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Price Three Cents.

SPLENDID RED CROSS PARADE

Hundreds of Women and Girls in Line—Company F, Boy Scouts, and Militia Reserve from Perth Amboy Add To Its Grandeur—Music by Third Battalion Band.

As a very fitting opening of the Red Cross Drive for one hundred million dollars and this city's share of ten thousand dollars, the parade held last Sunday afternoon was one of the largest of its kind ever held in this vicinity. The parade was followed by an open air meeting which was addressed by four prominent speakers.

The parade which formed in the vicinity of John street and Stevens avenue was, without doubt, the feature of the afternoon. The place of honor in the parade was given to the women who have relatives serving with the colors. These ladies all carried service flags which told their own story. Next in line came the members of the Red Cross of the local chapter in their service uniforms, followed by the members of the Junior Red Cross, which was recently organized, in charge of Miss Ida Lucas.

The next division was the military division. In it marched the members of the Home Defense League of Perth Amboy. There were four companies of these men in line in charge of Major Anticelli. Company F of this city also was in this division in charge of Lieutenant E. C. Roddy.

The next division was that of the fraternal organizations. Joel Parker Council No. 69 Jr. O. U. A. M. with their uniformed guard and Seneca Tribe No. 23 I. O. O. F. M. in their Indian dress were the feature organizations of this division. The four troops of Boy Scouts were in line also.

The line of march was through the main streets of the city. From John street the paraders headed across Stevens avenue to Main street, down Main street to Broadway, across Broadway to Bordentown avenue and then counter marching to John street where the parade disbanded in front of the City Hall.

The meeting was immediately called to order by J. D. Van Pelt, who announced the purpose of the meeting. He stated that similar meetings were being held in every city all over the United States during the afternoon with the same purpose in view. He said that South Amboy was out to get her quota of ten thousand dollars and get it we would. He displayed an honor roll, on which the names will be placed of all who subscribe at least one day's pay to the Red Cross. This will be made a permanent record and one that can be referred to in later years with pride. He then introduced the first speaker of the afternoon, Senator Ackerson of Monmouth County.

The subject of Senator Ackerson's remarks was "Service." He said that the destiny of man is guided by three kinds of service. First, the service to ourselves and family, which is a selfish although necessary service; service to our fellowmen and country, which is a patriotic service; and service to our God which is a religious duty.

He said we have not thought much of the second-class service, but mainly of the first, in that we are laying up for ourselves treasures and striving hard to make a name for ourselves. He declared that the time for patriotic service has come now, and a greater patriotic duty lay before us than the mere purchasing of Liberty Bonds and other like government investments. He declared that America has been accused of being a money nation, "let us up and show that this moneyed nation can give her all for the Red Cross, can sacrifice anything for democracy." He drew a picture of a quiet fireside fifty years hence, when the children shall bring home history books with the story of the big war, and shall ask "What did you do in the war father?" "Will this be a pleasant memory for the slacker?" he asked. "I give, but how much have I got," declared that the Red Cross was the Kaiser's Iron Cross. The speaker concluded his remarks by (Continued on Page Four.)

Liberty Loan From This City Is Appreciated

The following letter received by John A. Coan, chairman of local Third Liberty Loan committee, will explain itself:

New York, May 18, 1918.
John A. Coan, Esq., Chairman,
Middlesex County,
South Amboy, N. J.

Dear Sir—The final figures of subscriptions to the Third Liberty Loan are now made up and I believe the results in the Northern New Jersey District will be of interest to you. They make a record of which we may justly be proud. I enclose the Honor Roll as given me by the Honor Flag Division of all the communities which earned the Honor Flag, and also a list of all the banking towns in the District, showing the percentage of subscriptions to quotas. You will note that the District as a whole exceeded its quota by 59.7%, that every county exceeded its quota—and finally that every banking town also exceeded its allotment.

This shows a great improvement over the last loan, when only six counties out of the twelve reached their quotas and only sixty-one out of the one hundred and ten banking towns went "over the top." Seventy towns not only improved their record of the last loan on a percentage basis but also exceeded their subscriptions in the actual amounts.

Before we close the chapter of the Third Liberty Loan, I desire to express to you, and through you to your Committee, my most sincere thanks for your wholehearted support and co-operation in this great undertaking. Your unremitting effort and that of your co-workers are evidenced by the results, and without it the loan could not have obtained the success it has.

With my sincere appreciation and congratulations, believe me,
Faithfully yours,
G. H. Kinnicutt,
Chairman.

G. A. R. TO VISIT CHEESECAKE TUESDAY

Gen. Wm. S. Truex Post No. 57, G. A. R., will visit Cheesecake on Tuesday next and decorate the graves of soldiers in the cemetery there. They will leave Post room at 1.30. At Cheesecake they will assemble in the M. E. Church, where they will be addressed by Rev. Mr. Hill of Cliffwood.

MRS. ELIZABETH MILLER.

Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, wife of Stephen H. Miller, passed away at her home on Henry street on Saturday, May 18, after several weeks illness at the age of 50 years and 6 months.

Mrs. Miller was held in high esteem by a large circle of friends, and was a member of Isthmian Council No. 6, D. of P. Besides a husband she is survived by two sons and two daughters, viz.: Mrs. Erich Heine of South River, Mrs. Ferman Stratton of this city; Otto H. Miller who is with the U. S. army at Springfield, Mass., and Stephen Henry Miller, Jr., who is serving the U. S. somewhere in France.

The funeral was held from her late home at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, the Rev. C. S. Lewis conducting the service. Interment was made in Christ Church cemetery.

SPECIAL NOTICE

It is requested that all contributions to the Citizen be sent in a day earlier than usual next week on account Thursday being a holiday. Advertisers will also confer a favor if copy for ads is sent in by Wednesday morning. Please remember this request, so that our employees may enjoy the holiday.

NOTICE.

First—Manufacturers who have in the past years secured car loads of anthracite of domestic sizes to supply their employees must first secure a permit to do so from the Anthracite Committee, 437 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Second—Householders who have in former years or desire now to secure car load lots for their homes, or groups of these who wish to do so, must first apply for and receive a permit from the State Fuel Administrator and must submit signed card with statement of needs, coal on hand, etc.

Above notice is in accordance with letter received from State Fuel Administrator Richard C. Jenkinson, dated May 21st, 1918.

ALFRED T. KERR,
Local Fuel Administrator.

FOR HIRE—Closed, comfortable Limousine for all occasions. Apply to V. J. Abbatiello, 116 South Stevens avenue. Tel. 262.

The Spirit of His Fathers



He
Will Be
Ready
to
Take Up
Old Glory
When
His Turn
Comes

RED CROSS WAR FUND GROWING

Team Captains Working Hard to Reach City's Quota of \$10,000—A Number of Merchants Have Promised 10% of Gross Sales To-Day—Fund Now Over \$7,000

With three more days in which to work, South Amboy is practically sure of its quota of ten thousand dollars for the second Red Cross War Fund. Late Thursday night the reports showed nearly seven thousand five hundred dollars turned in.

The different team captains have built up an organization that is a credit to any city in the state. Starting early Monday morning the first day's receipts amounted to over four thousand dollars. An effort has been made to reach every person in this city through the house to house canvass.

A big return is expected from the industries in this vicinity. The slogan of "A day's pay for the Red Cross" has been adopted and will result in many dollars for the local chapter.

To-day (Saturday) several of the local stores will give ten per cent. of their receipts to the Red Cross War Fund. A special effort should be made to patronize these merchants, as every dollar spent means that much more for the Red Cross. On Monday evening the management of the Empire Theatre will give twenty-five per cent. of their receipts to the fund. A splendid picture has been engaged for this night, and one that will be very appropriate for the occasion.

Every night during the past week speakers have been at the performances at the Empire Theatre to address the audiences on the necessity of subscribing.

FIRST AND SECOND DEGREES.

On Friday, June 31, the First and Second degrees will be conferred on a large class of candidates at the K. of C. Club on Augusta street, at 8 o'clock.

On Saturday evening, June 1st, at 8 o'clock the Major degree will be conferred on a large class at St. Mary's Hall, Augusta street.

Help the Red Cross.

Some Contributors To Red Cross War Fund

The Red Cross War Fund is progressing nicely, and many very liberal contributions have been received. While the entire list has not been compiled as yet, we present a few names below:

Hon. Thomas J. Scully.....\$2500 00
Harry C. Perrine.....1000 00
First National Bank.....200 00
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Safran 125 00
Thomas M. Fitzmorris.....100 00
St. Stephen's Lodge No. 63
F. & A. M.75 00
James D. Van Pelt50 00
George Gundrum50 00
Thomas A. Cantion50 00

The following \$25.00 each—D. W. Reed, R. M. Kerr, E. C. Roddy, Dr. E. H. Eulner, Michael Welsh.

The following \$20.00 each—W. C. Morrow, Daniel Donlin.
The following \$15.00 each—R. C. Stephenson, John A. Coan, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stratton.

The following \$10.00 each—T. Filakov, A. J. Miller, Mrs. A. J. Miller, C. H. Mulheide, I. B. Mervine, James W. Rea, B. S. Wynn, Louis J. Neher, Kohn, M. B. Fitzpatrick, John Scully, G. H. Worthing, J. J. Scully, Mrs. D. W. Reed, Dr. David Stern, Mrs. Margaret Gallagher, Mr. Edward Gallagher, Samuel Newton, C. R. Stults, Wm. P. Nichols, H. J. Berrien, P. F. Grover, Cornelius McGonigle, George Mortenson, F. M. Littell, Mrs. George Gundrum.

The following \$8.15 each—C. Jacklinaki.
The following \$8.00 each—W. A. Chapman, P. W. Frather, Elinor P. Wilson.

The following \$7.50 each—Irving Bartow.
The following \$7.00 each—Rev. C. S. Lewis.

The following \$6.00 each—Wm. Munn, Mrs. James English, E. B. Eastwick.

Mr. Thomas M. Fitzmorris in making his donation of \$100 remarked that he had made every effort to get into the service but failed, and therefore he would make this donation to help the boys who were fighting for him. This is the spirit! He has also signed up in addition for two days' pay.

NOTICE TO ODD FELLOWS.

The second and third degrees will be conferred on nine candidates in lodge room of General Morgan Lodge No. 96, I. O. O. F., K. of P. Hall, on Tuesday, May 28, at 8 p. m. The work will be done by the degree team of Lawrence Lodge of Perth Amboy. Several of the grand officers from Trenton will be present and a most pleasant evening is looked forward to. All members of Gen. Morgan Lodge are urgently requested to be present in order to make as good a showing as possible.

Advertise in the Citizen.

Seventeen More of Our Boys Called to Service

Next Tuesday seventeen more young men from this city will leave for Camp Dix, where they will receive instruction in fighting for Uncle Sam.

The draft board for this district has named a list of forty-eight men from which the forty-one who are to go to Camp Dix on May 28 are to be chosen.

