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PRICE FIVE CENTS

Larsen Heads Township Committee

PRISONER FOUND TO BE FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE

One of Pair Caught Here For Zig-Zag Driving Went Under Alias

TURNED OVER TO MONTCLAIR POLICE

Arrested by Patrolman Stiles on Mountain avenue Sunday night on a charge of driving a car and carrying a concealed weapon and a pair of pistols, Charles Reed, colored, of 260 West 17th street, New York City, was identified by Captain Clark of the Montclair police the next day as a fugitive from justice, having been wanted on a charge of attacking a girl and battery after slitting John Hill, colored, of Pine street, Montclair, last spring, and also on a charge of conducting a disorderly house.

Reed, together with Gus Wicker, 28, colored, of 355 Plane street, Newark, was stopped by Patrolman Stiles when the officer was attracted to an old-looking car, with windows smashed, lights out, and travelling on the road in zig-zag direction. Upon investigation, a gallon of alleged corn was found in a suitcase in the back of the car, and the two were taken to headquarters on a charge of illegal transportation of liquor.

At the time of their arrest Wicker, who was driving the car, not having a driver's license nor a registration license, quickly borrowed one from Reed, and when questioned at headquarters Wicker took the name of Charles Reed, of the Plane street address, and Reed went under the alias of Russell Bingham, of the New York City address.

Initially that evening, the Montclair police read an article of the arrest and investigated. Reed escaped from Montclair where he had been residing, and fled to New York. Wicker was examined by Dr. J. M. Silverstein of Millburn as to whether or not he was able to operate an automobile, but the doctor refused to issue a certificate to that effect, stating that it was a borderline case. The charge against the two of reckless driving, drunken driving, no lights was not pressed.

When arraigned before Recorder T. Spinning in police court Monday night, they were placed under \$500 bail each, to await action from the office of Prosecutor Abe J. David.

Who's Who In Springfield



REV. WILLIAM HOPPAUGH, Tax Collector and Treasurer; former pastor of First Presbyterian Church; One of the oldest residents of Springfield.

OFFICIAL HAS HAD ACTIVE CAREER

Former Minister, Teacher Has Held Many Public Offices

Re-appointed as Tax Collector and Township Treasurer by the Township Committee at the reorganization meeting of that body New Year's morning, Rev. William Hoppaugh, former pastor of the First Presbyterian Church for twenty-six years, will begin his twelfth year as Tax Collector and Township Treasurer. He has seen the taxes of Springfield increase from \$35,209 in 1919 to \$205,601 for the year 1929. He has watched the budget appropriations for the Township increase from \$10,796 in 1919 to \$86,000 in 1929. When he came into office in 1919, there were as yet no street improvement assessments of any kind, no township bonds whatsoever, and only \$20,500 in school bonds. Today there have been issued \$210,000 in school bonds and \$30,000 in authorized bonds in place of school bonds, and \$66,700 in township bonds, besides the sewer bonds of \$949,000 issued June of last year. Mr. Hoppaugh played a valuable part in the issuing of these

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Officials Tender Testimonial to Retiring Town Committeemen Jeakens and Quinzel

Springfield's most prominent municipal officials were among those present at the testimonial tendered David S. Jeakens and Charles S. Quinzel at the Half-Way House in Summit Saturday evening, in honor of the service they gave to the township while serving as members of the Township Committee.

Among those who arranged the

testimonial were Township Committeemen Fred A. Brown, Francis Leslie and Gabriel Larsen; Township Clerk Robert D. Treat; Board of Fire Commissioners Robert B. Ferguson, Charles H. Ruby, Edward C. Townley, and T. C. Davidson; Tax Collector and Treasurer William Hoppaugh; Board of Tax Assessors, Elmer Sickley, Alfred

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PROSECUTOR LEADS RAID ON HEMLOCKS

No Liquor Found; Other Places In County Also Searched

On a complaint of selling liquor, Forrest W. Jacobus, who conducts the "Hemlocks," in Morris avenue, was arraigned before County Judge Lloyd Thompson last Friday and placed in \$1,000 bail for action by the January Grand Jury. Jacobus was arrested the night before when his place was raided by Prosecutor Abe J. David and his staff, together with Chief of Police Milton C. Runyon. Nothing of illegal nature was discovered. He was charged with having made the sale December 8.

Charles Farber, and his wife, Mary, and a driver, colored, of Kenilworth, who were also arrested the same night on raids made by the Prosecutor's office, were charged with violating the Hobart prohibition enforcement act, and also placed in \$1,000 bail when thirty-six one-gallon glass jars and seventy-five quart bottles of alleged illegal

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Santa Claus Late?

The question "Where is Santa Claus" was probably fresh in the minds of the little boys and girls at the Christmas party held last Friday evening in the auditorium of the Municipal Building, under the auspices of Pride of Battle Hill Council No. 17, Daughters of America. Montague Martyn, who was to play Santa Claus had not put in an appearance as yet, when a telephone downstairs in the room where the Township Committee convened, was ringing. Township Clerk Robert D. Treat, who was the closest to the bell, answered.

"Hello, this is Montague Martyn calling," came the insistent call.

"Yes."

"Will you tell Mrs. Martyn upstairs at the Christmas party that there was a small blaze at the house a short time ago. Nothing of value burned, but she may be worried. Just assure her everything's all right and I'll be over at the Municipal Building with my Santa Claus outfit."

Mr. Treat hurried upstairs with the message, but Mrs. Martyn couldn't be found. Therefore there was nothing to do but wait. Finally Mrs. Martyn arrived at the building from a Sunday School entertainment in Union and almost at the same time, Santa Claus, alias Montague Martyn appeared on the scene. After an explanation, in which Mr. Martyn told of a celluloid toy having been ignited by heat from an open draught, and his having forced a cellar window to gain entrance when he found himself locked out of his house, the entire mix-up was settled and the cry was "On With the Show." Many persons attending the party didn't know how else they came to having the awful spectacle of a Christmas party with a Santa Claus coming the wrong day.

UNANIMOUSLY ELECTED TO POST JEAKENS VACATES

WHAT IS NATURE?

A new conception of nature was brought out at the office of the Lyons-Conley office in Morris avenue Tuesday where hundreds of persons waited in line to get their driver's and registration licenses.

The extremely warm December 31 weather must have affected one applicant. In a part of the card which one must fill in to get his necessary equipment, one question asks, "Have you ever been convicted of a motor vehicle violation?" The space was filled in according to regulation with a negative answer.

The next question went on to state, "If so, give nature of same."

"The nature of this country is very beautiful, but there are too many animals here," was the inscription which the applicant made in the space.

It's only once a year, and remember, he may have celebrated New Year's in a different manner very much earlier than the usual temperate individual.

WAITER CRASHES IN A "BORROWED" CAR

Albert Nicholas, 32, a waiter, of Boston, Mass., suffered lacerations of the knee and wrist early New Year's morning at 2:45 a. m., when the new automobile which he is said to have stolen from Millburn, shortly before, crashed into a store at Millburn and Morris avenues. The car, which went against the building with a great force, was totally wrecked, and after being treated at the Overlook Hospital, in Summit, Nicholas was arrested and taken to headquarters.

The car was owned by Anthony Nitolo, of 66 Church street, Millburn. Nicholas was turned over to the Millburn police and will be placed under bail for action of the Essex County Grand Jury on a charge of grand larceny.

Hoppaugh Renamed Treas.; Weeks, Attorney; Treat, Replaces I. T. Terry

BROWN BECOMES HEAD OF BOARD OF HEALTH

Gabriel Larsen was unanimously chosen chairman of the Township Committee at the reorganization meeting of that body held New Year's morning.

The working committee of the Township Committee for the year 1930 are as follows:

Administration and Finance (Finances, taxes, audit, printing, stationery and office equipment.) Lewis P. Montague, chairman; Francis Leslie, Frank C. Geiger.

Highways and Police (Roads, sidewalks, crosswalks, trimming trees and hedges, police department.) Fred A. Brown, chairman, Lewis P. Macartney, Frank C. Geiger.

Grounds and Buildings, Ash and Garbage Disposal Frank C. Geiger, chairman, Francis Leslie, Fred A. Brown.

Public Utilities, Law, Ordinances and Franchises (Electric lights, poles, water and gas; franchises, sewers, trolley cars, jitneys, buses, hacks, laws, and ordinances.) Francis Leslie, chairman, Fred A. Brown, Frank C. Geiger.

Re-appointed Treasurer Treasurer William Hoppaugh was reappointed, and his salary was increased from \$750 to \$850 a year. He was also reappointed tax search official.

Charles Weeks, of Chatham, was reappointed township attorney. Everett T. Spinning was reappointed recorder and his salary increased from \$900 to \$1,000. Overseer of the Poor, James G. Stiles, Sr., was reappointed at a salary of \$250, an increase of \$50 over last year.

Reuben H. Marsh succeeded William B. Denman as building inspector and his salary was fixed at \$400 a year. Harry C. Anderson was slated as plumbing inspector to replace Mr. Denman, and the salary was increased from \$300 to \$400 annually.

