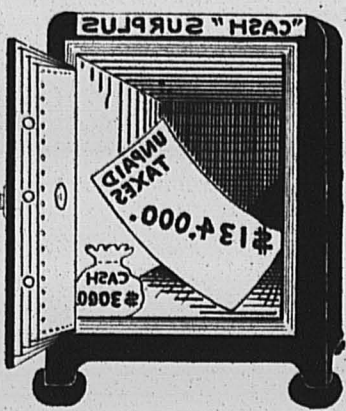
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MAGIC OF REDUCED RATE EXPLAINED

Cash Surplus Account Practically Wiped Out. Uncollected Taxes Substituted

To lose more than half a million in tax rates to add nearly \$32,000 to the cost of conducting the county business for 1936, and still show a lowering of the tax rate by 17 cents seems like an impossibility, but that it was done is claimed by the Burlington County Board of Freeholders and attested in public statement recently issued by the county tax board.

The reduction in the rate is true enough but the methods by which the seemingly impossible was accomplished smacks strongly of juggling the figures.

When the freeholders set about making up the budget for 1936 there was a cash balance of approximately \$80,000. Outstanding delinquent taxes, covering a period of several years, amounted to \$134,000 in round numbers.

By resolution this \$134,000 was transferred to the reserve account, making a paper total of \$214,000. Then \$134,000 was transferred from the reserve to the surplus revenue account in which there was the cash balance of approximately \$80,000.

From this fictitious total of \$214,000, \$76,901.81 was appropriated for current expenses for 1936, leaving a

paper balance of about \$137,000 in the surplus revenue account, but with the \$80,000 cash balance actually reduced to a trifle over \$3,000.

This surplus reserve account has been used as a revolving fund, frequently making it unnecessary for the county to borrow temporarily for urgent needs, and thereby saving interest charges.

This practice of raiding the surplus revenue account is not approved by those who understand public financing but it has apparently, for the time being at least, served the purpose of Director Adams of the Board of Freeholders, who is seeking re-election on his "economy" program.

However, there may come a reaction when the taxpayers realize the deception practiced in this matter. To almost entirely wipe out a surplus account which has been built up over a period of years, is not in any sense true economy.

That no real economy has been effected is demonstrated by the fact that the budget as published by the freeholders calls for an expenditure of \$31,865.53 more for 1936 than for 1935.

SACRED HEART P. T. A.

The Sacred Heart Parent-Teacher Association will hold a food sale in the school auditorium, Thursday, March 26, from 2 to 4 o'clock. The second and third grade mothers are in charge under the leadership of Mrs. Joseph Laverty, chairman. Orders called for and delivered, call Riverton 1039.

Church Notices

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL Riverton, N. J.

Rev. Francis B. Downs, Th.B., Rector Fourth Sunday in Lent March 22, 1936

7.30—Holy Communion. 9.45—Sunday School. 11.00—Morning Prayer and Sermon. Subject "Do's the End Justify the Means?"

4.00—Evening Prayer and short instruction. Wednesday, March 25 Feast of the Annunciation

9.30—Holy Communion. 3.45—Children's Service. 8.00—Evening Prayer and Sermon. Subject, "The Importance of the Incarnation."

Thursday, March 26th 6.30 a.m.—Holy Communion, 9.30 a.m.—Meditation "Faith."

EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH Rev. William A. Boyd, 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 Helpul Hour

Wednesday, 4.00 p.m.—Junior Epworth League

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE First Church of Christ, Scientist

Thomas Ave. and Seventh St. Riverton, N. J.

Sunday School 9.30 a.m. Sunday Services, 11.00 a.m. Wednesday, 8.00 p.m.

Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2.30 to 4.30

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. C. T. Bates, B.D., Pastor Sunday, March 22, Church School, 9.45; Morning's class of instruction 10 a.m.; Morning worship, 11.00 a.m.; Junior Christian Endeavor Society, 4.00 p.m.

The Senior Christian Endeavor will have charge of the evening worship service. Rev. Francis Kinsler, a missionary from Korea will be the speaker. This service will start at 7.30 instead of the usual 8 o'clock.

The midweek service, Wednesday, March 25th, at eight o'clock. Friday afternoon from 2 to 6 the Ladies' Aid Society will hold the annual cake and apron sale.

Calvary Church invites all in the community who have no regular church home to enter into its worship and fellowship.

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FOR FREEHOLDER



LEROY CHURCH

At the request of many friends who have given me generous assurance of their support, I am announcing my candidacy for the nomination for Freeholder at the approaching Republican Primaries.

I feel that my business experience and knowledge of the county qualify me for the honor that I am seeking at the hands of the voters and taxpayers.

To that end, I ask the support of all who believe that I could render useful service to the county.

LeRoy Church. Ordered and paid for by the candidate.

DRIVER STUCK IN MUD

Police of Riverton received a call from Mrs. John C. Anderson, 11 Bank avenue, last Sunday, stating that a car was stuck hub-deep in the lawn in front of her home.

Police investigated and found that Samuel B. Johnson, of 923 Washington avenue, Palmyra, had steered off the road and became stuck in the soft turf. Johnson, who was driving on a permit, had his fine committed on the payment of \$1 costs.

He agreed to restore the Anderson lawn to its original condition.

PALMYRA MORAVIAN CHURCH

Albert J. Harke, B.D., Pastor Services for Sunday, March 22. 9.30 a.m. Sunday School. 10.40 a.m. Morning service. Sermon "The Old Paths."

6.45 p.m. Christian Endeavor. 7.30 p.m. Evening service of praise.

Wednesday at 8.00 p.m., Lenten Service. Fifth sermon: "Afar Off"—"Peter Following Afar Off." The choir will sing at this service.

The Easter Sunrise Service will again be held at Lakeview Memorial Park, on Easter morning at 5.00 o'clock. Music will begin at 4.00 a.m. A large brass ensemble is again being gathered to lead in the chorale music. The Moravian College quartet will sing several selections. All members and friends of the congregation are asked to assemble on the terrace and join in the singing of the chorales in the Liturgy.

OBITUARIES

JOHN A. DOLD

John A. Dold, father of George T. Dold, of 608 Elm avenue, Riverton, passed away in his 75th year on Sunday, March 15, at his home in Brodheadsville, Pa.

Mr. Dold is survived by his widow Emma and one son, George. He was laid to rest at Brodheadsville on Wednesday, March 18th.

ALBERT H. HODSON

Albert H. Hodson, of 400 Seventh street, Riverton, died Sunday at his home.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock with the Rev. William Boyd, pastor of the Epworth M. E. Church, Palmyra, officiating. Interment was made in Leverington Cemetery, Roxborough.

MATHEW HANEY

Mathew Haney, of Pennsauken avenue, Cinnaminson Township, died suddenly at his late residence on Saturday, March 14. Dr. Bauer pronounced the man dead and Coroner Whomsey, of Burlington, issued the death certificate.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Jerome J. Zisak, Jr., funeral home, at 621 Thomas avenue, Riverton, the Rev. Charles T. Bates officiating.

Interment was made in Chelton Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia. The deceased is survived by his widow, Helen, a daughter, Mrs. Edward Kessler, of Riverside, and one sister, Mrs. Mary Ruth, of Scotland.

MRS. ELLA M. HAWKE

Funeral services were held Sunday at one o'clock for Mrs. Ella M. Hawke, one of Palmyra's oldest residents who died Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Hawke was the wife of Charles T. Hawke and was well known in Palmyra. Funeral services were held at the late residence, 519 Cinnaminson avenue, Palmyra, with the Rev. George Lockett, pastor of the Central Baptist Church, Palmyra, officiating.

Interment was made in Memorial Park, Philadelphia. Frank A. Snover, funeral director.

Mrs. Hawke is survived by a son, Charles L. Hawke, and two daughters, as well as her husband.

RIVERTON

Miss Naomi Evans spent the week end at the Jefferson Hotel, Atlantic City, as the guest of Miss Esther Reeves.

Francis Cole and family, of Phoenixville, Pa., visited Mrs. Frank C. Cole on Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Clark, president, entertained the members of the board of directors of the Riverton Porch Club and chairman of the various committees at luncheon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rue will spend the weekend with their daughter, Mrs. William Fredericks, of Cranford.

John Gnang, of Thomas avenue, is a little better after a severe attack of grip.

Don't forget the annual cake and apron sale by the Ladies' Aid Society of Calvary Presbyterian Church in the Sunday school on March 27. There will be tables piled high with cakes, aprons, flowers, delicatessen, and the usual ice cream and cake will be on sale for 15 cents. The sale will be open from 2 to 6.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Marshall, Sr., of Riverbank, have rented the property at 417 Thomas avenue.

CHICKEN SUPPER

The Women's Guild of Christ Church, Riverton, will serve a chicken supper in the parish house of the church Thursday evening, March 26, from six to seven-thirty o'clock. The supper will be served for the nominal sum of 65 cents. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

BOND MARKET TO MOVE APRIL 1

About the first of April the Bond Quality Market will move into the remodeled building at 15 East Broad street.

Frank Wenof, manager of the Bond, says that the same high quality of products will be carried as in the old store. He will also carry a complete line of food products. This market, says Mr. Wenof, will be the outstanding one in the community.

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GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Table listing grocery items and prices: Sale on Dog Foods—Thrivo, Calo, Marco and Kennel, Ration—your choice 4 cans 29c, Kellogg's Stuffed or Plain Olives quart 37c, Franklin Granulated Sugar 10 lb sack 49c, Kellogg's Merion Catsup 2 large bottles 25c, Kellogg's Evaporated Milk 3 tall cans 20c, Kellogg's Unsweetened Grapefruit Juice No. 2 can, each 10c, Kellogg's Whole Peeled Green Gages large can 21c, Kellogg's Fresh Prunes, packed in heavy syrup 2 lg cans 25c, Puffed Wheat 2 packages 17c, Boscul Coffee lb tin 27c, Booth's Pale Dry Ginger Ale 2 lg. bots. 25c (plus bot. dep.)

SEA-FOOD DEPARTMENT

Table listing sea-food items and prices: Fillet of Flounder lb 29c, Fillet of Haddock lb 25c, Croakers or Porgies 2 lbs 25c, Fancy Large Smelts lb 19c, Fresh Sea Bass lb 23c, Rock Fish lb 25c, Buck Shad lb 45c, Roe Shad lb 45c, Flounders lb 15c, Butter Fish lb 18c, Steak Cod lb 19c, Fresh Opened Oysters—Stewing doz 18c, Frying doz 25c

Council Acts In Mad Dog Menace

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stored in the old bank building but had to be removed to make way for the post office. The matter of securing permanent storage of the equipment was referred to the borough clerk for further report.

Police Ask Day Off

Police Chief Gootee addressed council and stated that he had been appointed a committee of one to ask for the day off a week to which police officers are entitled under the state laws. He stated that last April the state legislature had passed a law permitting police officers a day off per week. Chief Gootee stated that none of the policemen had any time off since last November.

Mayor Biddle stated that it was a matter that should properly come before the police committee for recommendation and therefore referred the chief's request to Councilman Knight's committee for report at the next meeting.

The borough attorney, Walter Carson, stated that he was not prepared at this time to report on the riverbank road situation as requested by council.

A list of delinquent taxes marked as uncollectible amounting to \$526.63 were remitted at the request of the tax collector.

A letter from the South Jersey Port Commission asking municipalities to share in a project to provide flood protection from the melting ice and snow was read. The clerk was instructed to write and ascertain what other municipalities were doing about the situation.

Ross E. Mattis submitted the annual report of the welfare organization which was received and filed. The cost of administering relief within the borough for the period October 1, 1934, to September 30, 1935, was \$3,541.11. Mr. Mattis stated that this was the lowest of any municipality of like population in the State of New Jersey. The Federal share of the cost was \$2,738.40 and the borough share was \$802.71.

The mayor complimented Mr. Mattis and extended a vote of thanks to him and the association for their splendid work in caring for the relief.

Bridgeweld to Sue For Balance

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sor the project of making the addition to the Deborah Sanatorium through the WPA.