A further order received by the board calls for five alternates who will be assigned to Fort Slocum after the consignment is sent to Camp Dix. The five will be picked from the following: Frank Yorosky of Perth Amboy; William F. Eberle and Tony Sadowskie of Sayreville; James M. Callahan of South Amboy; Richard Roberts of Portland, Conn.; Gregory Witkowski and George Elsmann of New York City.

The list from which the men are to be chosen for May 28:

South Amboy—Walter Zibo, Matthew Sinbine, Kotesch Molesch, Thomas Del Percio, John J. Kenney, Michael L. Del Percio, George A. Andrejce, Edward H. Lill, Matthew Joseph Reilly, Kostanty Kiskence, John Robert Seagrave, George Joseph Hart, Milton L. Stults, Henry William Thomas, Leroy Jerome Bergen, George Krutzel.

Old Bridge—John Steigerwald.

New York City—James Farley.

Helmetts—Frank Maslunka, William D. Klenzil.

Kittery, Me.—Arthur Lattau.

Prospect Plains, N. Y.—Chas. Larwick.

Spotswood—William A. Meyers, Sanford C. Anson, Michael Francis Shaw.

Parlin—Jafes Del Peepel, Guippe Luina, Joseph Micklunas.

Sayreville—Chas. Raymond Posey, William B. Rohde, Frank R. Kawatt.

Joseph Janocha, Joseph Jablinski, John Byskiskie, John Donels, Joseph Kuntis.

Yonkers, N. Y.—James F. Lowth.

Jamesburg—William A. Diepietro, John Harasnowski, Fadale Sabbatino, Peter Luparato.

MAY DAY PROGRAM AND PATRIOTIC EXERCISES OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The pupils of Public Schools Nos. 1 and 2 will hold their first annual May Day at Stevensdale, two o'clock p. m., Wednesday, May 29. In connection with this, exercises suitable to the commemoration of Memorial Day will be included in the program. Every pupil attending the Public Schools will participate in the program, so, of course, all the pupils are anxious to have their parents and friends present. The various numbers on the program will represent fairly well the work done in Physical Training under the direction of the Supervisor, Miss Rae Booth Shaughnessy.

The following will give an idea of the nature of the entertainment:

1. Introduction
Grand March
America
Salute the Flag
Patriotic Songs
Decorative Day Address by Edwin Simenson.
2. Drill by the High School Girls
3. Grades—
1st Looby Loo.....Miss Mack
1st Clap Clap Bow.....Miss Bogart
1st Sea-Saw.....Miss Applegate
Boat Song
5th Obstacle Relay.....Miss Emmons
2nd Lads and Lassies.....Miss Coker
4th Indian File Relay.....
Misses James and Spangenberg
2nd Fly Little Bird.....Mrs. Gordon
3rd Lasso.....Miss Watson
5th Yoke Three Deep.....Miss Buchanan
3rd Carrousel.....Miss McNeal
4th Shuttle Relay.....Miss Gallagher
6th Poison Snake.....Miss Agan
6th Right Face.....Miss Brown
Cat and Mouse
5-6 I See You.....Miss Campbell
8-A Snatch the Handkerchief
8-A All Up Relay
7 A-B Pass Ball Relay
4. Drill by the High School Boys
5. Field Events for:
Boys of Grades 7th-8th and High School
Dash
Running Broad Jump
Running High Jump
Basket Ball Throw

Directed by Mr. Krause and Mr. Dawson on Lower Stevensdale. Should the weather prove unfavorable on the 29th, the program will be given on Friday, May 31.

"Kaiser, The Beast of Berlin" is the great show at Empire Theatre, Wednesday night. This is a wonderful photo play, interesting in every part.

CONTRACTS NOT AWARDED

Board of Education Holds Bids on New School Over Until Next Wednesday—Teachers Apply for Renewal of Contracts—Report of Supt. of Schools O. O. Barr.

The past week has been a busy one for the Board of Education. On Monday evening they held a special meeting when bids were received for the building of the new school house. Several bids were received both for the general contract and for the sub-contracts. Although the bids were somewhat higher than the Board desired they were not altogether disappointed and are confident that a school can be built for the money appropriated. At this meeting all bids were received and referred to the Board as a whole and the architect for tabulation.

The regular monthly meeting was held on Wednesday evening. It was hoped that at this meeting they would be in a position to award the contracts, but a communication was received from the sub-committee on Capitalization requesting the Board to consider and not to build under the present war conditions. A motion was offered that the board not award the contracts until next Wednesday evening and in the meantime they get in touch with this committee and explain the necessity for the new building. Another motion was offered that all bids except the lowest of the general contract, electric, and heating be returned and that the two lowest for plumbing be retained.

Applications for renewal of contracts were received from the following teachers: Kathryn Cleary, Antoinette Gordon, Beulah F. Shiels, H. F. Krause, Warren Johnson, Myrtle Spangenberg, Ray B. Shaughnessy, Suzanne Yearick, Martha Phillips. Mr. Rue offered a motion that was adopted that the secretary together with Mr. Barr prepare contracts for the renewals of these teachers to cover the period of one year.

The following applications for positions were received and referred to the teachers' committee, the secretary being instructed to acknowledge receipt: Gladys Johnson, Kathryn C. Logan, Ester V. Welderstrom, Sarah E. Lewis.

A communication was received signed by all the teachers in the local schools, thanking the board for the attention given to the petition presented at a recent meeting. Upon a motion by Mr. Rue the communication was received and filed.

A communication from A. C. Roe & Son soliciting the work of inspecting the fire apparatus of the schools was received and ordered filed.

The New York Telephone Company notified the board that they had renewed the contract for the ensuing year. Upon a motion the communication was received and placed on file.

Commissioner of Education Kendall wrote concerning the use of cooking rooms in teaching of the conservation of food. He urged that every community having such rooms should use them to the best of their advantage. Mr. Barr suggested that the communication be referred to the Women's Club, and Mr. Delaney made a motion to that effect which was adopted.

The following bills were ordered paid:

J. A. Johnson.....	\$2 65
Manual Training.....	7 43
N. Y. Telephone Co.....	23 20
Reed Co.....	5 60
P. S. Gas Co.....	3 01
Monmouth Lighting Co.....	2 20
Educational Music Bureau.....	4 98
Secretary's supplies.....	6 50
Thomas Lovely.....	20 50
S. A. Printing Co.....	28 29
Florence Hayes.....	1 25
Kathryn Nichols.....	3 75
O. O. Barr.....	5 98

This was the meeting at which bids were to be received for supplying next year's coal. The secretary stated that no bids were received. The report of Supt. O. O. Barr was received and filed. The following is taken from Mr. Barr's report:

The record of attendance for the month of May was as follows:

SATURDAY, MAY 25, 1918.

STREET REGULATIONS THAT SHOULD BE NEEDED

There is a new ruling promulgated by Internal Revenue Collector Duffy, proprietors of dance halls, picnic grounds, etc., are compelled to file with Deputy Revenue Collector James Curran, of this district, a notice at least 48 hours in advance of any proposed dance or entertainment to be held in said hall or picnic grounds to which admission is charged. The new order has become effective, and Deputy Collector Curran has sent notices to several of the owners of the large halls in this district, informing them as to the new order.

Church societies, lodges, etc., are also affected by the new order of Collector Duffy. Heretofore if an entertainment was held for some public benefit, no permission was sought, neither was any war tax paid, but under the new order every lodge, church society or the like which holds entertainments and charge admission, whether they be for charity or not, must first file a notice at the office of Deputy Internal Revenue Collector Curran.

If an entertainment is to be given for the Red Cross or some other war purpose, an application must be filed for war tax exemption. If in the event this application is not filed within 48 hours of the time the event is to be held, the person or persons holding this benefit can be held liable for the amount of war taxes that would have accrued therefrom.

There is a penalty attached for the disobedience of this order ranging from \$85 to \$100 fine. Deputy Revenue Collector Curran stated that the order will be enforced in this district to the limit and offenders will be severely dealt with.

Application blanks will be supplied at the Internal Revenue Office by Deputy Collector Curran. When a hall is hired for an entertainment for which admission is charged, and a war tax collected Form 754 is to be used.

When a hall, picnic grounds, etc., is hired and admission charged, but exemption from war tax is claimed on the ground that it is for religious, charitable or educational purposes, Form 755 is to be used. This form must be sworn to and returned to the collector within 48 hours. An affidavit must be sworn to by the person or association claiming exemption.

SPRING MEETING OF

AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION

The Spring Meeting of the Associated Automobile Clubs of New Jersey will be held at the Holmhurst, Atlantic City, on Saturday, May 25, 1918, at 2.30 in the afternoon. Falling on Saturday, it makes a fine opportunity to open the touring season with a week-end trip to this famous resort.

As the annual meeting of the American Automobile Association, the national body, will be held at Atlantic City the day before, there will be an attendance of notables in motordom from all parts of the country, many of whom will attend the meeting of the New Jersey State body. In fact the New Jersey meeting will be an unusual one in this respect, as it is unlikely that New Jersey will get the annual meeting of the national association very soon again.

For this reason it is urged that the clubs send large delegations to do honor to New Jersey's visitors and to make a good showing for New Jersey.

A special invitation is extended to the New Jersey Automobile Trade Association and to the Motor Truck Club of New Jersey to participate and co-operate in making the meeting a success.

There will be the usual routine business, cut as short as possible, and a large number of addresses and discussion of matters of importance to motorists in their connection with the Country at War. Road building as a war measure, the removal of state restrictions, the adoption of reciprocity, and other matters related to transportation, that war essential only next to men and munitions in importance, will receive due attention.

Unless you are a delegate to the meeting or wish to accompany it, it is suggested that you arrive at the Hotel Holmhurst for luncheon; be held at 2.30; it dine informally to take in the Board evening. A leisurely made of the as the at the Avenue.

10% OF OUR GROSS SALES on Saturday, May 25th WILL BE GIVEN TO THE RED CROSS WAR FUND

EDWARD MULLEN
LUKE LENAHAN
M. KAUFMAN
MRS. LOWNDES
DOMINICO SORRENTINO
LEO CREDICO
KORRA'S CAFE
JOHN LUCITT
ERNEST ZINKHAM
CENTRAL RESTAURANT
THE JERSEY LUNCH
MRS. DORA GINTER
A. COHEN
FRED BUNTING
L. ROSENTHAL
M. MCCARTHY
AUGUST BLUM
SAMUEL MEDINETTS

TONY NICORVO
SAMUEL GOLD
ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO.
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E. J. O'CONNOR
GOTTFREDSEN BROS. BAKERY
CHRIS NICORVO
BARICH'S BARBER SHOP.
CLINTON M. DEATS
HARVEY MacDOWELL
BRIGGS' GARAGE
BENJ. STRASSER
VINCENT KOZLOWSKI
C. W. FOX
T. J. SULLIVAN
THOMAS VAIL

H. BERNSTEIN
C. KELLY (Donation)
C. I. BERGEN (Donation)
J. J. SCULLY (Donation)
MRS. A. NATCHIN
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H. GREEN
GOTTLIEB STRAUB (Donation)
I. KAPLAN
J. REINER
H. KOLLISCH
J. F. BRADY (Donation)
STRAUB BROS.
J. ALFRED JOHNSON
BROWN BROS.
C. TIMMINS
M. BORAK
MARY L. O'CONNOR

GREENSPAN & CO.
P. F. KENAH
H. WOLFF & CO.
J. C. ALBRIGHT ESTATE
BOSTON SHOE STORE
WM. J. SULLIVAN
WYCKOFF & RUE (Donation)
E. S. MASON & SON
L. E. TICE
D. W. BUNTING, SR.
M. WELSH
MISS HEATH'S RESTAURANT
FRED MILLER
A. T. KERR
ALBERT JEROME
J. L. BUNDESEN
RICHARD McCLOUD (Donation)
JOHN SUTLIFF, SR.

