



WHAT I SEE AND HEAR IN SPORTS

BY HYPE

Not much to write about this week with postponements and rain outs. We only have one game to report and that was a peach between the Sacred Hearts and the Tuscons.

Eddie Triggs pitching for the Tuscons had the Hearts eating out of his hand, striking out about twelve in the regular seven inning game.

Johnny Zdanewicz bobbled a couple at short for the Hearts that might have been costly. He tries to throw his ball before he gets it and bobbles the play. Settle down Johnny and you will make any of them make a hundred in ten to beat the throw.

The Tuscons should have tied the score on the fly to Hrankowski as his throw took a double bounce and a five foot Mack could make the play from a dead start.

The umpiring appears to be at least a bit better but still can be improved on. One man who appears to know how to make a decision is Bill Cowan of A. & P. fame.

Benny Pawlowski put a real team on the field last Sunday with Horse at the initial sack; Pudney at second; Zdanewicz at short and McGonigle at third. Some classy infield and for fielding will compete with any semi-pro combination in the county. In the outfield with Cleary, the peer of outfielders and who knows what it is all about, needs a brace of assistants; then Pawlowski can give the best in the county a good trimming. What is the matter with Stimpf for one of them?

Barkey, "the Baron", is pitching in the league with a percentage of 1,000 having won two games and lost none. He is big enough and with that south-paw working right, would just finish with the same percentage. He is easily discouraged when he walks a man. Forget it when you walk one. Good men walk them intentionally.

A bad ending to the Sharkey-Schemmel (smelling) fight makes it look bad. The gang who own a slice of Sharkey couldn't sleep in a roundhouse. Schemmel was so bad that Sharkey couldn't lose the decision, therefore a foul. Maybe in the bag? Yes? No? Knows?

Primo Carera, the man with the brick scow feet will meet the dark

menace, Godfrey and both being big men should be a battle. The gate should top the recent muss and the big man from France or wherever should cop as he has gained a lot of experience in the past opponents. We hope a foul doesn't mar the meet. If a foul is committed, let them fight it out and give the fans a run for their money. We once saw Jack Denning fouled in Philly by a third rater, Jack McCarron in the first round. He asked for a few minutes rest and returned only to be knocked out, being unable to stand the punch after the weakening foul punch, but he gave the fans a run for their money. Let's have a few more fighter of the Jack Denning type for the good of the game.

St. Mary's got revenge on O'Hara and the Cathedral outfit at Trenton on Monday defeating them in the last game of the season. Lagoda pitched superb ball and only allowed one hit.

St. Mary's of Perth came and licked us in our own backyard last Friday and by so doing grabbed the championship of the Diocesan league, having been beaten in only one game in the league and that by our team. Revenge was sweet and the Perth Amboy fans went home seeming well content. The issue as to the county champ still is in the air as the only other game lost by the local boys was to Trenton Cathedral.

We see where the powers that be have designated St. Mary's of Perth as Class B Prep School champs. How so? Don't they have to beat St. Mary's of South? Another game would decide all the county championship and the Diocesan league. It is a shame that we can't have the one game when it means so much and would avoid many an argument.

We hear it rumored that the Tuscons took an awful pasting last Sunday over on Staten Island. We don't know who did it but either they are very good or the Tuscons were away off color.

Was the game between Mechanicsville and the Tuscons a postponement or a forfeit? We hear pro and con on the above.

The South Amboy Cardinals defeated the Bluebirds of this city last week by a score of 6 to 5. This is a straight win for the Cardinals. Games may be looked with this team by getting in touch with manager George Rehfuess, telephone South Amboy 765.

MECHANICSVILLE

The county forces have completed the rebuilding of certain sections of the roadway in the vicinity of the Hole in the Wall and on Monday started the work of rebuilding Raritan street. Several attempts to place this street into shape have failed. This time the complete sections of concrete which have settled to below the street level, have been taken out and new ones built in.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Durski of Wilmost street spent Sunday in Atlantic City.

Improvements to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dill on Raritan St. have been completed. Contractor McNamara was in charge of the work.

Mr. and Mrs. James Freeman of Ridgeway avenue entertained friends from Rahway Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary Wojciechowski of Conover street is completing improvements to her home at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Doherty and family of Conover street entertained friends from Elizabeth on Monday.

George Hart of Conover street spent the week end at Brooklyn.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.—In Chambers of New Jersey between Alice P. Berrien, Complainant, and Morgan F. Lamberton, Irving L. Reese, Mary Reese, his wife, Reserve Mortgage Corporation, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, and Great Investment Company, etc., Defendants. 77 1/2 for sale of mortgaged premises dated May 15, 1930.

By virtue of the above stated writ to me directed and delivered, I will expose to sale at public vendue on

WEDNESDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF

JULY, A. D. 1930 at 1 o'clock standard time (9 o'clock daylight saving time) in the afternoon of said day at the Sheriff's Office in the City of New Brunswick, N. J.

First Tract. All the premises described in the mortgage recorded in Book 334 of Mortgages, pages 404 in the office of the Clerk of the County of Middlesex and which are described in the bill of complaint filed in this cause in docket 72, page 473, situate, lying and being in the City of South Amboy in the County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey and more particularly described as follows:

Being known and designated on the map of South Amboy, made by John Perkins, Jr. in June 1895, as lots 34 and 35 in Block No. 33.

BEGINNING at a point in the northerly line of Bordentown avenue which point is also the point of intersection of the westerly line of lot No. 33 with Bordentown avenue, and from thence running (1) northerly along the dividing line between lots thirty-three and thirty-four one hundred feet more or less, thence (2) at right angles to the first course and thence parallel with Bordentown avenue fifty feet to a point, thence (3) parallel with the first course and fifty feet distant therefrom, and along the dividing line between lots 33 and 34 one hundred feet more or less to the northerly line of Bordentown avenue, thence easterly along the northerly line of Bordentown avenue to the point or place of BEGINNING.

Being a part of the same premises conveyed to Morgan Lamberton by deed of Cornelia A. Deane and husband, recorded in the Middlesex County Clerk's Office in Book 580, page 638.

Second Tract. All the premises described in the mortgage recorded in Book 334 of Mortgages, pages 404, etc., in the office of the Clerk of the County of Middlesex and which are described in the Bill of Complaint filed in this cause in docket 72, page 473, situate, lying and being in the City of South Amboy in the County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the northerly line of Louisa street which point is distant in a westerly direction two hundred forty-one (241) feet eight (8) inches from the point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Pine avenue with the northerly line of Louisa street and from such beginning point running (1) westerly along the northerly line of Louisa street twenty-nine (29) feet, (2) southerly by said westerly line of property of which a one-half interest was conveyed to Morgan Lamberton by Irving L. Reese and wife, by deed recorded in the Middlesex County Clerk's Office in Book 580, page 638, thence (3) by the easterly line of the property described in the deed last mentioned northerly one hundred (100) feet; thence (4) parallel with Louisa street and one hundred (100) feet distant therefrom twenty-nine (29) feet; (5) thence to the westerly line of property of which an undivided one-half interest was conveyed to Irving L. Reese by Morgan Lamberton by deed recorded in the Middlesex County Clerk's Office in Book 580, page 638, thence (6) southerly by said westerly line of property of which a one-half interest was conveyed to Morgan Lamberton by Irving L. Reese and wife, by deed recorded in the Middlesex County Clerk's Office in Book 580, page 638, thence (7) easterly along the northerly line of Louisa street to the point or place of BEGINNING.

Being a part of the same premises conveyed to Morgan Lamberton and Irving L. Reese by deed of Peter A. J. Heuserwald and wife, recorded in the Middlesex County Clerk's Office in Book 580, page 189.

Third Tract. All the premises described in the mortgage recorded in Book 334 of Mortgages, pages 404, etc., in the office of the Clerk of the County of Middlesex and which are described in the Bill of Complaint filed in this cause in docket 72, page 473, situate, lying and being in the City of South Amboy in the County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the northerly line of Louisa street which point is distant in a westerly direction two hundred and seventy (270) feet ten (10) inches from the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Louisa street with the westerly line of Pine avenue and from said beginning point running northerly at right angles to Louisa street one hundred feet (100 feet) to

1 point thence (2) westerly parallel with Louisa street twenty-nine (29) feet and two (2) inches to a point; thence (3) southerly parallel with the first course one hundred (100) feet to the northerly line of Louisa street, thence (4) easterly along the northerly line of Louisa street twenty-nine (29) feet and two (2) inches to the point or place of BEGINNING.

Being a part of the same premises conveyed to Morgan Lamberton and Irving L. Reese by deed of Peter A. J. Heuserwald and wife dated November 21, 1917 and recorded in the Middlesex County Clerk's Office in Book 580, page 189.

Decree for first tract amounting to approximately \$7,800.

Decree for second tract amounting to approximately \$4,700.

Decree for third tract amounting to approximately \$5,200.

Together with all and singular the rights, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

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Naval Treaty Hits Snag in Senate Johnson Threatens to Grow Beard

By E. W. Melson

Our special commentator on Naval Affairs pulled a stroke car for the I. O. O. F. and for fourteen years was a conductor on the Staten Island ferries. Aside from his attempts to swim the English Channel, he is a licensed blimp pumper and was decorated three times by the Coast Guard for passing the twelve mile limit. Next week he will tell how the treaty affects the Great Lakes excursion boats and tugging on the coast.

Sen. Johnson—Mr. Secretary, would you say this treaty gives us parity with Great Britain?

Sec. Stimson—I decline to answer that on the ground it might incriminate me, but I will say that we secured the right to carry fresh vegetables in case of war and the pants on Great Britain's sailors are to be no larger at the bottom than ours.

Sen. Johnson—Still, you must admit that the 5-3 ratio with Japan is practically nullified, is not confined?

Sec. Stimson—I don't admit that. While Japan carries more bunting, our anchors are much heavier, and our outboard motors exceed theirs 30 to 1.

Sen. Johnson—Yes, but how do you reconcile Great Britain's tonnage with our cogory?

Sec. Stimson—You have me there. The fact is, in measuring our category, Sec. Adams lost our yardstick and we used a piece of string, measuring from the chin. But don't forget we cut an escalator clause and the right to age our sauer kraut in the barrels.

Sen. Johnson—Does that explain the number of tugboats assigned to the Cuzard Line?

Sec. Stimson—I wouldn't go that far, but we secured the right to mount six-inch pinwheels on the Lehigh Valley coal barges and the Hudson River Night Line.

Sen. Johnson—You seem to have forgotten the "reducible minimum"?

Sec. Stimson—Well, in the hurry of packing I did forget it, but the hotel forwarded it later along with my Indian clubs.

Sen. Johnson—The General Board of the Navy claims that our sailors no longer have a sweetheart in every port. How did we lose that ratio?

Sec. Stimson—A secret conference was held on this and the papers reported next day that we were recruiting bow-legged sailors. My personal belief is that halitosis lost us this tonnage and that every sailor should wear a geranium.

Sen. Johnson—Actually, Mr. Secretary, what do we get to balance Japan's four-wheel brakes and Great Britain's extra gangplank?

Sec. Stimson—Clause X/20791 gives us shatter-proof glass in the windshield of our rumble seats to keep the spray off our full dress uniforms. In addition to that we retain the right to sing the Maine "Stein Song," and to dip all candidates when crossing the Equator.

Sen. Johnson—Do you believe our Navy can hold the Philippines?

Sec. Stimson—Against Switzerland, yes.

Sen. Johnson—Aren't our guns heavier than hers?

Sec. Stimson—Yes, but her cheese is stronger.

Sen. Johnson—Is this Committee to understand that our delegates got what they want after?

Sec. Stimson—Well, we got four quarts of Scotch, and we're not all home yet.

Sen. Johnson—Mr. Secretary, you must think I'm a fool?

Sec. Stimson—Well, no, I wouldn't say that. But, of course, I could be mistaken.

(Meeting was adjourned before personalities and in.)

Valuable Burle

The largest and perhaps most beautiful burle occur on redwood trees. The very large ones are valuable, being used to make nut and fruit bowls, serving trays, saucers, cribbage boards and other such articles. Small burles are sold for use as house plants, since they can be put in water and made to sprout shoots which are decorative.

Most Beautiful Words

In a voting contest some years ago the following words were selected as the most beautiful in the English language: Melody, eloquence, modesty, humor, heaven, hope, purity, splendor, virtue, faith, nobility, love, harmony, liberty, adoration, innocence, joy, sympathy, divine and happiness.

Turn About is Fair Play

A Bartlesville woman says she will quit driving from the back seat when her husband quits cooking from the dining room.—Bartlesville (Okla.) Enterprise.

Brazilian City's Elevator

Bahia, in northern Brazil, has an elevator tower containing two elevators to bring people from the plateau to the level of the bay. The city is built on two levels, and each elevator has a capacity of 27 passengers and speed of 700 feet a minute, which means that thirty passengers an hour can be carried the distance of 195 feet which separates the two parts of the city.

Wife's Inheritance

The term "inchoate interest" under the intestate laws means the vested interest which a wife has in a husband's property and which, while she cannot during his lifetime avail herself of it, cannot be diverted from her use after his death.—Washington Star.

Europe Without Deserts

Europe is the only continent which has no desert area; formerly a large part of it was covered with forests.

FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1930

MYSTERIOUS LIFE IS REVEALED IN BAFFLING MURDER

Man Left Behind 2 Homes, 2 Undivorced Wives and Two Children.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—The mysterious life of David J. Sturtz, thirty-two years old, chief automobile mechanic for a local concern, has ended in a mystery. Sturtz, whose battered and bullet-ridden body was found behind a fence in a suburb recently, leaves behind him two homes, two undivorced wives and two children, according to police.