The county, he stated, would not assume any responsibility, financial or otherwise by so doing, but it is one of the WPA requirements.

Director Adams was therefore empowered to execute the application with the approval of the solicitor, Lester A. Drenk.

Bids Without Advertising

Freeholder Jones asked that he be permitted to ask for bids without the formality of advertising for road materials needed to repair the roads. The unusual winter has severely damaged the highways and materials are needed immediately to put them in good repair. The board unanimously granted the authority.

Authorization was also given to

Delaware River Overflows Banks

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company has increased the height of the earthwork bank along the Pompton creek, and this has resulted in protecting the nursery during these high waters.

The tide reached its maximum height about 10.30 this morning and began to recede slowly after that time.

While the height of the water today does not equal that of several years ago, it has had the residents along the waters' edge wondering if this is the maximum or is there more to come later.

Joint Meeting of PTA & Porch Club

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of the first realization of noted doctors that some children and adults were not mentally normal, and of the research work which has resulted.

Miss Sehon also traced the history of the Vineland School from the time forty-seven years ago, when Rev. O. Garrison deserted the ministry to care for two abnormal children in his family, to the present-day highly efficient institution. Research work was started at the school twenty-seven years ago by Dr. Henry H. Goddard, the first director of research in this field.

It was interesting to note that New Jersey leads all other states in the care of the feeble minded and sends many of its charges to the Vineland School, which is not a state institution, for observation and special training. Miss Sehon cordially invited anyone interested in the practical working side of the school to visit on April 29.

A report of the Visiting Nurse Society was read by Mrs. Charles Evans.

Freeholder Jones to assist townships and municipalities in repairing their roads with county equipment and charge the municipality for the work. Most townships are not equipped to handle this type of work.

Freeholder Jones was authorized to execute a release to the Atlantic Refining Company for any damage as a result of using an asphalt tank and burner leased to the county by that company.

Director Adams was authorized to fill out a questionnaire submitted by the State Highway Department concerning the county road system.

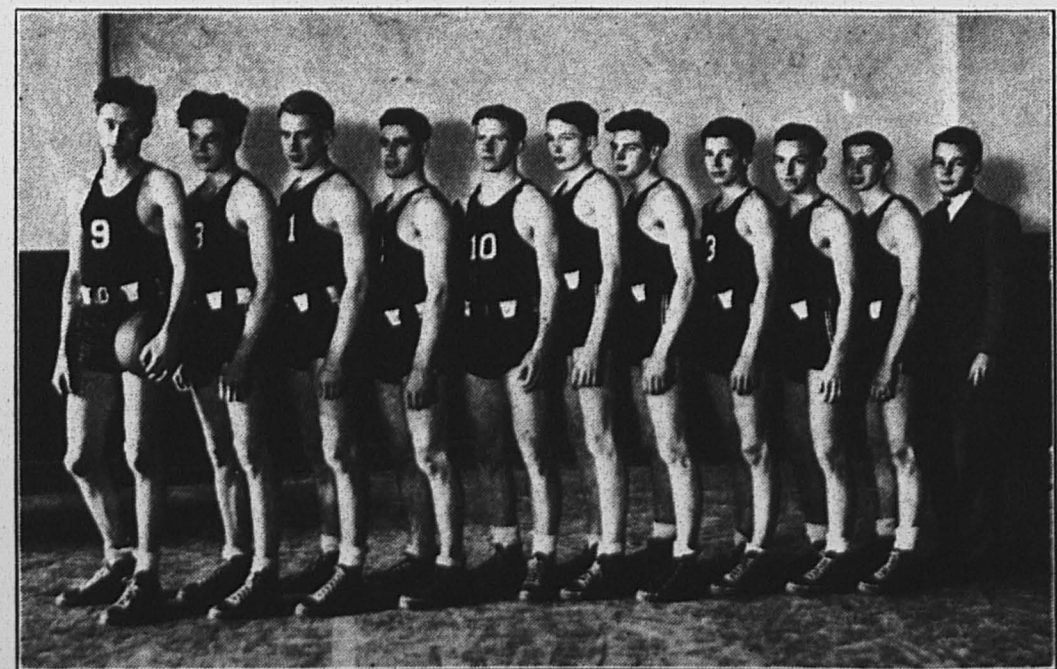
A letter from Freeholder Jones to the Public Service Electric Company was read. Jones stated in the letter that the poles along the River Road from Beverly to Riverton constituted a road hazard and requested that the poles be painted white or that reflector buttons be installed.

A letter in reply was read in which Public Service agreed to install reflector buttons as soon as they were received, they having ordered them upon receipt of his communication.

A water color painting of the county court house offered to the board of freeholders at \$25 by the artist was unanimously declined.

The following department bills were ordered paid: Public buildings, \$16,760.49; highway, \$13,473.04; bridges, \$2,009.29; public affairs, \$23,327.93; finance \$1,354.30.

BURLINGTON COUNTY SCHOLASTIC LEAGUE CHAMPIONS



PALMYRA HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL SQUAD

who garnered the County Championship by defeating Moorestown High School in Riverside on Tuesday, to the tune of 29 to 18.

The Palmyra team was runner-up in the South Jersey Group 3 Championship. They closed the season with a record of 19 victories and three defeats, an enviable record for any basketball team.

The Palmyra Business Men's Association will present the team with a trophy on the stage of the Palmyra Broadway Theatre on March 25th. Elaborate plans are being made for the presentation.

Members of the team are, left to right: Robert Rockafellow, captain and center; Walter Shields, forward; Howard Baker, center; John Sacca, guard; Francis Gamble, guard; Robert Coe, forward; John Shea, forward; Samuel Rothbaum, forward; William Wittmeyer, guard; Jacob Weiner, guard, and Frank Alloway, manager.

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## ANDERSON FINED FOR DRIVING DRUNK

Officers Dorworth and Gootee Nab William Anderson, of East Riverton on Sunday

William Anderson, 48, of Warrington avenue, East Riverton, was arrested at 6.30 p.m., Sunday, for drunken driving. Officer Dorworth of Cinnaminson and Chief William Gootee of Riverton, made the arrest. Anderson was taken before police physician, Dr. Harry L. Rogers, who pronounced him drunk.

At a hearing before recorder Probsting that same evening, Anderson was fined \$200 and \$22.50 costs, and had his license revoked for two years. Anderson paid the fine and was released.

Anderson was driving east on Broad street, and, as he passed the railroad station, Gootee gave chase in the police car. At the bridge over the Pompton creek Anderson forced off the road Officer Dorworth who happened to be driving towards Riverton. Dorworth turned his car about and joined Chief Gootee in the chase, and together they apprehended Anderson on Warrington avenue.

## KOVERLY vs. DUSEK IN CAMDEN RING

"Hollywood Howitzer" and Emil in Two-Out-of-Three Falls Bout Tonight

Thrill night, spill night, kill night, in fact the night of nights will take place on the Camden Armory mat at Haddon avenue and Mickie street, Thursday.

You guessed it, George Koverly, the Hollywood Howitzer, and Emil of the Dastardly Duseks, are listed to haul, maul, slug, drag, knee, slam and crash each other in the feature two out of three falls, ninety-minute time limit tussle.

True, the Koverly-Dusek bout is listed as a wrestling match but what it will be won't probably be called legalized grappling but what can anyone expect when a Koverly meets any of the Duseks.

Joe Cox, Kansas City Caveman, and Mike Mazurki of Manhattan College, will vie for supremacy in the semi-final, listed over the forty-five minute voyage. This bout is a natural in itself. Cox will seek bigger game if he pins Mazurki, while Mike will try to gain a main event if he downs his foe.

Abie Coleman, the squat monkey man of grappleland, and John Katan, the "Krazy Kanuck," meet in the main preliminary, a half hour duel. Rusty Wescott, of Honolulu, and Laverne Baxter, of North Carolina, and Bill Hollihan, of California, and John Swanski, of Boston, will be the other thirty minute events.

Palmyra Assembly No. 65 A.O.-M.P., held its annual banquet Tuesday night in P.O.S. of A. hall with about 200 Artisans present. The meal was prepared by the Artisans' wives and served by a corps of young ladies, with a touch of St. Patrick's day in the favors.

Master Artisan John Florh, Superintendent Elmer Cook, Inspector Russell Styre and Recorder Allen P. Cox, all of the Most Excellent Assembly, were present and each made a few remarks. The New Jersey Boosters' Association was represented by the President, Treasurer Vissel, and Past President Raymond Benson.

After the dinner one new member was initiated, followed by the entertainment. The feature of the entertainment was a class of girls between the ages of 6 and 12 from the Peter Pan Dancing Academy, of Philadelphia, who put on an exhibition of dancing numbers.

This is Palmyra Assembly's 25th anniversary year and a special effort is being made to have a class of 25 candidates for May.

Palmyra Assembly will attend the community meeting sponsored by the Wesleyan Men's Bible Class to be held in the Broadway theatre on Sunday, March 29th.

**STRIKES POLE TO AVOID COLLISION**  
Jack L. Denner, of Branch Pike, Cinnaminson Township, escaped serious injury last Saturday afternoon when his car skidded into a pole on Cinnaminson avenue near Rowland street, Palmyra.

Jack was driving out Cinnaminson avenue when he noticed a car coming toward him, apparently headed for a collision. Jack pulled on his emergency brake causing his car to skid and hit a pole. Jack suffered injuries to his leg and lacerations of the face near the right ear. He was taken to Dr. LeFavor for treatment.

The Palmyra police investigated the case.

**JR. WOMAN'S CLUB**  
Following the regular business meeting of the Junior Woman's Club of Palmyra, several of its members gave a play for the benefit of the Senior Woman's Club, who were guests for the evening.

The play, entitled "Be a Little Cuckoo," was presented by the following Juniors: Adelaide Webb, Eleanor Hemptle, Doris Hampton, Florence Stevens and Marie Janders.

Following the play refreshments were served.

When the Supreme Court gets through untangling the alphabetical combinations of NRA, AAA, TVA, etc., all we'll have left is a long string of IOU's.—Rockville, Ind., Republican.

## POSTMASTER APPOINTMENT IS STILL PENDING

The appointment of a postmaster at Palmyra still remains undetermined. Applications for the office closed early in March.

Those who have filed applications are: James J. Flynn, Howard E. Powell, Harry W. Barry (present acting postmaster), Hester W. Morris, Augustine E. Conlow, Vernon William Stone, Robert C. Thomas, Walter H. Cummings and John A. Dooling.

## NO MEETING OF GARDEN SECTION

There will be no meeting of the Garden Section of the Riverton Porch Club on March 24 as scheduled, but the members are requested to attend the Flower Show in Philadelphia next week. This will take the place of the meeting in the Porch Club.

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Takes Over Sweeney Dealership for This Vicinity; Former Pal-River Employee

L. S. Gurnell, formerly connected with Pal-River Chevrolet, at 10 Broad street, Riverton, this week succeeded C. R. Sweeney, Inc., Dodge and Plymouth dealer in Palmyra, Riverton and vicinity.

Mr. Gurnell first became known in this community when he was associated with the Pal-River Chevrolet, Inc., under the ownership of John W. Dawley. Mr. Gurnell's experience in the automobile business totals eleven years.

The cars to be handled by the Gurnell agency will be the Dodge and Plymouth passenger car line and the Dodge truck line.

Mr. Gurnell will continue in business at the same address, 307 East Broad street, Palmyra. His showroom is to be improved and office space provided.

A complete department for the handling of genuine Dodge and Plymouth parts and accessories will be an innovation in the Gurnell agency.

Walter D. Lamon, Jr., has become associated with Mr. Gurnell in the capacity of salesman.

Mr. Lamon got the new company off to a good start by selling a new 1936 Dodge touring sedan to Alfred H. Lippincott, 903 Morgan avenue, Palmyra, during the first week under the new management.

The Gurnell agency invites you to visit their showroom, which will be open every evening, for an inspection of the 1936 Dodge and Plymouth line.