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More Than 1,000 Licenses Granted in Grand Rush on Motor Vehicle Registration Bureau

More than a thousand license plates and driver's licenses were distributed Tuesday in a last-minute rush on the Lyons-Conley office, the motor vehicle registration bureau for this vicinity. Persons from all over Union and Essex counties flocked to Springfield like sheep, but many from Essex were disappointed, since the supply of Essex county plates was consumed last Saturday.

According to Edward A. Conley, the agent, 1800 licenses were issued the last ten days of the year, and the total from November 15, the first day to obtain license plates, to December 21, showed only 700 persons applying for registration cards, and furnished evidence that negligence was responsible for much of the delay and inconvenience of the

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CHURCH AFFAIRS AND SERVICES

METHODIST EPISCOPAL
 Rev. William I. Reed, pastor.
 Sunday School, 9.45 a. m.
 Morning prayer and worship, 11 a. m.
 Epworth League meeting, 7 p. m.
 Evening service, 8 p. m.

The subject of the morning worship for Sunday is "The Dial of Ahaz." The evening subject is "What Hast Thou Done?"

The members of the Epworth League will rehearse tonight for the play, "Fickle Fortune." The cast has been selected. Two possible dates, January 15 and 22, have been suggested, but no date is certain.

Watch Night Service was held New Year's Eve. Details of the service will be found in other columns of this newspaper.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet next Wednesday afternoon and make arrangements for a Washington's Birthday supper.

Mrs. Reed will lead this week's Epworth League service.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. George A. Liggett, pastor.
 Sunday School, 9.45 a. m.
 Christian Endeavor meeting, 7.45 p. m. in the chapel.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society will meet Wednesday afternoon in the church at 3 o'clock.

ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC

Rev. Thomas B. Larkau, rector.
 Masses Sunday morning, 7.30, 9.30 and 11 o'clock.
 Sunday School, following 9.30 mass.
 Holy Day masses at 6.15 and 8 a. m.

The Dramatic Society will hold a banquet and supper Thursday evening in the Lions' Club rooms at 8 o'clock.

ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL

(Protestant) Millburn

Rev. Hugh W. Dickinson, rector.
 Holy Communion, 8 a. m.
 Church School and Bible Class, 9.45 a. m.

Second Holy Communion (choral) and sermon by the rector, 11 a. m.

Vesper service with musical score and address by the rector, 7 p. m., assisted by Edwin A. Livingston, organist and choir-master. Miss Lee Flindell, soprano; Bayard Stone, tenor; Bernard Key, bass.

The regular monthly meeting of the rector, wardens and vestrymen will be held Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock, in the rectory.

The regular business monthly meetings of the Junior and Women's Guild will be held Tuesday evening in the parish house at 8 o'clock.

Over 325 children took part in the Christmas festival held last Thursday afternoon in the parish house, under the auspice of the Church School and Bible Class.

BECOMES CITIZEN

Chas. H. Smith, 345 E. Springfield, passed her final test for citizenship papers in Naturalization Court before Judge Thompson last Thursday afternoon. Less than fifty per cent of the applicants were refused papers and a number also failed to respond to a hearing. Several cases were suspended for further study.

Irvine Livingston, superintendent, was in charge.

William Van, famous national children's entertainer, was present and had the party in an uproar with his hilarious stunts. The title of one of his acts was "Thiggs with Wings and Other Things."

Miss Evelyn Hoffman, of South Maple avenue, Springfield, a teacher in the primary department of the Church School, read an interpretation of "The Little Boy Jesus."

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Springfield Garage, Morris & Mountain Avenues, Millburn 181.	A. E. James 135 Tooker Ave. Millburn 1286.
BANK	PLUMBER
First National Bank of Springfield Brookside Building, Millburn 500.	Harry C. Anderson, 140 Mountain Ave. Millburn 1896.
DAIRY	REAL ESTATE
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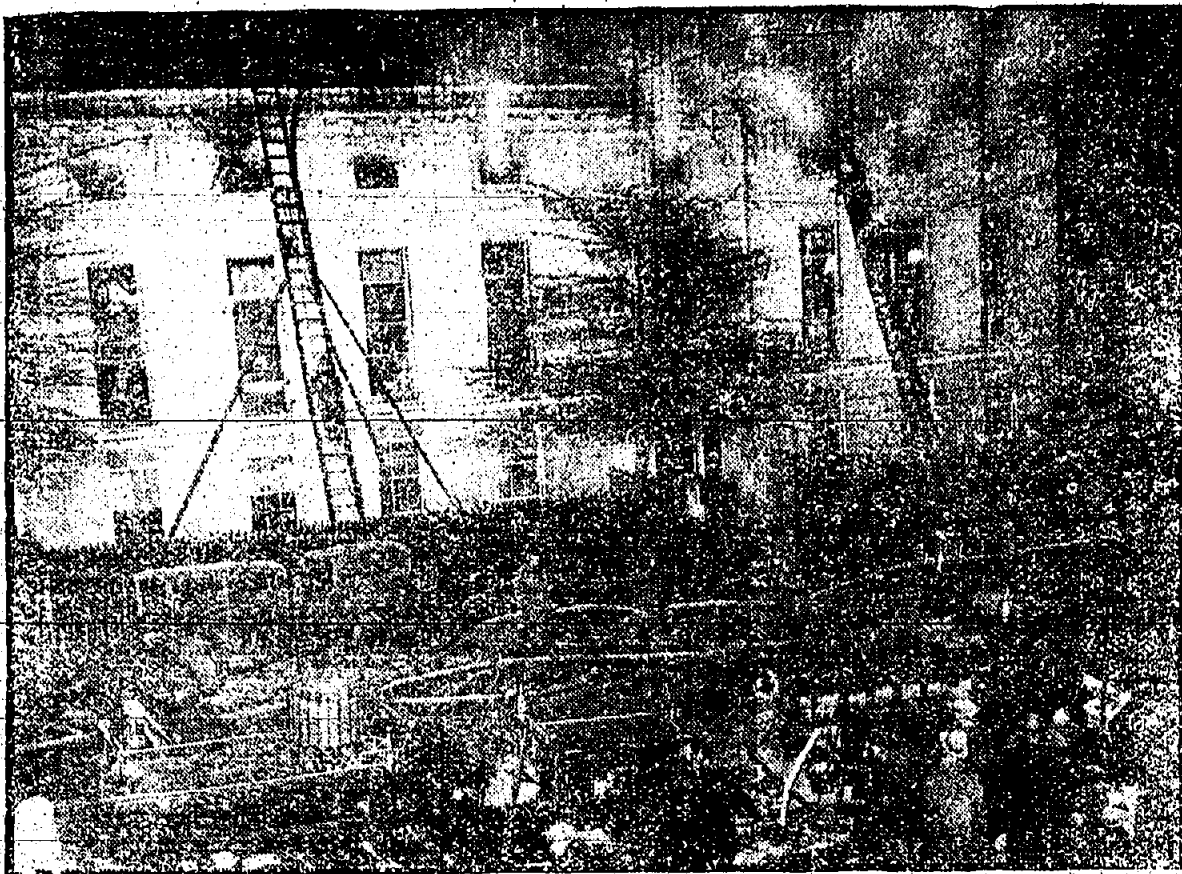
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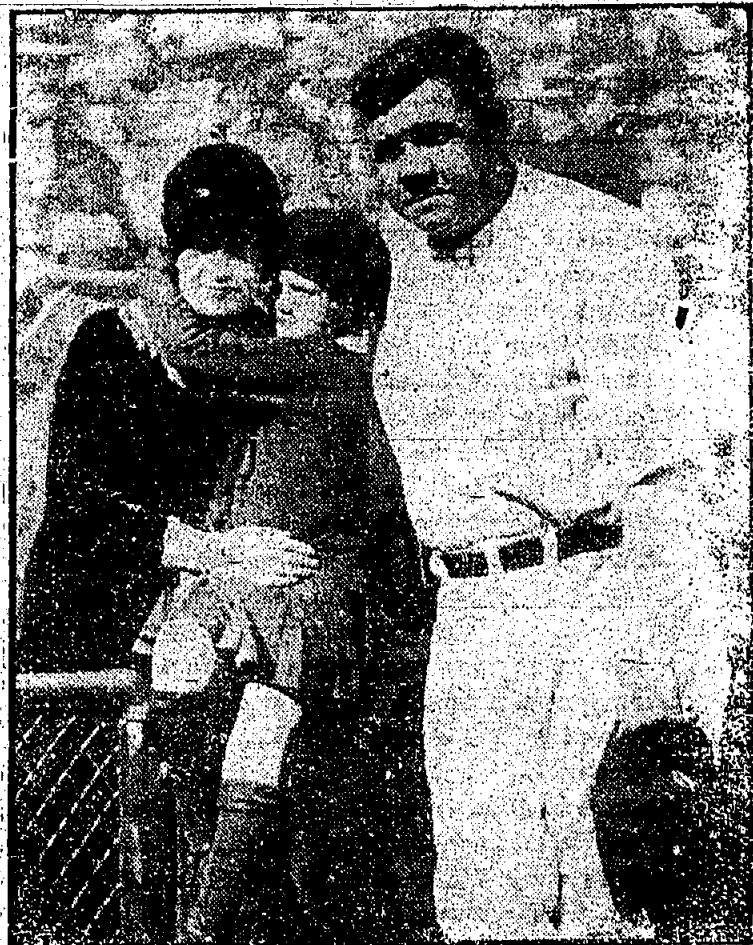


CHRISTMAS FIRE at White House interrupted holiday festival there while firemen fought flames that swept executive offices of the President and other officials of state. The flames, which did damage of \$50,000, destroyed recently remodeled wing of White House. Electric wiring is believed to have caused the fire, shown at its peak in above photo.



