

# Happy Birthday!

Whether your birthday falls next week or next month, why not have it listed here by calling The SUN, Millburn 4-1256, or by mail to a postoffice. Our files will carry over the date from year to year, so that it need not be repeated.

"Happy Birthday" greetings are extended this week by the SUN to the following residents:

- AUGUST:
- 1—Robert Tompkins
  - Barbara Ann Stivaly
  - 2—Stewart Brown
  - Dorothy Stiles
  - George Vohden, Jr.
  - William F. Brown, Jr.
  - 3—Patricia Stachle
  - Lamar Berstler
  - Mrs. John Powell
  - 4—Norman H. McCollum
  - A. E. Hauck
  - Mrs. Andrew Gall
  - 5—Miss Mabel Churchill
  - Mrs. Charles S. Quinzel
  - David P. Carter
  - Van Potts
  - Melvin Riedel, Sr.
  - Charles C. Malone
  - 6—Mrs. Thomas H. Clark
  - William Volk
  - Mrs. Agnes Armitage
  - W. L. Fleetwood
  - Harry Lochrs, Jr.
  - 7—Earl G. Rumpf
  - Mrs. William E. Dickerson

## Convoy Of Army Passes Through

Traffic along Route 29 Wednesday night was temporarily delayed to allow an Army convoy to pass on its way to New York. Soldiers of the 68th Coast Artillery, Anti-Aircraft and Regular Army, were given the right-of-way. The soldiers were said to be on route from Texas to Massachusetts. Spectators were attracted to many types of guns, including the pom-pom anti-aircraft.

## Formulate Plans For Camp Opening

Scout Executive William A. Wright announced Wednesday that the Boy Scout camp in the Coppicus Mountains in northern Morris County will open formally on August 16 for members of Boy Scouts in Union County.

At the present time, about 50 Scouts are taking advantage of the facilities in the 1,700 acres of woodland. The site includes a large lake where the boys can go swimming or boating.

## New Matinee Policy Starts At Theatre

Frank Carrington and Antoinette Scudder announce that starting Monday, a new matinee policy will be inaugurated. Matinees will be shown on Tuesday and Thursday at the Paper Mill Playhouse, instead of Saturday afternoons.

## Delivery Of SUN Donated To Draftees, Others In Service

In response to the appeal that cheer be sent to men serving their country, either under Selective Service or in the enlisted ranks, the SUN announces that a yearly subscription to the home-town newspaper will be donated as our contribution to each resident of Springfield who is away from home, in the Army, Navy or Marines. It is requested that relatives or friends of these young men communicate with the SUN, as to the name and address where papers should be sent.

## Petitions Filed By Undersheriff

Under Sheriff Charles E. Ayers filed his petitions with County Clerk Nulton for the nomination of Sheriff of Union County yesterday. Included in more than 2,500 names filed were the names of all department heads and many other prominent citizens of the county.

Ayers was appointed Under Sheriff by Sheriff Alex Campbell January



CHARLES E. AYERS

13, 1939. Prior to that time he was Superintendent of Weights and Measures, having been connected with the department since 1932.

His Committee on Vacancies includes Sheriff Alex Campbell, State Police, County Chairman, George Rankin, Grand Jury and Board of Works Commissioner William Runyon, Elizabeth.

## WALTER B. JOHNSTON TO PREACH SUNDAY

Walter B. Johnston of Westfield will be the guest preacher at the Sunday afternoon revival here at 3 o'clock at the Branch Mills Gospel Chapel.

## RESIDENT AWARDED HER CITIZENSHIP

Mary Madeline Kramer of 22 Henshaw avenue was awarded her citizenship papers on Monday at the Naturalization Court, before Judge Edward A. McGrath.

## Judge Louis Rakin of Linden, Ralph Koehler of Rutherford, and Robert W. Hershey, Thomas Williams and Wilbert C. Healy of Elizabeth.

The Under-Sheriff is a member of the Republican Club of Roselle Park, Union County, Republican Veterans Association, Unity Post No. 229, American Legion, 2nd Division Association; N. J. Weights and Measures Association; Wheatland Lodge 272, F. and A. M.; Tall Cedars of Lebanon No. 6; B. F. O. E., 289; Elizabeth, Craftsmen's Club of Roselle; vice president of the State Committee; also a member of the Central Baptist Church of Elizabeth for the past twenty years.

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Springfield, N. J., Friday, August 1, 1941  
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## Proceed To Begin On NYA Project

The Regional Board of Education Tuesday night passed a resolution which provides for the signing of the application for the National Youth Administration project for an agriculture building addition to the High School. On June 26, the six school districts expressed their approval for an agriculture building by referendum.

