

Now and Then

A month or so ago the city council donated one of the yet housing units at the Stevensdale tract to a local church, as it became known that they could make use of it. However, after moving the building from the tract, they made it known that it would be impossible to accept the offer.

At a recent council meeting they notified the council of their feelings, and recommended that it be given to the Kiddie Keep Well Camp. If possible, The KKWC are known to be interested in one of the units.

Chief Gleason's recent report on motorists being guilty of wrong-way traffic on Highland and Prospect Streets brought praise from Mayor Charnello, and it was recommended that five new one-way signs be erected thereon. The Mayor and the council expect to study the situation further before action is taken.

South Amboy's building inspector, Joe Kudelka, was the recipient of high praise via a letter to the city council recently from a new resident who purchased a home here. It seems as though Joe gave much helpful assistance and advice while the new home-owners were getting settled, and thought it a good idea to notify the city of his congeniality.

The city fathers were very receptive to the letter, and as Councilman Howley put it, "It's nice to receive credit once in awhile, instead of complaints."

A letter of thanks for this city's expression of sympathy to the Borough of Brooklyn on the disastrous dock explosion of a few months back was received from Borough President John C. O'Leary. The explosion had been a terrible blow to the people of Brooklyn, and on former Mayor O'Leary's request, an expression of this city's feelings was forwarded via letter.

Just twenty-five years ago this week... Theodore Manduke of this city, a special detective for the Raritan River Railroad, played a prominent part in tracking down clues and furnishing information which led to the arrest of Raymond Eckert of Union City, alleged leader of the "White Mask" gang which is credited with perpetuating a number of robberies in this section.

Eckert was charged with being implicated in the robbery of the FRRR company's office in South River on No. 22, 1931 when the strong box was carted from the building with \$3,000 in bonds and \$4,000 in express money orders.

Other interest items occurring around this time in 1932 included a "Depression Card Party" held by the Hebrew Social Club at City Hall... the organization of the Pulaski Club of Melrose... the re-election of Andrew N. Kvist as President of the Middlesex County Civil Service Association... city council dickering with a plan to have the Board of Public Works assume payment of maturing bonds for water department purposes in preference to having the funds raised by taxation.

Oh yes, wedding bells were also ringing around then. Specifically, at the Little Church Around the Corner in New York City, where Miss Hilda G. Claiborne and Howard Lambertson were married. Our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lambertson on the occasion of their twenty-fifth anniversary.

That's it for Now... and Then.

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YMCA Election of Officers Announced

Melvin Shepperd, Director of the South Amboy YMCA, announced the names of officers elected to various posts on the roster of the Y.

Howard Johnson has been elected president; Frank Morgan will act as vice-president and M. E. Clayton will be secretary-treasurer.

The new Board Members for 3-year terms will be James H. Nolf Princeton Junction. He will replace the late Orden Carr. Mr. Nolf is a supervisor of truck.

John T. Blewitt, Penn. Station Head Store-Keeper, will replace C. A. Thompson, retired.

Directors re-elected for the next three years are: C. T. Mason, R. K. Swords, Thomas Reading, James L. Hausel, Earl H. Lewis and J. A. Taltavall.

Mothers March of Dimes Being Organized For Action

The following mothers have volunteered their services for the Mothers March of Dimes, Wednesday, Jan. 30, 7-9 a.m.

Mrs. Stephanie Truchan, Mrs. Rose Nebus, Mrs. Helen Minard, Mrs. Margaret Brennan, Mrs. Joyce Gavenus, Mrs. Dorothy Kokoszka, Mrs. Francis Lonseth, Mrs. Evelyn Burkhard, Mrs. Millicent Rehn.

More volunteers are needed. Mothers desiring to help the drive may join by contacting any of the above mothers, Mrs. Josephine Rehffuss or Mrs. Ernest Smalley.

A meeting of all captains and workers will be held, Wednesday January 23, in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 7:30 p. m. Final instructions will be given at this meeting.

Dial Phone Exchange Due for Operation in Fall

The New Jersey Bell Telephone Company plans on converting its telephone exchange to dial operation at some early date in the coming fall season. The central office name of So. Amboy will evidently be replaced by the name of Parkway.

The detailed engineering work is part of a state-wide expansion and improvement program designed to provide the most modern and efficient telephone service available.

Announcements of new numbers will be released just as soon as the work has advanced to the point of notifications.

Combustion in Du Pont Outside Tank Startles Area

A company gas tank situated outside the Du Pont, Parkin plant, created a sharp staccato-like reverberation which was felt in various communities in and around the area, on Monday, Jan. 21st, at about 11:00 a. m.

Phone calls from Fords, Madison Park and Laurel Park were but a few of the quarters anxious to learn what had happened.

Some windows were broken in the plant, and various sections of the building were shut-down temporarily. The roadway was also blocked off for a short time.

Some of the employees in the plant heard the shock but were not aware that anything had gone wrong. Most people thought the explosion was another reaction attributed to the series of similar shocks heard during past months and believed to be the procedure heard when jet planes break the sound barrier.

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Father Nichols Appointed To Arch-Deacon Of Diocese Of New Jersey



Announcement that Father Christopher Nichols, of the Christ Episcopal Church in So. Amboy, has been elevated by appointment to the Arch-Deacon of the Diocese of New Jersey will prove of great interest to the community. The single honor will take effect with the resignation of the Rev. Christopher Nichols as rector of Christ Church, on March 1st, 1957.

Not only will the entire congregation regret the loss of the beloved rector, but the city of South Amboy will miss the genial Reverend. The Wardens and Vestry of Christ Church announced the resignation with the required formality.

Father Nichols has served Christ Church for six years, and his work among the people of the city has earned a great deal of praise, respect, and a deserving reciprocation for one who will long be remembered.

Less than a year ago, Bishop Alfred L. Banyard conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity on Father Nichols, and it was the Right Rev. Alfred L. Banyard, D.D., S.T.D., who appointed Father Nichols to be the Arch-Deacon of the Diocese of N. J. The appointment has also been confirmed by the Diocesan Foundation in Trenton, on Tuesday, January 22nd. Father Nichols' address after March 1 will be the Diocesan Office, 448 W. State Street in Trenton.

A few of Father Nichols' credits are his graduation from New York's Trinity School; Bard College, Nashotah House, and Columbia University. He has served as Chaplain for the So. Amboy Rotary Club; on the Board of Governors for the Memorial Hospital; the Diocese Board of Education; the Board of Missions and the Christ Church Home Foundation. He is a past president of the local Minsterium; served with the Red Cross; was an instructor in Telledega College; professor of English in Hampton Institute; served with the Mainland Minsterium, and also officiated as Chaplain for the New Jersey Hotel Association.

SPORTSMAN'S INN TRUE TO NAME

Joe Claffy, telephoned Police Headquarters on Sunday, Jan. 20th, with information that the Sportsman's Inn, of South Amboy, had given shelter to a half-frozen and starved pigeon.

Officer Tarallo was dispatched to the aid of the unfortunate bird which was taken to City Hall. The bird was thoroughly frisked and searched for secret messages, and then a conference was in ordered until it was decided that even half-frozen pigeon on toast wasn't for anyone's menu.

By that time, the pigeon was thawed out and able to maneuver enough resources to oo a thanks to its benefactors, and then fly away before mental attitudes changed.

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City Mourns Passing of Doctor Eulner

One of the saddest occasions the city of So. Amboy has had to mark, during the past week is the death notice of Doctor Elmer Eulner, of 218 Henry St. who died on Wednesday, Jan. 16 in his sleep at his home.