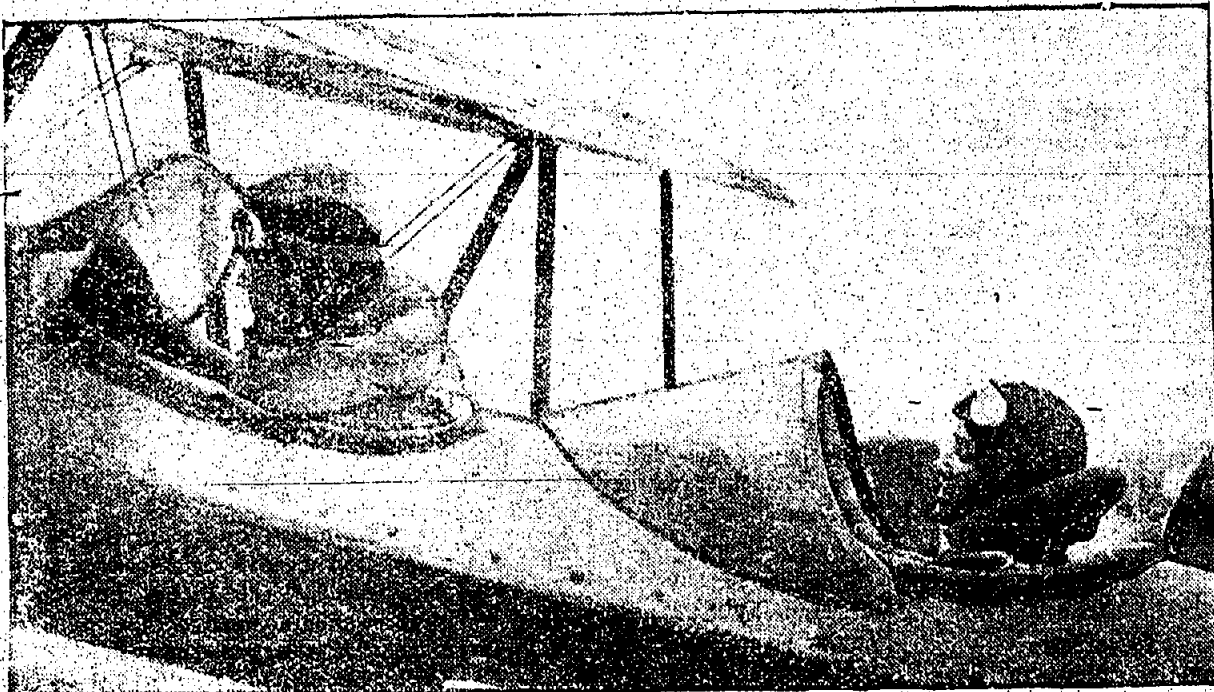
MYSTERIOUS BLACK BAG, taken in Federal raids on narcotic rings in New York city, is believed to hold clues to "master minds" behind dope traffic. Assistant Federal Attorney John M. Blake (above) prepares to open bag and see whose name is found in it.
(New York Graphic Photo)

Child Suffers by Estate Loss



MYSTERIOUS SHRINKAGE of estate left by Babe Ruth's first wife, who was burned to death in fire, is being investigated by Boston authorities. Estate, estimated at more than \$75,000, was left to little Dorothy Ruth (above, with first Mrs. Ruth and the Babe), but indications today are that child will get less than \$5,000.

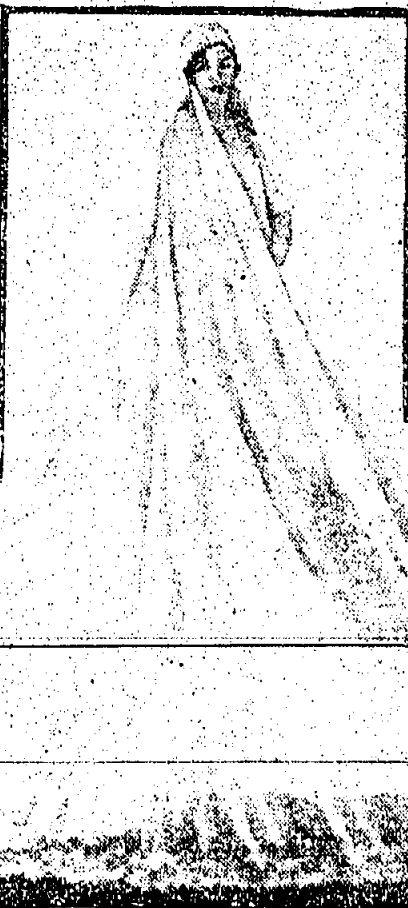
The Lindberghs Soar Afloat



EAGLE WINGS WESTWARD—Heavily garbed for winter flying, Col. Charles Lindbergh and his bride, the former Anne Morrow, hopped off at Curtiss Field, L. I., with Columbus, O., scheduled as their first landing place. From there, the flying eagle and his mate will begin inspection tour of T. A. T. air lines.

Wedding Veil of Belgian Princess

A WEDDING VEIL FOR A PRINCESS—The gifted hands of the women of her native Belgium have fashioned a veil of rare lace to deck the beauty of their Princess Marie Jose when she weds the Crown-Prince of Italy Prince Humberto. The veil was especially fashioned for this great occasion, which will unite the heads of two of the few remaining monarchies of Europe.



A DAY OF DUAL IMPORTANCE: The Crown-Prince Humberto of Italy and Princess Marie Jose of Belgium will become one on January 8, which is also the birthday of the mother of Prince—Queen Elena, who will celebrate her 50th birthday on the nuptial day of her son.

Potential Heavyweight Champs



AT GUS WILSON'S Orangeburg, N. Y., training camp in the winter, Gerald Anderson (right) and Harry Fox (left) boxed each other daily between sessions with the "Big Boy" who was then conditioning for his knockout of Tommy Lynchman.

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STATISTICS OF SPRINGFIELD

Population 1929 (estimated)	5,000
Assessed valuation, 1929	\$4,746,330
Tax rate, 1929	\$4.04
Form of government	Township
Bank Resources	\$1,000,000.00

Springfield is situated only 55 minutes on the Lackawanna R. R. from New York (20 miles) and has good bus connections to Newark, Elizabeth, Summit and Plainfield. The Lackawanna railroad stations at Millburn and Short Hills are only one mile from Springfield Center. The Rahway Valley R. R. has a freight station in Springfield, giving service for factories, commercial and industrial purposes.

Two building and loan associations, one bank, and two schools, as well as excellent fire and police protection are afforded.

Four churches: First Presbyterian, Methodist Episcopal, St. James Catholic, First Colored Baptist.

OPINIONS WALK THE PLANK

People find it necessary to revise their opinions in a fashion that is some times striking.

For instance, men who played tennis used to be eyed with disdain by their hard boiled brethren who were free from such effminacy. Of course it is generally known today that tennis calls for nerve and stamina, good lungs, a stout heart and firm muscles.

It used to be that golf had its few privileged devotees, who carried their drivers and niblicks, accompanied with the scorn of the masses. But the masses have embraced the mashie and the putter is wielded by unbashd millions.

It used to be considered that power always went with sternness. The great man was the cold man. The good hearted person was nice in his way, but such unbending necessarily showed a soft streak that was incompatible with dependable greatness.

Our big men of today present a different picture. If they display any phobia of pomposity, aloofness, or atavistic tendency to believe they are concocted of different stuff, we turn from them with a shrug.

We have found that in fundamentals there is only a thin line that divides the great and small. Our big men do not loose any of their bigness by betraying the human material of which they are made. They are none the less, but perhaps more noteworthy, when we discover in them the simplicity, kindliness and plain angles of living which are the common heritage.

The world was flat once. The sun moved around the earth. The extent of communication was the loudness of the human voice. The limit of travel was measured by human leg power. The limit of freight was measured by the strength of human shoulders. Sunset marked the actual close of the day. Knowledge was a collection of fabulous superstitions.

All these things represented set ideas of human beings at one time. Every stage, however backward, had its defenders and proponents, who were ready to maintain with sincerity and their lives, the correctness and finality of their notions.

Astronomy, the sciences, religious tolerance, the telephone, the steam engine, the public school, even habitations above ground, all represent some revision of human opinion, some drastic upsetting of cherished ideas, some violent overthrow of tradition hallowed by time. Every advance we make marks the recession of something else. Every new idea means the displacement of a previous one. It must be apparent that in our rushing era, an enormous number of notions and opinions are continually discarded. It should be a plain lesson for us not to be moored too tenaciously to any particular standpoints. In the animal world, the species that cling to one spot, are surpassed by those with mobility of action.