The board decided to secure its option of the purchase of the necessary land before the option expires on August 24. When the board receives title to the land, it will contract to buy the property on or before October 1. In case the NYA project does not materialize, the land could be used at another time for building purposes. To secure funds, a strip of land will be sold to the Union County Park Commission for \$1,500.

Since many laborers are engaged in National defense work, it was pointed out that workers might be difficult to obtain. However, District Clerk Anton Swenson said that Miss Jane Whitehouse of Elizabeth, district supervisor, had informed him that it was up to the board to secure the necessary laborers.

Joseph Mulholland, president of the board, explained that since the establishment of the Township of Winfield, there will not be an immediate danger of enlarging the High School. If the Clark-Linden housing defense project had not been made into a separate company, it would have been taken care of by legislative action this week, then the board would have acted on enlarging the High School with federal assistance. The board decided "to sit back and wait developments."

## SPRINGFIELD MEN SENT TO CAROLINA

Fort Dix—Burdick J. Jones and Gordon L. Siles of Springfield who were recently inducted into the Army left Fort Dix yesterday afternoon by special train for Camp Davis, N. C. Al-Camp Davis they will be assigned to the 96th Coast Artillery for training.

## Uniform Defense Plan Adopted By County Mayors' Conference

The Union County Conference of Mayors, of which Mayor Selander is a member, recently adopted a set of rules for the coordination of defense activities in the county. The proposals were drawn by a committee consisting of: Chairman Mayor Harold J. Seibel of Roselle Park; Vice Chairman Hugo S. Geisler of Hillside; Mayor Selander; Mayor Leigh M. Pensall of Westfield; and Mayor Kenneth O'Leary of Garwood.

Two sections of the plan were held up for further study. The adopted points follow: "One—That mayors of Union County make immediate demand upon every public utility supplying the municipalities of Union County with water, light, gas, power, sanitation, radio and telephonic communication, to place adequate guards, fences, flood lights and take all other measures necessary and proper to protect against sabotage and other dangers to these utilities which so vitally control the life, health and property of the people of Union County. To this end we recommend that the conference advise the Governor of New Jersey that our municipalities expect the State to assume full responsibility to see that our water supply, electric and other public utilities are immediately protected against all and any eventualities that now endanger them by virtue of the present crisis.

"Two—That each municipality immediately set up, fully equip and continually maintain within its own borders, an emergency depot containing sufficient Red Cross material

## Lantz Trio Repeat Performance On Bowes' Program Last Night



The Lantz Trio of Mountaintop with Major Bowes in the WABC studio, Columbia Playhouse, New York City. From left to right—Mickey, 17; Josephine, 21, and Barney, 19.

The Lantz Accordion Trio of Mountaintop, who appeared on Major Bowes' Amateur Hour eight weeks ago, as pictured above, gave a repeat performance last night over WABC in a program featuring Morton Gould's Orchestra during the absence of the Major.

## Borough Sunday School To Picnic On August 9

MOUNTAINSIDE—The Sunday School of the Mountaintop Union Chapel will hold its annual picnic on Saturday, August 9 at Echo Lake Park. The group will meet at the chapel at 2:30 in the afternoon and will proceed in a body to the selected spot near the lake.

## Overlook Meets Nurse Shortage

The increasing shortage of nurses which is evident throughout the country as a result of the National Defense Program is being met at Overlook Hospital by augmenting the nursing staff with non-professional women who are trained at the hospital to perform many duties that relieve the staff nurses for work, which they alone can perform. Eight daytime and six night workers are already employed.

## Sends His Thanks

To the Editor of the SUN: I wish to thank you for the one year subscription to your paper which I have received each week. I certainly appreciate this act of kindness on your part.

## Playgrounds of Springfield And Millburn Combined in Exercises

To commemorate "Joseph Lee Day," the Springfield and Millburn playgrounds jointly held track and field events and a baseball game yesterday at the local track field. This is the first time that the day honoring Joseph Lee's birthday was ever held on such an extensive scale. It is also the first time in Springfield where another playground in another county was invited to participate in sports for this occasion.

Bill Brown, athletic director at Regional High School and head of all playground activities during the Summer, assisted by Miss Barbara Hendry, with the co-operation of Vincent Brown, who has charge of recreation in Millburn, made all the plans for the successful "Joseph Lee Day."