This space donated to The Red Cross by The South Amboy Citizen.

RED CROSS NOTES.

The following instructions have been given for knitting socks for medium sized men:

4 Red Cross needles No. 1, 1 1/2 hanks of yarn (3 1/2 lb.).

Set up 60 stitches, 20 on each of three needles. Knit 2 plain and 2 purl for 35 rows (4 1/2 inches). 36th row knit 4 plain stitches, knit 2 together; repeat this until the round is completed. There are now 50 stitches on the needles. Knit 50 rows plain until leg measures 11 inches. (6 1/2 inches of plain knitting.) Take half the number of stitches (25) on first needle for the heel (leaving 12 and 13 stitches on the second and third needles for the instep), and on the 25 stitches knit 1 row, purl 1 row alternately for 26 times (or 3 inches), always slipping the first stitch. Begin to turn heel on the wrong side, slip 1, purl 13, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn work over; slip 1, knit 4, slip 1, knit 1, and pass it over slipped stitch, knit 1. Turn, slip 1, purl 3, 2 together, purl 1. Turn, slip 1, knit 6, slip 1, knit 1, and pass it over slipped stitch, knit 1. Continue working toward the sides of the heel in this manner, leaving 1 more stitch between decreases on every row until all the stitches are worked in. There should then be 15 stitches on the needle. Pick up 13 stitches on side of heel; now knit the 25 stitches on 2d and 3d needles on to one needle, which becomes your 3d needle; with your 3d needle pick up the 13 stitches on other side of heel, and knit 7 stitches off your 1st needle so that you will now have 31 stitches on the 1st needle, 25 stitches on 3d needle, 1st needle (a) knit to within 3 stitches of end, knit 2 together, knit 1. 2d needle (b) knit plain. 3d needle (c) knit 1, slip 1, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over, knit plain to end of needle. Knit around plain (d).

Repeat a, b, c and d until you have 13 stitches on 1st needle 25 stitches on 2d, 12 stitches on 3d. Knit plain for 4 1/2 inches. 1st needle (e) knit 10 stitches—knit 2 together, knit 1. 2nd needle (f) knit 1, slip 1, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over, knit 19 stitches. Knit 2 together, knit 1. 3d needle (g) knit, slip 1, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over, knit 9 stitches, knit 3 rows plain (h).

Repeat e, f, g and h 5 times, then narrow every other row until you have 5 stitches on your 1st needle, 9 stitches on your 2nd needle and 4 stitches on your 3d needle. Knit the 5 stitches on your 1st needle on to your 3d. Your work is now all on 2 needles opposite each other. Break off yarn leaving 12 inch end. Thread into worsted needle and proceed to weave the front and back together as follows:

Pass worsted needle through 1st stitch of front knitting needle as if knitting and slip stitch off—pass through 2d stitch as if purling leave stitch on, pull thread through 1st stitch of back needle. Purling, slip stitch off, purl 1 through 2d of back.

ting, leave stitch on. Repeat from until all the stitches are off the needle.

Sock when finished should measure: Foot, from tip of heel to tip of toe, 11 inches. Leg, from tip of heel to tip of leg, 14 inches.

TWELVE GRADUATE NURSES.

The annual graduating exercises of the School of Nursing of the Monmouth Memorial Hospital were held at the Intermedial School Auditorium, in Morris Avenue, Long Branch, on Thursday, May 23, at 8 o'clock. The graduates were addressed by Sheriff Elmer H. Geran followed by a dance at the Nurses' Home.

The following young ladies comprise the class of 1918: Lucy Allen Chamberlain, Myrtle Gant, Caroline Isabelle Boger, Norma Mildred Peterson, Marguerite Hampton Hendrickson, Mary Veronica Williams, Ida Marion Stafford, Mabel Alleen Yates, Elsie Genevieve Porter, Lillian Conover, Helen May Runyon.

The Class of 1918 is the largest in the history of the school, the next nearest, eleven, being the 1917 Class. The total number of graduates, including this year's class, is 161.

When Hannibal's army was encamped in front of Rome the citizens of the Eternal City held an auction—the earliest sale of real estate by that method on record—and showed patriotic confidence in the future of their country by bidding high prices for the ground occupied by the Carthaginian cohorts. The same undaunted spirit prevails in France today. Absolutely confident of driving the Germans from their soil, the people of that indomitable nation are now beginning the gigantic task of restoring the wrecks made by war and preparing for the various exigencies by which they will be confronted when peace is declared. The old proverb, "In time of peace prepare for war," is reversed, and the French, in time of war are preparing for peace.

There isn't much love in a sensible love letter.

LOWEST PRICES
MAZDA LAMPS
JAMES DOLAN
TELEPHONES 131
290-M

808 Henry St., South Amboy

HIGH CLASS DINERS EAT COTTAGE CHEESE

Entire Luncheon Served to State and Municipal Executives.

Cottage cheese is becoming popularized as a result of the campaign for food conservation. This product of the farm is making its way into such company as the executives of states and of municipalities, and the Rotary Club has taken it up. It has been served in a prominent Massachusetts hotel, not as a side dish, but as an entire meal. The menu of the cottage cheese luncheon served by the Department of Agriculture at the opening of the cottage cheese educational campaign was repeated by the Rotary Club of Springfield, Mass., in the Hotel Worthy of that city. The guests included the Lieutenant Governor, the Mayor of Springfield and representatives from the Massachusetts Agricultural College. All ate and pronounced the meal a good one.

The menu was as follows:
Cream of Cottage Cheese Soup.
Cottage Cheese Sausage.
Creamed Potatoes.
Cottage Cheese Salad.
Cottage Cheese Trifle.
Whey Honey.
Mints.
And here are ways of making the dishes:

Cream of Cottage Cheese Soup.
(One large serving.)
1 cup milk 1-3 teaspoon salt
1/4 tablespoon butter Dash of pepper
1/4 tablespoon thick- 1/4 cup cheese
ening

Use the above ingredients (except the cheese) to make a thin, white sauce. Cook thoroughly and cool slightly before adding the cheese. Neutralize acid of the cheese with soda, allowing one-quarter to one-half teaspoon of soda to one cup of cheese. Dissolve soda in a little milk and blend with cheese. Then stir the warm sauce gradually into the cheese until well blended. Reheat carefully, using as seasoning a slice of onion, a small slice of the yellow of the lemon rind and a blade of mace or a little nutmeg. Avoid boiling the sauce after cheese is added.


Whey Honey.
1 cup whey 1/4 cup corn syrup
Mix whey and syrup and boil the mixture till it is of the consistency of strained honey. This syrup will keep indefinitely if properly bottled and is delicious for spreading on waffles or pancakes. Used a little thinner, it makes an excellent pudding sauce. Since it requires no thickening, it is the easiest possible sauce to make.

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SATURDAY, MAY 25, 1918.



The road from Stevens avenue at
Bordentown avenue to the brick pave-
ment on the Morgan road is danger-
ous to travel, and it is miraculous
that no serious accident has not hap-
pened before this. From Stevens
avenue to Pine, and the stretch along
Christ Church cemetery is abominable
and a disgrace to the city. As this
is a county road the Board of Free-
holders should not wait another day
for the trolley companies to repair
their road beds, but should have it
repaired and compel the respective
companies to pay for the cost of the
work. Delays are dangerous, and this
roadway cannot be repaired too soon.

A number of business men in this
city have promised to give ten per-
cent. of their gross sales this Satur-
day to the Red Cross War Fund. Their
names will be found in an
adv. on another page. This is a
splendid obligation on their part, and
will help materially to reach the
city's quota. Why not buy all your
needs at home this day and make
South Amboy go "over the top."

RED CROSS NOTES.

Last year the Perth Amboy Chapter
complained very bitterly because some
women from the South Amboy Red
Cross Chapter had been collecting
money in the Copper works of that
city. Our denial of this charge
was very doubtfully received. Upon
investigation the collectors were
found to be from Metuchen and the
Metuchen Chapter was peremptorily
ordered to give the money collected
to the Perth Amboy Chapter.

Recently, collectors from another
town were found soliciting money
in the Terra Cotta works of this city
and strange and improbable as it
may seem, the collectors were found
to be from the Perth Amboy Chapter.
Evidently the Perth Amboy Chapter
is a "conscientious objector" to any-
one encroaching upon its territory
but it does not seem to be an ad-
herer of the Golden Rule.

From the standpoint of population
our quota is larger than that of
Perth Amboy, so we earnestly hope
that South Amboy people will be
loyal to their own Chapter of Red
Cross.

South Amboy should certainly be
proud of its Red Cross Chapter! The
parade on Sunday afternoon was
surely an inspiring sight. Women of
the Senior Chapter, the children from
the Public Schools, St. Mary's School
and Sacred Heart School were all in
line and all made a splendid appear-
ance. The speaker of the occasion
remarked how well the women and
children marched. The commenda-
tion will be appreciated by all those
who so loyally displayed their allegi-
ance to the cause.

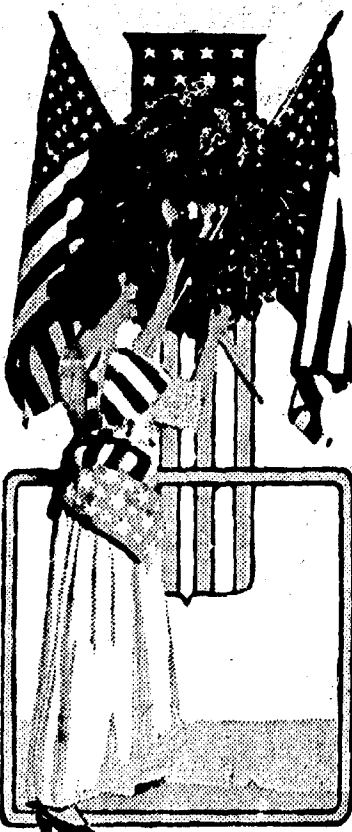
We should greatly appreciate hav-
ing all housewives save cord. Very
often string is discarded but please
remember to save each piece, tie the
pieces together and send it to the
work rooms in City Hall. By doing
so, you will enable the Red Cross to
save quite an item of expense.

The Eager Life.

Whenever a process of life com-
municates an eagerness to him who lives
it, there the life becomes genuinely
significant. Sometimes the eagerness
is more knit up with the motor activi-
ties, sometimes with the perceptions,
sometimes with the imagination, some-
times with reflective thought. But,
wherever it is found, there is the zest,
the tingle, the excitement of reality;
and there is "importance" in the only
real and positive sense in which im-
portance ever anywhere can be.—Wil-
ham Jones.