No clue to Sturtz' murderer has been discovered. His reputed wives are grief-stricken. They know of no enemy who might have had cause to kill him. Neither knew of the other's existence until after the murder.

Had City and Country Homes. Sturtz, according to police, secretly maintained a home in the city and a home in the country. In his body were found his automobile license in the name of D. J. Sturtz and an identification card which asked that in case of accident notice be given to Mrs. D. J. Staylor.

Mrs. Staylor, who is nineteen years old, positively identified the body of the slain man as that of the man she married several months ago. She knew her husband had been married before and had a ten-year-old child



Body Was Found.

living with a family at Rodi, near here. His first wife, "Thelma," died she said he told her. Mrs. Staylor said she thought it all right for her husband to spend his week-end visiting his son until they had saved enough money to buy their own home and bring the lad to live with them.

Body Identified. She saw nothing odd in his auto license, being in the name of D. J. Sturtz, for he told her his license in his own name had been revoked after an auto accident.

At the other home of Sturtz were found two children and Mrs. Thelma Sturtz, twenty-nine years old. The woman said she had been married to Sturtz for thirteen years. They were paying for their home by monthly installments, she said, and to save money her husband did not make the long trip home except at the week-ends.

Her brother identified the body of the slain man as her husband.

Cat Takes to Kittens She Did Not Bring In

Haverhill, Mass.—Mary had a little lamb, its fleece as white as snow, and everywhere that Mary went, the lamb was sure to go. It followed her to school one day.

All very well for a lamb. Undoubtedly, the children loved it. But what if a skunk follows its owner to school? Well... The subject is not being discussed by David Wallace, eleven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Wallace of this city.

The polecat, with two brothers, was found by young Wallace early in the summer. One has since died. The problem of rearing the two remaining ones was getting serious when in stepped "Lindy Lou," the Wallace pet cat. She had a litter of three kittens to wean, and she added the polecats. Latest reports were that the entire group of cats were getting along nicely. Despite the fact that she is a stepmother, "Lindy Lou" is not showing any partiality.

Has Fake Made of \$15,000 Necklace; Original Stolen

London.—Mrs. Norman M. Giffy of Kensington was too careful when she left for a holiday trip in the Mediterranean. Fearing that she might lose her \$15,000 pearl necklace, she had a paste replica made to take on the voyage, leaving the genuine article behind. She returned to discover that the necklace had been stolen, along with other articles of jewelry valued at \$10,000.

Boats Prove Untrue

Brookton, Mass.—Fred F. Cogswell, thirty-four, was overboard when he attempted suicide with illuminating gas. Policemen who broke into his room and saved him found a note addressed to Dr. W. W. Fullerton, medical examiner. It read: "Hello, Doctor Fullerton. Just give me credit for doing a good job."

Acetylene Welding

Acetylene was discovered by Edmund Davy, an English chemist, in 1800. The process of oxyacetylene welding was first suggested by Le Chatelier in France about 1865, and the first welding equipment for factory use was introduced into the United States from France in 1905.

From Old Salutation

The slang phrase, "so long," is said to be a corruption of the word "adieu."

FAVORITE RECIPES OF A FAMOUS CHEF

As Told to Anne Baker By ROGER CRETAUX, Chef, The Roosevelt, New York City

Spaghetti Imperial—Heat one fourth cup salad oil in a saucepan. Add two medium-size chopped onions and two tablespoons chopped green peppers.

Cook until half tender. Then add one pint canned tomatoes, one teaspoon salt, and one and a half cups of sugar. Cook slowly until the onions and peppers are done, and the sauce is reduced by about one-third. Have ready one-half pound cooked spaghetti. The spaghetti is cooked by dropping it in rapidly boiling, salted water and cooking until tender. Place the spaghetti in a heated dish. Pour the sauce over it, and grate over the top two ounces of Parmesan cheese.

Stuffed Cucumbers—Cut three medium-size cucumbers in half lengthwise, and cook until tender in salted water. Scoop out the centers, and fill each half with a mixture consisting of three cups cooked rice, one cup chili sauce, one tablespoon vinegar, one tablespoon sugar, two tablespoons tomato ketchup, one teaspoon paprika, salt and pepper to taste, and one large onion which has been chopped fine and cooked in melted butter. Serve immediately, being sure that the portions are very hot.



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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

Henry A. Nilson, administrator of the estate of John A. Nilson, deceased, having exhibited under oath a true account of the personal estate and debts of said intestate, whereby it appears that the personal estate of the said John A. Nilson, deceased, is insufficient to pay his debts and requesting the aid of the court in the premises.

It is thereupon this 12th day of June, 1930, ordered that all persons interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate of the said John A. Nilson, deceased, appear before this court at the Court House in the City of New Brunswick on the 8th day of August 1930, at 10 A. M., to show cause why so much of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate of the said John A. Nilson, deceased, should not be sold as will be sufficient to pay his debts.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the South Amboy Citizen one of the newspapers of this state for six weeks at least once in each week.

JOHN P. KIRKPATRICK, Judge.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1930

Firemen Want More
Members in Fire Co's.:
Urge Council To HelpWant Full Quotas For Three Com-
panies—Now Forbidden By City
Action.

The Common Council was urged at a meeting Wednesday night to rescind its action of some three years ago and permit three local fire companies to add new members to bring the membership up to the former strength of forty members each. The urging came in the form of a letter from Henry Mehrlander, who designated himself as chairman of the Firemen's Representative Committee.

Three years ago the Council adopted a resolution which provided that no new members should be taken into any fire company unless the membership was below twenty men. The intent of the Council at the time was to reduce the fire department to one hundred members with twenty members in each of the five local companies. The resolution affected only three fire companies in the local volunteer department. These companies were the Protection, Hook and Ladder and Enterprise, whose regulations for many years have provided for a membership of forty men. The Mechanicsville Hose Company and the Progressive Fire Company regulations permit only twenty members in each of the companies.

The Firemen's Representative Committee letter explained that the committee was composed of the Chief of the Fire Department, and two Assistant Chiefs and a representative from each of the fire companies. The letter explained that the action of the Council in reducing the fire company membership was working an unfair hardship upon a great many worthy buffalo members and therefore ought to be changed.

The action of the Council was a motion offered by Councilman Walczak to refer the matter to the Council as a whole. The vote of the four members of the Council was unanimous in favor of the motion. Councilman Inman was absent.

The Council session was as usual quite brief. It's action on an bus application was likewise abrupt. The Vanetti Brothers wanted to run three buses between West New York and Kearnsburg without stops enroute. The application was unanimously received and filed, Councilman Malloy offering the motion.

Five resolutions were adopted. The first authorized the city solicitor, the treasurer, clerk and mayor to take the necessary legal steps to procure the money requested by the Board of Public Works for sewer extensions on Catherine street. One recognized the heroism of Emmet Ford, a local boy, in rescuing a playmate from drowning some months ago. The remaining three were in the form of condolences to the bereaved families of John Sutcliffe, Andrew Borlund and Leo Whalen, recently deceased members of this community.

Children's Day Held
at M. E. Church SundayBoth Morning and Evening Ser-
vices Given Over to Pageants.

Last Sunday morning at eleven o'clock, the Children's Day exercises were held in the John Street M. E. Church. The members of the primary and junior Sunday Schools presented a delightful pageant entitled "The Children of the World" and the performance was enjoyed by a large audience consisting of practically every child in the parish as well as many parents. In addition to the pageant, the program contained many recitations and songs and was concluded by a group song.

A well filled church viewed the presentation of "The Palace of Joy" pageant last Sunday evening at the John Street M. E. Church. The pageant was under the direction of Mrs. Eleanor Mason Carr, and her interpretation of this beautiful pageant which is considered one of Verona Whitney's finest, was hugely enjoyed. Particularly enjoyable was the rendering by Mrs. L. E. Stults of Henry Zanghau's beautiful song "Calvary". The costuming was under the direction of Mrs. Frank Stratton and Messrs. Carr and Stults constructed the scenery used. Miss Jean Coogan and Mrs. Joseph Goodstone were the pianists.

LA RUE BOY HAS PARTY
FOR 7TH BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee LaRue entertained at a young people's party Wednesday evening of the seventh birthday of their son, Leg Orville. The little tot spent a very pleasant afternoon, playing games and delicious refreshments were served. Master Leg Orville received many lovely gifts. Those present were: Ruth Applegate, Jean and May Conley, Ruth Hardy, Ann Kennedy, Marlon Bowman, Margaret Slover, Milton Huff, Ruth Strasser, Russell Newcombe, Louise Petty, Ernest Smalley, Lee La Rue, Milton Bloodgood, Warren La Rue, Peter Cookley, Mrs. H. B. Ware and Mrs. J. Lee La Rue.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Nora Burland and family will hold in grateful remembrance the many acts of kindness and sympathy extended by their relatives and friends in their recent sorrow.

DEAD OFFICER'S WIDOW
FORMER LOCAL GIRL

The death in Perth Amboy during the past week of Officer Albert McDonald, due to blood poisoning, has brought grief to many of his friends in this city. His wife was formerly Miss Catherine Leary, of this city, and besides his widow he is survived by a nine year old daughter, Catherine. For over nine years Officer McDonald was one of the familiar figures on Smith Street, Perth Amboy, where his traffic post was located. The funeral was held in Perth Amboy yesterday from St. Mary's church.

MSGR. GRIFFIN TELLS
OF PRIEST'S ORDINATION

(Continued from first page)
and effect thereby, His living presence amongst them upon the altar. The priest, then, was in truth an 'alter Christus', another Christ.

"Msgr. Griffin pointed out how this fact was emphasized in the awe-inspiring ceremonies in conferring the Sacrament of Holy Orders. He referred to the ceremony in the Cathedral in Newark on Pentecost Sunday when Right Reverend Bishop Walsh of Newark had ordained twenty-three deacons to the Priesthood. He described the ceremony. In the first place the people were represented asking the Bishop to give them more priests in the persons of these twenty-three deacons. The Bishop inquired as to their worthiness, and then in solemn words reminded them of their responsibility and their dignity. They were to die to the world while they would still be in it, yet not of it.

"Falling down upon their faces, they

lay prostrate while the Bishop and all present joined in calling down God's mercy upon these young men. Then followed the investiture in the sacred robes of their office; in the stole, which indicated the sweet yoke of Christ, and the Chasuble with its cross denoting the spirit of sacrifice, and falling in folds over the whole body accentuating the charity of Christ which should completely envelope the priest.

"As the chief duty of the priest is to offer sacrifice and thereby fulfill the words of the Prophecy—'Thou art a Priest forever according to the order of Melchisedech' as well as the Prophecy of Malachias that from the rising of the sun to the going down thereof, a clean oblation would be offered in God's name and make it great among the Gentiles.

"The power to take the chalice with the wine, and the paten with the bread, and with the words of Consecration change them into the Body and Blood of Christ, was the chief action in the rite or Ordination.

"A most impressive ceremony was the consecrating with Holy Chrism, of the forefinger and thumb, and then the whole hand of the newly ordained priests, with the prayer that 'Whatever you bless may be blessed, and whatever you consecrate may be consecrated and made holy. After this the hands of the priests were bound together with a linen handkerchief indicating that henceforth whenever they were raised they were to be as instruments of God for bringing down blessings.

"The Bishop then imposed his hands upon the priests just as Christ had extended His hands over the Apostles, bring down into their souls the Holy Ghost, and communicating the powers of the Priesthood. Together

with the Bishop, some thirty priests present laid their hands one by one upon each of the newly ordained, communicating likewise the Holy Ghost.

"After this part in the ceremony, each of the newly ordained opened up the Mass Book before him and continued with the Bishop to offer up the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, repeating each word with him, uttering the words of Consecration which now effected the change of bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ. After they had received Holy Communion, the Bishop concluded the solemn ceremony with another imposition of hands and conferring the power to forgive sins with the words, 'Receive ye the Holy Ghost; whose sins you shall forgive they are forgiven them, and whose sins you shall retain, they are retained.'

"The Bishop gave to each of the young men, the Kiss of Peace after they had placed their hands in his and promised him and his successors, obedience and reverence unto death.

"It was this sacred ordination that had transformed the young man in whose honor so many have come together this morning, from a mere human being into something that was in dignity, greater than an angel. Henceforth, Francis Lyons had power to open up the heavens and at his word, the King of Kings descends once more upon the earth. Words from his lips would resound in Heaven, and sinners would be reinstated in letters of gold. His hand raised in benediction would effect what the hand of Christ had done; and laid upon the sick would cause them to recover. This young man had gone step by step in this same Church; first, as a little boy to receive his First Holy Communion outside the altar rail. He had been

permitted later on to kneel at the foot of the altar to serve as an acolyte. It was then that he heard the voice of the Master calling him, and filling his heart with the desire to stand upon the highest step close to the Altar, and do what the priest was doing.

"Catholics know the power of the Priesthood, and give him the reverence and respect such as are accorded to no ordinary human being. In their lives, he is the most important individual, and at the hour of death he alone is necessary. Even non-Catholics feel that there is something in a Catholic priest that makes him different from all other men; and they have reason to do this for he is an ambassador of Christ. He belongs to another world. He is a Minister Pleni Potentiarius from Heaven. It is thus that St. Paul says 'The faithful are to consider the priests as ministers of God and dispensers of His mysteries.'