He had practiced his profession as Doctor of Medicine in the community for almost a half century, and death came during his 75th year.

Doctor Eulner had suffered with arthritis for quite a while, and was confined to a wheel chair most of the time. Few people can ever remember the kindly and indulgent medico in anything but an understanding, pleasant mood, irrespective of what problem confronted him for aid.

Just recently the greatly respected Doctor Eulner was paid homage at a testimonial dinner which represented the sentiments of a city.

His philanthropies are unwritten and will probably never be known entirely. The loss of a son who died suddenly was a tragic blow which he carried down through the years in noble fashion.

Doctor Eulner was the son of the late Herman and Emma Eulner. His memberships included the American Medical Association, the N. J. Medical Association, and the local Rotary Club. He was one of the founders, and past chief-of-staff of the South Amboy Memorial Hospital, and a past master of the F. & A. M., St. Stephen's Lodge No. 63.

Doctor E. Eulner graduated from Jefferson College Medical School in 1907. An internship followed at St. Barnabas Hospital in Newark, after which the practice of medicine began in 1908.

Doctor Eulner's affiliations also included membership on the Bd. of Directors of the Roosevelt Hospital; a membership with the Bayview Rod and Gun Club; he was a member of the Medical Examination Draft Board, and a director of the First National Bank.

Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Henry T. Leonard, Jr., of South Amboy; a brother, Herman of Pittsburgh, Pa.; a sister, Mrs. Lillian Rice of Highland Park, and three grandchildren.

Services were held in Christ Episcopal Church, on Monday, January 21st, where a Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Christopher Nichols. Funeral arrangements were made by the D. A. Reilly Funeral Home in Belmar and the Gundrum Service, Home for Funerals, of this city. Interment was in the Monumental Cemetery in South River, N. J.

Raritan Council Boy Scouts Planning Financial Campaign

The Finance Committee of the Raritan Council, Boy Scouts of America has set Feb. 16, 1957 for the day of the Annual Finance Campaign to maintain and extend work of the Boy Scouts of America in the Raritan Council Area.

On Saturday, February 9th, Cub Scouts and Explorers of the area will deliver to all homes the Door Knob Hanger Envelopes, and adult friends of the Scouts will pick up these envelopes on February 16, 1957.

Previous to February 9th the Advance and Special Gift Committee will be working to secure their share of the needed funds. Mr. Wallace Wilck, Chairman of the Finance effort, announced that organized work is going forward.

Chairmen as follows: South Amboy - Industrial Chairman, Mr. Sidney Komar; Commercial Chairman, Mr. Albert Astarita; House to House Chairman, Mr. D. J. Diamond; Morgan General Chairman, Mr. Leonard Bauer.

Laurence Harbor - General Chairman, Mr. Charles Thompson. Sayreville - Industrial Chairman, Mr. Frederick Sackett; Commercial Chairman, Mr. Niel Chevalier; General Chairman, Mr. Gordon Linn.

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Overtime Parking Heavy in Magistrate Everitt's Court

The greater portion of offenders in Magistrate Everitt's South Amboy Court on Monday night, Jan. 21st, were represented by overtime parking tickets. Other violators included a conglomeration of complaints ranging from over-weight on a truck to speeding and driving without proper registration certificates.

The following persons were each fined \$2 for parking overtime on tickets issued by Capt. Abbatiello:

George H. Moore of Parlin; John A. Vanderhoof of Sayreville; Edward Hutchinson of Old Bridge; Raymond H. Manasco of Sayreville; Lorraine Naples of Old Bridge; C. Joseph Gavin of Parlin; John A. Vanderhoof of Sayreville (he received 2 tickets); Howard P. Walsh of President Park. (He also received 2 tickets with a fine of \$2 for each.)

Sgt. Mundy issued the following persons tickets for parking overtime and they were fined \$2 each:

Stephen T. Padran of Spotswood; Dorothy Legowski, Sayreville;

K. W. Clark of Sayreville was fined \$2 for overtime parking. Officer O'Leary.

John Vanderhoof of Newark fined \$2 for overtime parking. Officer C. Rea.

Michael O'Grady of South Amboy was fined \$5 and \$5 costs for throwing objects or debris from his vehicle while on the highway. Officer O'Leary issued the ticket.

Michael O'Grady of So. Amboy was fined \$5 and \$5 costs for an overweight of 2,300 lbs. Tpr. Carl Chlaventone issued the ticket.

Oppelaar & Meyer of Passaic were fined \$73.80 and \$5 costs for an overweight of 3,690 lbs. Tpr. Rosacha issued the ticket.

E. Wojko of Perth Amboy was fined \$20 and \$5 costs for speeding 55 m.p.h. in a 25 m.p.h. zone. Officer C. Travinsky issued the ticket.

City's Library Board Elects Officers

A meeting of the Library Board of the South Amboy Free Library, was held on Tuesday night, Jan. 22nd.

The nomination of officers was inaugurated as the first order of business to undertake, and Frederick Reese was elected to the presidency. Mrs. I. Spina was appointed as vice-president; Miss Helen Connors as treasurer, and John J. Kelly as secretary.

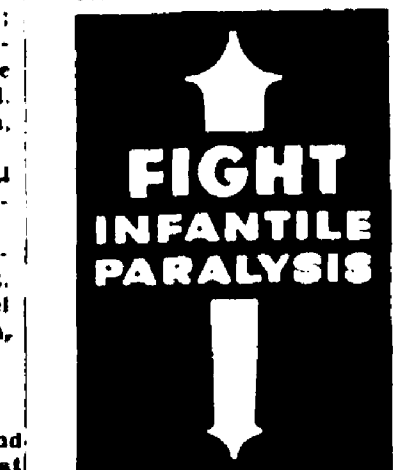
Mayor Joseph Charnello visited the Library Board meeting, made mention of his support to the members, and also complimented Miss Dowdell, the Librarian, for her fidelity to the required duties.

A letter from the Planning Board was read at the meeting, and it was decided to accept the Planning Board's invitation to attend the next meeting which will be held in City Hall on Jan. 28th, at 7:30 p. m.

SOUTH AMBOY NAMES CALLED BY LOCAL BOARD NO. 32

Among the 38 names ordered by Local Board No. 32, to report for induction into the Armed Forces on January 22nd, are Donald S. Gorceyos of 161 Oak Street, and Franklin D. English of 311 David Street.

MARCH OF DIMES



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South Amboy Trust Co. Elects Officers

The annual election of officers held, at its recent meeting, by the South Amboy Trust Co., resulted in the naming of the following Directors: G. Manvel Applegate Sr., J. Arthur Applegate, Fred J. Hermann, James L. Hausel, George Gordon Kress, Ferdinand D. Tedesco, William H. Lewis, John F. Sulliff and Frank C. Packowski.

The Directors, in turn, re-elected the following to their respective offices: Fred J. Hermann, president; J. Arthur Applegate, exec. vice-president; John C. Portthoff, treasurer; Robert J. McGowan, asst. treasurer, and Lois H. Neill, asst. secretary.

The Trust Co. Company again scheduled the banking business hours as from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. daily, with exception of Friday, when the hours will be from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., and also from 4 p. m. to 7 p. m.

Clover Leaf Band To Present First Variety Show In March

What promises to prove an outstanding attraction scheduled to take place on Monday and Tuesday, March 4th and 5th, will be presented by the Clover-leaf String Band of So. Amboy in the form of a variety show.

It will be named, "The Alabama Jubilee" and proceeds of the play will go toward the purchasing of new uniforms for the group. The attraction will be produced in the Sacred Heart Auditorium.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Clover Leaf String Band, will assist in all arrangements necessary during the performances.

