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DECREASE SEEN IN TAX RATE HERE IN 1930

Municipal and School Budgets Are Both Lower Than They Were Last Year

RATE MAY DROP THIRTY POINTS

With a decrease in both school and township budgets, it is expected that the local tax rate will be about 30 points less than the last year's rate of \$4.11 per \$100, unless state and county assessments are high.

The township budget was passed Wednesday night by the Township Committee, and shows a decrease of \$118.91 to be raised by taxation for 1930, whereas the school budget is \$4,700 less than last year. The township rates have increased \$209.341.

The 1930 township budget calls for \$65,200 to be raised by taxation, as compared to \$66,018.91 in 1929.

This decrease is attributed to the amount of surplus revenue left over from last year, which is \$30,500 as compared to \$18,782.88 the previous year.

The total amount of anticipated revenues this year is \$91,400, as compared to \$89,918.91 the previous year.

The largest increase in appropriations is in the township indebtedness for street improvements, this year's figure being \$15,000, as compared to \$10,000 last year.

Another large increase is in the administrative and executive department, \$20,000 to be spent this year, whereas \$16,000 was used in 1929.

The exact figures of the 1930 budget, as compared with 1929, and the increase or decrease of each, is enumerated as follows:

Surplus revenue, 1930, \$30,500; 1929, \$18,782.88; increase, \$11,717.12.
Anticipated Revenues
Surplus revenue, 1930, \$30,500; 1929, \$6,000; increase, \$4,000.

Poll tax, 1930, \$700; 1929, \$700.
Franchise tax, 1930, \$5,000; 1929, \$5,000.

Gross receipts tax increased \$100, from \$1300 to \$1200.

*Interest on costs and taxes remain the same, \$1500.

Interest and costs on assessments the same, \$500.

Tax search fees the same, \$350.

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GIVES BLOOD TO SAVE WOMAN'S LIFE

Patrolman Stiles Undergoes Transfusion For Mrs. Day

In order to save the life of Mrs. Manning Day, Jr., who is critically ill at the Overlook Hospital in Summit, Patrolman Nelson F. Stiles, of the local department, underwent a blood transfusion at the hospital Wednesday afternoon. Members of the police department volunteered to offer their blood, but only seven persons were tested. These were Stiles, Chief of Police M. C. Runyon, Patrolman Harold G. Brill, and members of the Day family, Grenville and Howard Day, nephews of the ill woman, Miss Violet Day, a niece, and Manning Day, Jr., her husband.

It was reported at the hospital that Mrs. Day's condition was slightly improved.

Junior Guild to Meet

The Junior Guild of the St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, of Millburn will meet Tuesday evening in the parish house at 8 o'clock. Full returns of the turkey supper (the guild held January 21) will be made.

TAKES UP STUDIES FOR THE MINISTRY

Frank Jakobsen is Honored At Surprise Party

A surprise party in honor of Frank Jakobsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Neil Jakobsen, who left Monday for the Mt. Hermon School, in Mt. Hermon, Mass., to pursue the studies of the ministry, was held in the parsonage of the First Presbyterian Church last Friday evening, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society, of which he was president for many years. About forty persons were present. William Wagner, president of the society, presented him with a brief case, and August Evens, Sunday School superintendent, presented him with a Bible.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. August Evens of Short Hills, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Evers of East Orange, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dannehour, of Mountsides, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Duguid, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Stiles, Sr., Mrs. L. F. Huntington, Miss Dorothy Spinning, Miss Mabel Allet, Miss Ruth Kaufman, Miss Ruth Cushing, Miss Evelyn Schoonmaker, Miss Marion and Lucy Jakobsen, J. Neil Jakobsen, Dean Widmer, Frank Jakobsen, Miss Celia Landers, the Rev. and Mrs. George A. Liggett, James Richards, William Wagner, Kenneth Shew, Miss Ann Hinds, Miss Ann and Mabel Churchill, Mrs. Henry Gieschen, Mrs. J. Pierson, Miss Flora Day, Miss Hazel Leber, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence French, Miss Eva L. Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. Williston French.

REGULAR MEETING OF W. C. T. U. POSTPONED

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. has been postponed from Tuesday afternoon to February 11th, to enable members to attend the local institute to be held in Roselle Tuesday afternoon, under the direction of the Roselle and Roselle Park unions.

Mrs. H. Leigh Collem, president of the New York Women's Christian Temperance Union, will speak at the session. The purpose of the institute is to enable the delegates of the different unions to exchange their views. Other speakers, both from the county and state, will also be present.

At the regular meeting of the local union to be held February 11th in the lecture room of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the guest speaker will be Mrs. J. W. Bennett, president of the Plainfield W. C. T. U., and Union County departmental worker in soldier's and sailor's relief work. Mrs. Bennett will explain to the members how they may help benefit soldier's and sailor's in relief work.

Who's Who In Springfield



FRANK E. MEISEL
Tax Assessor; Native of Springfield; former member of Board of Education, and postmaster.

A native of Springfield, having been born here in 1879, Frank E. Meisel, present tax assessor, former member of the Board of Education for many years, and former postmaster, has seen Springfield rise to a progressive community.

Mr. Meisel was appointed tax assessor by the Township Committee three years ago when a board of three members was organized to do the work formerly done by the late Lewis T. Terry. Other members of the board are Elmer Sickley and Alfred W. Warner. As clerk of the commission, it is Mr. Meisel's duty to take charge of the written work of the assessment task.

Mr. Meisel was educated in the old schoolhouse on Academy Lane, which burned down years ago. He was elected a member of the Board of Education about 1907 and served until 1911, when he resigned and took the position of postmaster, formerly held by Olin D. Sickley. The post office at that time was in what is now the Flemer building, where the American Stores Company is located. He held this position for four years and was succeeded by Albert A. Sickley.

In 1920, he was again re-elected to the Board of Education and served until 1926 when he declined to run again. He was a member of the building committee which erected the annex to the James Caldwell School, completed three years ago.