Monsignor Griffin concluded by saying that he congratulated the good father, relatives and friends of Father Lyons; and also considered this one of the happiest days of his life in as much as his own Silver Jubilee was being crowned with the happiness of seeing one of his own boys take up the Yoke of Christ to perpetuate it in the Priesthood after he had gone to his reward.

After the mass a reception and dinner was tendered Father Lyons at Seacroft Inn, which was attended by some two hundred clergy, relatives and friends. The principal speaker at the affair was Rt. Rev. Msgr. Griffin who told the assemblage that no-

thing during his Silver Jubilee Celebration gave him greater happiness than to "have one of my boys ordained as a priest." Other speakers were Rev. Henry A. Faber, Rev. Father 1922, Father Lyons also made a short Carney, of Jamesburg; Rev. Father

Looney, Rev. Father Dooling, Rev. John Maron, John Cooney, a cousin of the guest of honor, and John J. McDonnell, representing the Class of 1922, Father Lyons also made a short address.

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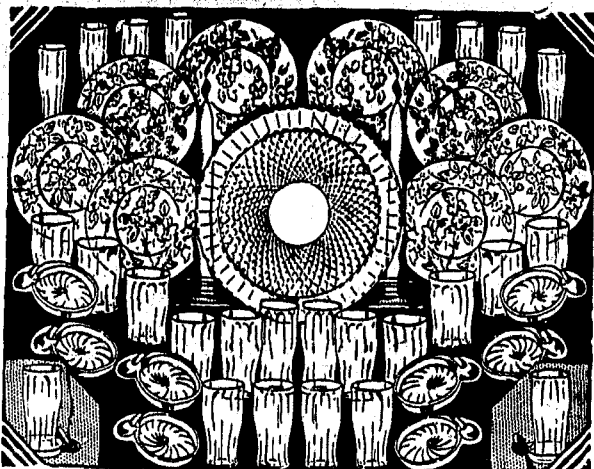
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From the rise of the first curtain on a riot of scenic color, presenting to the astonished gaze of the first-nighters a stage alive with beautiful and fast-stepping girls, the audience was held gasping and astonished until the final ensemble, moving rhythmically to glorious music, was cut off from its view by a reluctant curtain. Scene succeeded scene, and laughter mounted upon the wings of laughter in a crescendo of mirth and beauty until the audience, bewildered by a lavishness never before seen on any stage, released its overflowing feelings, in cheers that rocked the walls of the packed playhouse.

In addition to the well known features of this series of revues, the latest edition presents a thrilling story that begins to unfold itself musically and pictorially from the first moment, a tender story of love and beauty, of artists struggling for recognition in the brilliant settings of Paris and the Mediterranean, that is as good as the best story of the Bohemian life that Murger ever wrote.

Starred in this revue is the incomparable Phil Baker, who in himself can make any theatrical evening memorable. With his beloved and famous accordion and his "plant" in the stage box, Baker convulses the audience in whirlwinds of laughter that leave it weak from exhaustion and happiness. Never has Mr. Baker's material been so many, never has he played so well, and never has he held his public as easily in the hollows of his clever and talented hands.

But that is very far from being all. Alleen Stanley, in her beautiful simplicity and with her remarkable ability for putting across a simple song filled with human emotion and laughter, swayed the huge audience, at one moment to laughter, at another to the verge of tears.

Also in this superlative cast were George Hassell and Vera Pearce, the latter a comedienne from London making her debut, and the former an old-time favorite whose very presence on any stage is enough to put any audience into a good humor. These two comedians play opposite each other through this revue, and they cause the house almost to rock with laughter. Miss Pearce is amazingly facile on her feet and she and Mr. Hassell do a grotesque dance together that will probably be listed as a comedy classic for many theatrical seasons.

The cast leaves nothing to be desired, comprising many headliners such as Miss Florence, direct from the Folies Bergere, in Paris, Naomi Johnson, known as the most beautiful girl on the America stage, Harry Welsh, the internationally famous comedian, Halfred Young, with his voice of gold, Mary Adams, who sings and dances equally well—which is saying a great deal—Dolores De Monde, Pierce & Harris, adagio dancers who stop the show with a specialty dance that had even hardened first nighters on the edges of their seats, the Rath Brothers, well known for their many winter garden appearances, and many others. The music is supplied by the orchestra, Rumba Band, from Havana and introduces to Broadway jazz of a quality not often heard in this part of the world.

As for the show girls and the chorus it can truthfully be said that their like has never before been seen here. Never has chorus been so well paid—it is said that some of them get as high as two hundred dollars a week—and never has a chorus deserved such high pay. They sing and they dance, and they are active and alive on the tremendous stage of the Majestic Theatre, every moment, combining themselves at one moment into pleasing pictures that delight the eye and at another moment being galvanized into synchronized rhythmic action that is a marvel of precision.

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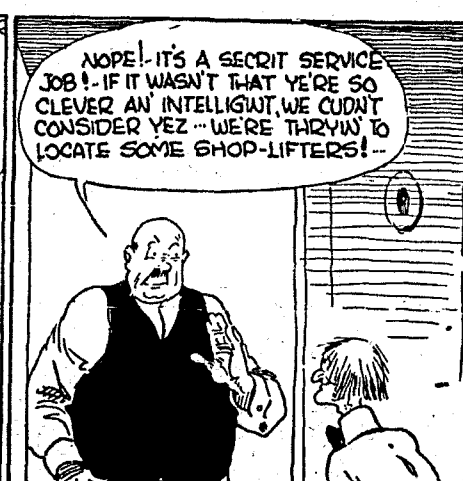
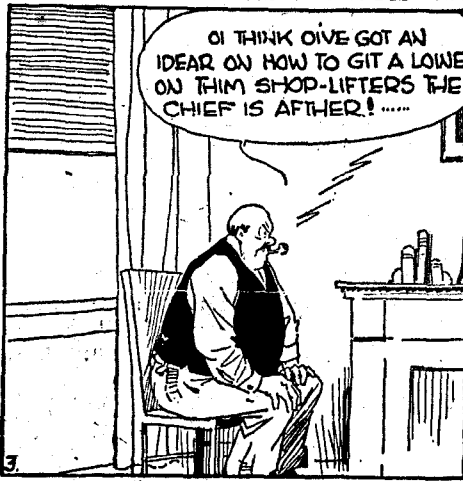
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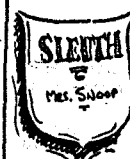
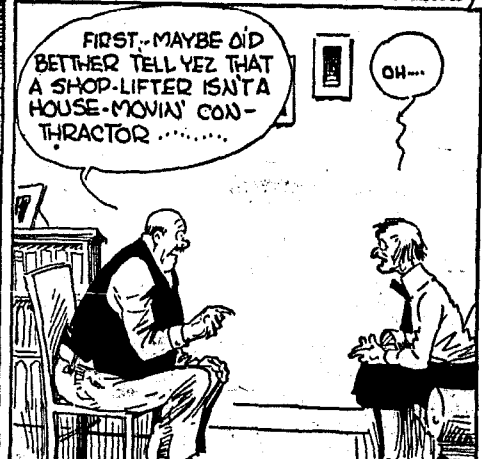
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Insects Long on Earth

Insects are among the oldest of all animals that have living representatives on the earth today, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Their fossil remains have been found in the rocks of the geologic period commonly known as the carboniferous, which, according to present methods of calculating past time, may have been laid down as long ago as 300,000,000 years.

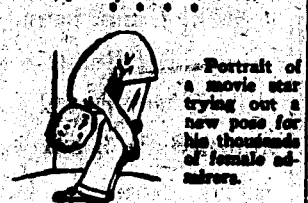
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Portrait of a movie star trying out a new pose for his thousands of female admirers.

Mr. Clemens, Mich.—A cigarette lighter that refused to work resulted in painful injury to Mr. and Mrs. Paulweit and their son, Robert, all of Detroit, today. Attempting to light a cigarette with an obstinate lighter while wife and son watched with intense interest, Paulweit lost control of the machine which ran into a ditch, breaking the windshield and hurling all three through the broken glass.

It's a question whether the cigarette lighter or the ball woe-vil has been the most benefit to this country.

Testimony is being heard in the \$5,000 damage suit of Miss Margaret Mahoney, 21, of Peekskill, against Thomas O'Brien, 57, of Briarcliffe.

Miss Mahoney says in her complaint that O'Brien was holding Miss Mary King, 19, on his lap at the time of an alleged auto accident.

N. Y. Eve. Journal.

At 57, holding a girl of 19 on your lap is not an accident. It's a miracle.



Poor Form

Dear Mrs. Bagget:
I attended a wedding recently and among the flowers was an artificial design in the form of a wreath. What a correct, or does the time of the year make any difference?

Maasha.

The time of the year does make a difference, Maasha. Fresh horses, shoes are obtainable only in the early spring. At any other time it is better form to give a bouquet of brass knuckles made up to resemble azaleas, or doves. This gives each party to the nuptials the proper recognition.

Railroad Passengers

To Be Given Tulips

CHICAGO, May 9.—Two hundred and fifty thousand tulips will be given to passengers on the Burlington Railroad system during the next week.

The flowers have all been grown from outdoor beds situated on station grounds at 200 points along the railroad.

N. Y. Telegram.

A sprig of parsley or a bunch of onions would go a lot farther.

The handsome hero with the jutting jaw may be a freak in a few generations unless we wake up to the properties of spinach, according to Dr. Franklin A. Squires, District Chairman of the Dental Society of New York. "The jaws of America will diminish unless we eat more vegetables," says he.

Even if spinach was a vegetable, we'd as soon have a receding chin or incipient hang-nail.



One of the new shoes developed in the Brille laboratories with a sole so sensitive a blind man can tell heads and tails on a dime. Safety glass people are reported developing one on the glass-bottomed boat principle so the wearer will not be picking up buttons and spurious coins.

Lamb Without a Fleece

KENTON, Ohio.—A freak lamb, owned by J. W. Snyder, of near here, is arousing much interest in this community. The lamb has lived four weeks without acquiring hair, wool or even eyelashes. The skin is a deep pink, hangs in folds and becomes sunburned when the lamb is allowed to play in the sunlight.

No doubt nature is experimenting on a species that will be safe in Wall Street.

James E. Case, 22 years old, suffered severe cuts on ears and hands when his roadster hit a milk-wagon horse at Stevenson St., its head going through the top of the car and bumping his. Glass from the wind-breaker cut the horse so severely it fell to the ground.

JOURNAL, Flint, Mich.

Horses all over the country are demanding shatterproof glass and lighter milk wagons.

Police Commissioner Whalen says, "We must stop jay walking and save the lives and limbs of pedestrians in spite of themselves."

N. Y. World.

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BY "WOOD BURNS"

A movement is under way to make Anti-Red demonstrations similar to that held by the V. F. W. in Union Square in New York City on May 1st an annual affair. Department Commander Monroe Curtis of the Department of New York stated in commenting upon the matter: "The Anti-Red rally staged by the V. F. W. in Union Square did more to impress our alien citizenry than all the policemen's clubs in New York City".

Every V. F. W. Post in those cities where Communists take advantage of our laws governing free speech will be urged to follow in the footsteps of their New York comrades, fighting fire with fire and Communism with Americanism.

In connection with the 31st National Encampment of the V. F. W. to be held in Baltimore from August 31 to September 5th an inter-service athletic tournament in which representatives of the army, navy, marines, national guard and the Baltimore police and fire departments will be entered will be held.

The tournament will be held in the great Baltimore stadium on September 2, following the annual military parade.

In a recent bulletin, National Headquarters has cautioned World War veterans against the purchase of medals being distributed by an organization calling itself the French Veterans of the World War. The method used by representatives of this organization is to approach a veteran with overseas service and show him an order, reputed to be signed by responsible officials of the French government authorizing the wearing of the medal by former American soldiers. A small fee to cover mailing charges is then collected.

Recently in an appearance before the Ways and Means Committee of the House, when he urged consideration of a plan for the immediate cash payment of the government's Adjusted Compensation Annuity, Edwin S. Bethlehem Jr., chairman of the National Legislative Committee of the V. F. W., pointed out to the committee that World War veterans are dying off at the average rate of 70 per day.

The average has greatly increased since last year, when official figures showed an average of 10 veterans dying per day.

Tuberculosis contracted as a result of exposure while in the service was the cause of the greatest number of deaths, comrades Bethlehem stated.

Acting Secretary of the Navy, Lee J. Jacobs has advised the 31st national encampment committee of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U. S. that the navy department has ordered a battleship to appear at Baltimore in honor of the 1930 convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U. S., August 31 to September 5. The battleship will land a band and a battalion of blue-jackets for the annual military parade on September 2 and a battalion of marines will be formed by the marine guard. A large detachment from the marine barracks at Quantico, Va., will also be sent to Baltimore accompanied by an 86 piece band.

Present plans, based on the probable presence of President Hoover in the reviewing stand, give indications of a large military parade and demonstration in the history of Baltimore.

Aloysius Leonard, the Post chaplain, who besides being an ardent balloon enthusiast is a lover of dogs and has a number at his home, was approached the other day by an elderly woman who said: "Mr. Leonard, your dog bit me on the ankle."

"Well, that's as high as he could reach. You wouldn't expect a little pup like that to bite you on the neck would you?" was the chaplain's reply.

Recently a certain well-known member of the Post was giving another piece of advice on the national platform. "Don't you realize when you've reached your capacity? After you've had no more whiskey, you should order some soft drink like sarsaparilla," said the advisor.

"I tried that Phil" returned the other, "but when I'd drunk that much I couldn't any sarsaparilla."

Joe Claffy: "A lot of women will be made miserable when I marry."