Every once in a while it is a good thing to held up our pet, fixed notions to the light, and see if they still have vitality, or if it is time for them to walk the plank.

—and the Worst is Yet to Come



Rambling Around SPRINGFIELD

The last week of the old year and the first few days of the New Year kept everyone in town on edge in anticipation of what was coming next. Waiting for automobile licenses, accidents here and there, one hit-and-run driver, several arrests, and the idea of a New Year all helped to make this past week an interesting if not an active week for any news reporter.

And of course, wives are kept busy arranging for parties, men figuring in what shape they would appear New Year's morning after the wild celebration, and besides one woman in South Maple avenue was successful in keeping secret a surprise birthday party for her husband!

A man from Union had the nerve to apply for an automobile license Tuesday when he couldn't support himself as a result of drinking alcoholic beverages. He must have had some of his senses left because he went home in a jitney bus, instead of using his auto. He would have been in a bad fix, because a policeman was nearby, ready to apprehend him, should he violate the law.

Members of Battle Hill Council 120, Jr. O. U. A. M., must feel a bit proud these days. Several weeks ago, a letter was sent to the council by Overseer of the Poor James C. Stiles, Sr., of Springfield, and a past councillor of Success Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Millburn, in which he stated that if every Junior Order council was as active and progressive as the local one, the Junior Order of United American Mechanics would be well "over the top".

Without getting off the topic of automobile licenses, since that was the major topic of the week, every patrolman on seeing a motorist stop nearby and look out, merely said, "The license bureau is three doors west of the post office. If the car showed 1929 Essex County plates this salutation was sung out, "All out of Essex County plates. Good day."

Rumors have been heard that the Dramatic Society of the St. James Catholic Church will have another revue some time in April or May. Members who took part in the last production, "Let's Make Whoopee," will be tendered a banquet and dance next Thursday evening in the Lions Club rooms.

Another rumor has been circulated about town that the Commonwealth Water Company, of Summit, which took over a short J. S. Water Company several weeks ago is planning to lay 10,000 feet of water pipe in the section of Springfield and nearby Springfield Heights.

WILL TAKE TOKENS IN LIEU OF FARE

PLAINFIELD, Jan. 3.—Frank J. Noll, of North Plainfield, president of the Somerset Bus Company, which operates buses through Springfield, has announced that there will be no change in the fare rates of the buses of his company, although the Public Service Coordinated Transport change was made January 1. He says the same fare will be continued, although travelers have been instructed to accept Public Service tokens in lieu of a five-cent fare.

:: EVENTS OF THE WEEK ::

Today Luncheon meeting, Springfield Lions Club, Villegiani Inn, 12.15 p. m. Meeting, Executive Committee, W. C. T. U., at home of Mrs. Robert J. Matthews, Mountain avenue, 2 p. m.	house, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Millburn, 8 p. m. men of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, rectory, 8.15 p. m. Meeting, Women's Guild, parish house, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 8 p. m.
Tonight Meeting, Battle Hill Council 120, Jr. O. U. A. M., Municipal Building, 7.30 p. m. Meeting, Troop 66, Boy Scouts of America, James Caldwell school, 8 p. m. Rehearsal, Epworth League, lecture room, Methodist Church.	Wednesday Meeting, Ladies' Aid Society, lecture room, Methodist Church, 3 p. m. Meeting, Ladies' Benevolent Society, chapel, Presbyterian Church, 3 p. m.
Tomorrow Meeting, Jr. Epworth League, lecture room, Methodist Church, 2.30 p. m.	Thursday Meeting, Sunshine Society, home of Mrs. William Stoekle, 28 Taylor street, Millburn, 2.30 p. m. Meeting, New Jersey Glider Club, Fleetwood Chevrolet Company, 163 Morris avenue, 8 p. m. Lackawanna Bowling League contests, Woodruff alleys, Center street.
Sunday Meeting, Epworth League, lecture room, Methodist Church, 7 p. m. Meeting, Christian Endeavor Society, chapel, Presbyterian Church, 7.45 p. m.	BUILDING REPORT SHOWS DECREASE Building permits for the year of 1929 amounted to \$299,795, according to the annual report of Building Inspector William B. Denman. This covered the period from January 1, 1929, to January 1, 1930, and showed a decrease of \$851 over the year previous when the total amount of permits issued was \$344,646.
Monday Court night, auditorium, Municipal building, Everett T. Spinning, recorder, 8 p. m.	
Tuesday Meeting, Washington Camp 209, Jr. O. U. A. Municipal Building, 8 p. m. Meeting, Junior Guild, parish	

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More Than 1,000 Licenses Granted

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last few days' rush. About 80 per cent. of Springfielders obtain their licenses many days before the first of the year. The majority of applicants at the last minute consisted of people from Union, Summit, Millburn, Elizabeth, Newark and other places.

One woman who lived in Short Hills, was ignorant as to the county she lived in. In four places on the applications, the word "brown" was placed on the color of the person, when it belonged on the color of the eyes.

Excitement was furnished about five o'clock when a man came back to buy screws to put plates on his car and luckily he was one of two who had been given wrong plates. That was a close call, but later, a patrolman was dispatched to find a man who lived on Mountain avenue, who had been given wrong plates. After searching for an hour, he was finally found to be living only a few doors away from the home of the officer.

In the clearing up after the ball was over, one fountain pen and a pair of worn-out wool-lined gloves were the only articles of value left as souvenirs. For every application filled out, at least four cards due to mistakes were destroyed and the floor looked like a bed of yellow and cream-colored snow.

One man, in making out his application, wrote his name not only upside down, but backward. Figure that out!

It required a person with a hard heart to look out of the office on the countenances of the individuals who were literally "left out in the cold." Some were acting forlorn, while others made an attempt to curse, but of little or no avail. Six weeks was enough time to get a license. In average time, it takes but two minutes to dispose of each applicant, and we are beginning a year earlier, by saying "GET YOUR LICENSE PLATES EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH!"

Prosecutor Leads Raid on Hemlocks

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liquor were found at Farcher's place in Milltown road and Springfield road, Union, and a quart bottle of alleged liquor and three pint boards were found at Dryer's place in Seventeenth street, Kenilworth. The Farchers and Dryer both pleaded not guilty to the sale and possession of liquor. The only raid in which the prosecutor himself took part was the raid on the "Hemlocks."

Evidence against the three places was obtained by undercover men from the prosecutor's office, and the raids were made on complaints from persons in the municipalities. In each case, the local police department aided.

Prosecutor David announced that the raid marked the opening of an extensive drive to clear Union county of all "speakeasies."

DOCTOR GETS BETTER

The condition of Dr. Henry P. Dengler, inspector of the Board of Health, who was afflicted at his office in Morris avenue early Monday morning with a sore throat, was reported to be improved. He was taken to the Newark Memorial Hospital and is expected to return home soon.

Officials Tender Testimonial to Jeakens and Quinzel

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W. Warner and Frank E. Meisel, Recorder Everett T. Spinning; Fire Chief George W. Sisco; Police Chief M. C. Runyon, Overseer of the Poor James C. Stiles, Board of Health Inspector Dr. Henry P. Dengler and Township Attorney Charles W. Weeks.

Mr. Larsen acted as toastmaster and the Rev. Hoppaugh gave the invocation. Judge Spinning spoke on "Drunken Drivers." Mr. Davidson gave an address on "The Fire Department." Dr. Dengler spoke on "Health Conditions," and a talk on "Springfield Traffic," was given by Police Chief Runyon. Mr. Ferguson spoke on "Our Guests of Honor," and Rev. Hoppaugh gave Mr. Jeakens a solid green gold Hamilton watch, and Mr. Quinzel with a white gold Masonic ring, in behalf of the gathering.

Mr. Jeakens was a member of the Township Committee for eighteen years and chairman of that body for seven years, having been a resident of Springfield since 1888. In addition he was at one time Chief of the Fire Department and President of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

Mr. Quinzel was a member of the Township Committee for six years, and incidentally also came to Springfield the year Mr. Jeakens did, in 1888. He, too, is a member of the Springfield Volunteer Fire Company, serving now as treasurer of that body.

Larson Heads Township Committee

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Township Committeeman Fred A. Brown replaced former Committeeman Charles S. Quinzel as president of the Board of Health and Township Clerk Robert D. Treat succeeds Lewis T. Terry as clerk of the Board of Health. His salary is fixed at \$400 a year. This is a decrease of \$200, but since Mr. Treat has always attended meetings of the Board and must keep the record for official use, it was deemed best to make the salary less.

Dr. Henry P. Dengler was reappointed as Board of Health Inspector and his salary is the same, \$500 per year.

LIONS TELL WHY THEY CHOSE WORK

A series of speeches by members, telling why they were in their chosen profession, headed the weekly business-luncheon meeting of the Lions Club in the Alleghany Inn last Friday afternoon.

President Charles H. Huff conducted the meeting. Sixteen members and eleven visitors, including Westfield Lions, Ross, Griffen, Elliot, Taylor, Kopp, Judson, Cederberg, E. E. Crow, Pearsall, Oldford, and Hennessey were present.