Perth Amboy Customs.

The Perth Amboy bridegroom is obliged to
give a certain sum of money, in addi-
tion to other presents. If he is in mod-
erate circumstances he gives his bride
two complete dresses, a ring and a mir-
ror. He also supplies the furniture,
carpets, mats, culinary utensils and
other necessities for their home.



Our remembrance for one day
of the service of the dead is val-
uable only if it inspires in us, the
living, their spirit of devotion.

SPLENDID RED CROSS PARADE.

(Continued from Page One.)
reference to Kipling's poem of the
"Folks at Home."

The next speaker to be introduced
was Senator Florence, the repre-
sentative of Middlesex County. He com-
menced his remarks by congratulat-
ing the people of South Amboy on the
splendid turnout in the parade
and at the speaking. He referred to
the women in the line. He said that
two years before this was unheard
of, but to-day it is a common occur-
rence. "If doing nothing else this
war is giving woman her opportunity,"
the speaker declared. He cited the
conditions previous to America enter-
ing the war, the division of
classes between the women but to-
day he declared the Red Cross puts
all in one class, a class of workers.
He stated that a better example of
true democracy could not be had
than the day before when President
Wilson marched at the head of the
great Red Cross parade in New York
City. He said that Washington's ad-
vice was to keep out of foreign
fights, but how could we keep out
of this.

The next speaker was Corporal
Kates of the Canadian army who has
been returned to this country unfit
for further military service. He gave
an excellent talk on the life in the
trenches and how the Red Cross is
with the men at all times. In con-
clusion he cited the risk the Red
Cross stretcher bearers put them-
selves in in order to rescue him from
death. The last speaker of the after-
noon was General Chairman of Mid-
dlessex County Committee, Albert
Leon of Perth Amboy. Mr. Leon
made a short, snappy address that
was driven straight home.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining in Post
Office unclaimed for the week ending
May 25:

Domestic.

H. S. Britton, Arthur Larson, Capt.
C. A. Coles, Schr. Edith MacIntyre;
Herman H. Barbor, Edward Sorbelli,
Mike Ciarcio, Antonio Voni, Elmer
Willmer, John Hawkins, Folre Game,
Marshall Cqnrow, E. E. Appgar, Ralph
Britton, Donald S. Burali, B. C.
Brown, George Davis, Charles Corey,
David Gorman, W. M. Irisk, James
Trainer, Joseph Swannwell, Mrs.
Mary Phillips, (2); Stephen Padrack,
Fred A. Thornburgh, Arthur Strohe,
G. Rode, J. D. VanBrokie.

Foreign.

Elnare Jakelson, Carlo Canadaito,
Sam Bernaco, Mike Schantos, Joseph
Okiwaki, Mrs. Mary Sadorowski,
Guiseppi Staxie, Gaetano Nigro,
Francesco Bensdetto, Guiseppi Scipio,
Glatton Claudio, Patsy Chimato, Julio
Glorio, Antonio Giotors, Calergo
Mairano, John Demaggio, Michael
Carronko, Jack Brusso, Bendetto
Apruissio, Antonio Colobro, Juliana
Barra, John Barraco, Payst Chimato,
Giovanni Cucchio, Palotro Catalano,
Vincenzo Carbonetto, Vincenzo Rizzo,
A. Bassetto, Mirento Bendetto, Frank
Powello, Frank Passenda, Frank Jon-
sons, Vito Lambarod, Felelvio Dars-
scenzo, Guiseppi Vito, Globoro De-
Licio, Antonio Decanto, Jonsito Corno,
Pinese Rosaro, Salvatore Souli, Guis-
peep Caba, Annibille Veripape, Vona
Ermimo, Matteezo Domanico.

These letters will be sent to the
dead letter office in 30 days. (When
calling for the above please say
"Advertised.") J. W. REA, P. M.

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CONTRACTS NOT AWARDED.

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provement over that of the previous
month. There were fifteen beginners
enrolled in the first grades, and
eight pupils enrolled who moved in
from other localities. This addition
was nearly offset by twenty-five
pupils who left school during the
month. The war industries are still
drawing quite heavily upon the
schools as the children reach the
age for employment.

Arrangements for Commencement
Exercises are not yet completed due
to the fact that the managers of the
Empire Theatre ask a rental of
\$50.00 for an evening. Mr. Manduka
stated that since last year the price
had been raised to that amount which
is \$20 more than we then paid for
it. If we can not afford to pay that
price for it I suggest that we charge
a small admission fee except that a
certain number of tickets be allowed
the Senior Class for their families
and near relatives. As an alterna-
tive we could secure the Armory,
but the place is not large enough for
all who would desire to attend if I
may judge by the number attending
our Commencement Exercises for the
past three years.

For speaker, I have secured Dr.
W. W. Giles of East Orange, who
has an excellent reputation as a
commencement orator. He has been
here before, but so many persons were
again anxious to hear him so I de-
cided that he was the man, provided
we could secure him.

The literary and musical parts of
the program will be in charge of
Miss Buchanan and Miss Yearick.
We shall most likely have an exhibi-
tion in typewriting and a special
feature will be the presentation of
the Service Flag to the High School
by the Senior Class. The school has
twenty-four of its former pupils in
the service of the Country. The date
has been changed from Thursday
night, June 27, to Friday night,
June 28.

During the past month I conducted
efficiency tests in Arithmetic and
English Composition, the results of
which I shall illustrate by a series
of charts at such time when my re-
port is called for in meeting.

Three of the boys of the Senior
Class are members of the State
Millitia. They go to camp at Sea
Girt on June 20th for ten days. I
have arranged to give the boys their
examinations before they go and
have also arranged with Captain
Fauroat to excuse them from Camp
the day of our commencement.

Sales of Thrift Stamps in the
schools have increased wonderfully
during the past month. The total
sold to date in School No. 1 is
\$1198.39 and in School No. 2 \$920.30
or a grand total of \$2018.69 in both
schools. This represents a per pupil
investment of \$2.62.

We are planning to have an exhibi-
tion of the work in Physical Train-
ing and a Field Day on the after-
noon of May 29, on Stevensdale hill.
Miss Shaughnessy will have charge
of the exhibition, which will be open
to the public. I trust that you will
be able to be present. No better op-
portunity can be had for judging
the results of the year's work in
the Physical Training Department.
This week's Citizen will give a syn-
opsis of the program to be carried out.

Last week I asked Mr. Krause,
of the Science Department, to inspect
and recharge the fire extinguishers
in both buildings. We found that
seven had evidently frozen during the
winter for they were burst open at
the seams. They should be replaced
or sent back to the factory for mend-
ing.

In closing I desire to attest to
excellence of the general conditions
of the schools. The efficiency tests,
which have been given during the
year show that the work of our
schools compares very favorably with
the work in some of the best in the
country. I have not had much op-
portunity to thoroughly supervise
and inspect the work of the new
teachers, but from what I have seen,
I feel that they will give a good
account of themselves.

CORPORAL ALBAUGH

TAKES A BRIDE

On Friday, May 3, Miss Eunice
Poole, of Preston, Md., became the
bride of Corporal Frank Albaugh,
formerly of South Amboy, the cere-
mony taking place in Baltimore at
the home of the bride's aunt.

Corporal Albaugh, who has many
friends and relatives in this city, and
who was prominently identified in
athletics at the S. A. H. S., held
a responsible position with the
Merchant Mechanics' National Bank,
in Baltimore, up to the time of his
entry into service. At the outbreak
of the war, he enlisted with the
crack Fifth Maryland Infantry, and
after several weeks of outpost duty,
came to Camp McClellan, where his
regiment was consolidated with the
other Maryland organizations in mak-
ing up the present 115th Infantry.
He was recently made a corporal up-
on recommendation of his company
commander, and is said to be in line
for further promotion. Corporal Al-
baugh secured a ten day fur-
lough to be married, and is now back
in Camp McClellan receiving the
congratulations of his comrades.

At drill on next Monday evening
the men of Company F will be in-
structed in the assembling of their
field equipment and everything will
be made ready for an overnight en-
campment the following Saturday
and Sunday. It is therefore neces-
sary that every man be on hand at
this drill on Monday night.

Optimistic Thought.

A true republic favors neither
arbitrary nor despotism.

The Common Council
Holds Brief Session

One of the shortest and snappiest
council meetings held in some time
took place in the Council Chamber
on Tuesday evening, when the regu-
lar bi-monthly meeting of the Com-
mon Council was held. Every Coun-
cilmman was in his place, when the
meeting was called to order at 9.15
and the motion for adjournment was
put at 9.40.

After the reading and approving
of the minutes of the previous meet-
ing a communication was read from
Fire Chief Neilltopp, recommending
that the entire front of the fire
house on Broadway be repaired and
remodeled. The communication stated
that this building was in very
bad condition and it was necessary
that immediate action be taken. Up-
on a motion by Councilman Parlsen
the communication was received and
filed.

A communication was read from
W. M. Emmons, secretary of the
Board of Education, showing the re-
vised budget of the Board as ap-
proved by the members of the Board
of Estimate, to be as follows:

Teachers' salaries	\$32,225
Janitor's salary	2,400
Books and Supplies	2,000
Fuel	1,800
Manual Training	3,400
Repairs and replacements	300
Lights and Power	50
Miscellaneous	400
Medical Inspector	250
Secretary's salary	275
Attendance Officer	200
Janitor's Supplies	50
Custodian's salary	120
Insurance	550

Councilman Parlsen offered a mo-
tion that the communication be re-
ceived and filed. Under the head of
remarks, Mayor Kerr stated that
this increase in the budget was due
to the increase in salaries that have
been made by the Board of Educa-
tion. He stated that the original
budget called for six thousand dol-
lars less. That the increase allowed
was over seven thousand dollars,
but by cutting some other appropri-
ations the budget to the council was
only increased six thousand dollars.
Councilman Parlsen's motion was
carried.

The following bills were ordered
paid:

John Scully	\$25 00
A. T. McMichael	25 00
V. J. Abbateello	33 00
N. Y. Telephone Co.	5 85
Clarence Applegate	21 40
Water, labor	160 67
S. A. Printing Co.	2 00
Elizabeth Hardware Co.	112 84
S. A. Printing Co.	47 41
Monmouth Lighting Co.	463 36
Monmouth Lighting Co.	17 20
Monmouth Lighting Co.	9 00
Harry Parlsen	5 00
P. McCabe	5 00
M. McDonnell	5 00
P. McCabe	5 00
P. McCabe	5 00
John Quain	5 00
Oliver W. Welsh	14 00
V. J. Abbateello	5 00
S. A. Printing Co.	2 00
C. E. Applegate	64 20
Labor, streets	168 38
Labor, garbage	85 30

The clerk read the monthly report
of the City Collector and upon a
motion offered by Councilman Parlsen
the report was received and
filed.

The treasurer's report was read
and showed a balance on hand after
the previous meeting of \$12,172.10.
The balance on hand at the present
time is \$23,123.16. Upon a motion
of Councilman Parlsen the report
was received and filed.