Mr. Meisel has been a volunteer fireman since 1911, and a member of the Exempt Firemen's Association. He is a member of Continental Lodge 190, F. and A. M., of Millburn; Success Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Millburn; a member of the Commandery, Knights Templar, and a director in the Battle Hill Building and Loan Association.

He is also a member and treasurer of the Union County Tax Assessors' Association, organized last August. Mr. Meisel is also a member of the First Presbyterian Church.

He is married, has two children, Adrian and Frank E. Meisel, Jr., and resides at 166 Tooker avenue. His brother is the former director of the Union County Board of Freeholders, Peter H. Meisel, who will become county purchasing agent next April 1.

Jr. Order to Meet

Battle Hill Council, No. 120, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet Friday evening of next week in the Municipal Building at 7:30 o'clock. Plans for a card party on Friday evening, February 21, will be completed.

PASTOR IS HURT WHEN CAR SKIDS

Auto Revolves Into Tree, Which Drops Branch On Driver

The Rev. H. F. Cooper, colored, of 1 Cottage Lane, Summit, pastor of the Fountain Baptist church of Summit, suffered scalp injuries on Morris avenue at Short Hills avenue Monday afternoon when the car which he was operating, skidded around twice, and finally landed against a tree, facing the opposite direction. As the car came against the side of the tree, a loose limb fell and struck the minister on the head. He was treated at the office of Dr. Henry P. Dengler.

Several minutes before, a car, driven by Mrs. Maude Dunn, of 1211 Denmark avenue, Plainfield, skidded on the ice at the same place, turned around, and both right front and rear wheels came off. Mrs. Dunn was not injured and the car was towed away.

Police placed ashes on the icy pavement at this point, to avert any other accidents.

FACES CHARGE OF DRUNKEN DRIVING

Irvington Man Examined After Accident With Cop

Charged with driving an automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, Paul Kuscher, twenty-four years old, of 309 Twenty-first street, Irvington, will be arraigned before Recorder Everett P. Spinning in police court Monday night.

Kuscher was arrested by Patrolman Selander on Springfield avenue early last Saturday morning, when the patrolman's car was struck by another car at Morris avenue, near Flemer avenue. He followed the car into Seven Bridge road and was struck again. He stopped the vehicle and took the driver, Kuscher, to the office of Dr. Henry P. Dengler, where he was pronounced unfit to operate an automobile.

Kuscher was released in \$250 bail.

POLICE COURT

For failing to stop on a patrolman's signal, Robert Hayward of 221 Snyder street, Orange, was fined \$7.50 and \$2 costs in Recorder Spinning's court.

Carl C. Overich allowed Walter Wicks to drive his car when the latter did not have a driver's license, and was given a warning by Recorder Spinning.

Edward P. Blanchard of Elizabeth, who was summoned by Patrolman Stiles on Morris avenue late Sunday afternoon after his car had collided with another, was dismissed by the Recorder and given a warning for not having a driver's license in his possession. The owner of the car, Joseph A. Dunn, of 1011 East Jersey street, Elizabeth, who was a com-

LOCAL W. C. T. U. AT CONFERENCE

Springfield Delegates Attend Meeting In Elizabeth

Five members of the Springfield W. C. T. U., including three officers and two delegates were present at the tri-county workers' conference of the Women's Christian Temperance Union held Tuesday in the Second Presbyterian Church in Elizabeth. Forty-two councils from Union, Hudson and Essex counties were present, making a total of 200 members attending the session.

Those present from Springfield were Mrs. Edwin D. Pannell, president of the local union, Mrs. William T. Reed, vice-president, and Mrs. Fred A. Brown, treasurer. Other local delegates were Mrs. John Courtney and Mrs. Margaret Reede.

State President Mrs. Nina G. Franz of Moorestown was in charge, assisted by three other State officers, Miss Elma A. Mathis of Asbury Park, State recording secretary; Mrs. Ella P. Christener of Montclair, corresponding secretary, and Miss Elizabeth H. Goodwin of Burlington, vice-president-at-large. In her talk, Mrs. Franz urged the members to be loyal to that declaration of principles laid down by Miss Frances E. Willard fifty years ago, and said that the program of the W. C. T. U. policy is continuing, based on the principle of outlawing the liquor traffic.

Mrs. Pannell, president of the local union, was a member of the registration committee for the conference.

JR. O. U. A. M. HOLD TURKEY BANQUET

Second Annual Affair Conducted By Battle Hill Council

State officers were present at the second annual turkey supper held in the Villegianti Inn last Saturday evening under the auspices of Battle Hill Council No. 120, Jr. O. U. A. M. Sixty-six suppers were served. The supper, which is held each year in connection with the institution of the council December 30, 1927, is an annual feature.

Past State Councilors Fred Mantle of Elizabeth and Louis Provost of Jersey City, "father" of the council, having instituted it in 1927, were present, as well as deputy State councilors John Rea and Hollerhoss of Elizabeth.

Dancing was held with William Buetell and his orchestra of Union furnishing the music. The committee in charge of the supper consisted of John H. Schuster, chairman, Montague Martyn, Otto M. Hopler, and Harry C. Stewart. Members entertained with comical antics.

Plans for the monster card party, to be presented by the council Friday evening, February 2, in the Municipal building, will be furthered at the next meeting of the council to be held February 7.

panion at the time, explained that his friend was from Georgia, where a license is not required, and was ignorant of the fact that Blanchard did not have a permit to drive on his person. The pair were dismissed.

Why Max Doesn't Leave Home



WITH HIS MOTHER IN BERLIN, where Max Schmeling, the Teuton heavyweight contender, is spending his extended vacation at home.

Abroad With McCarney



IN LEIPZIG, GERMANY, WILLIAM MCCARNEY is shown (above) in front of the Volkerechicht Denkmal with Mrs. Schmeling, mother of Max (left), and Mrs. Dumpski, wife of Germany's leading fistie entrepreneur. McCarney is half-manager of the Teuton heavyweight.

Early Birds of Yankees



MRS. ANNOLIS of improving on their showing of the... (The text is partially obscured and difficult to read.)