Joe Letta: "What are you, a Mormon?"

Decisive action supporting legislation making possible immediate payment of world war adjusted compensation certificates will be urged by Michigan veterans when the 81st national encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States convenes at Baltimore, August 31 to September 5th.

Under the leadership of Department Commander A. D. Vandervoort, Lansing, the Michigan vets have gathered 40,000 signatures affixed to petitions urging congressional attention to this sentiment among veterans of the world war who received a twenty year paid-up insurance policy in lieu of a bonus.

CITY OF SOUTH AMBOY, N. J.

Year Ending December 31, 1929

The Honorable Mayor and Councilmen,
City of South Amboy, New Jersey.

Sirs:

In accordance with our contract we have made and completed an audit of the accounts and records of the City of South Amboy, Middlesex County, New Jersey, for the calendar year 1929.

Our audit was conducted in strict compliance with the requirements of the State Department of Municipal Accounts and the various schedules required by the Commissioner were prepared and are attached to this report. The following comments are respectfully submitted in connection with our audit:

CURRENT DIVISION

Cash—\$7,359.76

All recorded cash which was finally handled by the Treasurer was traced to the departmental records and into the Treasurers' records and from the Treasurers' records to the various depositories.

The balance at December 31, 1929 was verified by direct communication with the depositories and reconciled with the general ledger control. The Collector and Treasurer are bonded for \$200,000.00 each. These bonds were examined by us and were in force at December 31, 1929. Separate bank accounts are not kept for the various divisions (Current and Capital), but the records are so divided that the amount applicable to each division is readily ascertainable. All payments were traced to the records and appear to be properly distributed.

Taxes—\$132,937.13

The tax duplicate for the year under review was added and proved, and substantial tests were made of postings from the cash books to the current duplicate.

The items of unpaid taxes appearing in the records at December 31, 1929, applicable to the years 1921 to 1930 were listed and the general ledger control accounts adjusted to the detail.

There is considerable difference between the detail and the general ledger control of taxes for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920, the detail being in excess of the general ledger control. We did not adjust the control accounts for these years as we were informed that it was the intention of the Council to utilize the Reserve for Taxes already created to abate these items.

Abatement and remissions were checked against Council authorizations. A Tax Sale was held during the year under review, as required by law.

It was noted that unpaid 1923 taxes include a balance of \$3,495.81 assessed in the year as Second Class Railroad Tax. The total assessment for this class of tax in 1923 was \$45,767.75. We are informed that the county retained \$3,495.81 in remitting for this tax claiming the amount to be due it from the city.

Franchise Taxes—\$1,841.83

At December 31, 1929 unpaid Franchise Taxes amounted to \$1,841.83. Included in this amount is \$727.95 assessed against the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company for the years 1928 and 1929. The Company has disputed this assessment and the courts have sustained its contention. It will, therefore, be necessary to eliminate this item from the records as advised in a letter from the State Board of Taxes and Assessments under the date of February 27, 1930.

Tax Title Liens—\$4,531.15

At December 31, 1929 Tax Title Liens purchased by the City amounted to \$4,531.15.

We have corrected the detail of the Tax Title Liens and accumulated to the liens taxes assessed against the properties effected subsequent to the date of the liens, where information was available.

It was noted that the old Tax Title Liens are in a majority of cases against property which cannot be definitely identified in the records. In some cases the present owners dispute the liens and claim that the amounts are not due. It is recommended that an analysis be made of the old Tax Title Liens and if no data is available in support of the lien the amount be eliminated from the records by proper action. The details of this account are shown on Exhibit G.

Due From Capital—\$11,252.84

This amount represents the amount due the Current Division of Accounts from the Capital Division for funds advanced. The amount did not change during the year 1929.

Accounts Receivable—\$313.51

This amount represents balances due the city for amounts due to and not received by the Treasurer at December 31, 1929. The detail of this item is presented under the caption, "Miscellaneous Current Revenues," and shown on Exhibit I.

Deferred Charges to be Appropriated

The following deferred items appear on our Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1929:

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| Emergency Revenues | | |
| Fire House Relocation | \$2,450.00 | 5,250.00 |
| Fire Alarm Siren | 2,900.00 | 5,250.19 |
| Overexpenditures 1929 | | 10,585.19 |
| The above Emergency Revenues were provided for in the 1930 budget. | | |
| The 1930 budget also provides for \$2,741.97 of the above overexpenditures, as follows: | | |
| Overexpenditures 1929 | \$1,941.97 | |
| Reserve for 1929 bills | 800.00 | |
| | \$2,741.97 | |

which leaves a balance of \$2,493.22 to be provided for in a subsequent budget. This difference of \$2,493.22 arises from the fact that the exact amount of unpaid 1929 commitments was not known at the time the 1930 budget was adopted.

Your attention is respectfully directed to Chapter 219, P. L. 1914, which makes overexpending an appropriation a misdemeanor:

Penalty for Overexpending Appropriations—"Any person or persons, board or body charged with or having the control of any State office, department or institution, any board of chosen freeholders, or any township committee, or any board of aldermen, or common councilmen, or any board of education, or any board of commissioners of any county, township, city, town or borough in this State, or any committee of any such board, committee or commission, which, or any member thereof, who shall disburse, order or vote for the disbursement of public moneys, in excess of the appropriation respectively to any such board or committee, or which board or committee, or any member thereof, who shall incur obligations in excess of the appropriation and limit of expenditure provided by law for the purposes respectively of any such board or committee, thus disbursing, ordering or voting for the disbursement and expenditure of public moneys, or thus incurring obligations in excess of the amount appropriated, and limit of expenditure as now or hereafter appropriated and limited by law, shall be jointly or severally guilty of a misdemeanor; provided, nothing herein shall prevent any board of education from keeping open the public schools."

LIABILITIES

Notes Payable—

Tax Revenue \$148,000.00
Emergency 5,350.00
At December 31, 1929 the City had Tax Revenue Notes outstanding in the amount of \$148,000.00. This indebtedness was verified by direct communication with the holders.

We were unable to locate authorization in the minutes for notes in amount of \$45,000.00 issued under date of March 15, 1929, and paid December 15, 1929. This was referred to the clerk who stated that appropriate authorization would be passed at the next meeting of the Council to cover these notes.

Emergency notes were outstanding under proper resolutions adopted by the City Council. These were verified by direct communication with the holders.

Accounts Payable—\$3,615.38

At December 31, 1929, checks of prior years, amounting to \$514.94 had not been presented for payment and were recorded as outstanding. We have transferred these items from the Current Cash account to a liability account—Accounts Payable. Unpaid 1929 commitments as at December 31, 1929, in the amount of \$3,100.74 were charged to 1929 appropriations and included under this caption, making a total of \$3,615.38, appearing on our Balance Sheet (Exhibit A-1).

The details of the account are shown on Exhibit H.

The city does not maintain a voucher register and the amount of claims applicable to 1929 was determined by an examination of the payments in the early part of 1930.

Tax Overpayments—\$549.76

At December 31, 1929, tax overpayments were recorded in the amount of \$549.76. If it is the intention of the Council to refund these items we recommend that the amounts be refunded to the property owners from whom the money was received. If these amounts are not to be refunded we recommend a transfer to Surplus Revenue.

Reserve for Taxes—\$4,018.63

It has been the good practice of the Council to provide an appropriation in the annual budget to provide for uncollectible taxes. At December 31, 1929, the unused portion of this reserve amounted to \$4,018.63.

Surplus Revenue \$7,288.44

At December 31, 1929, Surplus Revenue amounted to \$7,288.44.

MISCELLANEOUS CURRENT REVENUES

Tax Searches—

Our verification of tax searches issued by the Collector indicated fees collected and remitted to the Treasurer in the amount of \$111.00.

Petty Licenses—

Our verification of licenses issued by the Chief of Police indicated the following:

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| Total Issued 1929 | \$ 613.00 |
| Remitted 1929: | |
| Dog Licenses | \$ 236.00 |
| Petty Licenses | 371.50 607.50 |
| Balance | \$ 5.50 |

BOARD OF HEALTH

Our verification of licenses issued and fees collected by the Board of Health indicated the following:

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| Balance—January 1, 1929 | \$ 4.00 |
| Issued 1929 | 429.50 |
| Remitted 1930 | \$ 433.50 |

The amount entered above as 1929 receipts includes \$64.00 applicable to 1928 which amount was not included in 1928 income because of the fact that the stubs were not submitted for audit at that date.

POLICE COURT FINES

The fines imposed by the Recorder as recorded in the docket were listed and the total amounted to \$786.00. The remissions to the Treasurer amounted to \$953.50 indicating remissions in the amount of \$167.50 in excess of recorded fines.

BUS FEES

Inspection of the cash receipts in January, 1930, indicated receipts for December bus fees in the amount of \$154.94. This amount has been accrued as a 1929 revenue and included in Accounts Receivable at December 31, 1929.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Examination of the fines and fees collected by the Public Library indicated the following:

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|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Fines and Fees collected 1929 | \$ 197.37 |
| Remitted 1929 | 49.50 |
| Balance | \$ 148.27 |

The balance was remitted in 1930. We have included the amount in Accounts Receivable at December 31, 1929.

CURRENT GENERAL

During the year of 1929 claims presented or irregular vouchers were paid. These irregularities consisted of:

- (a) Signature of claimant was missing;
- (b) No acknowledgment.

This condition was referred to the City Clerk and we are pleased to note that all claims received in 1930 are required to be in regular form before being acted upon.

TAX DEPARTMENT

Attention is directed to the fact that Chapter 236, Pamphlet Laws of 1918, relative to unpaid taxes has not been complied with.

INTEREST ON DELINQUENT TAXES

While our contract does not provide for the computation of interest on delinquent taxes, substantial tests were made of the interest collected by the Collector on delinquent taxes. These tests disclosed that all the interest due the city was not being collected because some time is allowed to pass before interest is charged on taxes of the current year.

In this connection we respectfully direct your attention to Chapter 236, P. L. 1918.

"902—Taxes shall be payable, one-half of the amount thereof on the first day of April, which if not paid on or before the first day of June will become delinquent on that date and the taxpayer or property assessed will be subject to the penalties hereinafter prescribed. The remaining half of said taxes shall be paid on or before the first day of December, after which date, if unpaid, they shall become delinquent and the taxpayer or property owner subject to the same penalties.

"903—The governing body of each Municipality shall have power to fix by resolution the rate of discount to be allowed for the payment of taxes or assessments previous to the date on which the same would become delinquent, which rate of discount shall not exceed six per centum per annum, and shall be allowed only in case of payment on or before the thirtieth day previous to the date on which the said taxes or assessments would become delinquent; and also the rate of interest to be charged for the non-payment of taxes or assessments on or before the date when same would become delinquent, which rate for non-payment as aforesaid shall not exceed the rate of nine per centum per annum, nor be less than seven per centum per annum." Chapter 236, P. L. 1918. Approved March 4, 1918.

It will be noted from the above extract that the penalty for interest runs from the date of delinquency and that no discretion is allowed the Collector in the extension of time before the collection of interest.

We are informed that this condition has always existed in the City of South Amboy. However, during the incumbency of the present Collector the amount of interest collected has been increasing and the proportion of the amount collected of the amount due has increased to the point where the Collector informs us that all of the interest due will be collected on taxes becoming delinquent in 1929.

TRUST DIVISION

Cash—\$21,693.03

Trust Cash was verified in the same manner as Current Cash.

Assessments Receivable—\$14,455.07

The detail of Assessments Receivable is shown on Exhibit T-2. All items appearing in the records as unpaid were listed and the total agreed with the general ledger control.

At December 31, 1929, Assessment Liens were recorded as unpaid in the amount of \$169.33.

We were informed that this item represents liens secured by the City through a sale of delinquent water taps.

There is no detail information available.

It is recommended that effort be made to ascertain the detail of this amount, if available. If no detail can be determined the items should be provided for in a subsequent budget.

Assessments Abated—\$146.50.

This amount represents assessments abated in prior years. There was no change during 1929.

Provision was made for this item in the 1930 budget.

Water Rents Receivable—\$9,987.31.

At December 31, 1929, unpaid water rents as billed were recorded at \$9,987.31.

The detail of this account was listed and the total amounted to \$536.11 more than the general ledger control. This difference was referred to the Water Department office and the total of the charges and credits in the detail records was listed and agreed with the total charges and credits in the general ledger control. This difference may be the result of an error in extending the balances or the total charges to the detail may have been in excess of the charges to the control. If the latter is the case the sales for 1929 will be increased \$536.11 and the profit increased by the same amount.

Sewer Taps Receivable—\$1,292.40.

At December 31, 1929, the water department recorded an amount due for water taps of \$1,292.40.

Accrued Water Rents—\$3,376.78

This amount represents the estimated charge for consumption of water between the date of the last billing and December 31, 1929.

Deficit Assessments Receivable—\$117.24

This item represents an adjustment of the general ledger control to the detail made in 1929. Provision was made for this item in the 1930 budget.

Inventory: Water Department—\$2,499.47

This amount represents the inventory of materials and supplies on hand in the Water Department at December 31, 1929. The inventory was accepted as submitted and was not verified by us.

Due from Capital—\$2,199.73

This account represents an amount due to Trust Division.

The account was increased \$1,699.73 during 1929 due to the transfer of balances from unconfirmed improvements. The amount transferred represents sundry balances from improvements after confirmation of the charges against properties specifically benefited which were evidently intended to be the city's share of improvements. We have, therefore, transferred these items to Deferred Charges to Future Taxation.