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### LIVE BABY LAMB



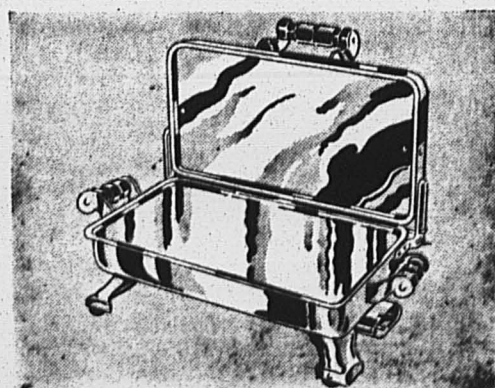
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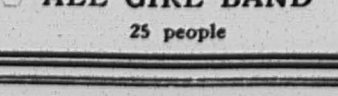
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### MAYOR REFUSES TO BE "STAMPEDED"

Ray Cook, Leader of Workers' Alliance Fails to Get Resolutions Passed

Ray Cook, leader of the Workers' Alliance of New Jersey, failed in an attempt to "railroad" a portfolio of resolutions through the Palmyra Borough Council at its regular meeting held in the council chamber last Thursday night.

While the text of the resolutions was not made public, it was stated that they were designed to bring about a better wage scale for workers under the various governmental agencies providing relief work for the unemployed.

When the mayor asked if any citizen present had anything to bring before council, George Smith, of 523 Cinnaminson avenue, stated that the Palmyra Unit No. 28 of the Workers' Alliance had a request to make of council and asked the Mayor to listen to a representative for the Alliance who was present at the meeting.

Refuses to Be "Stamped" Mayor Ward stated that he was responsive to the requests of Palmyra people but he did not wish to hear from outside organization representatives. He said that the Palmyra council understood something of the local relief problems and felt that Palmyra citizens were better equipped to present anything the local unit might want. The mayor stated that he did not want to be stamped by any high pressure walking delegate.

Ray Cook got to his feet and told council that he had made an intensive study of the relief needs and could present the picture in a very short time. He cited his successful presentation of the same subject to the Burlington County Board of Freeholders, several weeks ago.

Freeholder Lamon, who happened to be present at the council meeting, was asked by the mayor if he knew of Mr. Cook.

Freeholder Lamon stated that Mr. Cook had appeared before the board of freeholders and had successfully presented his business in a short space of time.

Mayor Ward then reluctantly consented to Mr. Cook's presentation of the case, on behalf of the Palmyra local.

#### Cook Makes Statement

Mr. Cook stated that the first resolution in the pack was withdrawn and they did not wish council to act upon it.

He then went into an explanation of the Workers' Alliance. He told of insufficient wage scales and of his efforts in behalf of the unfortunate in the State. He recited how the board of freeholders in Burlington County were immediately responsive to his requests. He told of trips to Washington, D. C., in behalf of the workmen. He cited conferences with officials in Newark. He told of secret sessions with state legislators (mentioning Senator Cleo) behind closed doors. He stated that he had gone to bat with Mr. Ely of the WPA in Trenton in order to secure an increase of from \$48.40 to \$60.50 per month.

#### Takes Credit for Diversion

Cook made the statement that if it had not been for himself and a representative of the New Jersey League of Municipalities going into a hot session with the legislators in Trenton the other night. The \$3,000,000 diversion bill would not have been passed and the whole relief load would have been "dumped right back in your laps."

Councilman Mervine interrupted Cook to state that if that had happened Palmyra would have jumped into the breach and administered the relief up to the limit of its capacity. Cook then replied, "then you'd have food riots!"

Mervine declared that he was willing (continued on page 5)

### Red Cross Flood Collections

The officers of the Riverton and Cinnaminson Branch of the Red Cross take this opportunity to thank all those who have contributed so generously—by check, through the churches, the Riverton Library and the merchants. We have received to date \$1,201.19, including \$173.00 collected by the children of the Cinnaminson Public School.

All of this money will be used directly for flood relief.

Jane Allen Boyer  
Elsie W. Thomas  
Laura S. DeLaCour, Treasurer  
Antoinette B. Campbell, Chairman

### DORWORTH GETS DRUNKEN DRIVER

Frank Harper Sentenced to County Jail in Default of Fine; Loses License

Monday morning at two o'clock Frank Harper, of 306 Melrose avenue, Cinnaminson township, ran into the left side of a car driven by David Robinson, of 648 Atlantic avenue, Collingswood. Harper was turning right on route 25 at Five Points when the accident occurred.

Officer George Dorworth, of the Cinnaminson township police, took Harper before Dr. Dean LeFavor, of Palmyra, who pronounced him intoxicated.

At a hearing before Recorder Cecil A. Bowers, of Cinnaminson township, Harper was found guilty of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquors. He was fined \$200 and costs, and his license was revoked for two years. In lieu of paying the fine he was sentenced to serve 30 days in Mount Holly jail.

Harper immediately filed papers of appeal through his attorney, Christopher Peditto.

### FINAL REPORT OF COMMUNITY CHEST

Number of Contributors Larger, Amount Collected Less Than Last Year

March 15, 1936.

Below is the final report of the Riverton and Cinnaminson Community Chest collection for 1935. A larger number contributed to the three charities in this drive but the total was short of the amount obtained in the previous year. The undersigned wishes to thank those who responded so generously and particularly the workers for their valuable assistance in carrying on this necessary work.

Howard M. Rogers, Chairman.

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—J. S. Bartley	62	62	242.25
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5% of \$2088.55	44.00
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15% of \$2088.55	76.00
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HOSPITAL	\$1235.42
5% of \$2088.55	16.00
Designated Contributions	\$1245.42
Total	\$2218.55

Vines, reeds, bamboo and other vegetable debris often cover the surface of the Nile with such a solidly intertwined mass that elephants and rhinoceroses are able to walk from shore to shore.

One relief worker who was found lying on a cot in the middle of the afternoon trying to go to sleep said that he had been ordered to take a piece of tissue paper over them and then running a warm iron over the stamps. The stamps should then separate easily.

Japan is one of the freest countries as regards crime.

### ROBINSON MAKES TWO ARRESTS

Reckless Driving and Disorderly Conduct Charged to Youths By Riverton Officer

Ward B. Fox, of 316 Paxon avenue, Glenside, Pa., and Anthony Catalena, of Palmyra, were arrested by Officer John Robinson, of the Riverton police department, on a charge of careless driving and passing a red light.

They were taken before Recorder Frank Probsting who fined Fox \$2 and costs, and Catalena \$3 and costs. The hearing took place on Saturday.

George Westcott, of 42 East Third street, Moorestown, was arrested by Officer John Robinson on a charge of careless driving and disorderly conduct. He pleaded guilty on both charges before Recorder Frank Probsting and was fined \$5 and costs. The hearing took place Sunday.

### WPA SPONSORS DRAMATIC GROUPS

State-wide Contest for Best One-act Play to Promote Amateur Dramatics

Wide-spread interest is being shown this year in the dramatic groups which will enter the contest for the best production of a one-act play, which is being fostered by the WPA throughout the State, to stimulate interest in amateur dramatic art. The winning contestant will be awarded a cup as a token of its merit.

State contestants will be chosen through tri-county elimination contests and the contestants in these will, in turn, be chosen from the winners of similar contests within the various counties. Six groups have been formed in Burlington county, embracing Mt. Holly, Maple Shade, Pemberton, Bordentown and Moorestown.

This work is being carried on by the Burlington county branch of the WPA Recreation Division under the supervision of Mrs. Ethel Burr Dudley. Prescott Herr, well-known critic and dramatic instructor, is in charge of the work in this county. The contest date of which will be announced in the near future. A suitable reward of merit will also be awarded to the winning county group.

#### LEST WE FORGET

"I accuse the present administration of being the greatest spending administration in peace times, in all our history—one which has piled bureau on bureau, commission on commission."—Franklin D. Roosevelt speech at Sioux City, Iowa, September 29, 1932.

"I regard reduction in federal spending as one of the most important issues of this campaign. In my opinion, it is the most direct and effective contribution that government can make to business."—Franklin D. Roosevelt speech at Pittsburgh, Pa., October 19, 1932.

"Remember well, that attitude and method, the way we do things, not just the way we say things, is nearly always the measure of our sincerity."—Franklin D. Roosevelt speech at Butte, Mont., September 19, 1932.

Expenditures of government from Washington to Wilson—1789-1913—total of 124 years, \$24,521,843,000. Expenditures of Roosevelt administration—three years—\$24,206,533,000.

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### WAGE INCREASE FOR WPA WORKERS

Efforts of Senator Powell and Congressman Powers are Successful

Nearly 2,000 WPA security wage workers in Burlington county had their salaries increased this week as the culmination of a long and hard fight to establish complete equality of WPA workers in this county as with those in nearby counties.

State Senator Clifford R. Powell started the drive in behalf of the workers on February 10 and received the instant cooperation of Congressman D. Lane Powers, State Administrator H. J. Ely has announced that the new pay raises take effect on each project as soon as the new pay periods begin, and that the scale of pay in the northern section of this county would be raised to that existing in Mercer county, while the pay in the southern portion would now be equal to that received in Atlantic county.

In Shamong, Tabernacle, Woodland, Washington and Bass River Townships, unskilled workers were raised from \$48.40 a month to \$57.20; intermediates, \$55 to \$56; skilled workers, \$63 to \$75; professional, \$63 to \$83.

Other Burlington county municipalities: Unskilled, \$48 to \$50.50; intermediates, \$55 to \$71.50; skilled, \$63 to \$85, and professionals, \$69 to \$94.

### BEVERLY YOUTH ADMITS CAR THEFT

Kenneth Brown Breaks Parole of Seven Years After Serving Nine Months

The arrest in Riverton of a Beverly youth within ten minutes after an auto was stolen at Delanco Thursday, has solved the theft of several autos in this section in recent months, police assert.

The car of Joseph Tanner, Burlington pike, Pennsauken township, was stolen from Burlington street, Delanco, at midnight. Tanner, who was visiting friends, saw the car being driven away. He notified Chief of Police William Lindh, who flashed a description of the car to all riverfront towns.

Ten minutes later Patrolman John Carhart, of the Riverton police, sighted the car in Riverton and arrested a youth whose name police gave as Kenneth Brown, 18, of 662 Manor road, Beverly.

Lindh said Brown admitted the theft of several cars in Palmyra, Riverside and Delanco in recent months.

Brown has served nine months in a reformatory for breaking and entering, stealing merchandise and carrying concealed deadly weapons, and was out on parole when he stole the cars.

The statesmen in Washington are debating whether or not a beauty parlor should be opened in the Capitol for the two women Senators. The gallant and proper way to answer this question would be to say that the parlor isn't needed.

Italy supports a national bureau for maternal and child welfare by a tax on bachelors and private contributions.

### S. W. RADIO IN EMERGENCY

In this issue will be found the first of a series of articles on short-wave radio, describing the important part amateur operators played in telling the outside world of flood conditions in the inundated areas, and securing relief for the unfortunate people in those districts. Articles to follow will deal with activities of South Jersey amateurs.



### RIVERTON NINE IS ORGANIZED

"Hard Ball" Team Holds First Meeting of Season: Leon Sloan, President

The Riverton baseball team held a reorganization meeting at the home of Fred Conway, high commissioner of baseball in Riverton, on Thursday, March 19th. The meeting was held for the purpose of better organization, a better team and an earlier start in the baseball season.

About two thirds of last year's team was in attendance. It was agreed that every member of the team should be a stockholder and voting member of the executive board of the club. It was further agreed to have four officials in the organization, namely a president, a secretary-treasurer, a booking manager and a chief strategist or team manager.

Leon Sloan was elected president and Arthur Terrill was elected secretary-treasurer. The president went to work immediately with committee appointments, the result of which should be a faster team.

A big meeting will be held at the home of "Bill" Baker, Palmyra, at 7:30 this evening, at which time it is expected that the entire membership of last year's team will be present. By-laws and general policies are to be discussed and adopted, also a booking manager and team manager will be appointed.

The team hopes to carry a roster of about sixteen players and looks forward to an ambitious schedule before the season officially opens. The team anticipates playing two and sometimes three home games per week. This is planned in appreciation of the renovated baseball field which has been promised at Memorial Park.