Revenge Seen in Gun Attack on Movie Stars



REVENGE, with a hint of the underworld, is seen in the attempt by two armed men who gunned at Sally O'Neill (right) and Molly O'Day, sister and career star, as they sat in their car being serviced at a gas station in Los Angeles. The two girls believe that it is spite work on the part of a brother, Jack Messner of Bayonne, N. J., who is being held on charges of robbery, against whom his sisters testified.

Battle That Terrified Capital . . . ?



NAME YOUR OWN WINNER—Here's a close-up of the terrific battle that annually shakes the nation's capital with terror. It's the snowball fight between the Republican and Democratic congressional page boys.

10,000 Reds at Funeral Rites



MORE than 5,000 members of the Communist Party of America have witnessed the burial of Steve Kadovus at their headquarters in New York. He died of a heart ailment.

SPRINGFIELD SOCIALS

Visiting In Cranford

John H. Adams of Morris avenue is spending the week at the home of his daughters, Mrs. Edward Burr and Mrs. Leo Welch of Cranford.

Is Ill

Raymond Schmidt, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schmidt, of South Maple avenue, is ill at his home with a slight attack of tonsillitis.

Spends Week-End Away

Miss Hilda Van Syckle of Morris avenue spent the week-end at the home of Miss Elsie Thompson of Morris Plains.

Returns to School

Miss Constance Cooper returned Monday to the New Jersey College for Women, at New Brunswick, where she is a student, after spending the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper of Morris avenue.

Springfield Heights Card Club

The Springfield Heights Card Club met last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William White of Remer avenue. Membership in the club is increasing. Four tables were in play.

Mrs. E. E. Clayton of Morris avenue was present at a luncheon held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Reynolds of Clark street, South Orange.

Moves to New Quarters

Mr. C. S. McNulty, resident sewer engineer, and family, moved into their new home yesterday at 20 Remer avenue.

Mixed Bridge Club Meets

The Wednesday Evening Mixed Bridge Club met this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ferguson of Serena avenue.

Fair Square Pinochle Club

The Fair and Square Pinochle Club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin G. Deller of Battle Hill avenue. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Colombo, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moody, Mr. and Mrs. John Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wicks, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson Wicks, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Selfridge. The club will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Colombo, in Black's Lane.

Is Ill

Joseph Beckman, of South Springfield avenue, is ill in the Newark Memorial Hospital.

Entertains at Luncheon

Mrs. George A. Liggett of Main street, entertained friends from out-of-town at a luncheon at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Guest from R. I.

Miss Doris Pengelly of Providence, R. I., was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin H. Boss of Salter street.

Critically Ill

Mrs. Steven England of Washington avenue, who has been ill at her home for the past three weeks, is critically ill.

Smart Set Card Club

The Smart Set Card Club met Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Marion Jakobson of Mountain avenue. Three tables were in play. Prize-winners were Miss Gladys Chennells and Miss L. Perrot.

SCHOOL NOTES

Girls' Team Wins

The girls' basketball team of the Junior High School defeated the Millburn Junior High by a score of 34 to 1 Tuesday afternoon at the local "gym". Those who played for Springfield were Alice Gallaudet, Anna Richards, and Virginia Kimball, forwards; Edith Hendricks, center; Ruth Hinze, side center; Claire Dannefölscher, Corinne Lüdner and Grace James, guards.

The girls will meet Garwood Junior High at the local gymnasium next Thursday afternoon.

A musical program featured the assembly held Monday afternoon under the direction of Mrs. Husse. Ruth Dannefölscher gave a violin solo; Harry C. Stewart, a trumpet solo; Thomas Cushing played a trumpet solo also; Alice English played the piano. A short talk on "Victor Herbert," the famous composer, was given by Jules Moreau. Edward Phillips sang two songs, "Tip-Toe to the Tulips With You," and "Painting the Clouds With Sunshine."

Derek Williams



PLAYS an important role in "Journey's End," Gilbert Miller's sensational war production, which has passed the 350-performance mark. The play was recently given at West Point for a special performance.

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.

SPRINGFIELD SCHOOL ELECTION
NOTICE is hereby given to the legal voters of the school district of the Township of Springfield, in the County of Union, that the annual meeting for the election of three members of the Board of Education for three years, and one member for one year, will be held at the James Cahwell School, on Tuesday, February 11th, 1930, at 6:15 P. M.

The polls will remain open until 8 P. M., and as much longer as may be necessary, to enable all the legal voters present to cast their ballots.

Petitions, legally nominating candidates to be voted on at said meeting must be filed with the district clerk on or before Thursday, February 8th, 1930, in order to have the names of such candidates printed on the official ballots to be used in voting. Blank forms for this purpose may be obtained from the district clerk.

At said meeting will be submitted the question of voting a tax for the following purposes: for current expenses, \$60,000; for repairs and replacements, \$7,500; for manual training, \$1,000; for connecting Schools with Sewer System, \$1,000.

The only persons who may vote in addition to those registered for the last preceding general election are those coming of age since the last general election (and possessing all the other qualifications of voters) who register with the district clerk at least two days prior to the school election.

WILLIAM HOPPAUGH,
District Clerk.
Springfield, N. J.
February 1, 1930.

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AUTO REPAIR AND WRECKER SERVICE Springfield Garage, Morris & Mountain Avenues, Millburn 181.	PLUMBER Harry C. Anderson 140 Mountain Ave. Millburn 1896.
BANK First National Bank of Springfield Brookside Building, Millburn 500.	REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE SPECIALISTS Henry J. Dassing & Co., 613 Morris Avenue Millburn 359.
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STATISTICS OF SPRINGFIELD

Population 1929 (estimated)	5,000
Assessed valuation, 1929	\$4,746,339
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.

MONEY, MONEY, MONEY!

People with plenty of money often give discourses on the futility of wealth, and the benefits of poverty. But they usually cling to their money, if they can, with all its demerits, and avoid poverty, if they can, in spite of its blessings.

People lacking in money are willing enough to forego the joys of that condition, and take their chances with the failings of wealth.

Both side are in a measure right. Some truth inheres in everything. For a truth is never isolated by itself, but is measured by the circumstances surrounding it.