Notes Payable—\$1,183.51

At December 31, 1929, the city had a trust note outstanding in the amount of \$1,183.51 in connection with Cedar Street improvement. This note was held by the Sinking Fund.

Bonds Payable—\$41,569.72

At December 31, 1929, the total outstanding bonds amounted to \$585,000.00. The detail contained in the Bond Register was listed and the total agreed with the general ledger control.

At December 31, 1929, the portion of these bonds applicable to the Trust Division amounted to \$41,569.72. The details of this amount are shown on Exhibit X.

Trust Surplus—\$63.69

At December 31, 1929, the trust surplus amounted to \$63.69. The details of this account are shown on Exhibit T-5.

Deposits on Sanitary Sewer Taps—\$38.70

At December 31, 1929, there was recorded as due property owners for deposits on sanitary sewer taps, the amount of \$38.70. The portion of the deposit which exceeds the cost of installation is returnable to the taxpayer.

Water Surplus, 1927—\$ 169.50

Water Surplus, 1928—\$1,235.84

The amount of \$169.50 represents the balance of 1927 water surplus after appropriation of \$2,114.57 in 1929 budget.

The amount of \$1,235.84 represents the balance of 1928 water surplus after adjustment for 1928 bills paid in 1929 and after appropriation made in 1929 budget.

Water Surplus, 1929—\$9,153.72

By reference to Exhibit U-1 it will be noted that the Water Department earned a profit of \$14,353.72 from operations in 1929. A water bond in the amount of \$5,200.00 which matured in December, 1929, was paid from this profit leaving a net profit of \$9,153.72.

Included in the expenses for 1929 are invoices paid in 1930 in the amount of \$2,505.00. Invoices paid in 1929 for the account of 1928 operations in the amount of \$1,398.41 have been charged to the 1928 Surplus and the 1929 expenses reduced correspondingly.

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| 1924 Loss | 19,229.82 | 1927 Profit | 2,914.67 |
| 1925 Loss | 13,926.40 | 1928 Profit | 6,982.25 |
| 1922 Loss | 28,700.23 | 1929 Profit | 9,153.72 |
| Total | \$80,930.05 | Total | \$23,823.63 |

This indicates that in the period which the Board of Public Works has operated the Water Department the losses by the Water Department have not only stopped but profits totaling \$23,823.63 have been earned. Assuming that the Water Department would have operated during the past four years on the same basis as in the previous four years under the city management the city has saved the sum of \$104,753.68 by having the department operated by the Board of Public Works, in that if the losses had continued the city would have been obliged to raise the loss by taxation through the annual budget, while the profit earned can be anticipated as a revenue to reduce taxes.

On the basis of an average population of 8,000, this would amount to \$13.09 per capita.

Accounts Payable—\$2,505.09

Examination of payments early in 1930 indicate unpaid commitments applicable to Water Department operations for the year 1929 in amount of \$2,505.09.

We have charged this amount against 1929 operations and recorded the same as a liability under the caption "Accounts Payable."

CAPITAL DIVISION

Cash—\$2,384.14

The capital cash was verified in the same manner as Current Cash.

Deferred Charges to Future Taxation—\$558,823.71

This account represents the cost of improvement projects which were undertaken as general improvements to be borne wholly by general taxation and also the city's share of the cost of improvements in excess of the amount assessed upon lands specially benefited.

Notes Payable—\$3,725.00

This amount represents outstanding notes issued to pay for Street Department Equipment. These notes were verified by direct communication with the holders.

Bonds Payable—\$544,030.28

Of the total outstanding bonds, in the amount of \$585,000.00 as at December 31, 1929, \$544,030.28 were applicable to the Capital Division.

The detail of this account is shown on Exhibit X.

Due to Current—\$11,252.84

This is a contra account to "Due from Capital" in the Current Division.

There was no change in this account during 1929.

Due to Trust—\$2,199.73

This is a contra account to "Due from Capital" in the Trust Division.

The details of this account are shown on Exhibit CA-3.

LOOKING BACK 22 YEARS

Issue of June 20, 1908

Oliver Mathis took a trolley ride to Red Bank on Saturday afternoon.

The stork left a young son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Chapman on Saturday last.

The new signal tower at the N. Y. & L. B. railroad bridge across the Raritan river is nearing completion.

Miss Nagle, of this borough, has accepted a position with Boynton Bros., of Perth Amboy. She was a pupil of Trainers Private School.

The graduates of the High School will assemble at the Methodist Episcopal Church on Sunday evening to listen to the Baccalaureate sermon by the Rev. C. S. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stephenson are sojourning at Easton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Scully, of Brooklyn, spent Wednesday evening in this borough.

William Howard Taft, Secretary of War, was nominated for President of the United States on Thursday at the Republican National Convention at Chicago, on the first ballot, receiving 702 votes. The nomination was later made unanimous.

The Central Railroad of New Jersey will today entertain the editors of New Jersey and Pennsylvania, who reside along its lines, to an excursion to Island Park, near Easton, Pa. A special train will be run over the New York and Long Branch Railroad.

Mr. Jeremiah O'Connor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard O'Connor, of Second street, graduated on Tuesday from Niagara University, Niagara Falls, N. Y., with high honors. Mr. O'Connor is at home for a short vacation until he begins a new career for himself. At present he has not fully decided in what line his future activities will lie.

Miss Regina Scully, daughter of Mrs. Susan E. Scully, of this borough, was one of the graduates at St. Joseph's Academy, Bordenstown, on Wednesday. Miss Catherine Gundrum served as her hostess. At the commencement exercises, Miss Scully delivered an essay, entitled "Women in Poetry," which was greatly appreciated and most favorably commented upon by the large audience present.

MACK MANION
On Wednesday morning a very pretty wedding took place at St. Mary's Church, when Mr. Richard M. Mack and Miss Sarah J. Manion, both of this borough, were united in holy wedlock by the Rev. Monsignor Brady. The nuptial mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father White. The bride, Miss Julia C. Mack, of Brooklyn, was bridesmaid and Mr. J. Frank Scully was bestman. The bride presented a charming appearance and was attired in a beautiful baby princess gown of silk tulle and carried a bouquet of wild roses. The bridesmaid looked extremely pretty wearing a lace princess dress, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. After the nuptial mass, the Rev. Monsignor Brady delivered an eloquent lecture to the bridal pair, imparting much valuable advice to serve them in their future life.

After the service the bridal party went direct to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Manion, at the corner of Felton and Main streets, where an elaborate breakfast was served. The groom is one of the best known young men of this borough and has many high school friends at his side. The bride is one of the most popular young ladies of St. Mary's parish, and has a host of young friends. A large gathering attended the ceremony, the attendance was one of the largest that has been present at a wedding ceremony in this borough in a long time. Mr. Mack holds a responsible position with the Chesapeake Mfg. Co., of Perth Amboy.

YEARS HONOR ROLL
Pupils with a general average for the year of 80% or over, School No. 8: Eighth Year: Lawrence, Holmes Oliver, Antonette Kay, Alice Kaplan, Seventh Year: Dorothy Barren, Gladys Walters, Marion Noble, Daisy Bunting, Georgine Nichols, Elizabeth Dangler, Charlotte Rehms, Helen Peterson, Hattie Emmons, Edith Freeman.

Sixth Year: Edward Strausser, Emil Anderson, Emma Selb, Marion Oliver, Nellie Grover.

Fifth Year: Helen Gorczyca, Frank Kabosky, Hazel Compton, Elmer Dill, William Brethier, Helen Nietopp, Blanche Letts.

Fourth Year: Katie Kurtz, Mildred Leamed, Arthur Ingraham, Marguerite Ely, Gwendolyn Penny, George Ebery, John Quinn, John Sharo, Ida Hobbs, Bertie Hansen, Estelle Christian, Harry Smock, Mary Disbrow, William Mills, Mary Gorczyca, Ruth Cooke, Harry Noble, Frank Wetschok, Mary Manhattin, Viola McKusky.

Third Year: Florence Kniffen, Emily Nelson, Benjamin Schuyler, Florence Peterson, Melford Roll, Harry Hultt, Helen Read, Gertrude Penny, Elsie Applegate, Alice Hubbs, Edward Charsukio, Hazel Webb, Clarence Gomerling, John Fitch, Genevieve Linting, Evelyn Freeman, Blanche Bunting.

Second Year: Mildred Applegate, John Lounsury, Charles Kniffen, Edward Hartman, Norman Edwards, Jennie Long, Beatrice Selover, Mary Riddle, Laura Ghent, Milton Ervin, Louis Kurtz, Margaret Mitchell, Bernice Edwards, Elizabeth Renner, Freda Martin, Clarence Thomas.

First Year: Fernando Fitch, Albert Linden, Latimer Penny, Oscar Anderson, Alice Disbrow, Ethel Noble, Sadie Dowdell, Etta Sullivan, Burton Penny, Allen Compton, Clara Ely, Clarence Mills, Katie White, Charlotte Beigh, Helen Schoen, Willard Dill, Hilda Letts, William King, Howard King, Margaret Long, Martha Long, Doretta Jones, Raymond Perkins, George Kurtz, Carman James, Arthur Aken.

No Sage Salsipis There
In writing of French Canadians, Clarence Chase in Outline of Introductory Sociology says: "There is a fecundity in certain parts of the province of Quebec which is not matched in any other part of the world where there is such a thing as a vital statistic."

Crisp Salads to Serve When Days Grow Warm



By JOSEPHINE B. GIBSON
Director, Home Economics Dept.,
H. J. Heinz Company.

A CRISP vegetable salad or a dainty concoction of fruit will make even the simplest meal attractive. And on these glorious spring days, when we wish to get away entirely from thoughts of winter—even in the foods we serve—salads are more than ever welcome.

Wise housewives take full advantage of the numerous fresh vegetables available during the spring and summer months. Instead of continually serving hot dishes for dinner, they frequently substitute a thoroughly chilled vegetable salad, prepared with a snappy, well-seasoned French Dressing, or with Mayonnaise. Many a woman, too, finds that a dainty fruit salad often will take the place of a dessert, and thus save her long hours in a hot kitchen making puddings, pies or cakes.

Following are recipes for a number of vegetable salads, which are suitable for serving either as the main dish for luncheon or supper, or in place of cooked vegetables for dinner:

Jellied Vegetable Salad:—1½ tablespoons gelatin, ½ cup cold water, 1½ cup boiling water, 8 tablespoons vinegar, 3 tablespoons lemon juice, 1½ cup sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, ½ cup diced celery, 1 cup shredded cabbage, 1 cup cooked peas, and a few drops of onion juice. Soak gelatin in the cold water five minutes and dissolve in the boiling water. Add vinegar, lemon juice, sugar, salt, onion juice and vegetables and mix thoroughly. Turn into a ring mold which has been dipped in cold water, and chill.

chill. Remove from mold to salad plate. Fill center with crisp lettuce, and serve with Mayonnaise Salad Dressing.

Lettuce Roll Salad:—Wash a package of soft cream cheese. Add ¼ cup cold cooked ham, finely ground, and 1 tablespoon onion juice. Spread the layer of this mixture on crisp lettuce leaves. Roll as you do jelly roll and put in a cool place to chill. Cut into ½ inch slices and place several slices on a salad lettuce leaf. Serve with French Dressing, or with Mayonnaise Salad Dressing.

Tomato Sandwich Salad:—Dip small red tomatoes into scalding water for a moment so the skin will come off easily—then chill and cut in half crosswise through the center. On one half place a generous layer of Sandwich Relish or Cream Cheese mixed with Stuffed Spanish Olives. Cover with the other half of the tomato. In the top of the tomato make a little incision with a sharp knife and insert a sprig of crisp parsley.

Chicken and Vegetable Salad:—3 cups cold sliced chicken, ½ cup cooked carrots, ½ cup peas, ½ cup cooked string beans, cut to pieces, 1 cup cooked corn, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon paprika, 1 tablespoon onion juice, 1 cup mayonnaise, 1 cup vegetable oil, 1 cup hard-boiled eggs, cut in halves, and 1 cup French dressing. Mix well with French dressing and oil and add to hot soup. Add chicken, carrots, peas, beans, corn, and eggs. Mix thoroughly and chill. Arrange vegetables on crisp lettuce leaves in separate bowls, and sprinkle with chopped green pepper. Serve with French Dressing.

Macaroni Salad:—1 small cooked macaroni, 1 cup cooked peas, 1 cup cooked carrots, cut in cubes, 1 chopped green pepper, 1 cup mayonnaise, 1 cup French dressing, 1 cup onion juice, 1 cup vinegar, and 1 cup salt. Mix thoroughly and chill. Arrange vegetables on crisp lettuce leaves in separate bowls, and sprinkle with chopped green pepper. Serve with French Dressing.