The team extends an invitation to any new baseball talent in either Riverton or Palmyra to attend any of their meetings or report at the field for practice, the time for which will be published in this newspaper. Publicity Committee.

### TO HOLD SPRING CONFERENCE APR. 1

The spring conference of the southern district of Parent-Teacher Associations will be held in the Broadway M. E. Church, Camden, on Wednesday, April 1, at 10 a.m. Miss Alice Sowers, specialist in parent education, will speak on "Character Building—A Joint Responsibility."

A 40 cent luncheon will be served at the church. The Riverton association is planning to go in a group. Anyone who is interested in attending this meeting can make arrangements by calling Mrs. H. P. Orlemann, Jr., Riverton 404-J.

### PHS NEWS

The debate on socialized medicine scheduled to be given Thursday, March 19, has been postponed to Monday evening, March 30 at eight o'clock. The negative team will debate Audubon. Members of the team, coached by Miss Edna K. Ziegler, are, Helen Arndt, Dorothy Mays, Harry Turner and Joseph Hornor.

The question for debate is "Resolved: That a system of socialized medicine should be adopted, making available to all complete medical service at public expense."

The principals and many of the teachers of Palmyra's educational system are attending Schoolmen's Week at the University of Pennsylvania, March 25 to 28. This is the twenty-third annual meeting of the southeastern convention district of Pennsylvania State Education Association.

The freshman amateur hour is scheduled for Wednesday, April 8.

### YOU

There is one alphabetical agency the New Deal is not shouting about, but depends upon when all others have failed. It is the one that pays the taxes—YOU.—Portland Oregonian.

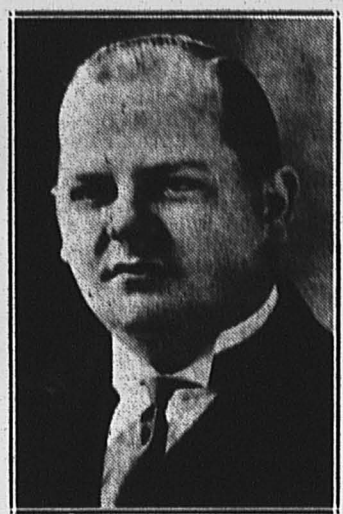
### FIRST-AID SKIT FOR STUDY GROUP

A meeting of the child study group of the Riverton Parent-Teacher Association was held in the kindergarten room on Monday. A short skit demonstrating first aid methods was presented by Miss Clark and several students.

Dr. Harry L. Rogers discussed modern antiseptics and explained the first aid treatments indicated in common emergencies which mothers and teachers should know.

A pot of tulips was presented to Miss Eval's class which had the largest percentage of mothers attending the meeting.

### OUT FOR CORONER



JEROME J. ZISAK, JR.

Funeral director of Riverton, has made formal announcement of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the office of coroner in the coming primary election on May 19th.

Mr. Zisak has been a Republican since voting age and has taken an active part in Burlington County politics. His candidacy at this time is urged by the splendid vote of confidence he received at the pri-

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A bad boy needs more than a policeman.

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### RIVERTON

Mrs. Robert Biddle and Mrs. William G. Porter, of 307 Highway, were recent visitors at the Chalfonte Haddon Hall, Atlantic City.

Mrs. Leona H. Hunt, Palmyra hairdresser, left Monday for New York City to attend the International Hairdressers' Convention being held in the Hotel Pennsylvania. Mrs. Hunt expects to be back in her parlor on Monday, March 30, with a lot of new ideas for spring coiffures.

The Woman's Club of Browns Mills entertained at luncheon at the Strawbridge and Clothier Tea Room Wednesday of this week. Among those present from Palmyra and Riverton were: Mrs. Edward Hoyt, Mrs. Edwin Black, Mrs. Arthur Hoyt, Mrs. Joseph Allen, Mrs. Albert Rogers, Mrs. Roy Bailey and Mrs. Thomas Key. They were guests of Mrs. Thomas Swain, of Browns Mills.

Walter Mattis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross E. Mattis, is captain of the George School tennis team this spring. The members of the squad have been training in preparation for the season beginning after the spring vacation. Walter also received his letter in varsity wrestling.

Thirty-five members of the Triple Towns Unit of the Young Republican Club attended the session of the Senate Monday evening.

Mrs. F. S. Grove sailed from New York Monday for a cruise to Bermuda. Mrs. Grove expects to be gone until after Easter.

On Monday evening Senator Powell attended his first session of the Senator since he was taken ill about four weeks ago.

Hudson Hullings, who was "flooded out" at Bellevue, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. John Nichols in Riverton.

Mrs. John Hullings and family are spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Loreaux, of Philadelphia.

The Woman's Republican Club of Burlington county is planning a party to be held in Grange Hall, Burlington, on April 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Michel and family, of Glen Ridge, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Michel, of Thomas avenue.

Word has been received from the S. A. Plumly that they expect to leave California for home on the 14th of April.

Miss Lillian Greiner, of Philadelphia, spent today (Thursday) with Mrs. Edwin Evans.

James E. A. Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. C. Wood, of Riverton-Moorestown road, has been chosen a member of the special chorus from the Harvard Glee Club to sing with the Radcliffe Choral Society at a joint concert to be given in Town Hall, New York City on Sunday, March 29th. This will be the first joint performance of the choruses in New York. The conductor will be G. Wallace Woodworth, member of the departments of music of both colleges.

Mrs. William A. Hendrickson, of Lippincott avenue, is chairman of the flower committee of the Flower Mart to be given by the Auxiliary of Cooper Hospital.

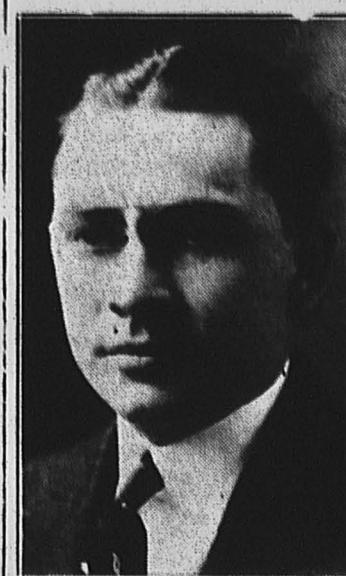
The Misses Margaret I. Vaughan, and Elizabeth K. Geesey, of 203 Bank avenue, were recent visitors in Atlantic City, stopping at the Chalfonte-Haddon Hall.

Mrs. Edward Coffey and son Edward, of Brooklyn, are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Neukirk are spending several weeks in Miami, Florida.

Some people prune their genealogical trees by cutting their poor relations.

### CANDIDATE



JOHN N. SWARTZ

of Palmyra, has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for coroner of Burlington county.

Mr. Swartz, who is an active member of the county unit of Young Republicans, is associated with the Frank A. Snover Funeral Home in Palmyra.

The candidate is well known throughout the county. He is a graduate of the Port Royal High School, of Pennsylvania, and Eckel's College of Embalming, where he majored in plastic and dermatology. He is licensed as an embalmer and funeral director in both New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Before moving to New Jersey seven years ago, Mr. Swartz was associated with a well-known Philadelphia undertaking establishment. In August of 1934 he married Miss Edythe Kilpatrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Kilpatrick, of Palmyra. Ordered and paid for by the candidate.

BLANKET CLUB WINNER The winner of the blanket offered by the Blanket Club of Sacred Heart P.T.A., was Mrs. W. Munroe, of Pear street, Palmyra.

CHEVY SALESMAN Clyde H. Horner, of 405 Elm avenue, Palmyra, is now connected with Pal-River Chevrolet, Inc., 10 Broad street, Riverton, in the capacity of salesman.

Mr. Horner, for many years a Palmyra resident, is well known here and especially to the sport fans of both communities.

NEW OWNER OF BLANKENBUSH'S DRUG STORE John Carlson, formerly with the Miller Drug Company, of Trenton, wishes to announce the purchase of the Blankenbush Pharmacy, on March first, and that he will conduct the same in a professionally ethical manner, giving it his personal attention in all respects.

Mr. Carlson conducted a store at Chester avenue, Moorestown, a few years ago, and has a considerable number of friends in this vicinity. Since the Latin alphabet was adopted by Turkey in 1928, nearly half the population has learned to read and write.

### ODD JOB MAN AT PHS APRIL 3-4

Miss Rose Schmidt, Coach of Play, Claims It One of the Best Ever Given Here

"The Odd Job Man" which will be presented by the Junior class in the P.H.S. auditorium on April 3 and 4, is well under way in production and promises to be an unusually good show.

The play has a very active plot in which John J. Gordon, a wealthy manufacturer, is recovering from a nervous breakdown. Miss Spencer, the governess, is in charge of Mr. Gordon and his youngest daughter, Dolly, who is a very mischievous child; Miss Gordon is having a dreadful time trying to take care of them both at the same time. Robert, the only son of Mr. Gordon, is involved in a mixup with Kitty Miller, the druggate cow-girl. Celia Gordon is in love with a scheming poet, Gerald Page, who wants Celia only for her money, and Nora, the cook, is threatening to leave. When Michael Thorne arrives, everything is patched up and Mr. Gordon begins to recover fully. Then Michael is fired and the confusion again starts. Michael returns and weds Celia and as a surprise to everyone Mr. Gordon and Miss Spencer also marry.

The cast includes: Mr. Gordon, William Good; Miss Spencer, Esther Snow; Dolly, Athel Clark; Robert, Francis Green; Kitty, Reba Juhl; Celia, Mary Gibbon; Gerald, Joseph Grant; Nora, Anna Phile, and Michael, Robert Coles.

### FOR ASSEMBLY

Thomas D. Begley, of Burlington, who on Monday announced his candidacy on the Republican ticket for the office of Assemblyman for Burlington County at the forthcoming election.



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### ELOCUTION CLASS PRESENTS "SARDINES"

"Sardines," a one-act play, was given by pupils of Mrs. Ellen Parker's elocution classes at the regular monthly meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star Tuesday evening, March 24. This clever one-act comedy was presented by the same cast to the members of the Palmyra Parent-Teacher Association last Tuesday evening, March 17.

The girls who took part are the Misses Helen Mansfield, Carolyn Bauer, Marjorie Nace, Dorothea Trout and Ruth Black. Mrs. Parker directed the play.

There may be a time for all things, but the wise man tackles only one thing at a time.—Washington Star.

### PARRY FIRE CO.

The regular monthly dance of the Parry Volunteer Fire Company will be held March 28 in the fire house.

The fire company of Browns Mills has been looking over the new fire apparatus of the Parry Fire Company, with the anticipation of buying one like it. It is expected that Browns Mills will ask for a demonstration soon.

### THE SEASON OF PLAGUES

A plague of seventeen-year locusts will appear this summer, an entomologist predicts. But what with the buzzing of the political candidates, it is doubtful that it will be noticed.—Hartford Courant.

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Industry's Contribution to Recovery

(A radio address by W. J. Cameron, Economist of the Ford Motor Co.)

An impression has at times prevailed that in the matter of spending money to help the country, the largest spender is the Government. That is a mistaken impression. There are greater spenders for recovery purposes than the Government ever could be. The country made some effort in its own behalf; but that phase of recovery is never presented. We present it now from United States Government statistics.

Public money for work relief began to flow in 1933. By the end of 1935 a little more than five billion dollars had been spent. If you add the president's fund of 4.8 billion dollars, not yet expended, the Government total is about 10 billions.

Now, compare that with the 27 billion dollars which American business spent over and above its income to assist the work of recovery. From 1930 to 1934, inclusive, American business produced an income of 214 billions—a little more than half its income at the 1929 rate—and paid out 241 billions. That is to say, besides spending all its income, American business took 27 billions from its savings of former years, and spent that, too. It was not philanthropy. It was not a loan. Just as the physical body responds when suddenly forced to draw upon its reserves of strength, so the economic body responded. Fortunately the economic reserve was there to be drawn upon. The use of the business surplus was the most gigantic effort that was made to keep the country going, and was by all odds the most effective.