Active in the undertaking of the musical vehicle, are the following members of the String Band:

General Chairman, Jules Olecki; Co-Chairman, Stanley Kokoszka; Secretary, Ferman Stratton; Tickets, Ferman Stratton, Chairman; Tom Rittenhouse, Joe Madeline, Frederick Kreimer, William Moran, Richard Berthelson, W. Minkerson, Program Book, Robert Bishop, Chairman; Joe Smith, Bob McVeigh, Carl Wiget, George Norman, J. Robinson; Refreshments, Joe Kover, Chairman; Tony Gorceyoski, John Cisewski, Richard Nagy, Eugene Ellwinger, Richard Adametz; Talent, Leon Kulpi, John Niedbald, Chairmen; Julius Zollo, Frank Morales, Frank Montenero, Herb Blair, Bob Barry; Publicity, Art Kennedy, Chairman; Jim Kadala, Harold Ellwinger, Ed. Willenbrock, George Eisenbarth, Tom Hoey; Scenery, Jim Diabrow, Chairman; George Gergits, Milton Kreiser, Dennis Dalkowski, Charles Stockton, W. Lyons.

Danger of False Alarms Emphasized by Szatkowski

John Szatkowski, the outgoing Fire Chief of South Amboy, delivered his annual fire report to the City Council, and in the data conveyed the declarations that the city was unnecessarily the victim of 28 false fire alarms. Whether occasioned by mischief or malicious intent, the false alarms are at all times a very dangerous menace to the welfare of the people and the city.

Szatkowski's also recorded that the city's Fire Department responded to forty fire calls, and that the total fire damage in the city for the year could be approximated as close to \$117,000.

J. J. KELLY ASSISTANT-SECRETARY OF PERTH AMBOY BANK

John J. Kelly of 359 Fourth Street has been elected as Assistant Secretary of the Perth Amboy Savings Institution. A graduate of Seton Hall University and Rutgers University School of Mortgage Banking, he has been associated with the Savings Institution for the past five years. He is also Treasurer of the Perth Amboy Junior Chamber of Commerce.

K of C to Hold "Ladies' Night" at Club This Saturday Evening

Members, their guests and lady friends will gather at the Columbian Club this Saturday evening to enjoy another in a series of "Ladies' Night" socials sponsored by the local council of the Knights of Columbus.

Hosts for the evening will be Walter Walczak, Bill Solte, John Ploskonka and Larry Olszak, with the assistance of their wives. Polish style cooking will be featured, with fun and excitement for all who attend.

Michael F. Nagle was presented with a 50-year pin on behalf of the officers and members of the K. of C., at last Thursday's meeting of the council. Mr. Nagle was the guest of honor at the meeting and the "Old Timers" social that followed, with a large crowd on hand to offer congratulations. Henry Kuris, fraternal activity chairman, was in charge.

On Sunday, February 24th, the local council will hold their regular Quarterly Communion and breakfast. A Father-Daughter affair, with attendance at the 8 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's Church, followed by a breakfast at Sacred Heart Auditorium.

Charles Sutton, Catholic activity chairman, is in charge of arrangements, and has announced that Miss Mary Kinnane, State Regent for the Catholic Daughters of America, will be the principal speaker.

A memorial Mass for the deceased members of the local council will be held on Saturday, January 28th at the 7:30 a.m. Mass at the Sacred Heart Church.

Regular Prayers for Peace services will be conducted at St. Mary's Church at 7:30 p. m. this Thursday.

Grand Knight Daniel J. Kerr has announced tentative plans for a first degree to be held on Thursday, February 28th at the council home, with the council degree team conducting the ceremony.

LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL SCORES

Keyport (12)	Hoffman (23)
Ruth 7	5
O'Brien 7	5
Alhake 7	5
Archer 7	5
Kennedy 7	5
Taylor 7	5
Johnson 7	5
Lawson 7	5
Gordon 7	5
Sullivan 7	5
Curdia 7	5

Score by Periods: 14 22 20 14-70

Keyport Hoffman

SA St. Mary's (44) Bayreille (76)

Pratt 7	5	Koran 7	5
Graber 7	5	Talmon 7	5
Quinn 7	5	Seamon 7	5
Phillips 7	5	Seamon 7	5
Vigilante 7	5	Seamon 7	5
Stader 7	5	Seamon 7	5
Smith 7	5	Seamon 7	5
Mullane 7	5	Seamon 7	5
Moran 7	5	Seamon 7	5
Korack 7	5	Seamon 7	5

Score by Periods: 16 14 14 14-58

South Amboy Bayreille

Hoffman (42) Ft. Pleasant (44)

Hindgood 7	5	Matthew 7	5
Madeline 7	5	Donnelly 7	5
Fluebach 7	5	Kelly 7	5
Risko 7	5	Vandling 7	5
Imang 7	5	Grueling 7	5
		Richard 7	5

Score by Periods: 21 0 13 14-48

Hoffman Ft. Pleasant

Point Pleasant 16 10 10 8-44

FRIDAY NIGHT MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE

S. A. YMCA

Standings as of Jan. 18

Frank's Radio TV 44 10

Ted's Bar & Grill 38 15 1/2

John's Half Way 34 30

Air Electric 34 19 1/2

Vince's Conf. Store 33 1/2 20 1/2

Ben & Rays 31 23

Lagoda's Bar 27 27

Peterson Pharmacy 22 32

Gay 90's 19 35

Sportsman Inn 15 38 1/2

FRE YMCA 14 40

Connie's Bar 11 43

Honor roll: J. Murphy 173

237, 216-828; E. Pasternak 203

216, 200-819; J. Jackin 193

186, 225-602; J. Kenny 180

254, 171-605; B. Clark 185, 189

243-617; E. Eldridge 164, 228

208-600; E. Chaszewski 203, T.

Reading 204, S. Sulski 207, E.

Gomolka 223, L. Pope 200, J.

Brzhanak 200, Cio 223, J. Toth

204, A. Morris 201, E. Poulson

212, T. Gale 215, J. Manion 220

J. Grulo 209, A. Kowalski 222

Three-game winners: Gay

90's over Connie's Bar; Air

Electric over Sportsman Inn;

Frank's Radio over WMCA.

Two-game winners: Ted's

Bar & Grill over Vince's Conf.;

Lagoda's over Peterson; Ben &

Rays over John's Half Way.

Peanut Sales Program Sails in Full Swing!

Ann Jankowski and Joseph Vignano of St. Mary's High School announce the Teens on Polio Peanut Sales Program is in full swing and request that all the youth of South Amboy participate in the peanut sale.

They also urge the hearty co-operation of the people in South Amboy.

ORDINANCE NO. 3
AN ORDINANCE FOR THE CREATION OF A PLANNING BOARD IN THE CITY OF SOUTH AMBOY, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS THEREOF, AND SETTING FORTH THEIR DUTIES INCLUDING THE PREPARATION AND ADOPTION OF A MASTER PLAN; SERVING AS A ZONING COMMISSION; AND THE APPROVAL OF SUBDIVISION PLATS; FOR MUNICIPAL PLANNING PURPOSES IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 433 OF THE LAWS OF 1953 AND AMENDMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTS THERETO.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE Board of Public Works of the City of South Amboy, County of Middlesex and the State of New Jersey that:

1. Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 433 of the Laws of New Jersey, 1953, a planning board is hereby created.

2. The members constituting said planning board shall consist of the following:

Class I. Mayor Jos. Charnello
Class II. John J. Trigas
Class III. Thomas Vall
Class IV. Jos. Herman, Richard Dowling, Jos. Sutliff, James Harrigan, Fred Henry and Samuel Krzyzkowski.