Money has, no doubt, ruined some good young men and women. Poverty has, no doubt, stimulated many great achievements. But on the other hand, money has left many good folk unspoiled, and aided them in decent living, while poverty not only may fail to furnish incentive but can crush the zest of living and destroy life itself.

We need to avoid posing, and take sensible attitudes.

Money, after all, is only a sign. It is a measure for what we need and use in a physical way. It is a common denominator for food, clothes, shelter, train rides, anything that the labor of other human beings produce.

That, in fact, is the exact measure of what money can do; namely, it can procure the services or the product of the services of others.

We have need of interchange of service. Money is the measure and the agency for that interchange. To have money is tantamount to have the physical things money may be changed into.

But these physical things do not supply all of life. Money can buy the purchasable service of others. But that is its limitation. It cannot supply the things which the mind, the soul and the body must themselves furnish.

To despise money is affectation. To ignore it is precarious. To overestimate it is foolish.

Work, make money, hang on to some of it, use it as sensibly as you can. But if you happen to be blessed or afflicted with the virus of a brain, don't imagine that money is going to be the solution of all riddles.

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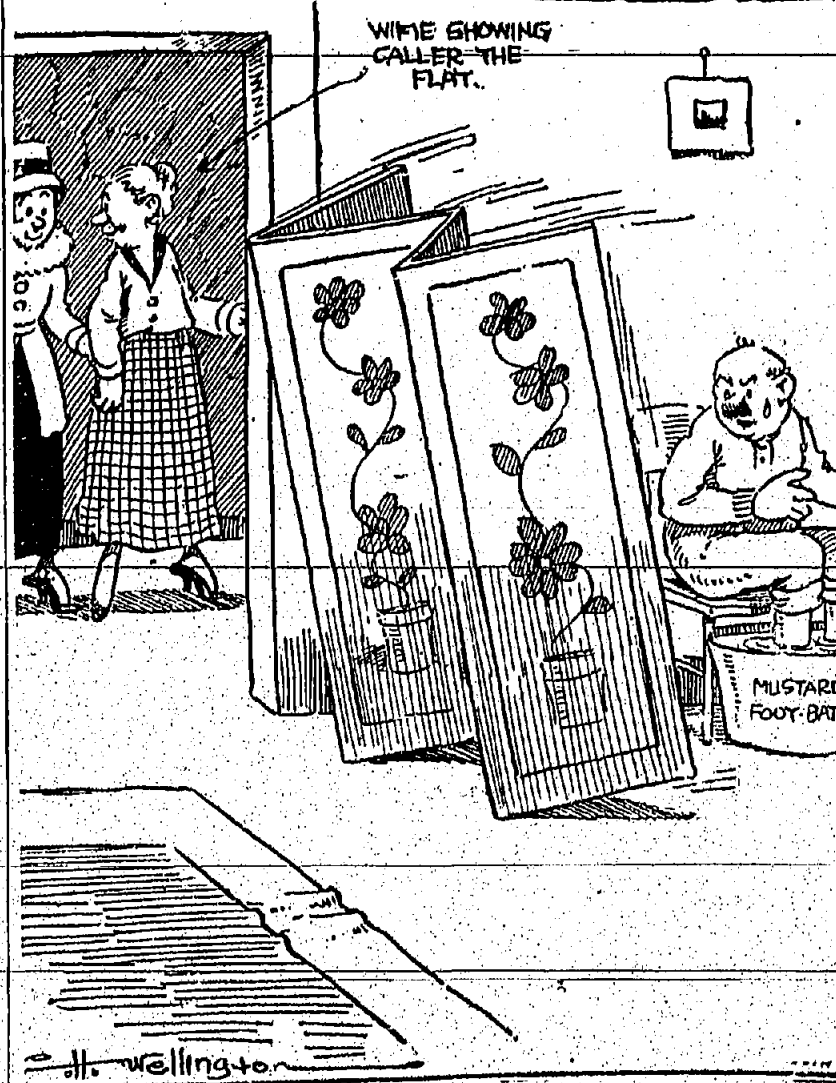
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:: Boy Scout Notes ::

"Parents' Night"

In accordance with the anniversary of the Boy Scout Movement in America, "Parents' Night" will be celebrated next Friday evening in the James Caldwell School. A play, "Mac Decides," will be presented with members of Troop 66 taking part. Full and complete details of the program will be given in next Friday's issue of the SUN.

Owl patrol met Monday evening at the home of Roxford Eru. First-aid and knot-tying were practiced. Six members were present with Scoutmaster Greenville Day in charge.

Fox patrol met Monday evening at the home of Fred Thompson on Morris avenue. Seven members were present, and assistant scoutmaster Edward J. Hoagland was in charge. Practice was held on scout signalling and first-aid.

A rehearsal of "Mac Decides" was held Tuesday evening at the home of Scoutmaster Day in Morris avenue. A short business meeting was held to make plans for anniversary week.

Scoutmaster Day, Assistant Scoutmasters Hoagland and Spinning were present at the training course held in Battin High School, Elizabeth, for scout officials of Union Council.

Beaver patrol met last night at the home of Willard Day in Morris avenue. Six members and two troop officers were present.

FIRE ALARMS

- 3 House Call
- 4 Short Hills Water Company
- 5 James Caldwell School
- 6 Raymond Chisholm School
- 12 Morris Avenue near Springfield Coal Co.
- 13 Crescent Road, Petz Tract
- 14 Millburn Ave, near Anderson's Greenhouse
- 15 Short Hills Ave. and Morris avenue.
- 16 Short Hills Ave., near Read's
- 15 Short Hills Ave., near Read's
- 16 Molter avenue.
- 17 Marcy Avenue
- 18 Morris ave. & Weigand st.
- 18 Weigand St.
- 21 Salter St., near Morris Ave.
- 21 Salter St. and Brook St.
- 23 Bryant Ave.
- 24 Keeler St.
- 25 Mountain & Morris Aves.
- 26 Mountain Ave. and Brook St.
- 27 Morris Ave. and Center St.
- 27 Center St.
- 28 Morris Ave. and Main St.
- 31 Main St., near Presbyterian Cemetery
- 32 Springfield and Morris Aves.
- 34 Springfield and Maple Aves.
- 35 Maple and Morris Aves.
- 36 Alvin Terrace
- 37 Morris and Warner Aves.
- 38 Perry Place
- 41 Washington Ave.
- 42 Battle Hill Ave. opp. No. 50
- 43 So. Maple Ave.
- 43 Ossing and Mountain Aves.
- 47 Mountain and Tooker Aves.
- 48 Tooker Ave., near Parse's
- 51 Tooker Ave., near Lyons Place
- 52 Lyons Place
- 53 Near Andrew Wilson's Factory
- 54 Mountain Ave., near Jakohsen's Greenhouse
- 56 Mountain Ave. and Shuupike Road
- 57 So. Springfield Ave. near Raymond Chisholm School
- 58 Baltusrol Golf Club
- 61 Springfield Square
- 62 Hillside and Mountain Aves.