You may add to this 27 billions, if you like, the Government's emergency relief expenditures, for it all comes from the same source—from the people and from business, either as the Government borrows it from banks or as the people pay it in taxes. Everything that is spent is our own; there is no one to supply it except ourselves. During 1933-34 while Government was spending 2 billions on work relief, American business was spending 4 1/2 billions above its income to keep the wheels turning. At the same time, business was receiving only 56 per cent of its usual income, while Government income had risen to 116 per cent. In other words, the Government, financially and comparatively speaking, fared twice as well as business, and helped half as much.

Without attempting to give in detail each industry's contribution to this 27 billion dollar expenditure for recovery, every branch of production and service contributed, and was still contributing when the latest Government figures were issued. Heaviest contributor to recovery during the 1930-34 period was the manufacturing industries, which paid out nearly 9 billion dollars more than they took in. Next come trade—the merchants and dealers who kept their doors open in spite of difficulty—they expended almost 5 1/2 billion dollars more than they received. Financial institutions spent 3 billion dollars above income. The service industries carried on during the lean years by spending nearly 2 1/2 billions more than they collected. Transportation companies spent about 1 1/4 billion beyond their revenues. And so on. This is money actually spent in excess of receipts. There is nothing in Government recovery spending to equal it.

How all this became possible is perfectly clear. In normal times a business surplus is used for expansion, improvement and constructive development. In emergencies it is used, together with current income, to maintain our sources of supply and to prevent collapse. Whether in the family or in business, these are the natural uses of a surplus.

Private surplus is public security. Since 1930 it has been national salvation. But any surplus is limited and easily exhausted. It must be replenished by production. The recovery effort made by American business was colossal; it was in fact so effective that during the depression the nation's productive life was held at about the 1922 level. Besides spending billions of dollars more than Government spent for recovery, business maintained for the producers of the national income the same relative share they had in 1929; and during four-fifths of the period of the depression it kept three-fourths of the workers employed. These are great achievements.

In estimating and comparing public services therefore, it is just as well to have in mind the fact that the 27 billion dollars in excess of income which business fortunately possessed and freely spent, still heads the list of recovery expenditures.

(And this is the "Big Business" which the President delights to mace on every occasion, and these surpluses are the things he seeks to either destroy or dissipate through taxation.—Editor.)

CHURCH NEWS

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. C. T. Bates, B.D., Pastor The Church School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship 11 a.m.; Junior Christian Endeavor Society, 4 p.m.; Senior Christian Endeavor Society, 7 p.m. At ten o'clock on Sunday morning, the Session will meet in the church office and will gladly receive any who may wish to unite with the church.

The men and boys of this congregation are invited to a Community Lenten Service to be held in the Broadway Theatre on Sunday afternoon, March 29th, at 2:45 o'clock, under the direction of the Wesleyan Men's Bible Class, of Palmyra. The speaker will be the Rev. Carl McIntire.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet on Wednesday afternoon, April 1, at 2:30 o'clock, and the Women's Missionary Society on the same day at 3 o'clock. All ladies of the congregation are invited to the conference by the choir. The annual meeting of the congregation of Calvary Presbyterian Church will be held on April 1, at 8 p.m. The annual corporation meeting of Calvary Presbyterian Church will be held on the same day at 8:30 p.m. Both meetings will be held in the church school.

The preparation service will be held on Friday evening, April 3, at 8 o'clock, after which the Session will meet to receive members into the Church, either on profession of their faith or by letter from other churches.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday, April 5th, at 11 o'clock. This afternoon, Friday, March 27, the ladies of the church will hold their annual cake and apron sale from 2 until 6 o'clock. Calvary Church invites you—if you are not a member of any church in the community—to enter into its worship and fellowship.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH "Reality" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 29th. The Golden Text is: "The word of the Lord endureth for ever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you" (1 Peter 1:25).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Praise ye the Lord. Praise ye the Lord from the heights. Praise him in the heights, all ye angels of the earth, and all people; princes, and all judges of the earth: Let them praise the name of the Lord: for his name alone is excellent; his glory is above the earth and heaven" (Psalms 148: 1, 11, 13).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science text-book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "All reality is in God and His creation, harmonious and eternal. That which He creates is good, and He makes all that is made" (p. 472).

EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH Rev. William A. Boyd, Pastor "A Religious Crusade" will begin in our church this Sunday morning at eleven o'clock, and continue for two weeks. Meetings will be held every evening except Saturday and Good Friday, in charge of the minister who will preach every night.

The program will be as follows: This Sunday morning, "Religion in the Air." Music will be given by the Senior and Dulciana choirs. A number of adults will join our church during this service. A great musical service in the evening at 7:45. See full program in another column of this paper.

Monday evening, "The Sign of the Cross" will be given by Mrs. Ruth E. Strahan, teacher at the Philadelphia School of Expression. Tuesday evening, Mr. Boyd will speak about the "Function of Prayer."

Friday evening, "The Challenge of the Cross" will be the sermon subject. This will be a joint service with the Epworth League Institute being held in our church.

PALMYRA MORAVIAN CHURCH Albert J. Harke, B.D., Pastor Services for Sunday, March 29, 9:30 a.m., Sunday School, 10:40 a.m., Morning service, 10:40 a.m., Morning service. Sermon: "We Preach Christ Crucified." 6:45 p.m., Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p.m., Evening service of praise.

Wednesday Lenten Service at 8 o'clock. Sermon: "Afar Off—But Brought Nigh by the Cross of Christ."

Palm Sunday, April 5, will be a great day with us. Infant and adult baptism, Confirmation and reception of members at the morning service. In the evening beginning of the Passion Week services with several anthems by the choir. Easter Day will again be ushered in with the great service at Lakeview Memorial Park at 5 a.m. This service has not only attracted thousands of people in former years, but has created such interest among Christian churches that many have services have been inaugurated at that hour in commemoration of the Resurrection.

OBITUARIES

WALTER H. LIPPINCOTT Funeral services for Walter H. Lippincott, 57, prominent Philadelphia banker and yachtman, who died Thursday of last week were held at 3 p.m. Monday at the residence, "Sabbury House," Wynnewood. Burial was made in St. Mary's Cemetery, Burlington.

Mr. Lippincott was a trustee of Jefferson Medical College and Hospital and of the Montgomery School. He was a member of the investment banking firm of Bioren & Co., 1508 Walnut street, for 30 years until he retired from business last June. Born in Riverton, on November 27, 1878, the son of Heulings Lippincott, president of the First National Bank of Camden, Mr. Lippincott later attended Delancey School and Swarthmore College, from which he was graduated in 1899. In 1904 he married Miss Edith D'Olier, who died May 21, 1935.

He is survived by two sons, Walter H., Jr., and William D'Olier, and three daughters, Elizabeth L., Alice D'Olier and Mrs. Claude E. Foster, of Dover.

Mr. Lippincott was a member of the Union League, the Rittenhouse, Racquet and Golf Club, Philadelphia. During his business career he was a director of the American Gas Company and the L. C. Smith Typewriter Company.

MISS HELEN HARRIS Miss Helen Harris, of Riverton, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Dillinger, of Brookline, Delaware County, Pa., on March 23, after a long illness. Miss Harris is survived by her mother, Mrs. J. L. Harris, of Riverton, and four sisters, Mrs. W. H. Dillinger, of Brookline; Mrs. H. P. Grim, of P. Republic; Miss Marian Harris, of Riverton, and Miss Cora Harris, of St. Petersburg, Florida. Funeral services were conducted this (Thursday) afternoon from the funeral parlors of Andrew J. Bair and Son, Philadelphia. Interment was made in Asbury M. E. Cemetery, Burlington pike.

MRS. MARY M. DOPPLER Mrs. Mary M. Doppler, of 834 Highland avenue, died of a heart attack at her home Tuesday. Funeral services will be held at Sacred Heart Church, Riverton, 9:30 a.m. Friday, with burial in Mt. Carmel Cemetery, Moorestown. She is survived by her husband, Anthony, widely known Moorestown farmer; a daughter, Mrs. Francis Nunn, of the Highland avenue address, with whom Mr. and Mrs. Doppler made their home for the last five years.

Church Notices

EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH Rev. William A. Boyd, 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 Help-ful Hour Wednesday, 4:00 p.m.—Junior Epworth League

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE First Church of Christ, Scientist Thomas Ave. and Seventh St. Riverton, N. J. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Reading Room in Church Building open Tuesday and Friday 2:30 to 4:30

MRS. MARY S. VONDERSMITH Mrs. Mary Seel Vonderamith, 75, of School Lane, Upper Darby, died in the Gene Hospital, Frankford, March 9, after a long illness. Mrs. Vonderamith lived in Palmyra for fifteen years, moving away about thirty-five years ago. She was the sister of George Seel, of Palmyra.

Funeral services were held March 14, and interment was made in Arments by calling Mrs. H. P. Orle.

"HANDEL" NIGHT AT EPWORTH

An evening of music in honor of the master musician, George Frederick Handel, will be presented in the Palmyra Methodist Church, this Sunday evening, March 29, at 1:45. An augmented choir will render the music under the direction of Alfred Van Osten, with Mrs. John Lord at the organ.

Mrs. Florence Dare Boyd, head of the music department of the Glassboro State Teachers' College, will give a short address on the life of Handel.

Musical lovers of this vicinity will welcome the opportunity of hearing the following excerpts from the immortal "Messiah": "Comfort He My People," Mr. Everett Putnam, blind tenor from Bridgeton, N. J. "And the Glory of the Lord," recitation by the augmented chorus. "But Who May Abide," bass solo by John F. Ward. "O Thou That Tellest Good Tidings," contralto solo sung by Mrs. Clara Rivers and chorus.

"Pastoral Symphony," organ number played by Mrs. Rachel Lord. "Rejoice, Greatly, O Daughter of Zion," soprano solo by Mrs. Mary Davison. "He Shall Feed His Flocks," contralto solo by Mrs. Stanley Lippincott. "Come Unto Him," soprano solo by Mrs. Mae Guest. "The Hallelujah Chorus," by the combined chorus.

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THIRTY YEARS AGO

(Issue of March 16, 1906) There are now 550 'phones on the Riverton exchange. (In the February 1936 directory there are approximately 1281 names listed.)

(Issue of March 9, 1906) Dr. Francis Cattell, for seven years in charge of a hospital at Southwark, China, will address the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, in the chapel, on Wednesday, March 14, at three o'clock. All women interested in the subject are invited to attend.

Hires & Winslow have sold the Graff property on Lippincott avenue to Harry C. Sim.

A re-arrangement of the classes in the public school is to be effected, looking to the relief of the congested conditions in some of the grades.

Bruce Schaff, a former resident of Riverton, and who has been living at Hagerstown, Md., expects to move back to Riverton early in April.

The Rev. C. P. Butler, formerly pastor of Calvary Church and now pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Lakewood, will preach in Calvary Church next Sabbath. Mr. Candee will occupy the pulpit of Mr. Butler's Church in Lakewood.

The annual report of the school board shows a deficit of about \$1200 and the board asks for \$4500 for next year. This is in addition to the kindergarten building which is deemed an absolute necessity, and which will not cost more than \$1800. The report of the board reads as follows: "In presenting our report for the present school year, we are again compelled to show a deficit which was caused by the necessity of renting an additional room, a loss of the state appropriation for supervising principal, a large reduction in the general state appropriation, and the necessity of employing another teacher."

The school has outgrown the buildings and we call your attention to the absolute necessity for additional room and urge you to vote the board the necessary authority to construct an addition to the kindergarten building for that purpose. "We wish to commend our supervising principal, Mr. Charles G. Davis, who has organized the teaching force and placed it in position by which the very best results have been attained. We wish also to give due credit to the whole teaching force for their diligent and earnest work that has produced results very satisfactory to the Board."

"Signed, THE BOARD." William P. Ellison died at his home on Walnut street, Philadelphia, March 10. Mr. Ellison was very active in the Episcopal Church, Riverton, and a great benefactor to it. Funeral services were held from his late residence and interment held in Laurel Hill Cemetery.

JUST THE RIGHT TONE We don't know where Major Bowes picked up that weary "All right, all right," but it is spoken like a true married man.—Detroit News.