3. All members of the board shall serve without compensation, and the members of Class IV shall hold no other municipal office, except that one of such members may be a member of the zoning board of adjustment, and one may be a member of the board of education. The terms of the members comprising Classes I and III shall correspond to their respective official terms. The term of the member designated under Class II shall terminate with the term of the Mayor appointing him. The respective terms of the members of Class IV first appointed shall be one, two, three, four, five and six years. Thereafter, the term of each shall be the same number of years as there are members of Class IV on the board. No member of the planning board shall be permitted to act on any matter in which he has, either directly or indirectly, any personal or financial interest.

4. The planning board is authorized to adopt by-laws governing its procedural operation. It shall elect a chairman from the members of Class IV, create and fill such other offices as it shall determine. It shall have the power and authority to employ experts and a staff and to pay for their services and such other expenses as may be necessary and proper, not exceeding in all, exclusive of gifts, the amount appropriated by the governing body for the use of said planning board.

5. In accordance with section 14 of Chapter 433 of the Laws of 1953, the planning board is hereby expressly designated as the official agency to administer the provisions of "The Land Subdivision Ordinance of South Amboy," including the granting of final approval of subdivision plats. The planning board is authorized to appoint a subdivision committee in accordance with section 15 of said laws.

6. The governing body by ordinance only, may provide for the reference of any matter or class of matters to the planning board before final action is taken by the municipal body or municipal officer having final authority.

7. Whenever a public hearing is required on any matter the planning board shall follow the procedure as described in Section 7, Chapter 433 of the Laws of 1953.

8. This ordinance shall take effect after publication and final passage according to law.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the Board of Public Works of the City of South Amboy, N. J., held on January 22, 1957, the above ordinance was adopted on First Reading. It will be considered for second and third readings, and final passage at a meeting of the Board of Public Works on Tuesday, February 12, at City Hall at 8 o'clock Eastern Standard Time, at which time, all persons having objections thereto, are hereby notified to be present and present same.

John J. Stolle
President
Board of Public Works
South Amboy Citizen
Issue of January 24, 1957

STEADY PACE
Consider every day the start of a new year, and see to it that every day does its part.

Converted Trailer Bank Forerunner For Building

The converted trailer of the First National Bank of Sayreville, now situated at the corner of Cheesequake and Borden-town Roads, opened on Jan. 17th, to an active business reaction experienced right from the first day.

The forty-foot trailer bank has accommodations for four teller's units, and is equipped to handle almost any type of banking facilities.

A new building will be under construction within a few months with a frontage extending on both Roads.

The branch will open daily at 11 a.m., and close Monday Tuesday and Wednesday at 6 p.m. The bank will be open on Thursday until 7 p.m., and Friday until 9 p.m.

The manager of a firm in Bulawayo, Rhodesia, called at a shop in Portcawl, Glamorgan, Wales, and picked up the pair of shoes he had left there to be repaired twenty-three years ago before emigrating to Africa.

SUBROGATE MATTERS IN SOUTH AMBOY

The following wills and letters of administration have been issued by Surrogate Elmer E. Brown, to names listed in South Amboy.

ANNA MIODISZEWSKI. — Stanley Miodiszewski of 378 Conover St., in South Amboy, was named executor and sole legatee of the estate left by his wife, Anna. She died Nov. 26th, and her will executed last Nov. 19th, was witnessed by Mrs. Martin J. Dohoney and John R. Everitt.

MATEY ADAMETZ. — Mrs. Catherine N. Lynch of 337 Oak St., in South Amboy, was named executrix and sole legatee of the estate left by her father, Matey Adametz. He died Dec. 7th, at that place and his will of Feb. 15, 1954, was witnessed by Sally Sklenkiewicz and Francis N. Rops.

FRANK A. JANKOWSKI. — Mrs. Mary Jankowski of 405 Parker Ave., in South Amboy, was named administratrix for the \$1,500 estate of her husband Frank A. He died Dec. 17,

YMCA Reports Summary of 1956 Activities

Melvin Sheppard, Director of the local YMCA in South Amboy, released a recapitulation of the past year's activities with the announcement that the Y now has 1,042 members of which 528 may be termed as railroad men, and 514 relegated to other classifications.

The accommodations supplied by the YMCA includes employment placement, association and committee meetings, visits to sick, shelter, reading room attendance, bowling alleys, television, showers and church affiliations.

Group activities were swim classes, bowling leagues, religious Sunday schools, City recreation arts and crafts, Raritan Bay Radio Club, Ladies Auxiliary, Jr. Woman's Club, Business Men's Club, Sun Oil Co. meetings, Brownies, Girl Scouts and Jamboree, B. of R. and L. E., Retired Men's Club, Scout Council, Cub Scouts, Ministerium meetings, B. of L. and F. E., Bowling Banquets, Pythian Sisters, M. B. A. Banquet, Dancing-Voice-Plane, P. R. R. Rules Examiner, Band Practice, Kickoff and Closing Campaign Dinners, and P.T.A. Meeting. In the above categories, statistics are given showing the estimated amount of attendance during the year for each event. It is a fair hazard to approximate that close to 20,000 individuals have in some way been accorded some service by the South Amboy YMCA.

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"What's My Line?" may be attributed as a topical question down in City Hall, these days. Only alteration is "What's My Waist-Line?" Quite a few of the city officials are on a diet. . . . Modern Shoe Repair Shop had a cute sign, the other day. Youngster sitting at machine pretending to be fixing a boot. . . . Mike Nagle and Frank Zdanewicz were recalling incidents and some of the folks in the city, many years ago. . . . One innocent reporter, the other day, mistook Officer Duggan for Officer Rea, because of a prank. . . . Members of the Evening Membership Department of the So. Amboy Woman's Club, will hold their next meeting in the home of Mrs. Lawrence Weston in Sayreville. . . . Catchy titles appended to groups of the Christ Episcopal Church. One is "Kitchen Kanaries," and the other is "Four C's." . . . Francis Nagle is accomplishing a very fine job as public relations representative for the First Aid Squad. . . . One South Amboyer confided that he can only get party lines on the phones. Wrong parties. . . . Councilman Irvin House now initiated into keeping a scrap book. . . . There were three new appointments made to the Library Board, and understand there will be another one soon. . . . According to indications, Raritan Street will soon be extended. . . . Violators on one-way streets had better be a little more careful. The law is watching. . . . Chief Gleason's West Point son achieved high marks in his ratings. . . . Councilman John Howley active in promoting city ice skating. . . . The Retired Men's Club had a guest speaker who elaborated on cigars being a young man's smoke. . . . There's a model contest due to take place in the city, shortly. . . . Your money can now keep late hours, according to the new schedule of banking time as listed by local banks. . . . The law should be strictly enforced about cars not being permitted to park directly on corners, which often creates hazards. . . . Three sad notices, this past week. Passing of Doctor Eulner, Wilber and Harrigan. . . . A miracle prevented a traffic accident between a truck and bus at the corner of Broadway and First Street, on Thursday at noon.