## THIRD QUARTER OF TAXES DUE TODAY

Taxes for the third quarter of 1941 are due today and payments may be made at the Town Hall in the Tax Office. Collector Charles H. Huff reminds residents that the office is not open on Saturdays during the Summer months. This is conforming with the regulations of the banks which are also closed on Saturdays during the Summer.

## Lions Fishing Trip Set For Wednesday

About 50 members and guests of the Springfield Lions Club will leave early Wednesday morning on the club's annual fishing trip at Forked River. The party will assemble in front of the Town Hall at 5 A. M. and will proceed by private automobiles to the fishing spot. Each person is requested to bring his lunch. Tickets for the affair sell for \$5 per person and an additional \$1 for fishing outside of bay.

## MUCH ALUMINUM IN DRIVE AT BOROUGH

MOUNTAINSIDE—The close cooperation of the police reserves and members of Boy Scout Troop 70 resulted on Friday in the collection of more than 160 pounds of aluminum. The Scouts were under the supervision of Scoutmaster John Keuler.

## School Dentist Called To Army

Dr. I. Stanley Roth of Millburn, who is school dentist in Regional High School, has been called to active duty in the Army in Carlisle, Pa., where he will remain for a month before transferring to Camp Lee, Va. He holds a commission as second lieutenant in the U. S. Army Reserve Corps, having served since graduating in 1933 from the University of Iowa.

## MILDRED WEBER TO TAKE UP NURSING

MOUNTAINSIDE—Miss Mildred Weber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Weber of Central avenue has been notified that she will be eligible to enter the School of Nursing of Overlook Hospital, Summit.

## REPRIMANDS TRIO IN POLICE COURT

Three young men were reprimanded by Recorder Everett T. Spilling Monday night in Police Court for carrying live rifles and shooting targets on the Commonwealth Quarry property off Baltusrol way. They were ordered to pay costs of \$250 each.

## SPRINGFIELD MAN FINED \$200, COSTS

Malcolm J. Aldridge, 45, of 28 Ruby street, was fined \$200 plus \$18.25 costs and his license revoked for two years for drunken driving by Recorder Everett T. Spilling on Monday night in Police Court. Aldridge pleaded guilty to a charge of driving while under the influence of liquor.

## Send In Your News

SEND US YOUR BIRTHDAY

# Aluminum Total At 800 Pounds, Sent To Sea Girt

Among the 800 pounds of Springfield's collection of aluminum which was forwarded yesterday to Camp Edison, Sea Girt, was miliary's hair curler. Of course, the wooden handles will be cut away and the aluminum tongs will be tossed into a boiler for remelting. Then there was aluminum from scores of other sources. There were radios, one vacuum cleaner, strips of aluminum which binded some fancy box, but most of all, pots and pans which at one time provided some good food and now will be melted for food for Uncle Sam's airplanes.

## Mexico Trip For Local Physician

Dr. Watson B. Morris of 193 Morris avenue will leave Tuesday for Chicago where he will join a group of surgeons who will go to Mexico City, Mexico, to attend the annual convention of the International College of Surgeons. Dr. Morris will receive a fellowship from that body of medical men on August 11.

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Title Race At Union Sunday



DEE TORAN

With the east's leading midget driver ready, General Motors Albert Santo has booked the classic of Tri-City Stadium when more than thirty thrusters get in to race for fold and glory in the second annual 100-lap Eastern States championship on the semi-banked asphalt track Sunday night August 3. This is strictly AAA competition.

The majority of the boys who roar around the saucer at break-neck speed are well primed with the semi-weekly cards being presented on Wednesday and Saturday night. The Tri-City track got back into full swing when it resumed mid-week racing a week ago.

Chasing after fame and fortune are the following drivers—just a short list: Johnnie Ritter, Charles Miller, George Fonder, Bullet Joe Garson, Dave Randolph, Harry (Three Wheeler) Sheeler, Red Redman, Charles Breslin, Johnny Jans, Baby Face Peterson and Johnny (Hot Shot) Peterson.

Large Crowd Expected—A turnout bigger than the 14,000 which attended the last 100 lap run, New Jersey State championship kind, is anticipated by General Manager Santo who reports the influx of drivers from the Eastern part of the country is terrific. This is partly due to the great racing in the past week and the anxiety of spectators to watch these long-Century spins.

Competition is much keener in 100 lap title goes. Eight of the twelve men who finish in the first position in the semi-finals and four from the consolation go make twenty drivers the total who will ride in the final event. The semi-finals are distanced at 20 laps and the consolation at 15.