Resolutions were introduced by
Councilman Gordon renewing notes
on the First National Bank of this
city; one for \$5,000 on Broadway
improvement account and the other
for \$11,056 on the Main street im-
provement account. These notes were
to come due on May 23, and were
ordered renewed for three months
at five per cent. per annum.

C. E. LOCAL UNION.

The Christian Endeavorers of the
Middlesex County Local Union will
hold their Spring Rally on Friday
evening, May 31, in the First Baptist
Church, New Brunswick. The ad-
dress of the evening will be given
by Mr. James E. Bennett, a promi-
nent lawyer of New York City, and
all those who have heard Mr. Ben-
nett will know that a rare treat
awaits them.

Each Society in the Union should
endeavor to be represented by as
large a delegation as possible, and
as is the custom, the attendance
banner will be awarded at this time
to the Society having the largest
percentage of its members present.
This banner is at present held by
the Stelton Baptists.

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Memorial Day Finds the Nation
Battling for Freedom of the
Whole World.

MEMORIAL DAY was born of a
war fought that this nation, un-
der God, should have a new
birth of freedom, and that government
of the people, for the people and by
the people shall not perish from the
earth.

A half a century and more has
passed since that immortal utterance.
Now the nation is again in arms, to
fight that "the world may be made
safe for democracy."

Then, the young republic, struggling
upward toward its vision of freedom,
learned through the bitter travail of
Civil war that the nation could not
exist half slave and half free. The
vision has broadened with the wid-
ening years. Then it was for the free-
dom of a race the nation fought. Now
the sword is drawn for the imperiled
liberty of the world.

The natal day of our independence
we have been wont to celebrate with
loud acclaim and vaunting pride. Mem-
orial day ever has been our time for
solemn contemplation. Another Mem-
orial day; at hand, and as America
lays its flowers on the graves of its
soldier dead, it hears again that re-
vered voice from the slopes of Get-
tysburg bidding us to be not unmind-
ful that "it is rather for us to be here
dedicated to the great task remaining
before us, that from these honored
dead we take increased devotion to
that cause for which they gave the
last full measure of devotion; that we
here highly resolve that these dead
shall not have died in vain."

A beautiful, a poetic symbolism
Memorial day had come to be to us:
The people who walk with slow steps
in the quiet cemeteries, the children
in their white dresses who with loving
hands place wreaths "alike for the
friend and the foe," the venerable men
who are the links that bind us to an
age long gone, and, as we believed, for-
ever gone, when nation warred with
nation and blood lust grew in hearts,
that had thrilled at the sight of the
same flag.

And now with what a new and sud-
den significance has Memorial day been
vested. With what different thought
will they go "lovingly laden with flow-
ers." How much more reverently
than in those conventional days that
already seem so far away will the lit-
tle flags be planted on each patriot
mound. And who is there, when taps,
clear and soft as a benediction, is
sounded for those who "dream of bat-
tlefields no more," will not remember
that on a neighboring hill on the mor-
row from that same silvery bugle will
leap the reveille for another genera-
tion of freedom's soldiers?

If solemn memories of the past and
earnest thought for the future bring
that new birth of freedom, who shall
say that those have died in vain for
whom flowers will be spread in far
Memorial days to come?



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ers who so kindly as let-

the illness and
wife and mother
also to all for
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124 Broadway Telephone 261 South Amboy

SATURDAY, MAY 25, 1918.

BOY SCOUT DOINGS.

Troop No. 1.

At the weekly troop meeting of May 21, the conditions of a new Patrol Contest were announced. The last contest which ended on March 1, and in which the Second (Eagle) Patrol was victorious points were only given to patrols. In this new contest which will commence on May 29, points may be won by individuals.

Preceding the business session the troop was given its third instruction on double rank formation. This drilling is progressing nicely now but a perfect attendance is needed and that has not been recorded since the drills began.

The business session was called to order at eight-thirty and was opened as usual with the salute to the Flag and the repeating of the scout's oath.

During the past week the troop has attained thirty-two members. As a number of the members of the troop were absent a motion was passed to the effect that the troop's members by patrols be published in the Citizen.

First (Black Bear) Patrol
1. Carl Skow, patrol leader.
2. John Parker, assistant patrol leader.

3. Harry Winn.
4. William Brown.
5. Carlton Grace.
6. Norman Edwards.
7. Raymond Grace.
8. Ralph Ellams.

Second (Eagle) Patrol
1. Edward Parker, patrol leader.
2. Arthur Skow, assistant patrol leader.

3. Ambrose Manhattan.
4. Phineas Magee.
5. Chester Horney.
6. John Seaker.
7. Lloyd Neiltopp.
8. Martin Grebb.

Third (Flying Eagle) Patrol
1. Robert Waterman, patrol leader.
2. Joseph Goldstein, assistant patrol leader.

3. Richard Connors.
4. Samuel Forgoeson.
5. Clarence Larson.
6. Edward Willard.
7. Larue Wyckoff.
8. Joseph Taft.

Fourth (Cobra) Patrol
1. Floyd McKenna, patrol leader.
2. Albert Linden, assistant patrol leader.

3. Harold Semonett.
4. Granville Morrow.
5. Gerard Lamberton.
6. Edward Reszkowski.
7. Harold Hamilton.
8. Monroe Green.

Larue Wyckoff put in an application for membership which was accepted.

Dues were collected and the treasurer's report presented which was accepted. Registration and Camp Savings money was then received.

The condition of the Second Patrol Contest to begin on May 29, were read and accepted. The conditions: 1. 1/2 point for each boy present at meeting or hike with uniform on. (The uniform must consist of pants, leggings and hat.)

2. 1/2 point for each boy present at meeting or hike without uniform on. 3. If late (7.30) no point will be given unless a reasonable excuse is given.

4. 1/2 point for each boy present at farm once a week.

5. 2 points to be given each patrol if their share of ground is well taken care of. This will be inspected by the scoutmaster once a week.

6. 1/2 point will be given two boys in each patrol if they can answer any question on First Aid, the points of the compass, semaphore signalling etc. Each week a different subject will be taken. The subject will be announced the meeting before.

7. 1 point to be given to each boy passing Second Class Test.

8. 3 points to be given each boy passing First Class Test. (Number 7 and 8 will not count for the individual scores.) The patrol and boy getting the highest number of points will receive an award. By having an individual record every boy will know whether or not he is falling down and if the member of one patrol see that he is falling down they may take steps to remedy it. If he himself will not try to come back the troop will drop him as a member of their organization. Any member of Troop No. 1 to whom this may apply will please take note.

During the past month the attendance has fallen considerably especially among the older scouts and officers. The troop now has about

five boys waiting for admittance. If these scouts do not intend to work and be an active member of this troop please state this fact to the officers and they will be dropped at once. Sickness or work will be the only accepted excuse for absence from our weekly meeting. At least one night a week can be given to scouts.

On Friday of this week Ralph Ellams, Harold Hamilton, Monroe Green and Larue Wyckoff will take their tenderfoot tests at the scoutmaster's home.

The following announcement was then made:

On this Sunday evening, May 26, at 7.15 sharp the troop in full uniform will attend divine services at the Baptist Church with the G. A. R. and on Decoration Day will parade. The roll call was then taken.

Certificates were distributed and the meeting was adjourned at 10 o'clock.

EDISON GOLD MEDAL GOES TO COLONEL JOHN J. CARTY

Thousand Scientists See Telephone Engineering Work Rewarded

In the presence of one thousand scientists Colonel John J. Carty of the United States Army Signal Corps and Chief Engineer of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, on Friday night, May 17th, received the Edison Gold Medal in recognition of his work in developing telephone engineering. The presentation was the feature of the annual meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

Colonel Carty is the eighth person to receive the medal, the others being Elihu Thomson, Frank J. Sprague, George Westinghouse, William Stanley, Charles F. Brush, Alexander Graham Bell and Nikola Tesla.

Colonel Carty is now giving much of his time to the development of military telephones and is well known for perfecting transcontinental telephony and inventing the wireless telephone method for distances up to 5,000 miles. He entered the telephone business in 1879 and more than any other man he is credited with the development of modern telephone engineering.

The Edison Medal was founded in 1904 by the Edison Medal Association, an organization composed of old associates and friends of Thomas A. Edison. It is awarded annually by a committee of twenty-four members of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers and was first presented in 1908. It was designed by James Earle Frazer and bears on one side a portrait of Edison and on the other an allegorical conception of the genius of electricity crowned by Fame.

Addresses were delivered at the meeting by Dr. A. E. Kennelley, Professor of Electrical Engineering at Harvard University and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Chairman of the American Institute's Edison Medal Committee, and Dr. Michael I. Pupin of Columbia University. The presentation was made by E. W. Rice, Jr., President of the General Electric Company and of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

DOING AWAY WITH THE INDUSTRIAL SCRAP HEAP

Railroads and Manufacturers Are Learning to Eliminate Waste, Including Drainage of Man Power.

Confronted by the necessity of utilizing every possible traffic facility for war material, the railroads are going to the scrap heap for additional equipment. They are patching up discarded locomotives and engines 25 years old have been rebuilt and made "better than when they were new."

No doubt the railroad scrap heap is the largest of all American scrap heaps and by that token the one from which most material can be salvaged. But the conditions of railroad waste and extravagance in the name of efficiency equally characterize all American industry, and the new railroad policy of reclamation is important as an example and a precedent.

What the garbage pail is as an index of household thriftlessness the scrap heap is as a monument to wasteful methods of manufacture. But the greatest of all wastes, progressive manufacturers now realize, lies in the careless manipulation of man power.—Industrial Conservation, New York.

To Can Beans.
Cut beans as for table, fill jars with beans, then fill with cold water. Put on the covers, but do not snap the wire down. Place jars in a kettle of cold water and let boil for two hours. Snap the wire and let cool in water.

Help the Red Cross.

**EAT CORN
SAVE
WHEAT**



SAVING OF WHEAT IS FASHIONABLE

Hotels at Shore Resorts and Elsewhere in State Lead in Food Conservation.

TOTAL ABSTENTION URGED.

Women Must Help at Home to Relieve Their Sisters in France of War's Burdens.

Hotels in all parts of the state, with those at the shore resorts taking an especially prominent part, have joined wholeheartedly in the movement to make the nation a non-wheat-consuming one until the next harvest. The largest hotels have eliminated wheat breads and products from their menus except for the use of invalids. The same thing is being done on railroad dining cars.

The example set by the leaders in the hotel business has had the effect of encouraging hotel men who operate on a smaller scale to the same kind of patriotic endeavor. The result has been that New Jersey is showing the spirit of sacrifice that brought renown to her during the Revolution. In all parts of the state, rural and urban, in private homes as well as public caravansaries, "wheatlessness" is becoming patriotically fashionable.

The saving of every ounce of wheat possible is gradually becoming a necessity of the first importance, if our soldiers in Europe are to be maintained in fit condition. The same statement applies to the consumption of meat and neither should be eaten if other edibles are available—and at this season there are plenty. Plans already made for the conservation of meat and wheat will have to be reinforced in all probability. While the people have conformed quite widely to the wishes of the United States Food Commission, additional curtailment of consumption becomes growingly necessary with the increase in the number of our troops abroad.