South Amboyers listed on call for petit jury service in civil and criminal courts during month of January, are: James H. Croddick, Alfred G. Maher, Dorothy Bender, Mary T. Ralmen, James F. Smith, Edward Strasser, and Ruth J. Thompson. . . . Six new commuter cars have been ordered by the Pennsylvania Railroad, with an option on 44 additional, all for suburban use. Cars will be air-conditioned, have wide glare-dimming windows and many other comfort conveniences. . . . Lou Clayton of the First National Bank, suggests that names of people who are ill, should be mentioned in the paper so that friends may go about the business of lending a little cheer. . . . Funny how news travels. Whenever an incident occurs, the other side of the town knows all about it as word-of-mouth relays faster than one can imagine. . . . There's a new real estate and insurance business opened in Sayreville Shopping Center under the name of J. J. Harrigan, Inc. . . . The City Library was once located above where the former Post Office used to be situated. Now it's in the Trust Building, one flight up. The contention is that it should be on a street level, so that youngsters and oldsters would find it convenient to visit. . . . Army PFC. Fred Johnson, of Laurence Harbor, was in training with the 11th Airborne Division in Germany. . . . The structure for the gas station on the Sayreville side at Borden-town and Cheesequake Roads is almost completed. . . . Plans are being considered to develop the space between Hoffman High School and City Hall into an ice skating rink. . . . Fourth Street may now be lengthened when the buildings on Victory Plaza are completely removed. . . . The Szatkowski testimonial dinner has been announced in various places with the wrong date. The correct one is Jan. 26th and it promises to be one of the notable affairs of the season. Tickets are almost exhausted. . . . The South Amboy Evening Membership of the Woman's Club making arrangements to attend the Spring Conference some time in February, in New York. . . . Officer Jack Duggan appointed to act as clerk of the Magistrate Court.

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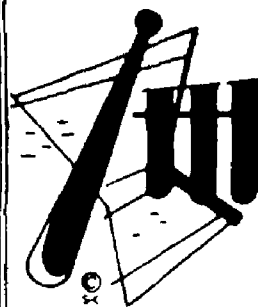
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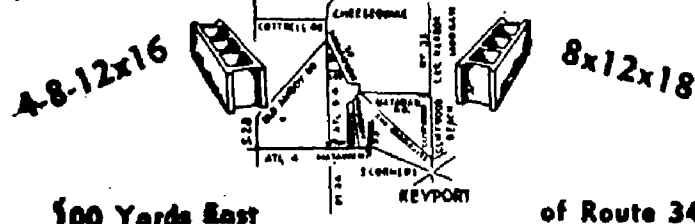
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Spanish Pork Chops

A bit of foreign flavor is found in this recipe. Pork chops are attractively braised in a spicy vinegar and catchup mixture. First brown 6 rib or loin chops in a frying-pan and season with 1/4 teaspoon pepper and 1 teaspoon salt. Mix together 1/2 cup catchup and 1 teaspoon dry mustard and spread on chops. Combine 1/2 cup vinegar, 1/2 cup water and 2 tablespoons of sugar and place over chops. Cover the frying-pan tightly and simmer for 45 minutes or until done.

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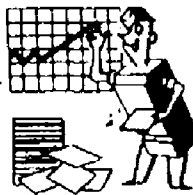
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Woman's Travel Authority

Control your reflexes, and you'll avoid a lot of trouble while driving. Here are some Dos and Don'ts for meeting highway emergencies.

If you're nudged off the road onto a soft shoulder, don't slam on the brakes. Don't try to turn right back onto the pavement. Gently apply your brakes, steer so that your right wheels are about three feet away from the pavement, then move back onto the highway gradually when the coast is clear.

When you round a curve that suddenly proves too slippery for your speed, don't resist the skid by braking and steering out of it. Don't panic and step on the clutch. Always steer in the direction of your skid. Then, accelerate slightly to help your automobile regain its balance.

Chances are you've found yourself in a situation when someone starts to pass you and spots the oncoming traffic too late. As a rule, the offender will try to drop back behind you again. Your cue here is to accelerate, if you can, to give him room. But if he tries to complete the pass, reverse this cue and slow down. This calls for fast thinking.

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Finally, if and when a blowout occurs, don't jam on your brakes under any circumstances. Don't try to steer out of it sharply. Slow down gradually. Hang onto the wheel until it comes back into line. Then, when you feel your car is under control, brake easily.

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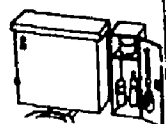
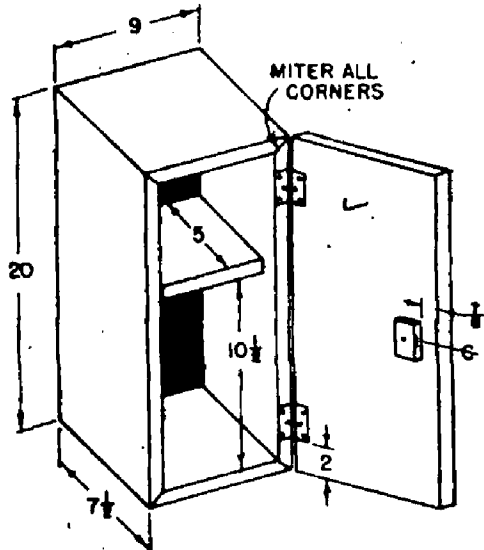
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strengthen the joints. The back is cut 18 7/16 inches long. Attach the back with glue and 6-penny finishing nails. Place the shelf 10 1/2 inches from the bottom and flush with the back. Fasten with glue and 8-penny finishing nails.

The door is made of 1 by 10-inch lumber, 20 inches long, ripped to fit the frame. Attach the door to the frame with two 3/4 by 2-inch butt hinges. Recess the hinges. Position and install the door lock. Attach the cabinet to the wall with screws or anchor bolts.



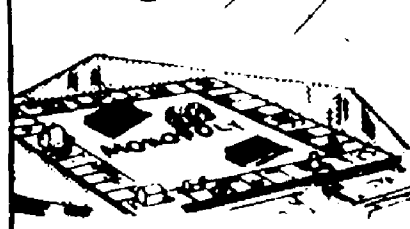
Games Through The Ages



CHES, a game requiring high intellectual skill. Played as far back as 5000 B.C. and often called the Royal Game. Its concluding move, "checkmate," stems from the Arabic "shah mat"—the King is dead. The United States chess champion is Arthur Bisguier, age 27, New York City.



MAH JONGG, a Chinese game invented about 500 B.C. (Confucius era). It became the vogue in the U.S. in the 1920's and is still popular with women's groups.



MONOPOLY broke all rules for best-selling games but, nevertheless, became a national craze as it gave adults and youngsters the illusion of wealth and property ownership. Monopoly is sold throughout the world—except in Russia.



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**Putting My 'Knows'
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**NEW JERSEY MAY CLAIM
BANKING HERITAGE!**
A coin collector may learn many strange facts about early history indicated by oddments relegated from numismatic data. Take the case of a wily collector who induced a merchant to offer a prize for the oldest coin presented for inspection. A copper New Jersey coin won in the contest, but the collector took the list of participants and eventually purchased all the old coins in the area. With the opening of branch banks in the locale, it may prove timely to explain that the first bank in the new world was opened and operated by Mark Newble, a Quaker, and maker of candles formerly from London. The bank proved to be a plain-furnished room in his home near Camden, New Jersey. Newble was a coin collector who had accumulated copper coins circulated in Ireland, and known as St. Patrick's pence. In 1882, in company with 25 brave people aboard a small sailing vessel, he landed at Collingswood, N. J. His coin collection went along. Wampum, actually manufactured for the Indians by John Campbell and his family, in Bergen County on the Pascack Creek in New Jersey, had been the principal method of exchange used for barter. The Spanish dollar or doubloon had more recognition than any other foreign media known as money. Local merchants used to act as bankers until Robert Morris formed the Bank of North America in Philadelphia back in 1781. In 1882, Newble was chosen as a member of the General Assembly meeting at Burlington. He became one of the Commissioners whose duty it was to raise money for the Government. His St. Patrick's pence suggested that they be put to use, and thus the first authorized issuance of money came into being in the Colonies. More about early money in New Jersey at a later date.