Riders will take their positions in the semi-finals with ratings from the point standing at the local track. The lead footed steers with the high points will have to start in the rear in the opening events. There are many more points to be garnered in the Century spins and these tallies aid the boys in securing more money for appearance during the winter competition in

COLLEGE ROMANCE TOPS REGENT BILL

Martha Scott and William Garman play the top stellar roles in the large and impressive cast appearing in Richard A. Rowland's new United Artists release, "Cheers For Miss Bishop," now at the Elizabeth Regent Theatre. This new production, which presents the story of a woman who was sought and loved by three men, was transferred to the screen from the widely read novel by Bess Streeter Aldrich.

The story of "Cheers For Miss Bishop" is set in a midwestern university which opened its doors of learning before the turn of the century. Against this background, the lives and loves, the drama, and romance, the highlights and humors of the chief characters are vividly drawn and interrelated. The heroine of the story, played by Martha Scott, is Ella Bishop and it is through her many dramatic and romantic experiences that the story unfolds with mounting excitement and suspense.

The companion film is "She Knew All the Answers," with Joan Bennett and Franchot Tone.

LILLIAN HELLMAN'S PRIZE-WINNING PLAY



Kurt Mueller (Paul Lukas), fugitive from his native Germany where there is a price on his head because of his underground activities against Fascism, bids goodbye to his three children as he prepares to return to his native land to continue his perilous fight for freedom. Left to right: Eric Roberts, Paul Lukas, Anne Blyth and Peter Fernandez.

VOTED the best play of the year by an American author by the New York Dramatic Critics Circle, Lillian Hellman's "Watch on the Rhine" is Norman Shumlin's fourth successive hit. Its predecessors in this dramatic cycle have been Miss Hellman's "The Little Foxes," "The Male Animal" and "The Corn Is Green," the last named a spectacular success at the National Theatre since last November, with Ethel Barrymore giving the finest performance of her long and brilliant career.

"Watch on the Rhine" was dedicated at the Marth Beck Theatre on April 1 and has been playing to capacity audiences ever since. Brooks Atkinson, critic of the New York Times, wrote the day after its opening: "Watch on the Rhine" is the finest thing Miss Hellman has yet written. Beautifully directed by Norman Shumlin and magnificently

Ziegfeld Girls



The three feminine stars of "Ziegfeld-Girls"—Elena D'Amico, Betty Lannier and Judy Garland which opens Sunday at the Grand Theatre, Elizabeth, for three days. "Dark Streets of Cairo" with Sigid Gork and Ralph Byrd will also be shown.

Tomorrow and Saturday the program will consist of Humphrey Bogart and Sylvia Sydney in "The Wagons Roll at Night" and Merle Oberon in "Affectionately Yours."

On the request program Wednesday and Thursday will be "Drums Along the Mohawk" with Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda, and "Frankenstein" with Boris Karloff.

LEGAL NOTICE IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY 184/305 To JACOB POLKIN, trading as Magnet Electric Contracting Co., by virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey made on the 21st day of July, 1941, in the case wherein The Township of Springfield in the County of Union is complainant, and the Magnet Electric Contracting Co., a corporation of New Jersey, is defendant, you are notified to appear and answer the said amended bill of complaint on or before the 8th day of September, next, or the said amended bill will be taken as confessed against you. The said amended

bill is filed to foreclose a certain Tax Sale Certificate No. 347, dated December 31st, 1932, from William Hoppach, Collector of Taxes of the Township of Springfield in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, to the Township of Springfield in the County of Union, and you, Jacob Polkin, trading as Magnet Electric Contracting Co., are made defendant, because you are the holder of a judgment against the defendant Ho Metall, the record owner of the premises described in said Tax Sale Certificate.

Dated July 7th, 1941. CHARLES W. WERKES, Solicitor of the complainant, 810 Broad Street, Newark, New Jersey. July 18-41

British Favoring Gilbert, Sullivan

The Associated Press News Service receives daily cables of theatrical activities in London. The city and the provinces have carried on their seasons in the campaign of "business as usual." Shows open and close but the one repertoire that has played each week in the British Isles, since war was declared, September, 1939, is Gilbert and Sullivan.

Helen Gleason, whose Josephine in the naval "Pinafore" delighted audiences two weeks ago at the Paper Mill Playhouse, in Millburn, follows Charles Butterworth now starred in the new comedy hit "Western Union, Please," and returns for a week's engagement as Yum Yum in "The Mikado" on August 4.