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| Water Surplus, 1927 | 189.50 |
| Water Surplus, 1928 | 1,235.84 |
| Water Surplus, 1929 | 9,153.72 |
| Accounts Payable | 2,005.00 |
| Notes Payable | 3,725.00 |
| Bonds Payable | 544,030.28 |
| Due to Current | 11,252.84 |
| Due to Trust | 2,199.73 |
| Reserve | |
| Sinking Fund | \$ 18,183.90 |
| Police Pension Fund | 2,653.78 |
| | \$168,822.21 \$ 55,918.86 \$561,207.85 \$ 20,837.68 |

EXHIBIT-D CURRENT CASH—YEAR 1929

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|---|--------------|
| Balance, January 1, 1929 | \$ 1,797.04 |
| Revenues Anticipated | |
| Trust Surplus | \$ 1,800.00 |
| Petty Licenses | 371.50 |
| Police Court Fines | 953.50 |
| Bus Fees | 1,733.39 |
| Interest on Delinquent Taxes and Assessments | 6,657.49 |
| Bank Interest | 1,858.47 |
| Tax Search Fees | 111.00 |
| Rent City Owned Property | 160.00 |
| Public Library | 49.60 |
| Board of Health | 433.50 |
| Franchise Taxes 1928 (Exhibit F) | 1,212.17 |
| Franchise Taxes 1929 (Exhibit F) | 8,751.61 |
| Gross Receipts Taxes 1929 (Exhibit F) | 8,693.49 |
| Sinking Fund Apportionment | 1,000.00 |
| Water Surplus 1927 | 2,114.57 |
| Water Surplus 1928 | 6,300.00 |
| Miscellaneous Revenues Not Anticipated (Exhibit B) | 535.06 |
| Checks of Prior Years set up as direct liability (Ex. H) | 264,659.09 |
| Taxes (Exhibit E) | 8,418.27 |
| Tax Title Liens Redeemed (Exhibit G) | 183,000.00 |
| Tax Refunds (Exhibit J) | 60,000.00 |
| Tax Anticipation Notes (Exhibit J) | 5,950.00 |
| Emergency Notes (Exhibit J) | 245.87 |
| Tax Overpayments (Exhibit H) | |
| Received from Trust Division account Prior Year's Interest Adjustment on Assessments Receivable (Exhibit T-2) | 61.32 |
| Discount Adjustment (Exhibit C) | .52 |
| Total Receipts | \$551,134.86 |

DISBURSEMENTS

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|--|--------------|
| Budget Appropriations (Exhibit B-1) | \$ 10,284.72 |
| Salaries, Fees and Expenses | 29,770.13 |
| Police | 8,256.54 |
| Street Lighting | 1,800.00 |
| Fire | 1,800.00 |
| Streets and Garbage | 1,800.00 |
| Public Buildings and Grounds | 1,800.00 |
| Poor | 1,800.00 |
| Police Pension Fund | 1,800.00 |
| City Hospital | 1,800.00 |
| Board of Health | 1,800.00 |
| Interest on Current Loans | 1,800.00 |
| Sewers | 1,800.00 |
| Auditing (Bal. 1928) | 1,800.00 |
| Auditing 1929 | 1,800.00 |
| Sinking Fund | 1,800.00 |
| Contingent | 1,800.00 |
| Police Pension Fund | 1,800.00 |
| Memorial Day | 1,800.00 |
| Kiddie Keep Well Camp | 1,800.00 |
| Interest on Bonded Debt | 1,800.00 |
| Bond Redemption | 1,800.00 |
| Tax Refunds and Discounts | 1,800.00 |
| Street Department Equipment Note | 1,800.00 |
| Water Plant Electrification Overexpenditure | 1,800.00 |
| Special New Water Well | 1,800.00 |
| Bertram Avenue Water and Sewer Line | 1,800.00 |
| Thompson Street Extension | 1,800.00 |
| City's Share of Assessment Bonds | 1,800.00 |
| Election Expense | 1,800.00 |
| Advertising | 1,800.00 |
| 1928 Bills Payable | 1,800.00 |
| Refund of Police Court Fine | 1,800.00 |
| Emergency Appropriations (Exhibit B-1) | 1,800.00 |
| Fire House Relocation | 1,800.00 |
| Fire Alarm Siren | 1,800.00 |
| Payment to Trust Division (Exhibit G) | 1,800.00 |
| Tax Revenue Notes (Exhibit J) | 1,800.00 |
| Tax Anticipation Notes (Exhibit J) | 1,800.00 |
| Assessment Notes (Exhibit J) | 1,800.00 |
| Assessment Liens Purchased from Trust Div. (Ex. G) | 1,800.00 |
| Local Schools | 1,800.00 |
| State and County Taxes | 1,800.00 |
| Tax Overpayments Refunded (Exhibit H) | 1,800.00 |
| Total Disbursements | \$545,572.14 |
| Balance—December 31, 1929 | 7,356.78 |
| | \$552,881.90 |

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURES

| | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Water Sales 1929 | \$ 49,258.68 |
| Add: Accrued Sales, Dec. 31, 1929 | 3,376.78 |
| | \$ 52,635.46 |
| Less: Accrued Sales, Jan. 1, 1929 | 2,824.62 |
| | \$ 49,810.84 |
| Water Taps | 3,214.10 |
| Miscellaneous Income | 178.00 |
| | \$ 53,202.94 |
| Inventory, January 1, 1929 | \$ 2,228.48 |
| Operating Expenses and Supplies | 26,613.21 |
| | \$ 28,886.69 |
| Less: Inventory, December 31, 1929 | 2,498.47 |
| | \$ 26,388.22 |
| New Well Bond Paid Off | \$ 5,200.00 |
| Interest Paid | 17,712.00 |
| | \$ 21,912.00 |
| Net Profit for Year | \$ 9,153.72 |

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|--------------------------|--------------|
| Balance, January 1, 1929 | \$ 8,341.26 |
| Add: Water Sales | \$ 49,258.68 |
| Miscellaneous Income | 178.00 |
| Water Taps | 3,214.00 |
| | \$ 60,992.04 |
| Less: Collections | \$ 51,024.73 |
| | \$ 9,967.31 |

WATER RENTS RECEIVABLE

| | |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| Balance, January 1, 1929 | \$ 1,577.82 |
| Additions During Year | 1,816.57 |
| | \$ 3,394.39 |

SANITARY SEWER TAPS RECEIVABLE

| | |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| Balance, January 1, 1929 | \$ 1,577.82 |
| Additions During Year | 1,816.57 |
| | \$ 3,394.39 |

EXHIBIT B REVENUES—YEAR 1929

| Item | Anticipated | Realized | Cash | Sundry | Excess | Deficit |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|------------|----------|
| Surplus Revenue Appropriated | \$ 2,300.00 | | | \$ 2,300.00 | | |
| Miscellaneous Revenues Anticipated: | | | | | | |
| Trust Surplus | 1,800.00 | \$ 1,800.00 | | | | |
| Petty Licenses | 500.00 | 371.50 | | 5.50 | | 123.00 |
| Police Court Fines | 1,500.00 | 953.50 | | | | 546.50 |
| Bus Fees | 1,500.00 | 1,733.39 | | 159.74 | 393.13 | |
| Interest on Delinquent Taxes and Assessments | 2,500.00 | 6,657.49 | | | 4,157.49 | |
| Bank Interest | 1,000.00 | 1,858.47 | | | 858.47 | |
| Tax Search Fees | 100.00 | 111.00 | | | 11.00 | |
| Rent City Owned Property | 200.00 | 49.60 | | 148.27 | | 70.00 |
| Public Library | 220.00 | 433.50 | | | 213.50 | 2.13 |
| Board of Health | 10,000.00 | 10,280.44 | | | 280.44 | |
| Franchise Taxes | 8,600.00 | 3,693.49 | | | | 106.51 |
| Gross Receipts Taxes | 1,000.00 | | | | | |
| Sinking Fund Apportionment | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 | | | | |
| Water Surplus 1927 | 1,500.00 | | | 1,728.00 | 228.00 | |
| Water Surplus 1928 | 2,114.57 | | | | | |
| | 6,300.00 | | | | | |
| | \$ 85,564.57 | \$ 23,548.02 | \$ 18,316.44 | \$ 6,143.08 | \$ 848.14 | |
| Miscellaneous Revenues Not Anticipated: | | | | | | |
| Rent Compton Property | | 160.00 | | | 160.00 | |
| Dog Licenses | | 236.00 | | | 236.00 | |
| Telephone Tolls | | 2.62 | | | 2.62 | |
| Improvement Bond Interest | | 1.10 | | | 1.10 | |
| Sale of Jiffy Dump | | 30.00 | | | 30.00 | |
| Refund Fire Salary | | 28.00 | | | 28.00 | |
| Shade Tree Commission | | 22.50 | | | 22.50 | |
| Nickerson Judgment Collections | | 30.00 | | | 30.00 | |
| Refund Public Service Elec. & Gas | | 2.20 | | | 2.20 | |
| Refund Fire Department | | 6.64 | | | 6.64 | |
| Recording Fees on Tax Title Liens Redeemed | | 18.00 | | | 18.00 | |
| | | 535.06 | | | 535.06 | |
| Amount to be Raised by Taxation | | 187,022.55 | | | 187,784.75 | 762.20 |
| Total Budget Revenues | | \$178,587.12 | | | | |
| Emergency Revenues: | | | | | | |
| Fire House Relocation | | 2,450.00 | | | | 2,450.00 |
| Fire Alarm Siren | | 2,900.00 | | | | 2,900.00 |
| Total Revenues | | \$178,937.12 | | | | |

EXHIBIT B-1 EXPENDITURES—YEAR 1929

| Item | Appropriated | Transfers To | From |
|---|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| Salaries, Fees and Expenses..... | \$ 10,000.00 | | \$ 185.28 |
| Police..... | 30,500.00 | | 775.15 |
| Street Lighting..... | 8,100.00 | \$ 149.04 | |
| Fire..... | 8,000.00 | | 678.35 |
| Streets and Garbage..... | 16,000.00 | 1,919.19 | |
| Public Buildings and Grounds..... | 4,500.00 | | 544.21 |
| Poor..... | 2,000.00 | 178.51 | |
| Printing..... | 500.00 | | 485.10 |
| Public Library..... | 1,600.00 | | 188.84 |
| City Hospital..... | 1,500.00 | | |
| Board of Health..... | 1,000.00 | 125.35 | |
| Interest on Current Loans..... | 8,500.00 | | 228.44 |
| Sewers..... | 8,500.00 | | |
| Auditing..... | 1,250.00 | | |
| Sinking Fund..... | 812.71 | | |
| Contingent..... | 2,000.00 | | |
| Police Pension Fund..... | 1,924.00 | | |
| Memorial Day..... | 200.00 | | |
| Kiddie Keep Well Camp..... | 150.00 | | |
| Reserve for Taxes..... | 2,990.00 | | |
| Shade Tree Commission..... | 100.00 | | 100.00 |
| Interest on Bonded Debt..... | 19,977.00 | 287.69 | |
| Bond Redemption..... | 31,500.00 | | |
| Tax Refunds and Discounts..... | 1,000.00 | | |
| Street Department Equipment Note..... | 1,600.00 | | |
| Water Plant Electrification Overex..... | 1,237.78 | | |
| Special New Water Well..... | 2,997.12 | | |
| Bertram Ave. Water & Sewer Line..... | 1,947.81 | | |
| Emergency Note for Sewer Repair..... | 1,500.00 | | |
| Thompson Street Extension..... | 2,533.08 | | |
| City's Share of Assessment Bonds..... | 2,367.97 | | |
| Election Expense..... | 500.00 | 545.49 | |
| Emergency Note City Hall Repair..... | 2,000.00 | | |
| Advertising..... | 200.00 | | 85.00 |
| 1928 Bills Payable..... | 800.00 | | |
| 1927 Unexpended Balance Account..... | .15 | | |
| Total Budget Appropriations..... | \$178,587.12 | | |
| Emergency Appropriations: | | | |
| Fire House Relocation..... | 2,450.00 | | |
| Fire Alarm Siren..... | 2,900.00 | | |
| Total Appropriations..... | \$178,937.12 | \$ 3,200.87 | \$ 3,200.37 |

FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1930

Wit and Humor

SAID TO BE FROM ABERDEEN

A professional actor was coaching a dramatic society.

"You must infuse more expression into your voices," he said. "Why, I remember an actor who could so read a menu as to make his audience weep."

There was a moment's awed silence, and then one of the amateurs remarked: "He must have read the prices."—Stary Stories.

Lovely Present

"Where did you get that lovely walkingstick?"

"It was a present from William Kruger."

"Who is he?"

"I don't know—but is engraved on the gold knob."—Hamburg Hummel.

Better Light

She—I'm putting up a better light. When the light is dim the gentlemen are apt to get rather bold.

He—But that light is worn out. It won't light at all.

She—So much the better.—Lustige Blatter.

He Was Willing

Judge—You attacked this man on the street. Can you deny it?

Accused—Yes, I can, Your Honor, if you think it will help me any.

NOT WELL KNOWN



"Bill knows his colors all right."

"Yes; but doesn't know 'em well enough not to get 'em."

Yes, Sir!

Confined to the foot Married life Will be complete.

Peggy Kessie

"I'm sorry Reggie's so late in bringing me home, mother. That was a dense fog, and his car was held up."

"Why, it's a clear, moonlight night, child!"

"So it is. I must have been thinking of some other night!"—Humorist.

What, indeed?

"Don't see any more stuff like Spartacus to the Gladiators."

"Ruh?"

"What's become of all those fellows that wrote for the old Third Reader?"

A Friendly Word

Jasper—I haven't a good word for that fellow Jim.

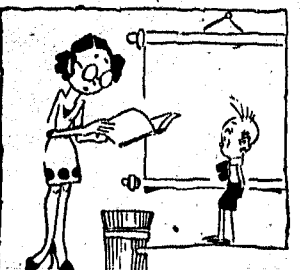
Dexter—Well, they ain't much good said about him. But I'll say one good thing about Jim, he wasn't always as mean as he was sometimes.

Positions Altered

Hattie—Oh, Evelyn, did he propose just night? Tell me what it was like!

Evelyn—Oh, it was very simple. When he began he was on his knees, and when he finished I was on them.