IN CASE OF FIRE, CALL MILLBURN 363

Save a \$ by Buying Right Here in Town

GILES IS PLACED ON PROBATION BY STEIN

Arrested here January 17th on Mountain avenue by Patrolman Searles and found to have in his automobile, goods valued at \$94.69, stolen from the Standard Oil Company, in Plainfield, Elmer Giles, thirty-six years old, of 1189 South Second street, Plainfield, won the sympathy of Judge Stein in County Court Monday afternoon and was given a suspended sentence after the defendant had pleaded guilty to the charge of larceny.

Giles was placed on probation for a year, and Judge Stein informed him he would have the aid of the court and prosecutor's office to secure a job. Giles had explained to the court he had been in hard luck, having to support his blind father and his mother, besides a wife and four children. He had been out of work for some time before securing the position with the Standard Oil Company, and in his effort to collect money for his family, he was led to take merchandise from the company's warehouse.

Judge DeMeza of the Plainfield Police court had held Giles for Special Sessions court, and had learned that Giles' automobile driver's license had been revoked. Assistant Prosecutor Walsh was urged by the court to have the license restored.

LOCAL PROPERTIES WILL BE LISTED

In accord with their policy of furnishing their clients better service, Bunnell Bros., announce this week they have become members of Suburban New Jersey, Inc., of 15 West 34th street, New York City. The purpose of this organization is to place on permanent displays, beginning February 1, listings of different properties in Springfield, Short Hills, and Millburn.

The display which will be exhibited before thousands of persons in New York City, is considered a modern method of educating prospective real estate buyers as to the possibilities of finding good values in New Jersey property. Members of communities, and property-owners, are affiliated with the service, as well as real estate concerns.

Instead of mentioning names of real estate dealers next to each of the photographs of listings displayed, a key system is used whereby buyers are referred to the proper sources for information.

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- Married,
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- Left Town,
- Had a Fire,
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- Been Arrested,
- Begun Business,
- Been your Guest,
- Bought a new home,
- Left you a fortune,
- Elected new officers
- Met with an accident,
- Organized a new club,
- Stolen something you own,