Miss Gleason has a unique record. Ambitious to be an actress rather than a singer, she started in vaudeville when she was eighteen. On the two-a-day circuit she impersonated famous operetta stars such as Melba, Caruso, Geraldine Farrar, Scottie, and Mary Garden.



HELEN GLEASON

While playing in Chicago, Fortuna Gallo, well known impresario, "caught her act" and offered her a season's contract to sing Mimi in "La Boheme."

That began her singing career which led to the Metropolitan Opera Company in New York. She has also appeared in comic opera, singing the title role, in the "Merry Widow" with the St. Louis Municipal Opera Company and with Dennis King in the recent "Fredericka."

Supporting Miss Gleason in the production at Frank Carrington's Paper Mill Playhouse is Ralph Riggs. The actor has had many notable successes, one of the most important of which was that of one of the nine Supreme Court Justices in "Of Thee I Sing," the Pulitzer prize winner by George S. Kaufman and Morrie Ryskind. Following his Summer in the "Star Hat" Theatre, Mr. Riggs will return to the east of "Louisiana Purchase" in which he played for over a year.

"The Mikado" has been staged by John Pierce and musically directed by Joseph Tushinsky who will conduct. Kenneth Lloyd Maps and Joseph De Luca will execute the sets.

2 BIG HITS! REGENT NOW CHEERS FOR MISS BISHOP with ERIC ROBERTS, PAUL LUKAS, ANNE BLYTH, PETER FERNANDEZ. SCOTT GARGAN BENNETT-TONE

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Steamer Arrives Tuckawayanna Terminal, Rotolow 9:40 A. M. and Leaves at 9:30 P. M. Leaves Battery (St. Ferry) N.Y. City 10:15 A. M. (DAILY) Due Rotolow on Return 8:30 P. M. Dancing and Cafeteria on Board

FARES: Mon., Fri. (Hazardous Days) \$1.00; Tues., Wed., Thurs., Sat. \$1.25; Sun. \$1.50. 100-1000 Green-9-8277 100-1000 Blue-3-5233

OR ROUTE 24 at MILLBURN, N. J. Phone SHOT Hills 7-3000 Frank Carrington, Director

THIS WEEK (Thu. Saturday Evening, Aug. 2nd) CHARLES BUTTERWORTH "WESTERN UNION, PLEASE" with June Walker

NEXT WEEK—BEG. MONDAY NIGHT, AUG. 4TH HELEN GLEASON Opens Star in GILBERT & SULLIVAN'S Operetta "THE MIKADO" With RALPH RIGGS

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD COUNTY OF UNION

AN ORDINANCE TO LIMIT THE USE OF MILLTOWN ROAD FROM THE RAYMOND CHISHOLM SCHOOL TO THE UNION TOWNSHIP LINE TO BE A ONE-WAY STREET FOR PASSENGER VEHICLES AND COMMERCIAL VEHICLES WHOSE WEIGHT, INCLUDING LOAD, DOES NOT EXCEED 4,000 POUNDS, AND PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

SECTION 1: That the use of Milltown Road from the Raymond Chisholm School to the Union Township line shall be limited to passenger vehicles and commercial vehicles whose weight, including load, shall not exceed 4,000 pounds; provided, however, that nothing shall be taken to prohibit the use of said street for the purpose of making deliveries to properties fronting thereon.

SECTION 2: "Light Traffic. No 'pushing' signs of the size, dimensions and character described in Compulsory Statutes 1937, Article 38 shall be posted in accordance with the terms of said Statutes on the said street.

SECTION 3: It shall be unlawful to operate in, on or along said Milltown Road from the Raymond Chisholm School to the Union Township line any motor vehicle other than that of the kind and character described in Section 1 hereof, and any person or persons convicted of operating a motor vehicle on said street in violation of any of the terms hereof, shall pay a fine not exceeding Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars or be imprisoned in the County Jail for a period not exceeding ten (10) days for each violation.

SECTION 4: All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5: This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication in accordance with law.

I, R. D. TREAT, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced for first reading at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, held on Wednesday evening, July 16th, 1941, and that the said Ordinance shall be submitted for consideration and final passage at a regular meeting of the said Township Committee, to be held on Wednesday evening, August 13th, 1941, in the Springfield Municipal Building at 4 P. M., and that any person or persons interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning such Ordinance.

Dated July 17, 1941. R. D. TREAT, Township Clerk.