CREDIT LINES
Here's a bit of verse for the ledger, written to maintain a poetic balance.

ORBIT WHERE CREDIT IS DUE!
I do not know how great a cost—
One may compute for friends not lost,
Or whether to concede a gain—
Whenever there's relief from pain?

A profit holds no greater wealth—
Than debts credited to health—
And how much does one calculate—
For any neighbor's kindly trait?

"Envo."
Such income holds no tax to pay—
When good deeds come as night and day!

THUMBNAILED SKETCH
Officer LeRoy "Red" Kurts of the South Amboy Police Force, raises notice for being a past president of the local P.B.A., and a former chairman of the police raise referendum. His affiliation with the police force numbers six years, and he admits to home mechanics as his spare-time hobby. Kurts has been quite active in baseball and basketball. He is married to the former Rosemary Bloodgood, and the happy little family includes a daughter and a son. Served three years in the Navy, and is an elder with the Presbyterian Church.

THE QUALITY OF MONEY
Based on the premise that most people are interested in money, and that the introductory paragraph of this column carried details about early money in the Colonies, it may seem apropos to add a bit of information just gleaned about counterfeit problems around the year of 1870. A theory was conceived whereby if Continental money was counterfeited and circulated in large quantities, it would depreciate anything of monetary value in the Colonies and create a panic. Among many incidents there is recorded the seizure of British Ships "Blackhawk" and "Morning Star" at anchor off of Sandy Hook, by Capt. Marriner. He brought his prize into Egg Harbor, New Jersey, and much Continental currency was reported to have been found on board. The writings of George Washington, edited by Jared Sparks in 1834, and New Jersey Archives carry much reference to New Jersey's part in the fight to stabilize the legitimacy of our early money system. An open letter written by Thomas Paine, directed to Gen. Sir William Howe, signed Common Sense, and now contained in the Papers of the Continental Congress, express sentiments about the once enigmatic situation.

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The SPORTS WHIRL

Local high school basketball action last week rather and, as Hoffman dropped two contests and St. Mary's one.

The Governors initial game of the week saw them lose a heart-breaker in the final three seconds of play. With the game tied-up at 42 all, Matthews of Point Pleasant threw in a jump shot to give the Bay team a 44 to 42 victory.

The locals led the Point Pleasant team at half-time by a 20 to 26 score. The end of the third period saw the Governors still holding on to two point lead. It was nip and tuck right up to the final three seconds, when Matthews threw in his jump shot.

Bloodgood and Madeline topped the locals in scoring with 16 and 14 points respectively, while Matthews led Point Pleasant with 16.

In their other game of the week, the Governors were trounced by Keyport, 72 to 53 at the Shull School court in Perth Amboy. Coach Dobrynski's charges managed to stay within fighting distance until the end of the first period, and then the Monmouth County team put on the pressure, winding up with a 16 point advantage at half time. The locals put up a game fight in the second half of play, but the big lead gathered up in the second period was too much to overcome.

Bloodgood once again was the leading scorer for the Governors, throwing in 24 points, with Madeline collecting 11 and Poetsch 9.

The Eagles lone encounter of the week saw them fall to defeat at the hands of powerful Sayreville High by a 75 to 46 score. It was Sayreville's 10th victory in 11 games, while the loss was St. Mary's sixth in seven games. Phillips and Virgiano had 16 and 10 points respectively for the Eagles.

Sports on the local scene twenty five years ago included:

A Ping Pong tournament at the YMCA, sponsored by the H-Y Club. Members who signed up for the tourney included S. Rowe, N.A. Hoffman, I. House, D. Masterson, C. Straub, C. Grant, R. Welden, E. Applegate, R. Steiner, R. Thorpe, H. Roxbury, H. Hoffman, J. Hermann, J. W. Van Cleef, W. Mundy and W. Kurts.

A basketball league comprised of members of the South Amboy Catholic Club, which played games every Wednesday evening. Teams were named after the baseball teams in the American League.

So, Amboy Grammar School basketball team trounced St. Mary's Grammar School team of Perth Amboy by a score of 35 to 8. Pavich led the local team in scoring with 12 points, followed closely by Paffer and Jensen with 10 apiece.

The Mechanicsville basketball team defeated Keyport A.A. squad by a score of 51 to 31 at the Monmouth County court. Playing with Mechanicsville at that time was Medwick, Hefferman, Mitman, Jankowski, Takowski and Cleary. Keyport had Garhart, Walling, Krueger and Manuel.

Medwick tallied 14 points to lead the Hole-in-the-Wallers, while Jankowski and Hefferman had 12 apiece. Garhart led Keyport in scoring with 10.

Drum Beats and Bugle Calls



Colbert and Rose Bowie are shown at home with some of the many trophies won by the 60 boys and girls under their direction.

Two minds with but one single thought, is how Rose and Colbert Bowie should be considered. An almost ideal supervision of some average sixty to one hundred youngsters attempting to establish harmony which not only will seem in accord, but also win plaudits and trophies appears to be a gladstone determination set for themselves by the Bowies.

Ever since he was eleven years old and able to handle a musical instrument, Bowie has had aspirations to find and do just what his wife and he are now apparently accomplishing with much zeal and firmness. The mention of instruments may also point out that Bowie can acquit himself quite professionally on nine different types of musical instruments, and he is qualified to teach and instruct the younger folks. In the commercial background Colbert is employed by an organization where one of his main objectives seems vested in the handling of small mechanical instruments. He definitely is an instrument man.

Their forming of the Melrose Drum and Bugle Corps, back in 1947, has been a great source of satisfaction to almost everyone affiliated in some way with the group. Rose and Colbert are intimately referred to as the Aunt and Uncle of the Corps, and while no glory is sought, they do deserve more than just a great amount of praise. The business administration so necessary to a continued success is ably handled by Rose, whereas Colbert manages the musical instructions besides the strict discipline of marching.

Participations in the Trenton State Fair celebrations, the New York Thanksgiving parades, various festivities and holiday marches in neighboring towns and cities have earned them much glory and 32 prize trophies. The Corps has even appeared on television. The current set-up with the Bowies acting as controlling factors, is as follows. Color Guard, Sgt. Mary Jarusiewicz, and Corporal Josephine Domzal; The twirling section, Capt. Defort and Asst. Capt. Joan Brown; Majorettes, Majorette Mary Ann Lagoda; Drum Section, Sgt. Frank English; Glockenspiel, Sgt. John Lagoda, and Corporal Carol Dowling; Bugle Section, Capt. James Kikonen, Corporal John Drews, and Ronald Kukulski.

A summary review of the entire enterprise is no simple matter to describe with figures or words, other than they must hold a decided love for youngsters to have fifty or a hundred boys and girls trooping through a small Cape Cod cottage at almost all times of the day. There are specific stipulations for every date on the calendar. Study for each task is relegated to one day. Certain instruments at appointed hours, and the Bowies love it all. One cannot mistake their penchant after surveying the many ramifications which have to be unraveled and regarded magically.

One prominent factor points to the good they are doing for juveniles. Ambitions, aspirations, enthusiasm, posture, poise, ability to swirl a baton, and a musical education are but a few advantages. Many of the fraternity return or write affectionately to the Bowies which interprets how friendly the ties are treasured. Applicants for membership are always considered and sponsored where possible.