THAT'S NEWS; telephone the Springfield SUN, Millburn 1256

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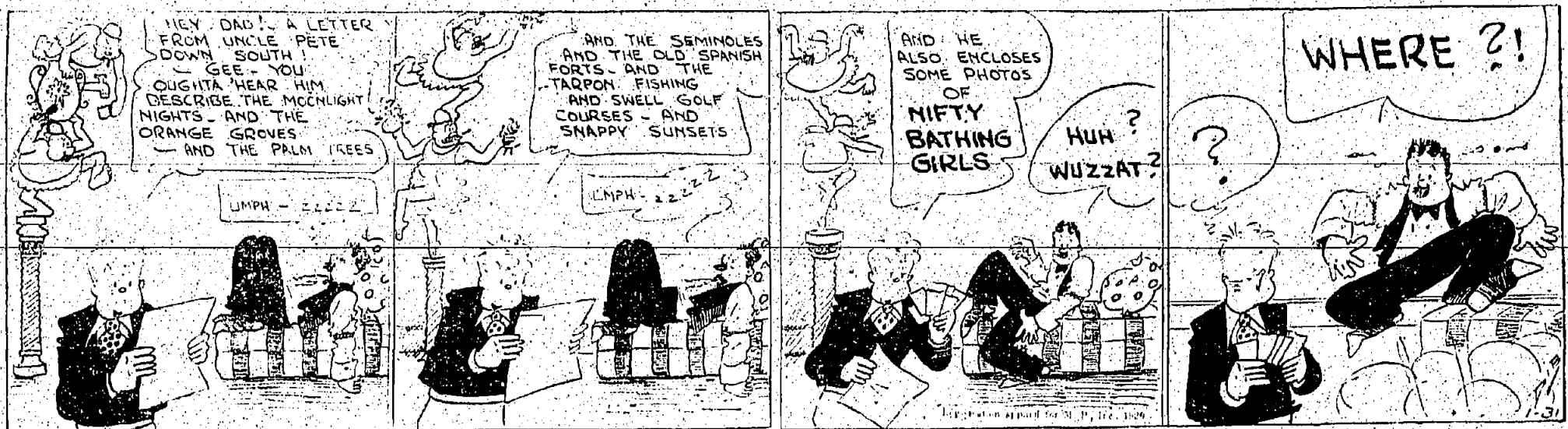
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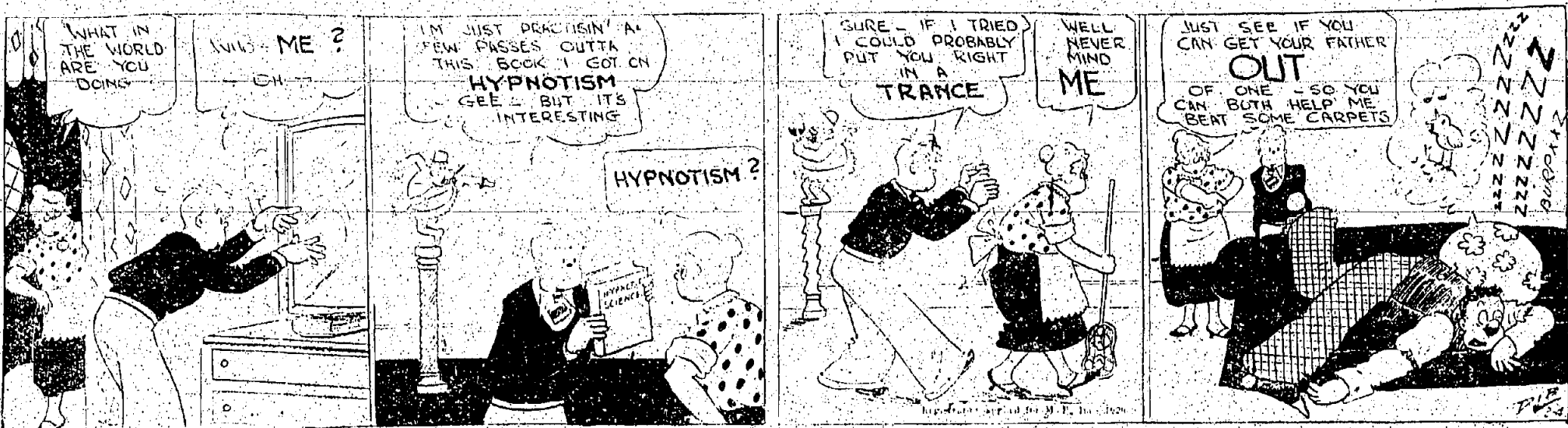
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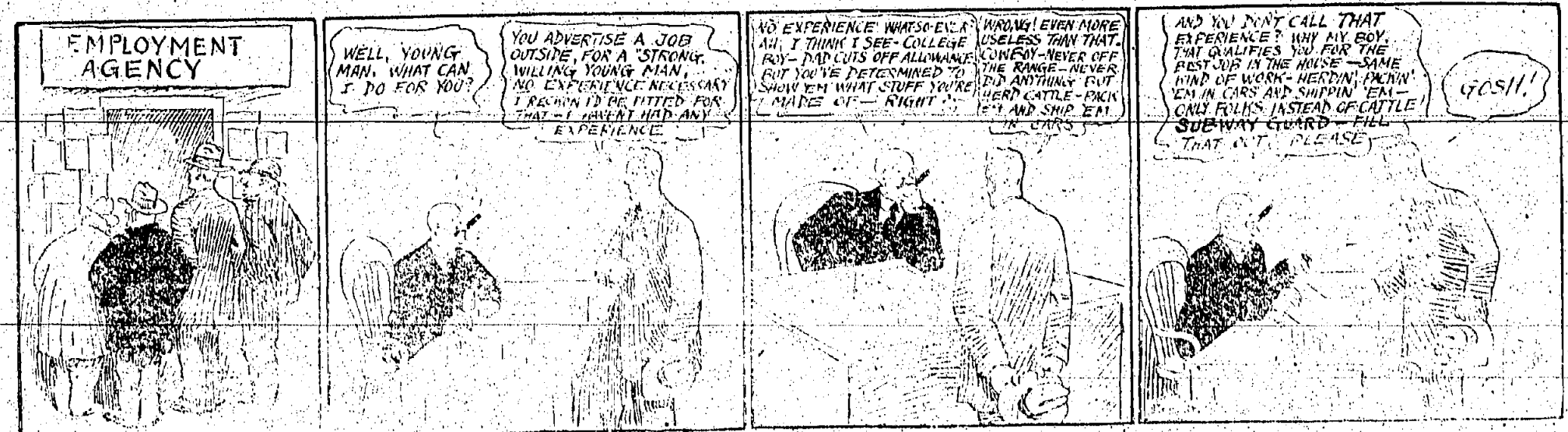
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SUSIE SUNSHINE—

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NEWARK ART THEATER

PRESENTS IBSEN PLAY

"The Lady by the Sea," by Henrik Ibsen, was presented in the auditorium of the West Side High School in Newark, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday evening of last week under the auspices of the Newark Art Theatre, the drama branch of the Newark Art Club.

The play, the second of the season to be offered by the Art Theatre players, was well received and the leading player, Madeline Deye, is well-known in Little Theatre work throughout the country, coming here from Washington, where she has been dramatic director at the National Cathedral School. She enacted the part of Ellida, Dr. Wangel's second wife.

Others in the cast were Mrs. Katherine Cannon of Bloomfield and Miss Kathryn Hartley, portraying the roles of Dr. and Mrs. Wangel's daughters. Frank Carrington is seen as "Dr. Wangel." Other characters are Gayle Young as "the Stranger," Ransom Steele as "Lyngstrand," Henry Young, Jr. as "Arnholm, the Schoolmaster," and Edwin Oswald as "Baldestad, the artist."

The Art Theatre is planning to run three other plays, "The Heir at Law," by George Colman, February 19, 20 and 22; "The Two Shepherds," by G. Martinez Sierra, April 2, 3 and 5; and "Midsummer Night's Dream," by Shakespeare, May 21, 22 and 24.

Arthur Segal, designer of the scenery for the New York production, "Broadway," is art director of the Theatre and designed the sets for "The Lady by the Sea."

AT ROTH-LYRIC

One of the best bits of news that has come to the play lovers of Summit and vicinity is noted in the fact that E. A. Roth, of the Summit Theatrical Enterprises, and Leon O. Mumford, manager of the same, have made an arrangement with John F. Conroy, whose company, the Stock Players, have been making a tremendously successful record at Morristown, to appear in Summit, at the Lyric Theatre, in a season of Broadway successes, with players equally as well known to Broadway on Thursday of each week.

Mr. C. O. Tennis, representative of the Stock players, says that it was difficult to arrange for the inclusion of Summit in their itinerary, because they are so much in demand for appearances. Even Morristown has made heavy demands, and is increasing its engagements so as to play each week.

The initial appearance of the John F. Conroy company will be on Thursday, February 6, at 8:30 P. M. at the Lyric Theatre. The company's engagements every Tuesday evening will be the opening of the season.