TO STOP HER



Teacher—"Why should we put a full stop after the sentence. The woman said she was going after him with a stick?" Pupil—"Why—or—to keep her from going too far."

Truth in Ads

"I never smoke no cigarettes."

The famous player said; But they had him on the signboards, recommending Shanghai Reds.

Facing Death

Returned Explorer (boastfully)—Yes, gentlemen, I have faced death in a hundred forms.

Little Perkins—Really? Doctor or undertaker?

Easy to Please

"That hat makes you look ten years younger."

"Then won't do. When I take it off I shall look ten years older."

EMPIRE TO SHOW FIGHT PICTURES MONDAY & TUESDAY

The Empire Theatre management has made a "scoop" in securing for its patrons the official pictures of the Sharkey-Schmeling fight, which took place at the Yankee Stadium, June 12. The much discussed "foul" blow by Sharkey in the fourth round is vividly shown.

These pictures are shown as an added attraction Monday and Tuesday at no advance in prices.

Men's Ideas

I would wish... to look with a large forgiveness at men's ideas and prejudices, which are by no means the outcome of malevolence, but depend on their education, their social status, even their professions.—Joseph Conrad.

American Flag in Battle

The American flag was first unfurled on land in the fight at Goochs bridge, Dela., in September, 1777.

RELIEF FROM CURSE OF CONSTIPATION

A Battle Creek physician says, "Constipation is responsible for more misery than any other cause."

But immediate relief has been found. A tablet called Rexall Orderlies has been discovered. This tablet attracts water from the system into the colon, dry, evacuating bowel called the colon. The water loosens the dry food waste and causes a gentle, thorough, natural movement without forming a habit or ever increasing the dose.

Stop suffering from constipation. Chew a Rexall Orderly at night. Next day bright. Get 24 for 25c today at Peterson's Pharmacy, the nearest Rexall Drug Store.

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE IMPROVEMENTS OF A CERTAIN UNIMPROVED TOWNSHIP ROAD PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 217, P. L. 1916, AND AMENDMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTS THERETO AND PROVIDING FOR THE FINANCING OF THE COST THEREOF.

WHEREAS, it is proposed to improve the Ernston Road from Bordentown-Amboy Turnpike to New State Highway, Route No. 4 in the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex, a distance of five-tenths miles, more or less, and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of said improvement is \$10,000.00

WHEREAS, it is proposed to make application to the State Highway Commission for Township Aid in the amount of seventy-five per cent of the estimated cost of the improvement, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 217, P. L. 1916, and amendments and supplements thereto, and

WHEREAS, no provision has heretofore been made for the Township's share of said improvement.

BE IT ORDAINED,

1. That the Ernston Road from the Bordentown-Amboy Turnpike to the New State Highway, Route No. 4 in the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex, be improved by concreting the same with reinforced concrete of a width of twenty (20) feet and graded to a width of thirty (30) feet.

2. That the sum of \$10,000.00, or so much thereof as may be required, be and is hereby appropriated for the above improvement.

3. In order to temporarily finance the above undertaking, temporary improvement notes are hereby authorized under the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended, in an amount not to exceed the sum of \$10,000.00. Said notes shall state in general terms the purpose for which they are issued, and shall be issued in such amounts and at such times as may be determined by resolution of the Township Committee. The form of note, rate of interest and date of maturity shall also be determined by resolution.

4. The following matters, as provided by Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended, are hereby determined and declared:

(a) The probable period of usefulness of said improvements is 25 years.

(b) The average assessed valuation of the taxable real property (including improvements) of the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex computed upon the three next preceding valuations thereof is \$1,505,515.67.

(c) The net debt of the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex is NONE.

(d) The statements required by Section 12 thereof have been made and filed as required.

5. Any and all moneys received from the state of New Jersey, and from contributions made by residents or property owners on account of said improvement shall be applied to the reduction of the temporary notes issued on account of the said improvement.

6. That the Township's share of the cost of said improvement, if the cost of said improvement is less than \$10,000.00 including interest on temporary notes issued to finance such improvement, shall be included in the next budget and tax levy of the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex. If the cost is \$10,000.00 or more it shall be lawful for such municipality to issue bonds therefor in accordance with Chapter 209 P. L. 1924.

7. That the Township's share of the cost of said improvement, including interest on money borrowed to make the improvement, shall be duly assessed upon the property affected and benefited thereby.

8. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

NOTICE

The foregoing Ordinance was introduced at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Madison in the County of Middlesex held on June 12, 1930 and at that time passed first reading and was laid over for second and final passage to a meeting of the Township Committee of the said Township of Madison to be held at the Township Hall of the said Township on July 10, 1930 at two-thirty o'clock in the afternoon, at which time a public hearing will be held upon the same.

Dated June 12, 1930.

THOMAS L. WOOTON, Township Clerk.

BIDS FOR REPAIRS BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SOUTH AMBOY, N. J.

Sealed bids for repair of roofs of School Buildings Nos. 1 and 2 will be received and opened by the Board of Education of South Amboy at meeting to be held June 25th, 1930, 8 o'clock P. M. (Daylight Saving Time) in the office of the Superintendent of Schools, High School Building, John Street, South Amboy, N. J.

Specifications may be obtained from L. L. Sheppard, Chairman, Buildings and Grounds Committee, 250 Main St., South Amboy, N. J.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

W. M. EMMONS, Secretary, Board of Education.

6-13-30

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance Authorizing the Improvement of a Certain Unimproved Township Road, Pursuant to the Provisions of Chapter 217, P. L. 1916 and the Amendments and Supplements Thereto, and Providing for the Financing of the Cost Thereof.

WHEREAS, it is proposed to improve the road known as Ocean Boulevard in the Township of Madison from its intersection with the State Highway at Cliffwood, New Jersey and running in an Easterly direction to Whale Creek in the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey;

AND WHEREAS, the estimated cost of the said improvement is Thirty-Seven Thousand (\$37,000.00) Dollars;

AND WHEREAS, it is proposed to make application to the State Highway Commission for Township aid in the amount of seventy-five (75%) per cent of the estimated cost of the improvement, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 217, P. L. 1916 and the amendments and supplements thereto;

AND WHEREAS, the remaining one-quarter will be raised either from an allotment from the County of Middlesex or by contributions from the Cliffwood Beach Company, it being understood that the Cliffwood Beach Company is to guarantee to the Township Committee of the Township of Madison that the said one-quarter to be contributed by the Township will be either paid entirely by the Cliffwood Beach Company or from contributions from the County of Middlesex;

Now, therefore, BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Madison:

1. That said Ocean Boulevard from its intersection with the State Highway at Cliffwood, New Jersey, and running in an Easterly direction to Whale Creek in the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, be improved by concreting the same with reinforced concrete of a width of thirty (30) feet.

2. That the sum of Thirty-seven Thousand (\$37,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be required be and is hereby appropriated for the above improvement.

3. In order to temporarily finance the above undertaking, temporary improvement notes are hereby authorized under the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916 as amended, in an amount not to exceed the sum of Thirty-Seven Thousand (\$37,000.00) Dollars. Said notes shall state in general terms the purpose for which they are issued, and shall be issued in such amounts and at such times as may be determined by resolution of the Township Committee. The form of note, rate of interest and date of maturity shall also be determined by resolution; the rate of interest not to exceed six per cent.

4. The following matters, as provided by Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended, are hereby determined and declared:

(a) The probable period of usefulness of said improvement is twenty (20) years.

(b) The average assessed valuation of the taxable real property (including improvements) of the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex, computed upon the three next preceding valuations thereof is \$1,505,515.67.

(c) The net debt of the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex, is none.

(d) The statements required by Section 12 thereof have been made and filed as required.

5. Any and all amounts received from the State of New Jersey, from the County of Middlesex and from the Cliffwood Beach Company or other property owners shall be applied to the reduction of the temporary notes issued on account of the said improvement.

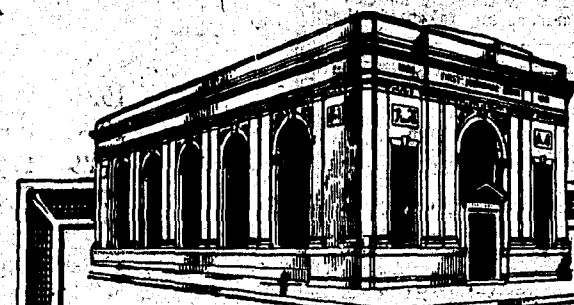
6. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that the foregoing ordinance was passed on its final reading and adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Madison at a regular meeting of the committee on Thursday, June 12th, 1930.

THOMAS L. WOOTON, Township Clerk.

Subscribe now to THE CITIZEN.



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BIDS FOR COAL BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SOUTH AMBOY, N. J. SEALED PROPOSALS

For 400 tons, more or less, of 2,000 lbs. each, of No. 1 Buckwheat, White Ash, fresh mined, COAL, will be received and opened by the Board of Education of South Amboy, N. J. at a meeting to be held June 25th, 1930, 8 o'clock P. M. (Daylight Saving Time) in the office of the Superintendent of Schools, High School Building, John Street, South Amboy, N. J., deliveries to be made as may be required at any time, July 1930 to June 1931, inclusive and at any of the School Buildings as ordered.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

W. M. EMMONS, Secretary, Board of Education.

6-13-30

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

John Mac Dowell, Administrator of Harvey Mac Dowell, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the County of Middlesex, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Harvey Mac Dowell to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of the said deceased, under oath or affirmation, within six months from this date or they will be forever barred of any action therefor against the said Administrator.

Dated May 23rd, 1930.

JOHN MACDOWELL, Administrator.

JOHN A. LOVELY, Deftor.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Frederick Claus, Complainant, and Oliver A. Brown, et al., Defendants. Et al. for sale of mortgaged premises dated May 8, 1930.

By virtue of the above stated writ to me directed and delivered, I will expose to sale at public vendue on WEDNESDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1930

at 1 o'clock standard time (2 o'clock daylight saving time) in the afternoon of said day at the Sheriff's Office in the City of New Brunswick, N. J.

All those certain lots, tracts or parcels of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Township of Madison, in the County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey.

Being known and designated as lots numbered sixty-nine (69) and seventy (70), Laurence Harbor Park, Madison Township, Middlesex County, New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a point in the southeasterly line of Lantana Way, said point being the intersection of the southeasterly line of Lantana Way and the northwesterly line of Lake View Road; thence (1) southwesterly along the northwesterly line of Lake View Road, eighty-nine and ninety-five (89.95) one hundredths feet to land owned by the Laurence Harbor Heights Company; thence (2) northwesterly along the line of the Laurence Harbor Heights Company fifty and thirty one hundredths (50.30) feet to the southeast corner of lot numbered seventy-one (71); thence (3) northwesterly along the southeasterly line of lot numbered seventy-one (71) ninety-five and twenty-five one hundredths (95.25) feet to the southwest line of Lantana Way fifty (50) feet to the northwesterly line of Lake View Road, the point and place of BEGINNING.

Together with the buildings thereon.

Decree amounting to approximately \$2,100.

Together with all and singular the rights, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

BERNARD M. GANNON, Sheriff.

TUMEN & TUMEN, Solicitors.

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City Audit For Last Year Now Made Public

1929 Finances Aired as Required by Law in This Issue.

In another section of the Citizen today, pertinent information is given regarding the financial condition of the city. This information is taken from the audit of the city books made by H. Braverman, Registered Municipal Accountant, at the close of business December 31, 1929, and is published in accordance with state laws, so that tax payers of the city may be kept informed of municipal finances. Taken as a whole the report indicates that the city records are splendidly maintained, and that in the few instances where suggestions for better methods are made, those affected have taken steps to put the suggestions into effect. This particularly covers all bills rendered the city, which now must be in regular form, and each bill must be acknowledged before a Notary.

The Board of Public Works is given considerable credit for its continuation of its splendid work in running the Water Department.

The gross debt of the city now stands at \$750,607.50, and the debt after deducting School Indebtedness and Water Bonds outstanding and allowing for taxes and assessments due is \$178,023.81 or 4.35% on the average assessed valuations for the past three years. The taxable assessed valuations for 1929 was \$4,230,753.

ROTARY CLUB PASSES. RESOLUTION ON DEATH OF JOHN SUTLIFF

At a meeting of the South Amboy Rotary Club held Tuesday noon at Cady's, the following resolution was passed on the death of one of the members, John Sutliff: "Whereas Almighty God has once again visited our community and taken from our midst one of our most beloved citizens and a member of this club in the person of John Sutliff; and whereas his family has lost an estimable and devoted husband and father; therefore be it and it is hereby resolved that this resolution of our esteem for our late member, Mr. Sutliff, and our regret at his passing be entered upon the minutes of this club, a copy sent to the family of the deceased, and published in the South Amboy Citizen."

H. S. HONOR STUDENT GETS FOUR SPECIAL PRIZES

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Full capacity the gayly bedecked auditorium of the High School. Enthusiastic and prolonged applause greeted each presentation and followed the warm congratulations extended the graduates by the President.

The engraved trophies which evinced four years of work in the high school finished, were enclosed in leather cases which bore the school colors of purple and gold. Being a novelty they were eagerly examined by each graduate as they returned to their seat on the stage after receiving them from the hands of Mr. Reed.

The audience appeared to enjoy the entire program; particularly the address of the speaker of the evening, John E. Gill, Dean of Rider's College, Trenton. Dr. Gill's address dealt with the importance of higher education and urged the graduates to be persistent in their efforts to attain an increased mental growth and a high place in the social and economic world of present day affairs. The speaker illustrated his talk with numerous humorous tales from his own experience and used also liberal quotations from well known poets. Several times he mentioned South Amboy as the home town of "future governors," the reference in each instance being recognized by the audience with an outburst of handclapping.