For that reason the government is keeping the closest kind of a watch on flour and meats and it is asking every homekeeper to subsist as far as possible on its own products, and to abstain to the limit from using the stocks of stores. Hence the home garden campaigns in the cities and the urgent requests to farmers to not let a square rod of ground go unused if it can be made productive.

To make the home as independent as possible of the common food pool from which the hungry world must be fed is woman's great task.

Going without wheat is an inconvenience—nothing worse—for homes in comfortable circumstances. It is no hardship—no danger. Physiologists all agree that wholesome diet need not include wheat.

The South fought the Civil War three years on corn. Early New England did without wheat five years at a time with no ill effects.

Going without wheat sometimes, perhaps, may entail more expense and possibly at times some extra work, but who shall bear the burden? Shall we ask the women of France to do it? Do you know what it means to them?

The women of France are doing their own work, doing the nation's work, even doing the work of teams in the field. The men are gone—all but the younger boys, the aged and the invalids. In almost every home is a cripple or one dying of tuberculosis—an added care.

French homes have not baked bread for hundreds of years. They have not even ovens nor baking tins in their kitchens. They rely on the bakery.

If you ask them to bake their own bread—for the bakery cannot supply quick breads—the women of France must add another hour to their long day of toil.

Will you ask them to do that, or shall our homes carry the extra burden of doing without wheat so that liberty shall not perish from the face of the earth?

NEIGHBORHOOD CLUBS AID IN SAVING FOOD

Patriotic Interest Aroused in Other Lines Also.

In many cities and towns there are neighborhood or community clubs which include the churches and other organizations, temperance or fraternal, meeting regularly and considering all sorts of matters touching the neighborhood welfare. These clubs have been giving a good deal of attention to food conservation, as their programs show, and the result has been helpful.

It is noteworthy that where these neighborhood clubs have taken an active interest in food and other patriotic questions there the pastors of the churches have paid attention to the matter from the pulpit. The neighborhood club speaks well for the enterprise and the spirit of the neighborhood.

One of these clubs that has had a war kitchen reports an awakened interest not only in regard to food conservation but in everything connected with the vigorous prosecution of the war.

RABBITS FOR FOOD.

W. G. Grigsby has secured the cooperation of the federal food administration in protecting a rabbit producing farm in Owen county, Indiana. Mr. Grigsby will endeavor to combat the high cost of living by furnishing a cheap substitute for meat, he says.

Our Potato Column

Article No. 6.

A WEEK DURING BLIGHT SEASON.

What Happens to the Potato Farmer and How He Might Have Prevented It.

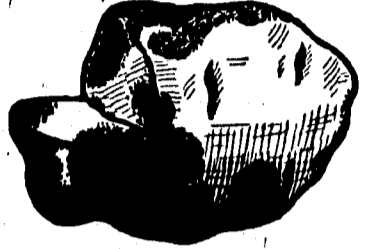
Sunday—He goes into the field and congratulates himself on the prospects for a good potato crop. The vines are healthy, growing thriftily, the tubers well set and filling out rapidly.

Monday—Weather changes, becomes cool, with frequent showers and heavy fogs.

Tuesday—The vines commence to "blast" and the odor may be smelled a quarter of a mile away.

Wednesday—All hopes of a big crop are given up. The vines are blighted to the ground, and the tubers commence to rot.

Thursday—It is apparent that because of lack of insurance against



Soft Field Rot of Potato—a Disease Which is Preventable if the Farmer Plans in Advance.

loss most of the labor and the capital which has gone into this crop has been wasted.

Friday—In deepest discouragement, the farmer promises himself never more to grow potatoes.

Two months later—Because of the short crop caused by the blight prices go to unheard-of figures.

Over and over this tragedy has been repeated, and absolutely without reason. Spraying with bordeaux mixture controls the blight and rot, and insures the farmer against losing the time and money which he puts into his potato crop.

Many people do not understand how it is that a spray on the leaf of the potato prevents rot of the tuber—for it seems as though there could be no connection between the two. Still, it is a fact that if the leaf is protected so that the blight gets no foothold, there will be no soft field rot of the tuber.

The tuber itself carries the infection of the disease. When diseased seed is planted the fungus follows the growing stalk to the leaves, and from there spreads its spores to other leaves by millions on millions. As the vines blight more and more of these spores are produced. Some of them get down to the tuber through the stem opening, some attack the tubers that show out of the hills, and others lie in wait to infect the potatoes as they are harvested. But why enlarge on the damage? Everyone who has been through it knows it; those who have not should be warned in time to prevent it. There is no cure. After the blight once gets started the damage is done and the game is lost.

Spraying with bordeaux mixture, either commercial or home prepared, is a preventative. As long as the vines



Leaf Affected by Late Blight—the Blight Which Leads to Rot.

are covered with the protective spray the floating spores which come in contact with it are killed, and there will be neither blight nor rot. For best results the spraying must be started when the vines are six inches high, and repeated at intervals of one to three weeks' time until the vines are dead.

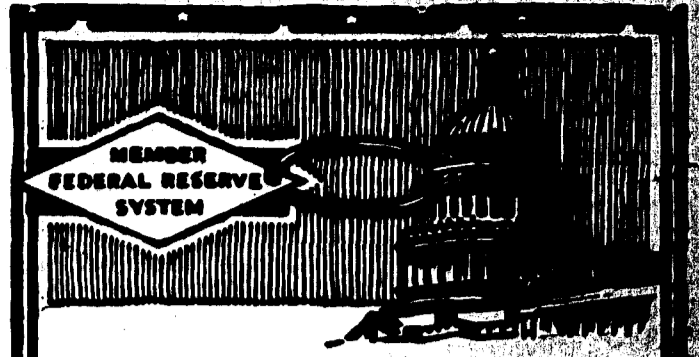
One of the interesting things about this spray is that even when no blight comes it increases the crop more than enough to pay the cost. The reason is that it serves to prevent tip-burn and in those seasons too dry for the blight tip-burn is often a serious trouble. This is a case where the insurance pays its own premium and its own dividend.

HOW MANY POTATOES DOES YOUR FAMILY EAT?

The following figures show the yield of potatoes per acre and per capita in different countries:

	Bushels Produced Per Acre.	Per Capita.
Germany	250	80
France	150	15
Austria-Hungary	125	12
Netherlands	400	250
United States	100	4

In the United States a family of five ought to eat 20 bushels of potatoes in the course of a year. Does your family measure up? Is it doing its part in conserving food for our allies?



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Sunday School 2.30 p. m.
Senior C. E. 6.45 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Thursday 7.45 p. m.
Red Cross Auxiliary, Wednesday 1.30 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal Friday 7.45 p. m.

During the warm weather all of our services will be confined to one hour. We trust that this will be an inducement to all of our members and friends to be faithful in their attendance. The attendance thus far has been fine. Let us keep it at a high standard.

This Sunday the services will be in commemoration of "Memorial Day," and the pastor will speak on subjects appropriate to the occasion.

On Wednesday, May 29, the Ladies' Aid will serve the Annual Church Supper. The tickets will be thirty-five cents and supper will be served between six and eight o'clock. This supper will be up to the high standards of former ones. Every one who comes will surely get their money's worth.

In accordance with President Wilson's call to prayer on Memorial Day, we wish to extend and invitation to all who can do so, to meet with us at 6.30 on that morning, for a season of prayer. It will be a fitting beginning for this great day. Come out and talk with God. He alone can guide us aright in these trying days.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Preaching Sunday morning, at 10.45. Bible School, at 2.30 p. m.
Y. P. S. C. E. Meeting, at 6.45 p. m. Sunday evening, at 7.30.
The evening service will be of a special order as the G. A. R., Jr. O. U. A. M., P. O. S. of A., and Boy Scouts are to attend. The choir will also render selected music.
These services will be conducted by Rev. G. W. McCombe, of Belleville, who comes well recommended. A full attendance is desired.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Broadway and Church Street.
Rev. Dr. Ernest McCurry, M. A., Pastor.
Services for the week beginning May 26th:
Sunday—
10.00 a. m. Sunday School.
11.00 a. m. Worship and sermon, subject of sermon, "Impossibility of Neutrality."
7.00 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor.
8.00 p. m. Worship and Sermon.
Special Memorial Day Service.
Monday—
8.00 p. m. Red Cross Auxiliary.
Tuesday—
8.00 p. m. Teachers' Meeting.
Wednesday—
8.00 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor.
8.00 p. m. Prayer Meeting.
The members are respectfully urged to attend upon the services of their church, and strangers and visitors are most cordially welcome. In both services next Sunday seats will be reserved for those of our members who are absent.

WILL COST MORE TO

START FOREST FIRES

The State Board of Conservation and Development at its recent meeting directed the State Firewarden to deal more severely with those violating the law requiring permits for building fires and with those responsible for forest fires.
The previous policy of the Department in uniformly imposing nominal or small fines when there were mitigating circumstances instead of prosecuting for the statutory penalty is therefore to be succeeded by a more drastic procedure. The law has been operative for a sufficient period so that knowledge of its requirements and penalties is now general. Violation of its provisions therefore is seldom excusable because of ignorance now and the previous leniency no longer is justified.
Through this means it is expected that fire prevention will be more effectively secured than heretofore and that this phase of the forest fire work will be put more nearly on equality with the present efficiency in controlling fires which do start.
Class in rhetoric: In the case of people denouncing a speech it is in good form to say that they drank it in, but atrocious taste to say that they just ate it up.
The slogan that advises wives not to stuff their husbands but to husband their stuff, might go a long way toward improving friend husband's digestion.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

The members of our church and congregation have responded liberally and enthusiastically to the support of the Red Cross drive this week.

It is with great pleasure that we can witness a steady improvement in the music of our church. The pastor feels very grateful to the members of the choir for their faithfulness and for their invaluable part in the beautiful and impressive services of our church.

Mrs. Russell Blakeley has recently taken in charge the Cradle Roll Department. Mrs. Blakeley is desirous of enrolling all of the children of our church and congregation under three years of age, in this department of our school, and in view of this purpose, she contemplates calling upon the mothers of the little ones very soon.

A very important officers and teachers' meeting of the Sunday School will be held in the lecture room next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, and every officer and teacher in the Sunday School are urged to be present as some very important matters are to be discussed at this time. No officer or teacher who is really interested in the work and welfare of our school can afford to be absent from one of these monthly meetings, and it is one of the most effective ways of showing your sympathy and co-operation.

The Senior Christian Endeavor Society are planning the purchase of a stereopticon which will be used from time to time, to stimulate an interest in the work of our church as a whole.

Our Endeavorers are to be congratulated not only for their persistency but for their enterprising and loyal church spirit, and the pastor feels that he has in this society a strong arm of support.

We have recently had several out of town visitors to our Sunday services, and every one of them have been delighted with the appearance of our church grounds. Not only this, but the pastor has been greatly pleased to note the increased respect which the boys, who were wont to be thoughtless, have for the hedge and the grounds.