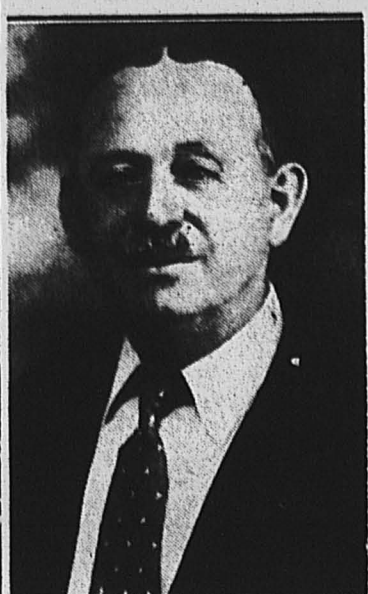
SMITH WALKOUT There will be quite a dent in the New Deal vote if all the Smith family takes a walk with Al.—Indianapolis Star.

Some folks think that what Japan does to our trade in China, while important, is not so vital as what Japan does to our trade in the United States. There are 207 religious bodies in the United States with a combined membership of over 62,000,000.

When the Supreme Court gets through untangling the alphabetical combinations of NRA, A.A., T.V.A., etc., all we'll have left is a long string of IOU's.—Rockville, Ind., Republican.

Pupils living more than two miles from Longhurst, England, public schools are to be supplied with bicycles.

FOR FREEHOLDER



FRANK COOK who is candidate for re-election to the Burlington County Board of Freeholders on his record.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Acting on the suggestions of many friends among voters who have given me assurance of their support at both the primary and general elections, I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as a Freeholder of Burlington County.

I believe I have good reason for asking for re-election. When I was a candidate in 1933, I promised to be a friend of the taxpayers. There was no chance for me to do any effective work during the first year of my term, being on the minority side, but at the beginning of my second year in 1935 the opportunity came to get the results for which I was elected. Then I took advantage of an opening to vote with Good Government representatives in the Board and thus helped to accomplish something for the taxpayers.

With the cooperation I have given, the Freeholders supporting Good Government have been able to effect needed economies, eliminate extravagances, apply business methods to county affairs, and bring about so many savings that the county tax rate has been reduced to an extent that has surprised, but pleased, the people of the County.

These economies have been to the bridge department, of which I am Director, as well as to all other departments. I feel that I have done my part in placing county business on an economic basis by removing extravagances and giving every consideration to the taxpayers. In other words, I present myself to you as a "Proven Friend of the Taxpayers." (Signed) Frank Cook.

Ordered and paid for by the candidate.

PALMYRA

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Independence Fire Company No. 1, will hold a card party Tuesday evening, March 31, in the fire house, West Broad street, Palmyra. There will be a door prize, card prizes and refreshments. Admission is 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerrigan, of Charles street, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Simpson, of Woodlyn, Sunday.

The "Lucky Thirteen" will be entertained at dinner at the home of Miss Edna Forrester, of Philadelphia, Friday evening. The guests will be Mr. Harold Baker, Mrs. Albert Wilkinson, Mrs. Benjamin Hardy, Mrs. Thomas Braddock, Mrs. Harry Mansfield, Mrs. Robert Dodge, Mrs. Frank Mathews, Mrs. William Mattis, Mrs. H. B. Gilpin, Miss Adeline Seel.

Miss Florence Bauer, who is attending Ursinus College, spent the weekend with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Bauer, of Maple avenue.

Miss Eleanor Caprano, a student at Baldwin School, Bryn Mawr, is spending the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Caprano, of Morgan avenue.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN

DOGS AND STREETS

March 24, 1936.

Editor The New Era: I see in your paper another dog proclamation. Is it intended that this warning be enforced, or is it another gesture? The proclamation just states flatly that dogs will not be permitted on the streets without muzzles and then weakly gives penalty if a dog is permitted to run "at large" on the street without a muzzle. What happens if the dog is taken on the street on a leash without a muzzle, or if a dog is accompanied by and under the control of its owner?

There do not seem to be many dogs missing off the streets, nor are many muzzles in sight. Are all residents of Riverton to obey, or is it to apply only in somebody's judgment? A law should be a law even if it is only a Motor Vehicle Law, and I suppose this proclamation has the force of law.

Another subject is the proposed WPA boondoggle of the streets. Council might, with profit, read the papers for the last couple of months and see the record of such work in Camden, in Philadelphia on City Line avenue and in other communities.

It will be argued that the school building proves otherwise. The school building was contracted and the contractor saw to it that he got his money's worth from the workmen. Also, the contractors were carefully watched by the school board members who were sincerely interested in obtaining a good job. It is not many years since a bargain job of paving was laid with borough inspectors, borough engineers, borough solicitors and everything. The paving was carried off by every vehicle that went by. Everybody had an alibi. It was a long while before the job was cleaned up and the bargain lost money for everybody but the inspectors, engineers, solicitors, etc.

A thing that is worth nothing is still worth nothing, even though one buys it cheap. H. L. Unland.

Pithy Paragraphs On National Air Defense

A REMARK of the late General Leonard Wood in 1915 while speaking on preparedness rings true today: "No wolf was ever afraid of the size of a flock of sheep." The world at present is beset with many international wolves.

"OUR ARMY is so microscopic that it does not constitute even a minor factor in disarmament discussion," Secretary of War Dern stated in a recent speech. "In numerical strength, it ranks approximately seventeenth, about on a par with Turkey and Portugal."

"YOU GENTLEMEN are aware—many of you from personal experience—of the extreme difficulty of improving modern military equipment in the midst of a conflict," Honorable George H. Dern, Secretary of War, stated in a speech before the Philadelphia Post of the Army Ordnance Association. "We were fortunate in the World War in having allies who held the enemy in check until we could organize and equip our armies. We have no reason to expect such rare good luck in a future struggle." Military airplanes, particularly, take time to develop. Brigadier General A. W. Robins, Chief of the Material Division of the Army Air Corps states in the February 15, 1936, issue of the Air Corps News Letter: "A modern airplane requires three to five years for development."

IT WAS testified before the House Appropriations Committee that a military airplane becomes obsolete in 5 years. General Westover stated: "The 5-year obsolescence period for aircraft makes it necessary to have a turn-over from time to time. If you miss one year of replacement, it is difficult to make it up. If you miss three years, as is the case now, it is almost impos-

sible to make it up without some drastic action." Wild life of Alaska has a cash value of approximately \$93,999,000, the territorial game commission reported, following a survey.

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At the meeting of the Riverton Borough Council on March 12, the following bills were ordered paid: Assessment Improvement Notes... BOROUGH BILLS... LET US PREPARE YOUR OLD SHOES FOR EASTER... LIVE BABY LAMB GIVEN AWAY FREE... RIVERTON ELECTRIC SHOE REPAIR... BOROUGH OF RIVERTON 1935 AUDIT... THE NEW ERA BURLINGTON COUNTY MASTER PLUMBERS ASSOCIATION... THE NEW ERA

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### Mayor Refuses To Be "Stampeded"

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ing to work for a living and more than willing to share his living with the less fortunate, but that he would not give them half, and added, "I won't take any threats from you." Councilman Luce asked Cook if he knew what the average industrial wage in Burlington county was. Cook replied that he did not. Luce then informed him that the average wage was \$17 weekly, and charged Cook with boasting of his study of the workers' needs, while he had only interested himself so far as the welfare side of the picture was concerned.

#### Should Have Same Wage

Councilman Mervine asked Cook if he felt that relief workers should receive the same wage scale as workers in private industry. Cook replied, "I certainly do." He said, "I feel that welfare workers should receive the same wage that all Government employees get, like the post office for example."

Mayor Ward asked if he Cook, was employed. Cook replied that he was not, that he was on the welfare. Mayor Ward asked him what his trade or profession was. Cook replied that he was an actor and was a member of the actors' union, but that he had been unable to get a job. Mayor Ward asked him how he managed to travel to Washington, Trenton and other places. Cook replied that he was paid by the Alliance and stated that he got a \$1.50 for coming to Palmyra that night. He said that he does not stay in hotels but sleeps in the railroad stations at night.

Councilman Mervine told Cook that the increased hourly wage that organized labor was demanding under relief was ruining private business.

Councilman Luce cited how labor in private industry had to work 44 hours per week for their wage. They have to work rain or shine, hot or cold, and sometimes more than 44 hours for their pay, while welfare clients, he stated, were paid just the same when the weather was inclement for outside work, and work only thirty hours per week.

#### "Let Borough Down"

Mayor Ward stated that he felt that the welfare clients had let the Palmyra borough down this past winter. Some of them who were employed on their park project were unable to work due to the severe ice and snow. When asked if they would help to clear some of the crossings and gutter drains they refused to do so, stating that they were not allowed to work on any other project than the one to which they were assigned. The mayor said that he thought this was a demonstration of the lack of cooperation that was not expected from the welfare workers.

Cook explained that the reason they did not help in the removal of ice and snow was because such emergency work usually paid good wages and that they did not want to deprive some other man from making the money he would need for his family.

#### Not Hunting for Votes

Getting back to the subject of the petitions, Mayor Ward stated that he was not concerned with what the big politicians or political office holders did with respect to the demands of the Workers' Alliance. He said that these men were afraid of the vote and therefore would sign most anything in order to keep the good will of the great army of unemployed. He said it was different however with him, he's not interested in getting votes and therefore would take plenty of time to consider the demands of the Alliance. Cook said to the mayor, "You sound like a capitalist." The mayor replied, "If you are a worker—then I am a socialist."

Mayor Ward explained that he felt Palmyra was in no position to petition government agencies to increase welfare wages when the borough itself bore such a small share of the cost of operation. He also stated that with several WPA projects under way, if the wage scale were increased, the appropriations for the projects could not stand the additional wage items and the projects might be abandoned before they were completed.

He therefore informed Cook that

if he wanted to leave the resolutions council would be glad to consider them but repeated that they were only interested in Palmyra and Palmyra citizens.

#### Cook Leaves With Threat

Cook replied that he would be sure to "let the workers know about this." He thanked the councilmen for the privilege of speaking and then assured them that he had received better treatment from the hands of other governing bodies. Mayor Ward reiterated that council was always responsive to the requests of Palmyra citizens but that he refused to be "stampeded" by any "walking delegate."

Cook replied that he was not a walking delegate since walking delegates get paid, and stated in a dramatic climax that he was working for his wife and children and the wives and children of his fellow workers.

He and two ladies who accompanied him retired from the meeting.

#### Improvements at Park

Councilman Flynn reported that improvement work was going ahead at the park and that additional benches would be built for the grove. He reported that fire hydrants where the nozzles extended beyond the curb line would be moved back by the water company.

Councilman Wright reported that the county fire marshal, the building committee, the building inspector and the board of health made an inspection of the business houses along Broad street for possible fire hazards. The fire marshal made some recommendations to render the buildings safer from the possible start and spread of fire. These recommendations were read in council and Mr. Wright stated that a second inspection would be made soon to check up and see if the recommendations had been carried out.

Councilman Wright discussed the demolition program being carried on by borough council and stated that he would like to have council authority to have title searches made on properties before actual demolition work begins.

Where a house is found to be in such condition as to be considered a public menace to health, or constitutes a fire hazard, the owner is served notice to put the building in good repair.

In the event the owner refuses or fails to make the necessary repairs Councilman Wright stated that he would like to have title searches made to ascertain if there are any persons other than the person notified who might have some right, title or interest in the property.

Council authorized Mr. Wright to proceed with demolition program and gave him permission to have such searches made that in his opinion were necessary and desirable.

#### Borough to Buy Property

Councilman Wright introduced a resolution that the borough purchase the right, title and interest from the trustee in bankruptcy for the Howard Dudley property, 415 W. Sixth street, Palmyra, and that the borough solicitor be authorized to make settlement in the sum of \$25.00. This action removes the necessity of foreclosing to satisfy tax lien. The resolution was carried unanimously.