MOHAWK CLUB TO HOLD ANNIVERSARY

The Mohawk Boys Club, the members of which live in the eastern section of Springfield, near the Union Park, will celebrate their third anniversary Saturday evening, February 28, with a party at the home of Mrs. J. W. Smith.

The members of the club are as follows: President, Edward E. Brill; Secretary, Robert W. Marshall. Other members are: Harry S. Warner, Chas. C. Carbone, Raymond E. Schmidt, Edward E. Phillips, Walter and Russell Gould, Lawrence Morrison, Jr., and Frank Woodrich, Jr. Honorary members, those who formerly lived in Springfield are: Robert Smith of South Orange and Harold Lindley of Princeton. The club is now active in the evening on the high school campus.

DECREASE SEEN IN TAX RATE FOR 1930

Continued from page one
Renal the same, \$7000.
Fees, licenses, permits, the same, \$2000.

Fines and penalties decrease \$500, from \$1500 to \$1000.

Auto bus gross receipts the same \$1000.

Special lights, Morris avenue, the same, \$450.

Amount to be raised by Taxation 1930, \$63,000; 1929, \$66,918.91; decrease, \$118.91.

Totals, 1930, \$91,466; 1929, \$86,918.91; increase, \$4,481.09.

Appropriation:

Administrative and executive increased \$1000, from \$16,000 to \$17,000.

Grounds and buildings decreased \$1200, from \$3000 to \$1800.

Police Service increased \$1500, from \$20,000 to \$21,500.

Board of Health the same, \$15,000.

Care of Poor the same, \$2,000.

Maintenance of streets and roads decreased \$3000, from \$10,000 to \$7,000.

Contingent decreased \$200, from \$500 to \$300.

Recreations and celebrations none, compared with \$500 last year.

Lighting of streets and roads increased \$500, from \$6000 to \$6,500.

Ashes and garbage disposal decreased \$800, from \$5000 to \$4,200.

Preliminary sewer expense increased \$150, from \$500 to \$650.

Payment on bonds the same, \$3450.

Interest on bonds decreased \$150, from \$2650 to \$2500.

Interest on temporary loans decreased \$750, from \$2750 to \$2,000.

Township indebtedness on street improvements increased \$5000, from \$10,000 to \$15,000.

Deficit street improvement assessments are none this year, as compared with \$68.91 last year.

Totals increased \$4,481, from \$86,918.91 to \$91,400.

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FIREMEN'S DANCE

The annual dance presented under the auspices of the Springfield Volunteer Fire Company will be held Saturday evening, Washington's birthday, February 22, in the Municipal Building. T. C. Davidson, Jr., is chairman of details for the affair.

The dance, which is an aquatic fixture, is always well-attended.

O. E. S. CARD PARTY

A card party, under the auspices of Continual Chapter, Order of Eastern Star will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and immediately after the business meeting to be held in the evening.

Mrs. H. Hapward is general chairman. Mrs. Harriet Brodessor is chairman of the prizes committee; Mrs. Hapward is chairman, carriage, white; convertible high Mrs. Ruby Selander is chairman of the cards committee.

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, 191 Morris avenue; and the Teddy Shoppe, 19 Morris avenue.

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Assolant Reprimanded



BY THE decree of the French court, Jean Assolant has been ordered to furnish 1,500 francs a month temporary alimony to his wife, Mrs. Pauline Assolant. The French judge chided Assolant for his "ungentlemanly conduct" in declaring he was forced to marry Pauline Parter, American

Smilin' Charlie Says



"It must be pretty hard for a proud parent to tell his young offspring what a model boy he was with grandma in th' room!"

Your Birthday by STELLA

FEBRUARY 1
It today your birthday?
You are fundamentally a materialist and often the interests which you take in people are because you believe it to be good policy rather than the fact that you are actually interested in them. Those born on this day are excellent organizers.

do a great number of things very well. Because of this, you may have difficulty in selecting a career. However, your literary tastes are very apt to predominate and you could probably write excellent fiction if you put your mind to it. Women born on this day are loving and fond of home life. Men are in a lesser degree, although unconsciously some of your greatest interests will center around the home.

Mother Fights for Liberty



PRISON SENTENCE OF 75 DAYS for possession of three cases of beer still holds Mrs. Sue Brown in Salinas, Cal., jail despite efforts of her lawyer to obtain an appeal. District Attorney Warth, who obtained her conviction, has made it plain that he intends to fight any attempt to obtain the woman's freedom. Mrs. Brown is shown with two of her children.



PHILIP SUFFLANG, Sr., is shown packing his valise (baggage for his trip) for his return to New York, Fla., where he is to start a new business in Miami.

Shop in Springfield

SPRINGFIELD TAKES TWO FROM UNION

Local Bowlers Still In Tie With Morristown A Team

Springfield is still tied with Morristown for eighth place in the Lackawanna Bowling League as a result of winning two out of three games from the cellar Union team at Union, while Morristown A was taking two games from Morristown B. Captain Huff of the local five was high man with an average of 187.12.

Keenan of Chatham bowled 203, 214 and 256 against Summit B last Thursday night, but since the Chatham team was performing on their home alleys, Huff's mark of 701 for three games, made against Chatham at Chatham several months ago, still stands as the best foreign score of the season. For the best individual foreign average score the league gives a prize of \$5, and Huff has a good chance to bring Springfield, at least one prize.

The scores are as follows:

SPRINGFIELD		
Pemberton	132	162
Roe	168	191
U. Waldner	167	180
Schmidt	158	165
Huff	202	176
Total	827	874
UNION		
Fowler	157	171
Felberger	181	165
Chaff	179	159
Costello	173	140
Dawald	183	145
Total	873	780

AT THE STRAND

Captain J. Donald Powers, a ventriloquist of international renown, who is appearing in conjunction with screen presentations of "The Great Gabbo," staging the Ventriloquist Prologue, "Pals," assisted by "Sook," "Fai Sam of Alabama," a wooden mechanical doll, proposes making several public appearances in Summit to exploit voice control.

Friday at noon the Captain will give a free voice control demonstration in front of the Lyric Theatre, on Broadway Road, opposite the Post Office.