Long may the Melrose Drum and Bugle Corps march and entertain in their gloriously attractive uniforms at parades, festivities, and happy celebrations, and long may that youthful Darby and Joan pair of Bowies, act as mentors to guide the corps on in proper directions for the future!

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World's largest collection of canine aristocrats will be found at the famed Crufts Dog Show in London, ENGLAND, Feb. 8-9, 1957. Exhibition attracts more than 6,000 entries of all major breeds.

BIRTHS

South Amboy Memorial Hospital recorded following births recently:

Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Evgan of 42 Kearney Ave., Sayreville.

Son to Mr. and Mrs. John Kindick of 258 Midland Ave., Morgan.

Son to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hyle of 176 McArthur Avenue, Sayreville.

Son to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gerou of 47 Lakeside Dr., Matawan.

Son to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott of 171 Norwood Avenue, Laurence Harbor.

Son to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Iremonger of 46 Campbell Dr., Sayre Woods.

Son to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Barts of 67 Oodidge Ave., Parlin.

Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Nemala of 45 Harrison Pl., Sayreville.

Son to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Babinski of 47 Haven Terrace.

Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harrill of Kendall Drive, Sayreville.

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Karl W. Wilber takes this opportunity to extend heart-felt thanks to the Reverends James Anliowski, David Mayskens, Mayors and Councilmen of Sayreville, Keyport and South Amboy. Also to nurses in Perth Amboy General Hospital; St. John's First Aid of Foris; Doctor Levenstien and Doctor Cole; Blood Donors, and the Frank T. Kurawa Funeral Home, for every consideration and kindness shown to us in the loss of our husband and father.
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South Amboy's First Natl Bank's Branch in Sayre Woods Presents Bonds

The First National Bank of South Amboy, branch bank in the Sayre Woods Shopping Center, at its official opening on Monday, Jan. 21st, announced that the first new account entered on its books was credited to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kemna of 8 Cornell Road in Perth Amboy.

The surprising record attendance on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 19th, is supposed to have numbered close to three-thousand people who visited the new bank and inspected the various unusual innovations arranged for clientele accommodation.

Mr. Irving Perry, the bank manager of the Sayre Woods Branch, is enthusiastic about the response by the public to the bank's many new features, such as late banking hours, walk-up service and drive-in facilities. Mr. Perry, by his experienced background stands qualified to handle the trend of banking business now relegated to his attention. Mrs. Edna Chase, one of the directors, is also munificent in praise for the way in which modern details have been carried out for the benefit of the patrons.

Bonds were awarded as prizes and the lucky winners are: \$100, Mrs. A. E. Truchan of Lee Ave. in Sayreville; \$50, Miss Shirley Marie Jones, 28 Middlesex St. in Matawan; \$25, Mr. K. Pulvermuller, c-o Robert E. Lee in Morgan.

South Amboy's Library on the Records

An unusual and very constructive undertaking by South Amboy's Free Library, is the service whereby a varied assortment of player records may be loaned from the library, in almost the same fashion that books are borrowed.

The amount of records on hand proves that the interest awakened in a cultural phase of education is both stimulating and constructive.

Members of the Library Board are anxious to interest anyone with a surplus of suitable records to donate them to the library's stock so as to broaden the scope of its lending facilities.

When a man is wrapped up in himself, he makes a pretty small package.

JOHN RUSKIN

Obituary

KARL H. WILDER. Died Tuesday, at midnight, Jan. 15, in the Perth Amboy General Hospital, due to injuries received in an automobile accident. Mr. Wilder of Main Street in Sayreville, was born in Trenton; graduated from Hoffman High School in South Amboy, and Northeastern University in Boston, Mass. He was Borough Engineer for Sayreville during the past ten years.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Emma Wilder; two sons, Karl Jr., and Bruce; a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Olekma of Ford; his mother, Mrs. D. B. Henchy of South Amboy, and two grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements on Saturday morning, Jan. 19th, were conducted by the Frank T. Kurawa Funeral Home, with Rev. James Anilowski and the Rev. David Mayskens officiating in the services. Active pallbearers were Fred Kurtz, Hugh Bettie, Andrew Dill, Milton Rue, Jack Phillips and Adam Sadoski.

Honorary pallbearers were Sayreville's Mayor Anthony Popowski, and Councilmen Alfred Schussler, Ray Presnal, Harold Boehm, Harold Kolb, Joseph Ziembka and Ed Fieck. Also Ed J. Bauman, Joseph T. Karober and Joseph J. Weber.

Interment was in Riverview Cemetery in South Trenton.

JAMES M. HARRIGAN. Died suddenly on Wednesday, Jan. 16th, of a heart attack. Mr. Harrigan of 34 Bertram Ave. in South Amboy, was affiliated with the Barman Copper Works, and active in various athletic and scout affairs.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Helen Kelly Harrigan; one son, J. Michael Harrigan; and his mother, Mrs. Ellen Jepsen Harrigan.

The funeral was held on Saturday, Jan. 19th, in the Gulderson Home for Funerals, followed by services in St. Mary's Church. Interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery in Perth Amboy.

MORGAN TOPICS

The Jesse Selover Parent-Teacher Organization, meeting in the school auditorium, voted to present to the school an electric duplicating machine on the recommendation of Mrs. Edward Bonieski, project chairman. It is expected that the machine will be delivered shortly.

Mrs. M. John Buchler was in charge of an entertainment program before the business meeting. An accordion duet by Donald Selover and William Masterson, Jr., was followed by a film, "Island Oddities" shown through a courtesy of the Esso Standard Oil Co.

Joseph DelVecchio, president, called for a number of committee reports. Mrs. C. Baranowski stated that the paid-up membership for the current year stands at 398. Reporting on the recent holiday bazaar, Mrs. Paul Grant announced that approximately \$70 was earned for the organization.

The attendance awards went to the 7th grade class of Mr. Rose, and Mrs. K. Stafford won the dark horse prize. Refreshments were served by the 4th grade mothers.

The Lt. Howard D. Littell, V.F.W. Post 5184 held their regular meeting at the Robert E. Lee Hotel with Commander Frank Devlin presiding. Albert Dvorak, chairman of the Social Committee announced that the organization's first social will be held Feb. 9 at the Robert E. Lee. Tickets will be on sale at the door, but meanwhile tickets can be obtained from members of the Social committee which consists of: Bill Karmarian, James Dabrow, John Murphy, Joseph Marzullo, Wm. Thompson.

Five new members were received into the organization. Mrs. Irene Lockwood was elected president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Morgan Hose and Chemical Company at the last meeting held at the Morgan firehouse. She succeeds Mrs. Grace Lockwood.

Also elected were Mrs. Wilma Zullin, vice president; Mm. Janice Sprague, secretary; Mrs. Florence MacDonald, financial secretary; Mrs. Dorothy Selvey, treasurer; Mrs. Jane Buchanan, Mrs. Anne Sleet and Mrs. Alice Brown, trustees.

Names as committee chairmen were, Mrs. Isabelle Geraghty, welfare; Mrs. Anne Brown, publicity, and Mrs. Peggy Taylor, auditing.

The Bayview Lions Club held their regular dinner meeting last evening at a joint meeting with the Sayreville Lions Club, a special program was presented by Neil Johnson.

Mrs. Teresa Wirt, chairman of the Youth Guidance Committee of the Morgan and Bayview Manor Improvement Assn. announced that the Youth Canteen held last Friday evening was a great success with the following winning the Waltz Contest: William Kehoe and Elaine Arboreen, Larry Ivey and Harriet Peck; the Jitterbug contest was won by: Clark Trautweller and Candy Passeretti, Carla Poulson and Danny Henderson. Judges were Mrs. George West, Mrs. E. Diehl, Miss Marion Parkins, Mrs. Madeline Parkins and Mrs. Modesta Bratty. The additional chairpersons were Harold Mertons, H. John Buchler and Mrs. Helen McCracken.