Surely in our town there is a great need of civic pride and a better care of property, and we of the Presbyterian Church are trying to set the example. Let us make our town beautiful.

In the absence of the Superintendent of the Juniors, Mrs. L. L. Shepherd, Mrs. Russell Blakeley took charge last Wednesday afternoon. It will soon be time for the Juniors to disband for the summer months, but each one of them feel that their meetings during the winter have been not only pleasurable but profitable as well, and when the time for re-organization shall come around, with renewed zeal and interest they will take up the work again. We are truly grateful to Mrs. Shepherd for her efficient leadership of the Juniors and for the good work which our boys and girls have done during the past year.

The third of the series of Travelogues by Dr. Johnson, will be given to-night (Friday). His subject will be: "Beneath the Blazing Aurora, or the Glory of the Northland."

Dr. Johnson's views are superb and his talks are most interesting indeed and if you want to spend an hour both pleasantly and profitably, come to his lecture to-night. Tickets will be on sale in the vestibule of the church for those who have not as yet been supplied.

It was encouraging indeed to have several of our members who have been rather delinquent about church attendance, present last Sunday. We can ill afford to spare any of our members, new or old, from their accustomed places, and we earnestly hope that each and every one will make an extra effort to be present next Sunday morning.

There are still 30 of our resident members who have not attended a service of the church this year. Suppose every other member were just as remiss and just as indifferent? Why should christian people have to be invited and urged to attend the services of their own church?

Our Sunday School has recently purchased a new hymn book entitled "The Book of Worship of the Church School." This book is compiled by Dr. Hartschorn, assistant professor of Religious Education in the Union Theological Seminary, and principal of the Union School of Religion, and it represents the best scholarship

and the deepest religious devotion of our times along the lines of Sunday School hymnology and worship. It will be the means of stimulating the music of our school and of fostering the spirit of devotion and reverence in our worship. Altogether our Superintendent is to be congratulated in his choice of this book of worship.

Why is it that of all the towns in our part of the state, if not in the whole state, South Amboy is the only one that held its Red Cross parade on the Sabbath? Are we not enough a Sabbathless town without going to this extreme of Sunday parades? Is it not a reflection upon our town and its people that we have turned the Holy Day into a holiday, and that too with the sanction of the best people in town? Is it not rather a regret that in entering upon such a sacred and holy cause as the Red Cross Work is we should prostitute the one day in the week set apart for quiet rest and worship.

As everybody in this town knows, the parade could just as well have been held on Saturday afternoon and evening just the same as in other towns and cities. The only circumstances which would justify the holding of a Red Cross, or any other parade on Sunday, would be the impossibility of any other day.

The cause of religion is at a very low ebb in our town and the few churches are having a hard enough time against the lawlessness that prevails and the saloons that are kept open on Sunday in direct violation of the law. Why is it that good, law abiding respectable citizens will have any part, or in any way encourage the desecration of the Sabbath Day? It was only those who had various "wares" to be disposed of that reap any benefit from this Sabbath desecration. The cause of religion and the work of the churches suffer most.

Voltaire, who as we all know was not prejudiced in favor of Christianity, once said: "You can never destroy the Christian Religion so long as the Sabbath Day is recognized by men as a divine institution." Shall the Christian people of South Amboy give the consent to those things which tend to destroy the Sabbath? Shall we?

METHODIST EPISCOPAL EPISTLES.

On account of the Red Cross parade, there was no Sunday School last Sunday.

Although the Sunday School and church did not parade as a unit, yet a large number of our folks participated in the demonstration.

Our Service Flag was carried by a number of mothers who have boys doing service for their country. We certainly felt proud of them.

We are anxious to make the Junior Choir a success. The sure way is to respond when called upon to join the choir. Several thus far have offered their services.

This coming Sunday will be observed as Missionary Sunday at the afternoon service. Endeavor to make up for the lost time due to attractions of a patriotic nature on several Sundays past.

Even the home military training the younger men of our town have been receiving the past year has shown a marked improvement in their physical makeup. Our band and our boys of Company F and the Boys Scouts, will measure up to the best of them.

We received a very encouraging report of the work accomplished by our ladies of the Red Cross.

It takes L. E. Stults to "beat the band."

Thursday, May 30th, has been set apart as a day of prayer by our President. The church will be open from 8 a. m. to 9.30 p. m. on said day of prayer. We must not forget that Our Heavenly Father has it in His power alone regarding the ultimate success of this war. Each day in fact should be a day of prayer.

"Oh think of the Home Over There!" is an old hymn that has cheered millions of souls along life's journey. Let us however change it under existing circumstances, "Oh Think of the Boys Over There!"

It is very evident that some saloon keepers are selling all the coffin varnish on Sunday possible. Suppose they anticipate the booze dry wave sweeping the country.

Mr. Ambrose Newman, of Mechanicsville, was 100th in his days of

activity, when it referred to church faithfulness, but recent years' blindness has interfered. A phone recently was installed in his home, so just phone up and he will talk on any subject from religion down to politics.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society was held in the Sunday School room last Tuesday afternoon. The Aid Society recently purchased for the parsonage a fine new rug and wall paper for three rooms. This organization is in a splendid condition.

"How much are you worth?" was the subject preached upon last Sunday evening. Think it over.

However fair and square you endeavor to live, it is folly to expect all to speak well of you. Evil dislikes goodness, and many a good man is appreciated much better after he is dead than when alive. But don't forget this, that securing God's favor is not a question of vote.

Recently some one met an old friend, who will reach his 91 birthday this coming August. On being asked the secret of his longevity and cheerfulness, was in formed that a clean God living life was the blessing. On the same day this person met a young friend in his early 20 score years, but very nervous with indications of dissipation. Why one so young should be in such a state? Figure it out.

A man coming out from a banquet recently said to a companion, "Do you know that there was represented at that banquet wealth to the amount of thirty millions dollars?" "Yes," was the steady answer, "and conversation to the amount of about thirty cents." All outside distinction. Selected.

Procrastination will keep you putting off until you are way off. So come to church, "Now is the accepted time."

A trolley trip between here and Perth, reminds us of the song, "It's a long, long, trail a winding."

Notice to strangers—Services at the Methodist Episcopal Church on Sunday at 10.30 a. m., Sunday School 2.30 p. m., League 6.45 p. m., evening preaching service 7.30 p. m. You are welcome.

CHRIST CHURCH CHRONICLES

Archdeacon Shepherd gave us a very interesting sermon last Sunday morning. It was good to learn more of the excellent progress our church is making in the home mission field right here at home. The Archdeacon expressed, both in his sermon and privately in conversation, his admiration for our new church interior and congratulated our people upon the many evidences of material and spiritual prosperity.

On Monday last the rector of Christ Church read the burial office for William G. Schurr, age 45 years, in the Chapel of the Crematorium of Rose Hill Cemetery, Linden. On Tuesday, he said the last rites of the Church for Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, wife of Mr. Stephen Miller, age 50 years. And on Wednesday, he officiated in like manner at the burial of George W. French, age 36 years.

Next Thursday morning (Memorial Day) at 8 o'clock there will be a half hour service (Holy Communion) in the parish church, at which time intercessions will be offered for our soldiers and sailors (and particularly for the boys from Christ Church), for the success of the Allied Arms, and for the dawn of a righteous and lasting peace. Let all our people make due response to this call for prayer.

The rector of Christ Church will celebrate the Holy Communion at Doane Memorial Chapel next Sunday morning at 9.30.

Our annual "Flower Sunday" will be observed this year on June 9. The Church School will begin to practice the special music next Sunday morning.

There are now a number of new openings in the choir. We already have several candidates who will be formally received on June 9, and we have room for at least a half dozen more between the ages of 9 to 12. See Choirmaster Stults at once about your boy.

The annual convention of the Daughters of the King of the State of New Jersey was held Thursday at Union Hill, the Rev. G. W., Armstrong and his parish being the

hosts. The rector was unable to attend, by reason of funerals, weddings, and other engagements. We understand, however, that several members of St. Mary's Chapter from Christ Church were in attendance.

Well, that "gallant fifty" Red Cross workers for which the Rector issued a "S. O. S." "C. Q. D." call last week, made quick response. Over 50 workers remained at the congregational meeting held after service last Sunday morning and volunteered to assist in the house-to-house canvass. Nothing dead about Christ Church parish (except our three cemeteries) when it comes to community service! In addition to the chairman of the Red Cross, Mr. J. D. Van Pelt, and the Captain of all the teams, Mr. D. W. Reed, we had four other teams from our parish, with the following captain: Messrs. H. J. Berrien, Robert Chapman, Sigvard Emilussen and Dr. E. H. Eulner. They were ably assisted by the following valiant band: Miss Dora Fredricks, Miss Willie Cozzens, Miss Claire Hamilton, Miss Mabel Locke, Mrs. Cozzens, Mr. R. M. Kerr, Mr. J. M. Parker, Mrs. Alfred J. Miller, Mrs. R. M. Kerr, Mrs. J. M. Parker, Miss Charlotte Muirhead, Mrs. D. W. Reed, Mrs. H. J. Berrien, Mr. Edward McKenna, Mrs. Elizabeth Pearce, Misses Mary and Mercy Hillmann, Miss Vera French, Mrs. James French, Mr. John Ellams, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stults, Miss Roberta Burkhardt, Mrs. C. S. Parker, Miss Mabel Letts, Miss Hattie Christian, Miss Elfrida Neltopp, Mrs. John Ellams, Mrs. C. H. Muirhead, Mr. Edgar Brower, Mrs. Edward Boatwick, Mrs. William Stratton, Mr. George Mack, Mr. Joseph Hubbard, Mr. Lorton Berlew, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Nichols, Miss Mildred Johnson, Mrs. Edward B. Fisher, Mrs. Sigvard Emilussen.

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has filed in this Department a sworn statement by the proper officers thereof, showing its condition on December 31, 1917, and business for the year and has complied in all respects with the laws of this State applicable to it; now, therefore, I, Frank H. Smith, Commissioner of Banking and Insurance of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that said Company is duly authorized to transact its appropriate business of fire and marine insurance in this State in accordance with law, until March 1, 1919. The condition and business of said Company at the date of such statement, is shown as follows: Admitted assets, \$1,506,143.47; liabilities, except capital and surplus, \$285,886.38; paid-up capital, \$339,550.00; surplus over all liabilities, \$339,550.00; income for the year, 1917, \$54,811; disbursements for the year, \$28,400.24. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my name and affixed my official seal, at Trenton, the day and year first above written.

(Seal) Frank H. Smith, Commissioner of Banking and Insurance.

SOCIETIES

Gen. Wm. S. Truxer Post, No. 57, G. A. R., meets first Wednesday afternoon of each month at 8 o'clock, in Michael Welsh's Hall. Commander, George H. Seward; Adjutant, S. H. Chatten.

St. Stephen's Lodge, No. 68, F. & A. M., meets at K. of P. Hall, first and third Mondays of each month (excepting July, August and holidays) at 7.30 p. m.