This afternoon at four o'clock, the Captain will entertain in the gymnasium of the "Y."

Tomorrow noon the last free demonstration will be given again front of the Lyric Theatre.

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For Millburn, Maplewood, Newark—Bus Line No. 49. First bus, daily except Sundays, 6:40 A. M.; last bus, 11:33 P. M. (Note: 12:03 A. M., 12:50 A. M. to Maplewood.) Sundays, first bus, 6:37 A. M.; last bus, 12:03 A. M. (Note: 12:50 A. M. for Maplewood only.) Buses operate on 30-minute base headway.

For Summit—Bus Line No. 70. First bus, daily except Sundays, 6:04 A. M.; last bus, 1:07 A. M. Sundays, first bus, 6:27 A. M.; last bus, 1:03 A. M. Buses operate on 15-minute base headway.

For Chatham, Madison, Convent, Morristown—Bus Line No. 70. First bus, daily, 6:04 A. M. (Sundays, 6:27 A. M.); last bus, 11:57 P. M. (Note: Daily, 10:27 P. M.; Saturdays and Sundays, 11:27 P. M. for Elm Street, Madison, only.) Buses operate on 30-minute base headway.

For Morris Plains, Graystone Park—Bus Line No. 70. First bus, daily, 6:04 A. M. (Sundays, 6:27 A. M.); last bus, 9:57 P. M. (Note: Daily, 10:57 P. M. for Morris Plains Center only.) Buses operate on 30-minute base headway.

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PUBLIC SERVICE

DESCRIBES FOUR "LION" TYPES

Bloomfield Pastor Addresses Service Club Here

The Rev. William Arrowsmith Crawford, pastor of the Ampere Parkway Community Church of Bloomfield, and president of the Bloomfield Lions' Club, addressed members of the local Lions' Club at the meeting held last Friday afternoon in the Villegianti Inn. Nineteen members and three visitors, including Mr. Crawford, and Westfield Lions Fay Bardwell and "Doc" Patterson were present. President Charles H. Huff conducted the session.

In his speech, Mr. Crawford told of four types of men and women he had met in his travels around the globe whom he considered the examples of the spirit of Lionism: "That when a Lion is cornered, he will fight; if left in a peaceful condition, he is harmless; or the genuine spirit of a Lion is exhibited when he is in dire circumstances." The first type Mr. Crawford spoke of was a native Korean, who was employed as a "rickshaw man," or a sight-seeing guide. Because of his age and feeble-looking condition, tourists passed him up, but Mr. Crawford was advised by someone in the group that the aged Korean was as active and efficient as any. The guide was hired, and his actions indicated his sincere thanks for having found employment. He illustrated a type who was not unambitious.

The second type was a wealthy girl, who lived in Rhodesia, in South Africa. Daughter of one of South Africa's richest families, she eloped with a young man, against the wish of her people. The young husband squandered his wife's money until nothing remained, and he left her. The girl returned to her old homestead, and found her friends gone and her family either dead or in other sections of the country. She decided to fight the battle alone and stayed there in the place where she was raised from childhood.

The third type given was that of a fireman of a nearby northern New Jersey town who, through some misunderstanding, was demoted as chief of the fire company and removed from office. In spite of this fact he nevertheless continued to act a volunteer fireman, helping to fight all fires, knowing that a great injustice had been done him.

The last type Mr. Crawford spoke of was a blind man, a member of his own club, the Bloomfield Lions' who, although handicapped by the loss of sight, nevertheless took an active part in Lion work, and is in charge of a play which will be presented by the New Jersey Blind Men's Club, entitled, "The Blind Life." It will take place Thursday evening, February 6, in the auditorium of the Bloomfield High School, under the auspices of the Bloomfield Lions' Club. Mr. Crawford's speech was well received.

A. F. Bardwell spoke of the production of the Westfield Lions' Club will present in the Roosevelt School Auditorium, Westfield, Friday and Saturday evenings, February 7 and 8, for the benefit of the Arthur Home for Blind Babies in Summit and other Lion charities. The title of the Westfield show is "Ob, Yeah!" He invited local members to attend.

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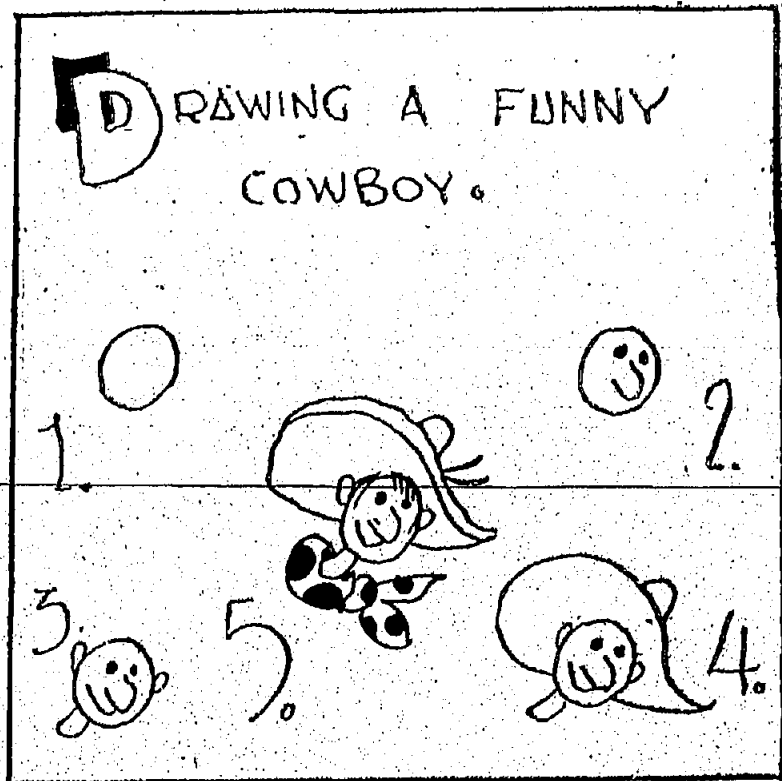
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