Today, being the first meeting day of the month, there will be no speakers present, and only business will be discussed.

P. O. S. A. to Elect

Second nomination and election officers will be made at the regular bi-monthly business meeting of Washington Camp, 209, Patriotic Order Sons of America, to be held Tuesday evening in the Municipal Building at 7:30 o'clock.

Official Has Had An Active Career

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bonds, and as public official signed them all, a total of \$1,255,700.

Serving as a teacher, as a secondary student, as a minister, appointed by the state to serve on a commission to erect Revolutionary memorial in Union County, as a member of the Board of Education, and as a municipal official, Mr. Hoppaugh, with his seventy-two year span of life, has had an active career.

Besides being treasurer and tax collector, Mr. Hoppaugh is, according to law, ex-officio custodian of school monies, treasurer of the Fire District, treasurer of the Police Pension Commission, a member of the Sinking Fund Commission, and district clerk of the Board of Education.

He was born August 29, 1857, in Hampton, Hunt county, N. C. In 1876 to 1879, he taught in the public school of Winchell's Grove School District, in Union county, the same school at which he had himself attended since he was ten years of age until a few days before he assumed the duties of teaching. During the school year 1879-80, he studied at the Academy at Fairtown in preparation for college. In 1884, he graduated from Lafayette College, in Easton, Pa., and from 1884 to 1887, was a student at the Union Theological Seminary in New York City.

June 1, 1887, he was ordained to the ministry by the Presbytery at Elizabeth and installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, continuing as pastor until July 1, 1913, twenty-six years, after which he retired because of his impaired health. He was succeeded by Rev. Dr. George A. Liggett, who is still pastor.

In 1905, Mr. Hoppaugh was appointed by the Governor of New Jersey a member of a commission to erect Revolutionary Memorials throughout Union county, an appropriation for the purpose having been made by the State Legislature. The other members of the commission were Charles H. K. Halsey and C. Symmes, of Elizabeth.

The granite monument of the Continental Soldier, which stands in front of the First Presbyterian Church, at the corner of Morris avenue and Main street, on ground deeded to the State of New Jersey by the church, was erected and unveiled by the commission with appropriate exercises June 23, 1905, the one hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary of the Battle of Springfield, fought at the Railway River Bridge June 23, 1780. Other monuments were erected by the commission on Revolutionary battlegrounds at Connecticut Farms (now Union) and Elizabeth.

In 1914, Mr. Hoppaugh was elected a member of the Board of Education and served for six years. He was appointed district clerk of the board in 1914 and is still occupying that position. He took the position of Township Treasurer and Tax Collector January 1, 1919.

W. C. T. U. to Meet

The executive committee of the local Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Robert J. Matthews, of Mountain avenue, for the purpose of selecting a date for the first meeting of the year, so as to enable county officers, including the County President Mrs. Edith Currie, of Cranford, to attend. Plans for a reception to the officers will also be discussed.

CHIEF RUNYON GETS SUMMIT FUGITIVE

Wanted as a fugitive from justice, Tony Pasanelli, 32, of 35 Orchid street, Summit, was arrested by Chief of Police M. C. Runyon in Millburn avenue last Thursday evening.

Pasanelli was indicted by the Grand Jury in October, 1928, for a statutory offense. Overseer of the Poor James C. Stiles of Springfield also made a complaint against him on a charge of desertion and bigamy, and disorderly conduct.

Prosecutor David had sent out a list of fugitives to every police chief in the county, and when the chief recognized him from the picture, with the aid of a patrolman of Summit, made the arrest. Pasanelli was held on \$500 on one charge and taken to the Union County Jail the next morning.

WHOOPEE CAST TO DINE, DANCE

A banquet and dance, in honor of the members of the cast of "Let's Make Whoopee," under the auspices of the St. James Dramatic Society, of the St. James Roman Catholic Church, will be held Thursday evening in the Lions Club rooms in the Brookside Building.

The officers of the society, William Drew, Helen Marzak, William Bolger, Alice Tansey, and Thomas Burns, are the committee in charge of arrangements.

Ed. Cardinal and His Band will furnish music for dancing.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. A. Snyder, Profit avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ethel Maria to Harold B. McGregor, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. MacGregor, of Millford, Pike County, Pa. No date has been set for the wedding.

WILL MEET

The Union County Past Councilors' Association of the Daughters of America will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ida Martyn, of 46 South Maple avenue.

FIVE MEN HURT IN NEW YEAR'S CRASH

Five men were badly injured early New Year's morning, in the first accident of the new year, when an automobile in which they were passengers and driven by Daniel Behan, of 37 Pearl street, Summit, skidded around on Morris avenue, caked with ice, opposite the Farmers' Hotel, and turned completely over on its back.

The injured men, Dominick LaPore, of West End avenue, Summit, with a broken leg; Russell Nelson, of 76 Ashwood avenue, Summit, with cuts and bruises; John Scully, of 29 Summit avenue, Summit, with cuts and bruises;

Gene Paglacia, of 158 Broad street, Summit, cut about the head; and Stewart Coffrey, of Russell place, Summit, cuts and bruises, were taken to Overlook Hospital by Patrolmen Thompson and Stiles, who were out on patrol duty at the time. The driver luckily escaped injuries.

The car was a total wreck and according to witnesses, the parts separated all over the road as it skidded along the road on its back. It was towed to Summit.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Mrs. Edna Smith, of Severna avenue to Charles A. Mundy, of Millburn avenue, Millburn, was announced last Saturday afternoon at a luncheon-bridge held in the Arch Bridge Tea Room in honor of Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Irving Bridgen, of Binghamton, N. Y., who left Monday with Mr. Bridgen for a three months' stay in Clearwater, Fla. Mrs. Smith acted as hostess. Nine tables were in play. Guests were present from Short Hills, New Providence, Millburn and Springfield.

The prize-winners were Mrs. George McGrath, Mrs. Donald A. Leach, Mrs. A. Lennox Crane, Mrs. John Lee, and Mrs. Nicholas C. Schmidt, all of Springfield.

No date for the wedding has been selected.

This Year's Dollars and Last Year's Sense

What did you save out of last year's many pay checks?

You can, if you will, make a better showing for the coming year. HOW?

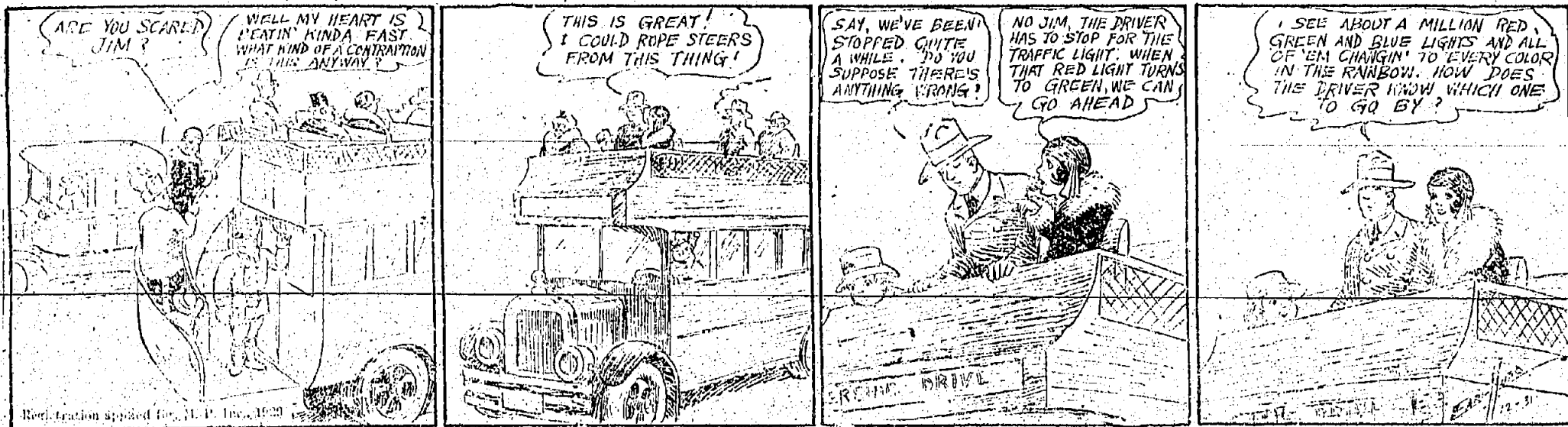
Plan to save and save with a plan!
Deposit a certain part of your salary, say 10 per cent, each pay day. Try it this year at this bank.