Joel Parker Council, No. 69, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets every Friday evening in Knights of Pythias Hall. Councilor, Wm. A. Mills; Recording Secretary, J. L. Applegate.

Good Samaritan Lodge, No. 54, K. of P., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at K. of P. Hall corner of First and Stockton streets. Chancellor Commander, William Brisas; Keeper of Records and Seal, F. H. Chapman.

Lanthe Council, No. 4, D. of P. Imp'd. Order of Red Men, meets every second and fourth Thursday of the month at 2.30 p. m., in K. of P. Hall. Pochontas, Miss Pearl Coward; K. of R., Edith Newman.

Friendship Council, No. 14, D. of P., meets on alternate Fridays of each month, at 2.30 p. m., Knights of Pythias Hall, First and Stockton streets, Councilor, Mrs. Edythe Newman; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ada Ward.

Seneca Tribe, No. 23, Imp'd. O. R. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in Knights of Pythias Hall. Sachem, R. Dexheimer; Chief of Records, Andrew Klyst; Collector of Wampum, Stephen Miller.

Independence Engine & Hose Co., No. 1, meets third Monday in each month at 7.30 o'clock p. m. Foreman Charles Grover; President, John B. Woodward; Secretary, N. N. Pearce.

South Amboy Lodge No. 1554, Loyal Order of Moose, meets at Welsh's Hall, 224 First street, at 8 o'clock p. m., on the second and fourth Monday of each month. Past Dictator, N. J. Howley; Dictator, J. R. Downs; Vice-Dictator, A. C. Winant; Treasurer, J. J. Hanaway, Jr.; Prelate, P. A. Cramer; Secretary, James A. Minnick; Sergeant-at-arms, Edward Covell, Jr.; Inner Guard, John Falk; Outer Guard, W. J. Kennedy; Trustees, M. J. Hussey, William Nagle, John Mullane.

Court Barkan, No. 44, F. of A. meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, at 8 p. m., in Protection Hall. Chief Ranger, M. Leonard; Sub-Chief Ranger, L. Hartman; Financial Secretary, Edward Dewan; Treasurer, James Minnick; Recording Secretary, Martin Gask; Senior Woodward, Fritz Delko; Junior Woodward, J. McCormack; Sealer Beadle, P. Kosmoski; Junior Beadle, P. Malloy; Trustees, N. Banks; Aaron Hyer, Sr.; M. Cronin.

General Morgan Lodge, No. 86, L. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall, Noble Grand, Edgar C. Brower; Secretary, Charles P. Thomas; Financial Secretary, Sig. Emilussen.

Washington Camp, No. 24, F. O. S. of A., meets second and fourth Monday nights of each month, at K. of P. Hall, at 8 o'clock, George R. Coward, president; Wm. H. Coward, vice-president; Bert Lamberton, Master of Forms; John H. French, financial secretary; B. R. Havens, recording secretary; William M. Anderson, treasurer.

Starling Castle, No. 54, K. G. R. meets first and third Saturday evening of each month, at 7.30 o'clock at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Chief, Burden Golden; Master of Records, C. H. Edwards.

Star of Jersey Lodge, No. 484, K. of L. F. and L., meets in K. of P. Hall, first and third Sunday of each month at 2.30 p. m. A. V. Danner, President; L. D. Wortley, Financial Secretary and Treasurer; A. T. Hartshorn, Recording Secretary.

Gorm Lodge, No. 24, B. B. S., regular meeting fourth Friday of each month at 8 p. m., in Welsh's Hall, First street, President, Nels Martinson; Secretary, A. L. Johnson; Financial Secretary, George Mortenson; Treasurer, John S. Lund.

Paul DeGraw Hamilton Lodge, No. 554, B. of E. T., meets every second and fourth Sunday of each month at K. of P. Hall. President, F. P. Porelli; Secretary, William Salmon; Treasurer, Thomas J. Kennedy; Agent of Official Publication, Edward McDonough.

Protection Engine Company, meets on the fourth Thursday of each month at Engine House, Faltus street, at 7.30 p. m. President, William Birmingham; Vice-President, Robert Segrave; Treasurer, Frank D. Stanton; Foreman, John Trigg.

Star Building and Loan Association, of South Amboy, N. J., meets in City Hall, on the fourth Monday evening in each month. President Thomas C. Gelinas; Secretary, John J. Delaney; Treasurer, John J. Coakley.

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P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The P. R. R. Woman's War Relief met on Wednesday afternoon and after the meeting one bundle of surgical shirts and towels was sent off. On account of the poor attendance the Unit will meet again next Wednesday, the 29th, and try and catch up on the sewing. The members should make every effort to be on hand. We cannot have too much on hand to be ready for our boys. Wool will be given out also next Wednesday to those who are on hand.

Manager Applegate is getting the ball team in good shape. Charlie Anderson is showing up well as a pitcher, as well as the rest of the team who are gradually finding their best positions for playing. The field is now having the top dressing of loam and we shall sure have some field when it is finished. Manager Applegate has already booked a good many games for the summer with out of town teams.

The roll off of the singles and doubles in the bowling tournament will be rolled off Thursday, and Friday, singles Thursday and the doubles Friday. It looks as tho' there will be some good scores rolled in this contest. Chick Gomingier already as beaten the high game rolled on the Y. M. C. A. alleys by making a score of 277 a few days ago.

Tennis courts are in fine condition and well used especially on Saturday. Get in practice for the tournament next month.

Bottle pool is getting to be quite a favorite game with a good many of the members and it is possible that later on we will arrange a tournament of the same.

GEORGE FRENCH.

South Amboy mourned the loss of one its most beloved citizens, when on Wednesday afternoon. George French was laid in his final resting place in Christ Church Cemetery. Although Mr. French was long a victim of ill health, it was thought that he was well on the road to recovery. On Sunday afternoon he was able to be about town and witnessed the demonstration of the Red Cross. On returning home, however, he gradually grew weaker until ten-thirty Sunday evening when he passed away.

Mr. French was thirty-seven years of age, having been born in South Amboy in 1881. He attended the local schools and upon the completion of his education entered the services of the Pennsylvania Railroad, where at the time of his death he held a very important position as air brake inspector.

The funeral services were held from the home of his sister, Mrs. Frederick Isley of David street, on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. H. M. P. Pease and the Rev. C. S. Lewis were the officiating clergymen. The pall bearers were Frederick Isley, Sr., LeRoy Mills, James French, Leroy French, Raymond Mills and Frederick Isley, Jr.

"WAR AND THE WOMAN."

Manager Manduka of the Empire Theatre announces that he will present at the Company F benefit on June 6 the Pathe feature "War and the Woman," written by Philip Lonergan and produced by Thambouner under the direction of Ernest Ward, starring Florence LaBadie.

In announcing this picture, Manager Manduka said: "It is not too much to say that Miss LaBadie's work in this picture is a revelation. She looks startlingly beautiful and her acting is the kind that can be counted upon to make her one of the most popular stars on the screen."

"War and Woman" shows America invaded. It shows what might happen if this city were captured by an enemy—if the Germans should not be decisively beaten in this war and should carry out their ambition to conquer the world.

It shows a patriotic young American woman forced to work as a maid in her own home, when it is taken over as officers' headquarters by the invaders. It shows girls, who might be your wives, sweethearts or sisters, "invited" to attend the dinners given by these officers, and the circumstances which attend the acceptance which they cannot refuse. It is a big picture, with a undercurrent of the Secret Service and foreign agents and enough of war to give it a punch. The hero is an American aviator. With our bird-men helping in the great war, this is an especially interesting feature.

Congress, for Example.

A man and his money are soon parted, according to the law and the prop. etc. But not half so soon as a man and somebody else's money.

PERSONAL

Brief News Concerning People We Know that Prove Interesting Reading.

Miss Vera Deitrick of Newark was a local visitor on Thursday, having spent the day with her parents on Stevens avenue.

Miss Olivia Verga of Camden is visiting at the home of her aunt in this city.

Miss Grace Van Buren of this city spent Sunday visiting with friends in Plainfield.

Miss Margaret Mitchell of David street spent Saturday in Jamesburg.

Private Rube McDowell of Wrightstown spent Sunday with George Ghear.

Mrs. A. A. Quinn, Jr., and son Arthur, are making their home in Woodbury, where Mr. Quinn is working.

Miss Mae Sweet of Long Branch was a South Amboy visitor last Sunday.

Miss Bertha Ghear of Atlantic City spent Sunday with her brother, George Ghear of David street.

Miss Gladys Hemstreet of David street enjoyed a week in Woodbury, N. J.

Mr. George S. Mills of New York City spent the early part of this week visiting with relatives in this city.

Mr. Leo Sala of Freehold was a visitor in town last Sunday.

Mr. Symmes H. Ingraham of Elizabeth visited this city Wednesday night.

Mrs. and Mr. Le Roy Mills of New York City were local visitors over the week-end, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Mills of John street.

Harold G. Hoffman of this city has been assigned to Company 6, 58th Brigade-Recruit Detachment, as acting second lieutenant, at Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Ala.

SIGMUND SALZ.

While working in a rolling mill at South Bethlehem, Pa., Saturday, Sigmund Salz, a former resident of this city, was instantly killed. Mr. Salz was changing rollers in a machine, when his clothing caught and he was hurled backwards, fracturing his skull. The remains were taken to Red Bank Sunday and the funeral was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Odd Fellows' hall on Monmouth street, Mr. Salz having been a member of Navesink lodge for several years. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends. Interment, in charge of Directors Mount & Son, was at the Hebrew burial grounds at Long Branch.

Mr. Salz, aged 41 years, at one time was employed in the dry goods store formerly conducted by his brother, Joseph Salz, at Red Bank and after that concern consolidated with A. Salz & Co., he came to this city where he was an agent for the Metropolitan Insurance company for some time and afterward took a position with the du Pont plant at Parlin. He had been employed at South Bethlehem several months. Besides his brother, Joseph, the deceased is survived by two other brothers, Charles and Leo Salz, and three sisters, Mrs. Sophia Goetz, Mrs. Carrie Schwartz, and Mrs. Pauline Doctor.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS.

Mrs. W. T. Hammell of Second street entertained a number of her friends from Keyport on Thursday afternoon of this week. A very pleasant time was spent and refreshments were served. The guests before leaving presented the hostess with a very fine gift. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. Izard and daughter Sadie; Miss Annie M. Lufburrow, Mrs. Chas. X. Crawford, Mrs. John H. Curtis, Mrs. L. H. Jones, Mrs. Marcus D. Le Roy, Mrs. Harry S. Cowles, Mrs. Thos. G. Cowles, Miss Annie Cowles, Mrs. Frank H. Hauser, Mrs. Cyrus G. Ross, Mrs. Fred Appleton, Mrs. Emil Pimper, Mrs. Robert Brannin, Mrs. George Voorhees, Mrs. Chas. Lufburrow, Mrs. Harry Simonson, Mrs. Clarence Winterton, Miss Bessie Ross, Mrs. Louisa Eckhart, Mrs. J. King, Mrs. L. Carhart, Miss Madara King, Mr. Leslie King.

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Also Pathe Weekly and Pathe Comedy

Friday, May 31

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