Frederick Reese on behalf of the class presented the Class Gift to the School. It was a large American flag with staff and stand. The gift was accepted on behalf of the Schools by the Superintendent, O. O. Barr, in a fitting short address.

Miss Helen Fernandez, a very close runner-up for second honors, won by Stanley Steiner, by a narrow margin, was the only other graduate to win more than one of the special prizes. This young lady was awarded three prizes: Music, Mathematics and Domestic Arts were the subjects in which she excelled the rest of the class. These three prizes were furnished by the First National Bank, Music and Mathematics, and the Woman's Club, who furnished the Domestic Arts prize.

Miss Doris Baird won the South Amboy Trust Company award for the subject, Business; Norman Fox took the Miller, Bergen & Welsh prize for excellence in Manual Training; and Georgine Mack was awarded the Peter Olsen prize for high average in Art.

Superintendent of Schools O. O. Barr announced the prize winners and made the presentations. He explained that it was quite usual for the high honor student to take several of the special prizes.

The contributions to the program by the chorus of high school undergraduates trained by Miss Mildred Stephenson, music teacher in the high school, were evidently greatly enjoyed by the audience, which was generous with its applause.

The addresses of the first and second honor students, Fred Welden and Stanley Steiner, are published elsewhere in this issue.

The graduates were as follows: General Course: Elizabeth H. Chapman, Georgine De Graw Mack, Jeanette M. Van Cleaf.

College Preparatory Course: Charles J. Brynman, Mildred K. Denta, Helen L. Fernandez, Wilhelm N. Pelgelbeck, Frederick L. Reese, Albert D. Sabb, J. Stanley Steiner, Frederick Welden.

Commercial Course: Doris E. Baird, Norman W. Fox, William L. Lambertson, Milton C. Newmark, Belle Silver, James H. White.

THE ADVANTAGES OF A MILITARY TRAINING TO AMERICAN CITIZENS

By FRED WELDEN

(First Honor Student, Class of 1930, S. A. High School)

Military Training Courses that each year by the United

States Army have two purposes. Firstly they aim to prepare American youths for their future responsibilities as citizens, and secondly they endeavor to pick out the more capable young men to train them for official positions in the various branches of the Army. These Reserve Officers, as they are called, are the highest type of citizens in time of peace, and are very competent leaders in time of war.

In the summer of 1913, the first Training Camp was held at Plattsburg, N. Y., under the personal direction of Major General Leonard Wood. At that time there was only one type of camp, a Citizens' Training Camp; now there are two independent divisions—the Citizens' Military Training Camps and the Reserve Officers' Training Camps. The membership has grown from 244 in 1913, to 39,514 in 1929, and the number of camps has increased from one to fifty-two. So much for the history of the movement but what are the advantages?

The advantages of such a training are numerous both from a military and civil viewpoint. No one, with common sense, desires war, especially when there are as many deadly weapons and machines in existence as there are today. Nevertheless, a nation must always be prepared to defend itself in the event of sudden attack. A quick mobilization of forces and a complete training course would be impossible if a country did not have well-trained officers in reserve. These men are ready at a moment's notice to fill their positions and to instruct newly enlisted recruits in the arts of warfare. When the United States entered the World War, her Reserve Officers were the forerunners of the 200,000 officers who were trained during the War, and were considered invaluable by the Government because they acted as a bulwark in the time of extreme need.

The benefits of this training are probably more clearly seen from a civil standpoint. The young man, while in training is under discipline and, as a result, he acquires a respectful feeling for his elders and superiors. He takes a course in citizenship which points out his duties as a citizen and explains how these duties may be fulfilled. The work is naturally healthy, since there are calisthenics, athletics, and marching involved. The athletics exist in the form of various teams; such as, baseball, football, tennis, track, and so on. These teams bring about feelings of loyalty within, and rivalry between the different groups. The sport is always clean cut and competition is exceptionally keen. The actual military end of the training has many valuable qualities, that are of real benefit to any young man, for he is trained to carry himself correctly, to keep on the alert, to adapt himself to whatever position he may be called upon to fill, and what is very important, he is trained to be a leader. He is not necessarily trained to be a military leader, but rather a leader in his community and in his particular vocation. A man, who has successfully completed his four year course in military science, has passed through many difficult tests of mental, moral and physical fitness; consequently, he is a very high type of citizen and is an asset to society. Major-General Bryant Wells, Commanding Officer of the First Division, U. S. Army, gives a very good illustration, which clearly shows the value of such a training. He compares iron, as iron ore with iron in its refined state of steel. Iron in the form of an ore is very cheap and sometimes sells as low as a cent a pound, but iron in the form of a highly tempered steel sells for many dollars per pound. It is the same way with man. An untrained, uneducated man is worth very little to society and has a difficult time gaining recognition in the complex life of the modern world. On the other hand, a man with a thorough training, an education, and a desire to advance has a much better chance of making good. He has to work hard, and surmount many obstacles but in the end he is worth something, because he has developed his capabilities and capacities and after all, isn't that the type of citizen of which our nation has the most need?

THE EFFECT OF MODERN ACHIEVEMENTS ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

By STANLEY STEINER

(Second Honor Student, Class of 1930, S. A. High School)

Times have changed! Not so many years ago a ship was thirty days crossing the ocean; news traveled so slowly that New York did not hear what had happened in San Francisco until four weeks after it had occurred. Housewives laboriously wielded a heavy broom to rid their homes of dust and laundresses rubbed a corrugated washboard to free clothing from dirt. People who did not go to bed when it became dark, used oil lamps. An ocean voyage was a great event in the life of an ordinary person. People were dependent on horses to take them to neighboring towns, and the roads were so bad that such a trip seemed an unpleasant experience rather than a pleasure.

Our nation, separated by 3000 miles of water from the old world, maintained a policy of isolation. This policy was strongly urged by Washington as the most desirable attitude our nation could take toward the political intrigues and frequent warfare of the European countries. International laws existed, to be sure, but they were simply agreements between nations and could not be enforced, because there was no executive power to enforce such laws. Obedience to International laws was merely a matter of honor. Communicating with countries across the ocean in a few minutes was not even thought possible.

But today! Ships cross the ocean in a few days; New York can learn what happened in San Francisco within a few minutes. Housewives have vacuum cleaners, electric irons, electric washing machines, and other appliances which save time and energy. Practically all homes are lighted by electricity. People can turn on the radio and listen to Europe broadcasting. We are no longer dependent on newspapers for news. There is a radio in nearly every home. An ocean voyage is an extraordinary affair; thousands cross the ocean yearly. People can ride in comfortable automobiles along excellent highways, they can speed thru the air in airplanes and they can fly around the world in dirigibles.

What effect have these achievements had on our every-day lives? Because housewives have been released from household drudgery, they have left the home in many cases to contribute their quota toward the industrial progress of the world, hence women are now more conversant with world affairs than ever before.

What has been the result of the elimination of time and space? The most apparent effects to the casual observer are: quicker transportation; goods can be sent to domestic or foreign parts more quickly, more cheaply and more easily than they could formerly

be sent. We now have more rapid communication. People can telephone, cable or radio to Europe. As a result of these achievements, our business contact with Europe is closer. Now we can understand Europe's business methods and they can understand ours. Our business contact has resulted in a friendship and a better understanding of each other. Modern achievements have had on our political contact? Our nation can no longer follow the policy of isolation. At the close of the World War, President Wilson advocated the League of Nations to promulgate good faith and friendship among nations. The U. S. could easily have assumed world leadership, but we missed our opportunity, we failed to join the League of Nations because we remained true to our tradition of isolation. In 1926 the U. S. Senate voted in favor of our joining the World Court, but there was so much discussion and so many reservations were added to our agreement to join, that we did not become a member until three years later, in 1929, and because of the many reservations made, our membership is inoperative. However, we have reached a better understanding with other nations. The various conferences called to discuss disarmament and other vital questions are welding the nations of the world into a great community. Modern achievements are but the beginnings of still greater achievements. The ultimate culmination will surely be a united world of peace and ever increasing progress.

T. MARY'S GRADUATES WEAR CAPS AND GOWNS

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one of the most enjoyable and short-ones we have ever had, because of its brevity.

"Commencements, as a rule, are not very attractive occasions except for those who have someone who is graduating; for others they are considered dry, but at the same time, even though dry, they can give strength; and this evening's program with its instructive element of higher education, indicates how choicely the good Sisters have selected for your entertainment and instruction, the speakers and their subjects. Though you may not have been able to follow the speakers in everything they said, you are filled with admiration at their poise, their clear expression and the elegant manner in which they presented their speeches. Your hearts are filled with pride at the knowledge manifested; this is the knowledge acquired during their four years of High School work.

One item was accentuated when the first pupil paid special tribute to our excellent faculty. I want to tell you, members of this parish and parents from neighboring parishes who furnish us with boys and girls from their schools, you are most fortunate in the splendid faculty that we have in our High School. The Sisters, who at the present time are teaching in our High School are ladies of unusual culture and unusual intellectual attainment; and your children are particularly fortunate, and will remember that they have sat in class and listened to the wisdom of these women. I am almost afraid to hope that it will continue.

I want to pay tribute to them, and I know that the pupils in writing their papers, of their own accord, put in that excellent sentence complimenting the faculty of our High School. "We are proud of this class; look at their faces; their demeanor; their modesty; their refinement; their intellectual appearance, and realize what Catholic education has done for them. An ordinary education could not give them refinement; it could not give them modesty. It might give intellectual attainment; but this refinement and modesty can only come from contact with those who are daily in contact with God. These spouses of Christ spend every morning in contact with Christ. They come from their images to the Classroom, and the holiness which goes out from them and their religious garb permeates the atmosphere in which your children breathe. This is the secret of their modesty and is the greatest treasure in their education.

"Although the expense in maintaining our High School is greater for us than it is for the people of other parishes, we are happy in giving them the facilities of this higher education as the parent church in this district. We are grateful to Rt. Rev. Msgr. McGrath for sending us the pupils from his parish who distinguish themselves on every occasion; and to Father Lesniowski and Father Burke of Keyport. We are grateful also to

these smaller parishes—Father Wulski of South River; Father Maciejewski of Helmetta; and to Keansburg. (I cannot understand why Keansburg always gets such a loud applause.) Let me tell you, without any reflection upon the other members of the class, we have intellectual geni who come from Keansburg. Father Kearney is one of our most enthusiastic patrons. On every occasion, no matter what it is—whether it be an entertainment or athletics—he is here to root and cheer for us; he is one of our greatest fans. I want, then, on this occasion, to express my gratitude to these priests, and to the parents who sustain us and who cooperate with us in every way.

"I rejoice with this class on this happy day, and I hope they will always look back on the 17th of June 1930 with great joy and satisfaction, even as I can look back on those 25 years of my priesthood since June 17, 1905 in which God has given me so much fruit in abundance from my labors.

"We are honored to have Rt. Rev. Msgr. McGrath with us on this occasion, and particularly honored because of the quality and ability of the pupils from his parish who are to graduate tonight. There are forty-one pupils in this class; we were to have forty-two, but God called one to his eternal rest."

At this time the diplomas were conferred. Dr. Griffin then continued:

"Those pupils who received together with their diplomas special mention, are those who worked very hard and in their four years' High School course were able to attain, in all subjects, a general average of 85 per cent or over; so before giving the medal of excellence I shall repeat their names: Doris Mary Brennan, Dorothy Anna Dwyer, Francis Joseph Farrell, Jas. Joseph Harrigan, Naomi Joan Lang, Rita Frances Lee, Evelyn Teresa Masur, Rosemary Gertrude Miller, Walter Raymond Walczak, Stanislaus Anthony Wilus.

"Rosemary Miller of Sayreville received the highest of all—an average of 91 per cent accumulated during the four years of High School. James Harrigan received the next highest in merit—an average of 90 per cent. St. Mary's gives only one medal, consequently, it is a very coveted one; we are all jealous, so to speak, but we are glad it does not always remain in St. Mary's. In order to encourage others and also to show the impartiality of the faculty toward their pupils, we are very happy to afford Monsignor McGrath the pleasure of presenting the medal of Excellence to one of the girls of his own Parish."

After presenting the medal, Monsignor McGrath was requested to say a few words. The Monsignor took occasion in congratulating Miss Rosemary Miller, to extol her virtues. He expressed his satisfaction in St. Mary's High School, and was proud to call attention to the honors that have been received by all the graduates from Our Lady of Victories Parish, Sayreville; each one of the four having received her diploma with a "Cum Laude" distinction, indicating that she had received a general average for the four years of over 85 per cent.

He was particularly pleased to announce that of the twenty-three graduates from his Eighth Grade, twenty had already expressed a desire to be allowed to register at St. Mary's High School. He stressed the cordial relations that existed between his and St. Mary's Parish, and between the priests and people, and said that it was always a delight to enjoy the hospitality of the Rectory, and participate in the unexcelled entertainments furnished by the school.

IR MAIL STARTED HERE EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO

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citizens addressed to all parts of the country as the mail was relayed by railroad upon its arrival at Perth Amboy. South Amboy received front page articles in practically all of the newspapers of the country as official letters signed by Mr. Roddy went out to all of the different newspapers and to such personages as President Taft, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Governor Woodrow Wilson, etc. Mr. Roddy's scrapbook contains many interesting autographed letters of acknowledgment from these dignitaries, complimenting the enterprise of South Amboy in establishing the first mail flight.

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