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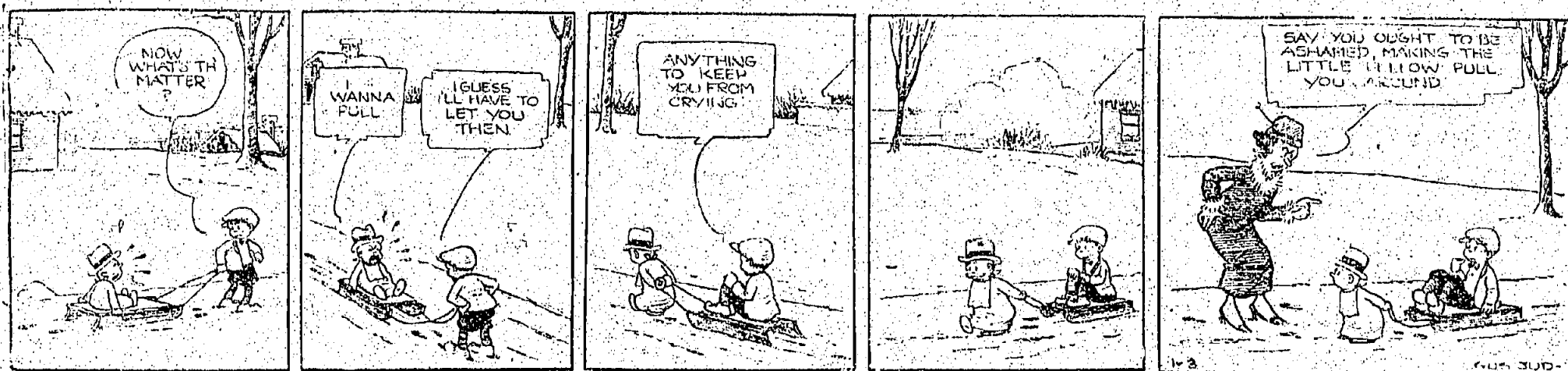
SUSIE SUNSHINE— A New Sidelight on Traffic

BY EARL HURD



LITTLE DAVE— Even Angels Would Weep

BY GUS JUD



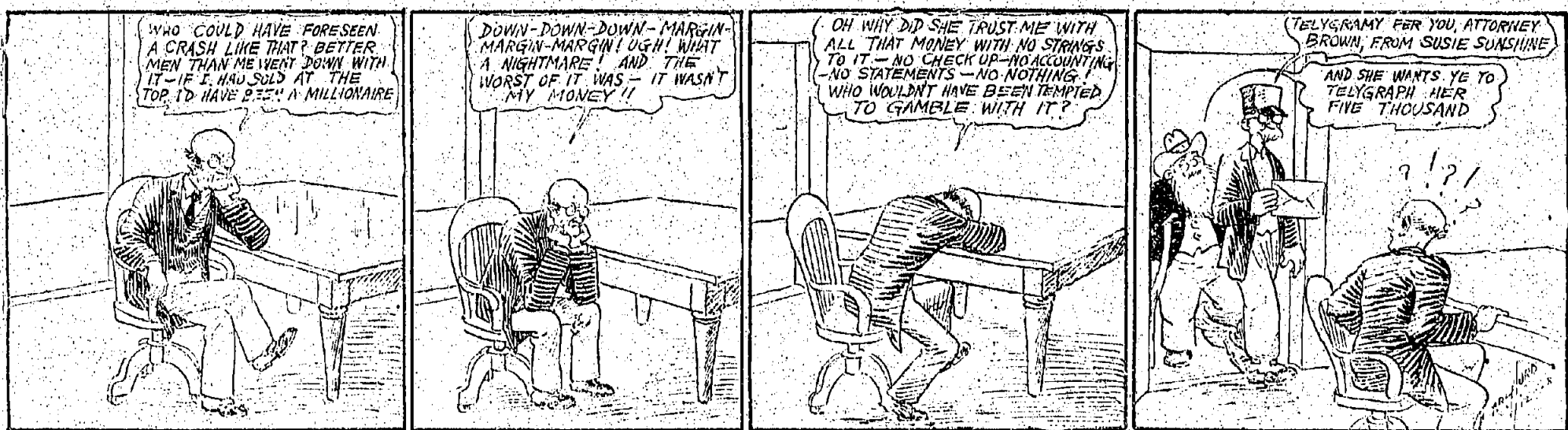
DANNY— Disillusionment

BY BERNARD DIBBLE



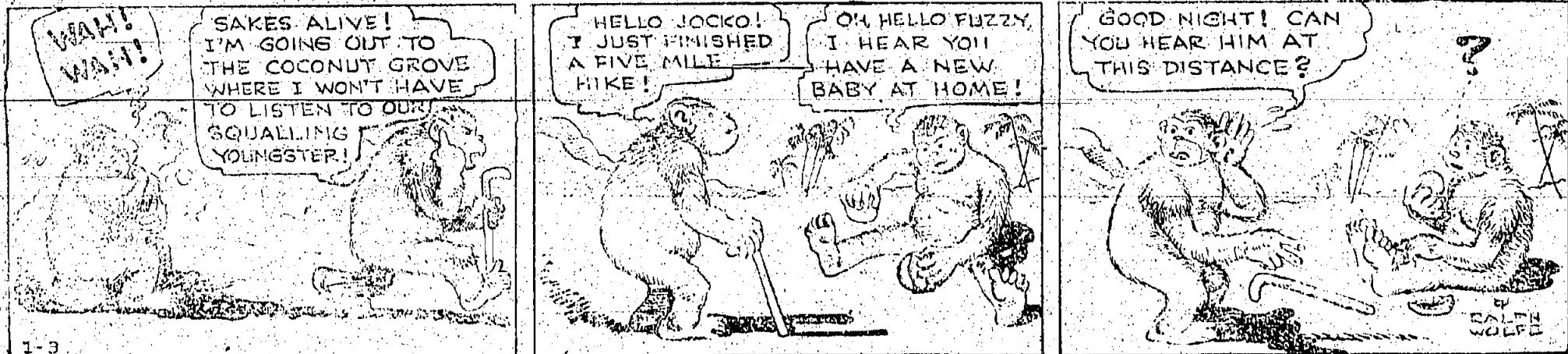
SUSIE SUNSHINE— "Santa" Brown Proves "Pauper" Brown

BY EARL HURD



ANIMAL WISE CRACKS—

Some Wave Length! BY RALPH WOLFE



The Signor Gets an Earful



HUMBERT JACK FUGAZY, fight promoter, is shown at the Park East Hospital, New York city, as he listened to the radio account of the hockey game in the New Madison Square Garden. He will soon leave the institution.

Happy Newlyweds---Soon



BOOKED BY CUPID—This time it's Frances Williams, stage star, and Alton Jones, band leader, who will take that stroll to the altar. Announcement of their engagement was made by Frances herself, and, as photo shows, Alton beamed his acknowledgment.

COUNCIL RECEIVES SEWER CONTRACTS

Bunnell Turns Over Rights-of-Way To Committee

Contracts for right-of-way for the sanitary sewer were turned over to the Township Committee at a special meeting Friday night by Robert S. Bunnell. All contracts were adjusted favorably with the exception of one.

Fire Chief Sisco complained that several streets were impassable because of the sewer excavation. Mr. Sisco specifically mentioned Morrison Road, Weigand street and part of Molter avenue. He asked that one side of the road be opened to allow passageway for trucks. C. S. McNulty, representing the E. S. Maherty Company, one of the sewer contractors, reported that the matter would be adjusted speedily.

An ordinance was passed on final reading to raise the salary of the Township Clerk. No objections were heard.

Charles Huff wrote an acknowledgement of his appointment to the Board of Freeholders to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Peter H. Meisel.

A communication was received from the sectional fire ward of Section 17 of the New Jersey Forest Fire Service, stating that Springfield was included in this section for 1930 to be maintained by the state. The matter was referred to the township attorney for decision.

The clerk was instructed to write to the receivers of the Morris County Traction Company and to the contractors notifying them to remove the trolley tracks on Main street from Morris avenue to the township line within 30 days.

A competitive bid will be asked for on the contract for the revision and preparation of the tax atlas. This matter must be done since the sewer commission requests such an atlas to determine the proportionate costs of the sanitary sewer assessments. An estimate has already been furnished by Arthur H. Lennox, local engineer.

James C. Stiles, overseer of the poor, presented his annual report.

Rain Causes Accidents

A passenger was slightly injured early Sunday morning when cars driven by Roy E. Jordan, of 15 Prospect street, South Orange, and R. Nebilan, of High Bridge road, High Bridge, collided on Meisel and Wabeno avenues. The pavement at this point was slippery due to the recent excavations there and the heavy rains and snowstorms.

The injured persons were Harold Osburn, of High Bridge, a passenger in Nebilan's car, who sustained cuts above the head and face and suffered the loss of a tooth. He refused doctor's treatment. Both cars were towed away.

Ladies Aid to Meet

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its first meeting of the year next Wednesday afternoon in the lecture room at 3 o'clock. Committees will be appointed by the president, Mrs. Z. Elmer Siskley, for the annual Washington's Birth-day Supper, February 22. Plans for work of the year will also be made.

AT THE STRAND

"Sitting By the Window," and "A Night of Happiness" are two songs that are sung by Joe Wagstaff, outstanding musical comedy star, in "A Song of Kentucky," a movietone all talking and singing romantic comedy drama coming to the Roth Strand on Friday and Saturday. These catchy and unselfish melodies are likely to become instant hits.

Co-featured with Wagstaff in this drama of Kentucky love, intrigue and horse racing is Lois Moran, beautiful and talented screen actress. Dorothy Burgess heads the supporting cast, which includes Douglas Gilmore, Edna Hopper, Herman Ang and Edwards Davis.