Councilman Engle, chairman of the highway committee reported that the WPA workmen were making a good job on the streets and that he had requested another project for the application of slow curing oil on the highways, with the WPA furnishing the labor and the borough furnishing the material. The outcome of the latest application he would report later.

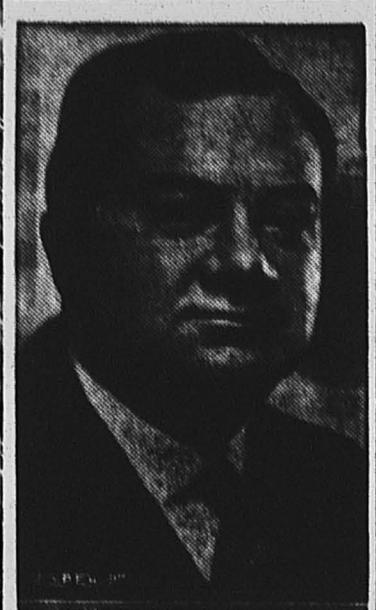
#### New Truck Saves Money

Councilman Luce explained the saving to the borough by the purchase of a used Chevrolet truck for the sum of \$350. The truck, he said, was needed on improvement projects in Palmyra and that to rent one at the WPA rate would cost \$36 per week for a period of seven months. The action of the highway committee in purchasing the truck was unanimously confirmed by council.

A bill of \$71.21 due the Palmyra National Bank was withheld pending a settlement with them for the amount owing to the borough by the bank.

A motion was passed to pay all salaries and the quarterly salaries of borough officials on the basis of 40 per cent scrip and 60 per cent cash. A resolution was passed to pay

### SEEKS RE-ELECTION



W. WARREN BARBOUR

United States Senator from New Jersey, who is candidate to succeed himself.

the school board \$3,825 in scrip for the month of March. An amount of \$2,925 in cash and \$500 in scrip was approved for the school board for the month of April.

Councilman Luce moved that \$25.00 in Palmyra baby bonds be retired and \$108 interest thereon be paid. The motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Luce moved that \$127.50, three months' interest on an \$8,500 note in the First Camden National Bank and Trust Company be paid. The motion passed unanimously.

Tree-Trimming Project Deferred

Councilman Luce reported that the application for WPA aid on tree-trimming project in Palmyra was turned down. They stated that the projects already started in Palmyra would have to be finished before the tree-trimming application could be considered. Mr. Luce reported that the tree committee would do the work in Palmyra up to the limit of their appropriation.

Councilman Mervine reported that the sewage disposal plant was working all right and that all fire lines were clear.

The sanitary inspector's report stated that there were no communicable diseases recorded in Palmyra, and submitted fees amounting to \$12 for cleaning cesspools.

The building inspector reported \$980 worth of improvements with fees of \$8 for the month.

Fire Co. Demonstrates Efficiency

Mayor Ward reported that a Mr. Stevenson, insurance inspector, Councilman Wright and himself had accompanied the Palmyra Volunteer Fire Company on a practice test and that they were very much impressed with the knowledge and skill displayed by the firemen in the handling and use of the fire equipment.

Two sections of hose broke under pressure, and 800 feet of new hose was ordered to replace the weaker sections. The discarded sections will be marked for the highway department to use in flushing out clogged sewer drains, thus avoiding unnecessary wear to the hose used for fire fighting.

New Blankets for Salvage Corps

The salvage corps was found to be operating with only three nine by twelve rubber blankets. These blankets are used to spread over furniture to protect it from water damage. Two new fourteen by eighteen foot blankets were ordered at a cost of \$30 for the salvage corps.

Mayor Ward stated that Palmyra had been fortunate in securing a local boy to act in the capacity of dog catcher for the borough. He reported that he had caught thirteen dogs in a few days and was making a good job of the none too pleasant task.

Dog Catcher Threatened

He stated that one Palmyra citizen had threatened to beat up the dog catcher if he did not return his dog immediately. This the mayor stated must be stopped. We should give our hearty support to the young man just the same as we would to any other borough official, he said. It is expected that the man who voiced the threat will be taken into custody and be bound over to keep the peace. Mayor Ward stated that the police

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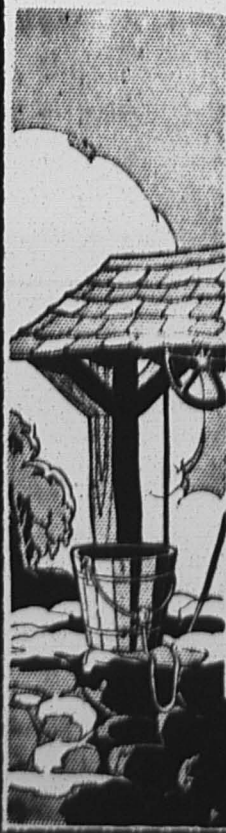
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### AMATEUR RADIO TO THE RESCUE

Floods Bring Amateur Operators to Public Attention Via S. W. Radio

By W. Maynard Bowen and W3CJJ

The forgotten men (and boys) of radio were forcibly brought to the attention of the American public during the recent flood conditions existing in our eastern states.

The first intimation of disaster in Johnston and Pittsburgh was transmitted and received by amateur operators, more familiarly known as "hams," as thousands of all-wave sets received the unfamiliar signal "QRR," which in "Ham" language means the same as the well publicized SOS of commercial radio.

Owners of "all-wave" sets, who have often considered radio transmissions, other than the commercial programs, as a nuisance, were thrilled to hear the excited voices of amateur operators pleading for help for the stricken areas and hearing, from eye witnesses, a description of the conditions prevailing in the inundated regions.

The amateur with his own equipment, in many cases built by his own hands, operated at his own expense, and for his own personal enjoyment, was ready when the occasion to be of help arose, when all other means of communication had been washed out.

This article is not intended to be a re-hash of the flood conditions, but merely to bring to the attention of the public the part that amateur radio plays in emergencies. The average "Ham" has in his "shack," equipment designed for use with batteries so when power fails communication can still be made. This equipment is very rarely used except in times of stress.

The amateurs are banded together in a national organization known as the American Radio Relay League. The amateur's "Bible," the "Radio Amateur's Handbook," published by the ARRL is a collection of technical information, concerning high-frequency or short-wave transmitting and receiving equipment, and proper methods of operation of the equipment.

The first part of the book is devoted to the history of amateur radio, its difficulties in securing and keeping their assigned "bands" in spite of commercial encroachment. This part of the book makes very interesting reading to anyone, whether a radio enthusiast or not. It shows that the one-time useless "bands" below 200 meters or 1,500 kc. (kilocycles) were very gratuitously given to the amateur operators to PLAY WITH. These frequencies were supposedly useless.

To the surprise of the "experts," the amateurs proceeded to transmit messages across the United States, across the Atlantic, and other unheard-of distances, with insignificant power on the "useless" wavelengths. Immediately, the commercial radio interests, seeing the possibilities of these high frequencies and their particular adaptability for long-distance transmissions with low power, stepped in and "accumulated" frequency assignments on these bands. The amateurs were now assigned narrow frequency bands in the radio spectrum below 1,500 kc. Their bands are popularly known as 160 meters, 1,715-2,000 kc.; 80 meters, 3,500-4,000 kc.; 40 meters, 14,000-14,400 kc.; 10 meters, 28,000-30,000 kc.; 5 meters, 58,000-60,000 kc.; and all above 110,000 kc. (below 2.5 meters).

The average all-wave receiver will receive amateur transmissions down to and including the 20-meter band. The wavelengths below 20 meters require special equipment. An interesting fact in connection with these ultra-high-frequencies, as they are known, is that on the 5-meter band, or 58 meg. (megacycles), it has been found impossible, up to the present time to do any long-distance work. At the present time the usable distance for transmission and reception, except in a few cases, has been the visual distance between stations. In other words, if two stations are in sight distance with each other, messages can be exchanged, but the radio waves do not seem to follow the curvature of the earth, they seem to shoot off the earth and never return. It is possible on this band to use "beam" transmissions, that is, the waves can be directed

### DUSEK MEETS COX IN CAMDEN RING

Kansas City Crasher Takes on Emil in Camden Drill Shed Tonight

With the scalp of Ernie Dusek already added to his long list of victims, Joe Cox, the Kansas City Crasher, will attempt to add the name of Ernie's elder brother, Emil, to it. Thursday night, Cox and Emil Dusek will come to grips in the feature two out of three falls, ninety-minute time limit tussel, at the Camden Army, Haddon avenue and Mickle street.

Cox, like the Dusek clan, is no cream puff. He loves to mix with his opponents. He does on rough stuff and nothing suits him better than when the adversary is of the same type. Joe isn't the least bit scared by the fact that his opponent is a Dusek. He doesn't fear anyone of them. The Missouri "Tough Hombre" openly states that when a Dusek meets him, the so called Riot Squad of madom is like mere putty in his hands.

Dr. Len Hall, the sturdy oak from Seattle, Washington, and the popular Al Blaisdano, the expatriate from Des Moines, Iowa, will be the contestants in the forty-five minute semi-final. This bout will bring together two of the outstanding wrestlers of the present day. Hall is rough and rugged while "Blaisy" is of the orthodox type. All of which means a hair raising tiff should be the result.

The average distance between landing fields in the United States is 13 1/2 miles.

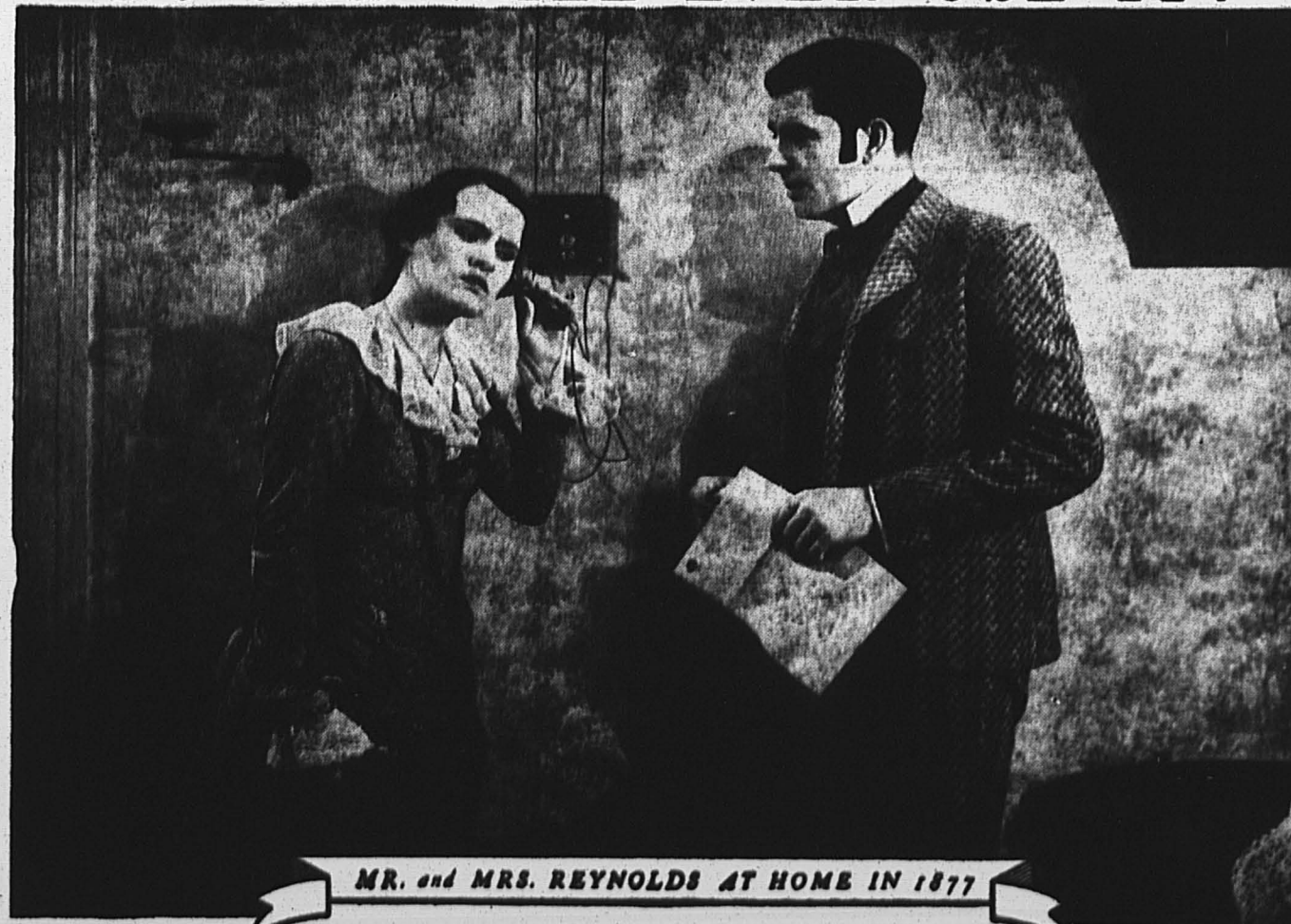
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### PHALANX DISCUSSES SOCIALIZED MEDICINE

The March meeting of the Phalanx Fraternity was held in the home of Robert Finney, the club's treasurer, on the 24th. After the preliminary business was disposed of, the meeting was thrown open to a discussion concerning "Socialized Medicine," which the group thought would be interesting and a vital matter to be cleared up in the future. Both sides were well represented, having a student of the subject in the affirmative and a local doctor in the negative. The meeting was adjourned after the refreshments were enjoyed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Dr. Hayes Brady, 712 Parry avenue, April 6th.