South Amboy First National Bank Officials Attend Branch Opening



Officials of the First National Bank of South Amboy, attended the ceremonies at the opening of the branch bank in Sayre Woods Shopping Center on Highway No. 8, near Ermenton Road. Pictured from left to right are: Alfred Schussler, John E. Mullane, O. W. Welsh, Irving Perry, Frank Kurawa, Mrs. Edna Chase, Ernest Scharf, Harry Perrine, Melvin Sufan, and Rosario Chulilli.



State Assemblyman William Kurtz is shown selecting the bond winning numbers from box held by Bank Director, Mrs. Edna Chase.



Shown in above photo, from left to right are: Irving Perry, Manager; Miss Shirley Jones, winner of \$50 bond; Mr. A. Truchan, winner of \$100 bond; Mrs. Edna Chase, Director; and Mr. Pulvermuller, winner of \$25 bond.

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Ryan to Campaign for Board of Education Post in Sayreville

Dennis Ryan, independent candidate for the Board of Education, announced a meeting of the Committee for the Election of Dennis Ryan, Edward McGinness, 25 Pinetree Drive, and John Morrissey, 8 Elm Terrace were appointed so-called campaign managers.

Mr. Ryan stated: "I am pleased with the appointment of Mr. McGinness and Mr. Morrissey. We pledge ourselves to an honest and clean campaign, where issues will be discussed and not personalities, the individual, or the class of some. We denounce the innuendo, the whisper, the underhand. We will not be a part of such a campaign."

"We intend to talk about issues, and with purpose. For in the final analysis our children are the issue. What we do will either hurt or better them. It is our desire to help, and we want them to be proud of us."

Mr. Ryan is the only announced candidate so far to have filed his petition.

After eighty-six years of official use of "trade-mark," the Patent Office announced it was dropping the hyphen.

VIEWS and INTERVIEWS . . .

By Frank Del-Witt



Joseph Ziembka

Councilman Joseph F. Ziembka of the Sayreville Boro. is also a teacher in the Sayreville Public School System. A native of the community, he attended Grammar School, South River High School, Assumption College in Windsor, Ontario, and St. Mary's in Michigan.

Ziembka enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps, during the war, and experienced active service for two years, and one of his stations was in Iwo Jima.

After the war, there was one more year of college in the Seton Hall in South Orange. He has a Bachelor of Science Degree acquired in 1948. The subjects entailed majoring in Social Studies and English.

A tremendous amount of understanding was garnered by

his assignments with the State Board of Child Welfare. He was an investigator and supervisor of juvenile delinquency. Later on he undertook duties as a State and probate County Counselor for boys and girls on parole. This led to a higher position wherein he also handled advanced adults for the State Parole Division. Some of the work was up-state, until 1950, when his cases were concentrated to Middlesex County.

Ziembka joined the Sayreville Public School System in 1952, and at one time, also acted as an Attendance Officer.

The Ziembka family includes the wife, formerly, Josephine Brudecki, and two daughters, Karen and Ellen.

The Councilman is a Past Commander of the Sayreville Veterans Post; a Past Commandant of the Marine League in New Brunswick; a chairman of the Youth Guidance Council, and a member of probably all the teachers associations. The same may be mentioned about his party political affiliations.

Ziembka is sincerely dedicated to politics and rates it as a something he enjoys at all times. His hobby may be explained by a contention that the welfare of the younger element is the responsibility of every one in public office. Recreational conditions should be advanced with the times. Ziembka seems highly qualified for his aspirations in politics and teaching which inspires the feeling that the right young men are finding the appropriate places for themselves.

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9:30 a. m. Church School classes for all ages in a Bible-centered curriculum. Free bus service to all villages and parks.

11 a. m. Morning Prayer with music by the senior choir and sermon by the pastor. Installation of the Girls' Friendly Society. A nursery is provided in the parish hall.

7:30 p. m. Meeting of the Young People's Fellowship.

Monday, Jan. 28th:

8 p. m. "Tricky Tray" sponsored by the Girls' Friendly Society; Mrs. William Kurtz, Sr., leader.

Wednesday, Jan. 30th:

10 a. m. Celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

10:30 a. m. Cantor Dressing Unit of the Women's Auxiliary will meet in the parish hall.

8 p. m. Annual meeting of the Parish Council to plan the activities and their dates during the year. The Vestry and executive officers of all guilds, units and organizations are expected to be present.

7:30 p. m. St. Vincent's Guild of Acolytes will plan annual bus trip to New York.

Thursday, Jan. 31st:

9 a. m. The Kitchen Kanaries will bake bread in the parish hall.

6:30 p. m. Junior choir rehearsal.

8 p. m. Senior choir rehearsal.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
South Amboy, N. J.

Rev. Wilbur Swanson, Pastor

Bible School at 9:45.

Preaching by Pastor Wilbur Swanson at 11, "Church Unity."

Young people meet at 6:15.

Evening gospel at 7. Song service by Louis Dill and message by the Pastor on "Samaritan."

Chair practice Monday at 7:30. Boy Scouts at the same hour.

Tuesday, Junior young people meet at 7:30, leader Timothy Peterson.

Wednesday, Fellowship at 7:30, on the book of Joel.

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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The Rev. David Mayskens, Pastor

Saturday night, Junior-Hi fellowship is holding a swimming party in the pool of the YMCA in Perth Amboy. The event is open for all 7th and 8th graders. The group will leave from Church at 7 p. m.

On Sunday morning, both the 9:30 and 11:00 service will be led by the Senior-Hi Westminster Fellowship. It will be the beginning of the celebration of Youth Week in the Church. Three young people, Robert Griswell, Norma Agan, and Beverly Reilly, will give the sermon on the topic "Consider Your Call." Other members of the Senior-Hi fellowship will leave at 3 p. m. for a rally to be held in Freshhold. Plenty of room will be provided for all who wish to attend the rally.

The other Sunday events include Sunday School at 9:30, same time as first service. Two buses are provided for transportation. The Junior-Hi fellowship meet at 7 p. m. for weekly program.

The events during the week include young peoples' communicants class on Wednesday at 3:30 and Junior Choir at 6:00 p. m. Senior Choir practice on Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
South Amboy, N. J.

Rev. George E. Ogden, Minister

Sunday:

9:45 a. m. Church School in charge of A. Donald Swanson. Attendance plans will be awarded to those with perfect attendance for the year. This will be World Service Sunday, with a special missionary program.

11 a. m. Divine Worship. The pastor has chosen "A Christian's Responsibility to His Church." There will be special selections by both Junior and Senior Choir. A Junior Sermon for the boys and girls. There is a nursery for the little folks.

7:30 p. m. Twilight Vespers. Pastor will continue sermon on Old Testament Characters. He has chosen the subject: "A Good Man's Hall."

Tuesday:

8 p. m. The Men's Club meet in the social room. This is an important meeting and members are urged to be present.

Wednesday:

8 p. m. Official Board meeting in the chapel. We are desirous of a full attendance of the board to transact the business of the church.

Friday:

8 p. m. The Mid-winter Dollar Ball will be held with a special program rendered by the Friendship Circle Bible class, to be held in the chapel.

Following the program, refreshments and a social time will be in charge of the Dependable Bible Class. These programs are always interesting. Let there be a good attendance!