Conrad Mitchell and Grotler wrote the book, lyrics and music. Lewis Seiler directed the picture and Frank Merlin was in charge of the stage direction.

Clark and McCullough, the screen's greatest comedians and acers of hilarity and laughter since the advent of the "All-Talkie" comedy in "The Belle of Sonoma," are the headlining attraction on the Short Subject Unit of this Friday and Saturday's program. Robert Benchley in the monologue, "The Treasurer's Report," a timely subject; and the Vodvil musical sketch, "Two Much Acting," are the other high spots on that part of the Strand's offering.

Charlie Chaplin in a revival of one of his earliest comedy knock outs in the days of his Essanay film popularity, "The Champion," which is scheduled for a special screening as next Saturday's matinee special.

Belle Baker, star of "Song of Love," the musical drama playing at the Strand, Summit, next Monday and Tuesday, has been a vaudeville headliner for years. Her appearance on a bill always means S. R. O. business. Miss Baker has such a tremendous hold on the public because she puts her heart and soul into her songs. No one who has ever heard her sing one of her famous dialect songs can ever forget the deep, sincere feeling she is able to convey through her voice. Belle Baker will sing some of her great hits in "Song of Love" in addition to several songs that were written expressly for the picture.

Charlie Chase in "Snappy Sneezes," is the comedy, and "Farm-Reliefs, a Crazy Kat" collection, is the cartoon, on the Strand's Monday and Tuesday's program next week. The current issue of the Pathe-Strand News is also a part of the same bill.

The vagaries of cigarette lighters became an important "prop" in the filming of "The Love Trap," Laura La Plante's latest starring vehicle, which is at the Roth Strand next Wednesday and Thursday. After rehearsing the scene in which a cigarette lighter sets fire to Norman Trevor's coat, during which the lighter worked perfectly three times, Director William Wyler ordered a "take."

and, at the crucial moment, the lighter failed to light. The notable cast includes Robert Ellis, Clarissa Selwynne, Jocelyn Lee, Rita La Roy, and other favorites.

Laurel and Hardy, one of the most popular "All-Talking Comedy" teams in "A Perfect Day," occupy the headline position on the Strand's Short Subject bill Thursday of next week.

Gertrude Lawrence, "The Rio Rita Girl," "A South Sea Interlude," a color-film musical sketch, and the mid-week Pathe-News Events in sound are the attractions on that part of the program.

Freddie Burke Frederick, who plays a leading role in "Wall Street," the all-talking drama of finance and love coming to the Strand, Summit, next Friday and Saturday, is one of the most versatile child actors in pictures. He made his screen debut at the age of three in the "Macdougall Alley Kid Series," written especially for him and produced by Joe Rock. In those days he was cast exclusively in comedy parts, particularly tough youngsters. Since then he has impersonated diversified types, ranging from young English aristocrats to juvenile crooks. In "Wall Street" he plays a role in support of Ralph Ince and Aileen Pringle.

George La Maire, in a Pathe talking comedy screen, "The Barbens' College," "Barnyard Battle," a Miekie Mouse cartoon, and a Screen Snap Shot are the supplementary attractions.

While "Pollyanna," with Mary Pickford featured is the attraction chosen for Saturday matinee's special next week.

Sunshine Society to Meet

The regular bi-monthly business meeting of the Springfield-Millburn Sunshine Society will be held next Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the home of the president, Mrs. William Stoeckle, of 28 Taylor street, Millburn.

Ladies' Society to Meet

The Ladies' Benevolent Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet Wednesday afternoon in the chapel at 3 o'clock. Due to the date of the regular meeting coming on New Year's Day, the meeting was transferred from this past week to the next. Plans for the year's work will be discussed.

New Chevrolet Released

The 1930 model Chevrolet motor car will be on display for the first time Saturday at the Fleetwood Chevrolet Company, in Morris avenue.

Women's Guild to Meet

The Women's Guild of the St. Stephen's Episcopal Church of Millburn will hold its first business meeting of the year next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the parish house. Plans for a membership rally will be made.

POST OFFICE SCHEDULE

A. M.
6:30 Post Office Opens.
6:40 Mail coming to Springfield from all points.
7:30 Mail going out to all points.
9:00 All mail in boxes for morning delivery.
11:30 Mail going out to all points.
11:50 Mail coming from all points.
P. M.
1:00 Mail in boxes for noon delivery.
4:30 Mail coming from all points.
5:00 All mail in boxes for late afternoon delivery.
5:30 Mail going out to all points.
6:00 Post Office closed.

WHERE TO BUY THE "SUN"

The SPRINGFIELD SUN is on sale at the following news stands: B. Shalk, Morris avenue and Mountain avenue; Peirano's, 246 Morris avenue; Maiorino's, 161 Morris avenue; and the Teddy Shoppe, 19 Morris avenue.

The SUN is also delivered to the home by Jack Temenham, newsdealer, Morris avenue. Copies may be ordered direct from him or from the office of the SUN, Phone Millburn 1256.

SPRINGFIELD SOCIALS

Entertains at Bridge
Miss Elizabeth Gunn, of Morris avenue entertained at bridge Saturday afternoon. Among those present was her cousin, Miss Irene Kearny, of Baltimore; the Misses Julia Deagler and Heard, Edith Jakobsen, of Springfield; the Misses Julia Deagler and Garis, of Short Hills, and the Misses Eleanor Tease and Doris Fleming, of Summit.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Gunn, of Morris avenue, entertained over the week end their niece, Miss Irene Kearny, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Stewart and family spent New Year's Day at the home of Mrs. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Perkins, of Lyngdon.

Miss Lillian Parsell, daughter of Mrs. John E. King, of Tooker avenue, who has been ill for some time, is on the road to recovery and will attend school in several weeks. Last Friday she entertained the Junior Girls' Social Club at her home. Games were played and refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Meisel, of Salter street entertained over New Year's at the home of Mrs. John DeZutter, of Clinton, and George Zazzali and Mae Hartley, of Paterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Waddi, of Morrison road had as their guest for the holidays their nephew, Richard Booth, Jr., of Nutley.

Mrs. Nellie H. Young, of Grandview avenue, Union, recording secretary of the Pride of Battle Hill Council No. 17, D. of A., is ill in the St. Elizabeth's Hospital, in Elizabeth.

Mr. Joseph Hantzsch, of Alvin terrace, who has been ill several weeks with the grippe, is convalescing at his home.

Visits Roselle
Several members of the local D. of A. council attended a Christmas party held in Roselle Monday evening, under the auspices of the Daughters of America and Sherman Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Warner and sons, Alvin and Harris, of Alvin terrace, spent the New Year's holiday at the home of Mrs. Warner's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Bergmann, of Casleton Heights, Staten Island.

Anna Martyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Montague Martyn, of South Maple avenue returned to her home New Year's Day after spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edwards, of Long Island.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McAdam, of New London, Conn., who have been guests of Mr. McAdam's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Duguid, of Molter avenue, left for their home the latter part of last week.

Mrs. John King, of Tooker avenue had as her guests over the week end her daughter, Mrs. Martin McReisk and children, Vivian, Gene and Grace, of Hackensack.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haywood, of Renner avenue, will entertain the Springfield H. Card Club at their home next Thursday evening.

Holds Supper and Dance
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter, of Renner avenue, entertained thirteen couples at a supper and dance at their home New Year's evening. Guests present included friends and relatives from West Orange and Montclair.

Surprise Birthday Party
In honor of her husband's thirtieth birthday, Mrs. Montague Martyn, of South Maple avenue, entertained at her home New Year's Day thirteen couples from Hoboken, Newark, North Bergen, West New York, Jersey City and Springfield.

Among those present from Springfield were Mr. and Mrs. John H. Schuster, of Warner avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Stewart, of Morris road; Miss Irene Stubble and Mr. and Mrs. Orho Hopler, of Severna avenue.

Mrs. Emma E. Amerman, of Pluckamin, is a guest for the winter at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Huff, of Morris avenue.

Bridge in South Maple Avenue
Miss Margaret Richards, of South Maple avenue, entertained at three tables of bridge in her home Monday evening. Among those present were the Misses Edna and Marion Tuesday evening. Guests present Hoffman, Lorraine Hoffman, Elsie Bryn, Edith Johnson, Agnes Harkel and Anna Richards, all of Springfield; Edith Carlson and Mildred Weaver, of ... Miss Phillip and Miss Evelyn Hoff were the prize winners.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schramm, of Maple avenue, spent the New Year's Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Daniels, of Freeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Montague Martyn, of South Maple avenue, had as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schmidt and Mr. and Mrs. William Schmidt, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Sorority to Meet
Miss Cora Chennells, of Severna avenue, will entertain members of the Phi Alpha Sorority at her home Tuesday evening. Guests present will include residents of Plainfield, Newark, Springfield and Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Richardson of Severna avenue had as their guests New Year's Day Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Nordheim, of Hollis, L. I.

Entertains New Year's Eve
Mr. and Mrs. Willard J. Albrecht, of Morris avenue, were hosts to six couples at a New Year's Eve party at their home. Guests present were from Roselle, Irvington and Elizabeth.