A crowd is not company.

## "NO ONE WILL EVER USE IT!"



MR. and MRS. REYNOLDS AT HOME IN 1877

MRS.: It's a telephone? Connected with your office? What do I say?

MR.: "Oh... say hello when the chief clerk answers... then whoever you please."

MRS.: "Hello... hello... is this the office? (Turning to her husband) I can't hear much of anything... it sounds like someone crying."

MR.: "My dear, you mustn't be too critical. Of course it sounds strange at first. The advertisement says it will."

MRS.: "Well, I don't think much of it. No one will ever use it."

MR.: "Mark my words, Mary; the time will come when we will all use it to talk out of town... we may even talk with distant cities."

MRS.: "With distant cities! (Laughs and leans forward to pat him on the cheek) Oh, John, you're such a dreamer. Distant cities! (She laughs again as she walks away). From the motion picture 'FAR SPEAKING.'"

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### Mayor Refuses To Be "Stamped"

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headquarters was becoming a congregation point for citizens and suggested that for the efficient operation of all borough departments people transact whatever business they have with the officials and depart immediately.

#### To Start Red Cross Drive

The mayor announced that he would call a meeting of several prominent citizens the following night to organize a drive for funds for the Red Cross to help in the flood crisis. A drive is being made this week for funds in a house-to-house canvass. The mayor urged that every citizen contribute as much as he possibly could as the need for aid is great.

The mayor appointed Councilmen Wright and Luce on a committee with Mr. Griscom and Mr. King to look into the appointment of receiverships to collect rent on properties delinquent in their taxes.

The mayor suggested a clean-up week for Palmyra, stating that it may assist local labor and merchants as well as improve the appearance of the town.

The report of the chief of police included four cases of panhandling, one grand larceny, one cleaning and dyeing operator fined for operating without license, 80 night lodgers, three auto accidents and four fire alarms answered.

Councilman Engle reported that a manhole flush tank on upper Washington avenue, 15 inches higher than the street level, would be lowered to grade. He also stated that other similar cases would be investigated so they, too, could be lowered if possible.

Councilmen Inspect Water Pressure Councilman Wright stated that in answer to complaints about the water pressure he and several other councilmen visited the water company offices and conferred with the local manager. The manager stated that a new pumping unit was being installed and that it would soon be in operation and boost the pressure in the community. He announced that the water was of excellent quality and there was a limitless supply for pumping.

A letter from Freeholder Jones was read in which the writer asked for a list of the road hazards known to the borough officials. Councilman Flynn stated that he is having Chief of Police Beck make a survey of the town and submit a report for this purpose.

#### Relief Payment \$270

A resolution was passed authorizing the payment of \$270 as Palmyra's share in the emergency relief for the month of March. The state pays \$2,729 and Palmyra \$270.

A petition from the residents of lower Morgan avenue asking for a treatment of slow curing oil on their street was referred to the highway department.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Public Service Electric & Gas Co., all departments	\$ 645.00
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	82.59
New Jersey Bell Telephone Co., all departments	34.80
Seel Brothers, cash report blanks	39.75
B. VanSclver Co., desk chair	6.95
The Palmyra News, printing budget	46.40
John H. Etris, supplies	12.29
Palmyra-Riverton YMCA, rental sewing project	35.00
Edwin L. Parker, tires, tubes	83.73
H. C. Schwering, supplies	19.61
S. S. Buchholz, insurance	36.42
H. B. Williams, supplies	13.00
J. S. Collins & Son, Inc., supplies	2.55
Geo. J. Spencer, postage, etc.	10.79
Jerome J. Zisak, burial, Edna Reed	50.00
Oakwood Chevrolet, truck	250.00
E. A. Wright, engraving scrip	244.00
Geo. J. Spencer, multigraphing	6.55
W. Ken McCrosson, compensation insurance	212.71
S. Jersey Supply Co., supplies	77.23
Lester S. Fortnum, supplies	73.25
Edwin Fish, cleaning sewers	31.25
Thom Clark, labor, disposal plant	18.00
Hyko Estate, gravel	5.00
Charles J. Wood, services	22.00
John H. Etris, rug store, supplies	3.16
DeWitt Morris, services	3.00
Board of Health	3.00
Hajoca Corporation, supplies	2.80
Harry Koukoulos, coffee, rolls night lodgers	2.80

Of the more than 3,000,000 miles of road in the United States, only 150 miles represent toll highways.

When a man crossing the street is hit by an automobile, they call it an accident. If he gets across the street safely it is a miracle.

#### A BOOM FOR THE FIRESIDE

It took a blizzard to convince many persons that an enjoyable evening can be spent occasionally at home.—Indianapolis Star.

### TIPS ON GROWING



BY ONE WHO GREW UP IN THE BUSINESS

Dreer's, the same as in the past, intend to strive hard after the Gold Medal awarded for the best Rose Garden, at the Philadelphia Flower Show the week beginning March 23rd, and also badly handicapped by unfavorable weather and lack of sunlight in February, the buds on the plants they will use in the exhibit are developing nicely, and the local nursery is very optimistic of lifting the gilded honor.

The garden will be so planned that the average home owner will be able to follow the same idea in laying out his own beds. More than five hundred rose plants in full flower will be shown, and Dreer's big trucks will be constantly rolling through the night in transit between Riverton and the Commercial Museum, keeping the beds replenished with plants covered with buds in just the right stage of expansion.

The exhibit this year should fairly glisten with color owing to the lavish use of such new fantastic hues varieties as Hinrich Gaede, Victoria Adelheid, Katherine Pechold and others in which apricot, pink, salmon and gold are intermingled.

The new coral red sort, selected by Carrie Jacobs Bond to be named for her, is expected to win as many friends as its illustrious namesake.

The Philadelphia Flower Show is one of the best and well-attended annual exhibitions in the country and we should feel proud that the old home town is so well represented.

The Chinese claim that the delicious and delicate taste of the tea for which they are famed arises from mixing of dried flowers with the tea leaves. They also have some very special dishes of food with which flowers are mixed and to which they give such quaint names as "rosy egg," "chrysanthemum dinner" and "cassia cakes."

A large Spokane, Washington, Seed House in its catalogue says that it is a much-debated question whether Potatoes and other vegetables should be planted at certain stages of the moon, and since quite a number of its customers are interested in the matter it will supply a book "Plant by the Moon" (\$1.00 per copy) which gives complete instructions in the use of planetary influence in planting, etc. We always thought that "moon planting" was something peculiar to rural Pennsylvania along with "hexerie" and "pow-wow," but evidently the Washingtonians are moon-struck also.

Do not be unduly perturbed about the small bumpy-looking dots that appear on the reverse side of the old fronds of your Boston or other Ferns in rather regular formation. They really aren't pests but fern seed (spore).

### TREVOR STARS IN LOVE DRAMA

Would it be love or revenge? Would she reveal the secret that would ruin the society that shunned her, or would she keep her silence for the sake of the man she adored? That is the strange dilemma that Claire Trevor faces in her new Fox picture, "My Marriage," coming Saturday to the Walt Whitman Theatre.

A lovely debutante in the glamorous New York society whirl, she suddenly finds herself an outcast when her father's violent death reveals the fact that he was an underworld czar.

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### CINNAMINSON P.-T. A.

The pleasing instructor from Glassboro who spoke on "rhythm" in school Number 2, the evening of the seventeenth, interested the gathering to such an extent that, among other business transacted at the regular meeting the next day, it was decided to ask him to come again to pursue the subject. Due notice of his visit will be given.

The attendance on Wednesday was very gratifying, several visitors being present. The membership now numbers one-hundred twelve.

The band, first grade and kindergarten, remained after school to demonstrate the value of the rhythmic lessons they have had during the winter, the band playing three numbers, while the others were charming in the many movements and poses, the best part being that they all enjoyed the performance as a play, with an utter lack of self-consciousness.

Due respect to the inability of little ones being satisfied to listen to a business meeting, suggested that it is best to have them perform before hand, so putting instruments carefully away, they left quietly, followed by the well-earned applause.

A snappy business meeting followed. The thanks of the association are tendered to the committee, headed by Victor Jensen, who handed in over twenty-three dollars to the treasurer, as donated by Father's Night. This gallant gesture will no doubt be rewarded by knowing that part of the sum was used to do some extra work in the teachers' room.

A discussion on health problems in the school was most interesting. A letter from Dr. Harry Landis, of Palmyra, stressed the necessity of rest periods for the younger children who remain all day, owing to transportation problems.

It was decided to have a card party the evening of April second, beginning at nine o'clock, in the hall, 1201 Cinnaminson avenue, Palmyra, each player to donate 35 cents toward the P.-T.A. treasury.

St. Patrick Day candies were then offered by the hospitality committee, as refreshments. Publicity.

### RIVERTON SCHOOL NOTES



#### HONOR ROLL

Grade 4: Betty Blackwell, Dorothy Baker, Beatrice Carhart, Emilie Craig, Betty Garwood, Betty Henry, Bessie McLaughlin, Shirley Pennington, Phyllis Robinson, Shirley Roberts, Carol King, Gladys Good, Margaret Wolfschmidt, Charles Bishop, Charles Elwell, Edward Goodnow, Leon Gray, Richard Hubbs, Montgomery Simons.

Grade 5: Joyce Bintliff, Jane Bush, Ann Furner, Eleanor Metzger, Janice Pippitt, Laura Yerkes, Marilyn Yost, Arthur Hoyt, Billie Dixon, Kenneth Barrick.

Grade 6: David Atkinson, Richard Brown, Robert Fuller, Stanley Rielley, Donald Seelhorst, Charles Robinson, Lester Friday, Richard Taylor, Katharine Elwell, Frances Borden, Ruth Henry, Polly M. Mathews, Gerry Metzger, Peggy Naisby, Margaretta Smith, Edna Williams, Jane Werner.

Grade 7: Fred Foulke, Porter Caldwell, Jack McVaugh, Jack Longstreet Harry Orlemann, Norman DeLaney, Sarah Robinson, Ethel Cummings, Sallie Coddington, Dorothy Cooper, Joan Hoagland, Jacqueline Pennington, Virginia Armstrong.

Grade 8B: Arthur Gowell, George Bishop, Robert Waters, William Mathews, Eleanor Kauffman, Doris Mullen, Anna M. Wolfschmidt, Howard Gibson, Helen Morris, Miriam Gorman, Thomas Mooney, Burke Jay.

Grade 8R: Doris Crouse, Mary J. DeCoursey, Mary J. Donoghue, Sylvia Reynolds, Carlette Seemuller, Helen Vile, Harold Bishop, Weston Goodnow, William Robinson, Edmund Turnock, Robert Yerkes.

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