Return from Pennsylvania
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Geib and daughter, Adeline, of Keeler street, returned to their home Monday from Harrisburg, Pa., where they spent the week end at the home of Mr. Geib's parents.

New Year's Eve Bridge
Mr. and Mrs. James M. Duguid, of Mohler avenue, entertained at bridge New Year's Eve. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest F. Swisher, Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Spencer, of Springfield, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen, of Summit.

Away at Shore
Dr. and Mrs. Watson B. Morris, of Morris avenue, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Atkinson, of Olyuey, Pa., former residents here, spent the New Year's holiday at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stiles of ... avenue, entertained thirty friends at their home New Year's evening in honor of the fourth birthday of their nephew, Lela Betty.

Returns from Business
Fire Commissioner Edward C. Townley returned home New Year's Eve from a business trip to Scranton, Pa. He left Monday.

... Knox of ... airport, Conn., has returned to her home ... a few days at the home of her cousins, Betty and James Thomas, of ... avenue. While here, Mrs. Knox visited her aunt, Mrs. Meta Dillon, of Keeler street.

SPRINGFIELD WINS 3 FROM RAHWAY

Locals Pass Two Teams! Now Hold Tenth Place

Led by Captain Huff, who bowled scores of 256, 225 and 224, Springfield easily defeated Rockaway three games to none in a Lackawanna Bowling League tilt last Thursday night on the Rockaway alleys. As a result of their win, Springfield passed both Morristown A and B and advanced to tenth position in the league standings, while several weeks ago they were thirteenth, one place away from the cellar occupants, Union.

Other changes took place in the standing, making the day quite active in readjustments of positions. Boonton dropped from first to third, when they lost two out of three to Tapkow; Millburn went from second to first when they defeated Madison three games, causing Madison to slide from fifth to seventh; Royal Arcanum is tied with Dover and Boonton as a result of losing three to the fast-stepping Chatham, who bowled team scores of 1,051, 1,048 and 971.

Huff also made high score for the league during the night with his 256, and surpassed the other leading bowlers totals averages by far. The scores and individual averages are as follows:

Springfield		
Pfeiffer	218	193 131
Rae	166	188 194
Widmer	170	167 174
Schmidt	141	156 169
Huff	256	225 224
Totals	951	(2) 892

Rockaway		
Sweeney	150	146 113
Silvie	148	140 158
Mott	188	161 146
Norman	160	165 216
Grapda	185	181 179
Totals	831	793 854

Team Standings

W.	L.	Av.	
Millburn	29	11	899.20
R. A. of Dover	28	11	900.25
Boonton	27	12	886.33
Dover	27	12	876.36
Summit A	22	17	862.8
Chatham	21	15	883.2
Madison	20	19	834.34
Summit B	17	22	851.8
Tapkow	17	22	819.18
Springfield	16	23	806.34
Morristown A	15	24	851.12
Morristown B	14	25	832.18
Rockaway	13	26	814.3
Union	6	33	822.23

Individual Averages

G.	Av.	
Huff	39	180.21
Rae	24	177.19
D. Widmer	7	172.5
Schmidt	39	172.27
Jaeger	12	170.1
Pennoyer	39	170.
Widmer	35	168.6

Charles H. Huff, captain of the local five in the Lackawanna Bowling League, placed fourth in the eight-game endurance contest held at the Woodruff Alleys New Year's Day with a score of 1400. Mitchell, a member of the Madison quintet, was the first with a score of 1434. Mitchell bowled high score of the contest, 248 and Carley won the high score for the non-winners, 223. Mitchell won \$16; Sandelli \$12; Skelley, \$8, and Huff \$44.

EXPENDS \$1,434.64
Overseer of the Poor James C. Stiles, Sr., expended \$1,434.64, for the year ending December 31, 1929, according to his annual report given recently to the Township Committee.

JUNIOR ORDER WILL HAVE INSTALLATION

State officers are expected to be present at the installation of officers of Battle Hill Council 120, Jr. O. U. A. M., when the council will hold its first meeting of the year tonight in the Municipal building at 7.30 o'clock.

The following officers, who were elected at the last meeting in December, will be installed: Harry C. Stewart, senior past councillor; junior past councillor, Albert A. Sorge; councillor, Edward Handville; vice-councillor, John H. Baker; conductor, Leonard Cashin; warden, Charles Rubin; inside sentinel, Arthur Menzi; outside sentinel, John H. Shomar; recording secretary, Montague Martyn; assistant recording secretary, Edward Monks; treasurer, Orho Hopler; financial secretary, William A. McCarthy; trustee for three years, Neal Benkart. Other trustees are John H. Schuster and Elwood DeBourgeois.

Past State Councillors Roscoe Walker of West New York and Fred Mome, of Elizabeth, will be present. Refreshments will be served after the meeting. Orho Hopler is in charge.

POLICE COURT

Miss Eunice Gault, of 617 Embrees Crescent, Westfield, who was summoned to appear in court Monday night on a charge of driving an automobile without a driver's license in her possession, was given a suspended sentence by Police Recorder Everett T. Spinning and fined \$2.50 costs. She, in turn, withdrew her charge of reckless driving against Robert MacKenzie, of Spencer Place, Ridge-wood, whose car she collided with last Sunday afternoon of last week, in which Mrs. MacKenzie, a passenger, was injured.

Other cases settled were Guy Mulford, 12 Riverside Drive, Cranford, cutting left of beacon, \$1 and \$2.50 costs; Ross Blackman, colored, improper plates, \$5 and \$2.50 costs; Frank Kuzek, 132 Newton street, Newark, passed a stop signal light, \$1 and \$2.50 costs.

Girl Passenger Hurt

As a result of a collision by two automobiles on Mount-ain avenue and Shunpike road Sunday afternoon, a girl, a passenger, suffered a broken front tooth and injured nose.

The girl, Beatrice Berkowitz, of 256 Somerset street, North Plainfield was riding in an automobile, operated by William Berkowitz, of the same address, when it collided with one driven by Robert Bigelow, of 174 Summit avenue, Summit.

According to witnesses, Berkowitz was going north on Mountain avenue towards Springfield Center, when he was struck by Bigelow, coming out of Shunpike road.

The injured passenger was treated at the office of Dr. Henry P. Dengler.

Junior Guild to Meet

The Junior Guild of the St. Stephen's Episcopal Church of Millburn, will hold its first meeting of the year next Tuesday evening in the Parish House at 8 o'clock. President Mrs. William J. Hirsch will appoint a committee to arrange for details at the turkey supper the guild is planning to have January 21.

It's a Boy

A boy, Elmer Russell, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer R. Adams, of Morris avenue last Thursday in the Elizabeth General Hospital, Elizabeth.

WOMAN IS STRUCK BY HIT-RUN CAR

Condition of Mrs. Rauter Is Said to Be Better

As a result of being struck by a hit-and-run driver on Morris avenue Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Christine Rauter, 62, of Profit avenue, was taken to Overlook Hospital with severe scalp wounds and a possible skull fracture. Thus far, all attempts to find the driver of the automobile have proved futile.

Mrs. Rauter was crossing near the Post Office when she was hit by the automobile probably going at a fast speed. Fifty persons who were waiting in line nearby at the Lyons-Conley office for automobile registration licenses did not know of the accident until a few minutes after. No one could furnish the license plate number of the car.

Valuable time was lost when several strangers to Springfield rushed her to the office of both Drs. Deagler and Morris, but since both were not in, it was necessary to take her to the Summit hospital. At the time this newspaper went to press she was reported to be feeling slightly improved.

WATCH NIGHT HELD IN M. E. CHURCH

Sixty members of both the First Presbyterian and Methodist Episcopal Churches took part in the "Watch Night Service" held New Year's Eve in the lecture room and church room of the Methodist Church.

The members of the Epworth League arranged for the musical service and Rev. William J. Reed, pastor of the Methodist Church, and Rev. Dr. George A. Liggett, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, were in charge of the service which started a half hour before the end of the old year and continued on to the New Year.

The orchestra, consisting of Howard Day, and F. Trautrel, first violin; Ellwood DeBourgeois, second violin; Maxine Moore, cello; Mr. Schilling, clarinet; William Roselett, cornet; and Doris Berstler, pianist, played several selections, among which were "Twilight Shadows," "Apple Blossoms," "I'm Praying for You," "The Ninety and Nine," "I Love to Tell the Story." Howard Day, president of the Epworth League, gave a vocal solo on "The Road to ...". A trio, consisting of Howard Day, Maxine Moore, and Doris Berstler, played "La Cinqtain," "Forget Me Not," and "Humoresque." For the second half of the service the orchestra played "Romance," and "Silent Night."

After the first part of the program, refreshments were served under the direction of a committee headed by Walter White, president of the Fourth department of the Sunday school.

Suffers Bullet Wound

John J. King, of 63 Tooker avenue, escaped serious injuries at his home last Sunday evening when the 25-calibre automatic revolver, which he was cleaning, accidentally shot off and caused a bullet to pass through his left hand. He was rushed to Overlook Hospital in Summit, and later that evening, returned to his home. Luckily, the missile failed to strike a bone in King's hand.