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD COUNTY OF UNION

NOTICE OF BIDS SEALED PROPOSALS will be received from 9:00 to 9:30 P. M. Daylight Saving Time, on Wednesday, the 13th day of August, 1941, at the office of the Township Clerk on the second floor of the Township Hall in the Township of Springfield and publicly opened and read.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF CONCRETE SIDEWALKS ALONG THE NORTHWESTERLY SIDE OF AUGUSTA AVENUE FROM MILLTOWN ROAD SOUTHWESTERLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS APPROVED BY THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE.

Specifications may be examined at the office of Arthur H. Lennox, Township Engineer, 8 Flermer Avenue, Springfield, N. J., on and after Wednesday, July 31st, 1941.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, the right being reserved to reject any and all bids or to waive informality therein by alteration of the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield in the County of Union.

Dated July 24, 1941. R. D. TREAT, Clerk of the Township of Springfield in the County of Union.

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BOB HOPE - DOROTHY LAMOUR "CAUGHT IN THE DRAFT" ADDED ATTRACTIONS: March of Time "CRISIS IN THE ATLANTIC" Color Cartoon "THE HECKLING HARE"

STARTS THURSDAY AUG. 7 Robert Taylor "BILLY THE KID"

UNION 2 BIG HITS THEATRE-UNION FREE PARKING IN 2-9700

PHIL SART. ABILE 1-2 Bud ARBOTT—Joni COSTELLO "IN THE NAVY" ANDREWS SISTERS "THE SHINING VICTORY"

BOB HOPE—DOROTHY LAMOUR "PENNY SERENADE" Irene DUNN—Cory GRANT

EILEEN QUEEN'S "PENTHOUSE MYSTERY" (with Helmut—Margaret Madley) WEA—THURSDAY—PHI—SAT. Aug. 6-7-8-9 "MAN HUNT" "MILLION DOLLAR BABY"

Roth Strand WELLSBORO 6-3000 TODAY and TOMORROW Aug. 1-2 Anna NEAGLE stay BOLGER "SUNNY" "Singapore Woman"

Brenda Marshall—David Bruce SUNDAY - TUESDAY Aug. 3-5 Pat O'BRIEN—James CAGNEY "DEVILS OF THE AIR" "REPENT AT LEISURE"

WEDNESDAY - SATURDAY Aug. 6-8 Jeffrey LYNN—Philip BORN "UNDERGROUND" "KISSES FOR BREAKFAST"

Dennis Morgan—Shirley Ross

FREE PARKING MILLBURN 6-0800 Wednesday Show Starts at 1:30 P. M. 7:15 P. M. Continues Sat. Sun. at 1 P. M.

LAST TWO DAYS—FRI., SAT. Aug. 1-2 "MAN HUNT" "MILLION DOLLAR BABY"

SUN. THRU TUES. August 3-4-5 "SUNNY" Anna NEAGLE—John CARROLL "OUT OF THE FOG" Ida Lupino—John Garfield "Nurse's Secret" Regis TOOMEY—Lee PATRICK Special 15-Min. Show Sat. Mat. Only

The NEW Theatre Broad St. Elizabeth WED.—THURS. AUG. 6-7 2 Exciting-Requests-2

CLAUDETTE COLBERT HENRY FONDA "Drums Along The Mohawk" REQUEST No. 2 "FRANKENSTEIN" with BORIS KARLOFF

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PERSONAL MENTION About People You Know

The nicest courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is through this page when you go away. We will consider it a courtesy whenever you give us an item of any social interest. Call directly to the SUN office, Millburn 6-1226.

Church Services

Presbyterian
Rev. Dr. J. A. Lichtenett, Pastor.
Methodist
Rev. Carl C. H. Mellberg, Ph. D., Minister.
St. Stephen's Episcopal
Rev. Hugh W. Dickinson, Rector.

Red Cross Preparing For Busy Year To Aid Growing U.S. Army and Navy



With athletics playing an important role in stiffening the morale of soldiers and sailors in Uncle Sam's growing forces, the Red Cross is adding its services for the Army and Navy by providing \$1,000,000 worth of sports equipment.

St. James' Catholic
MSGR. DANIEL A. COYLE, Rector.
First Baptist
Rev. Romaine P. Hoffman, Pastor.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Behind the front lines of U. S. defenses a civilian army of more than 1,000,000 American Red Cross volunteers is swinging into action. But how can a civilian help a man in uniform, especially if he is 1,000 miles away?

Our Library Use Your Library

Every afternoon, 2:30 to 5.
Mon. and Fri. Evenings from 7:30 to 9.
Among the new books recently purchased are the following:

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HAS YOUR HAIR EVER LOOKED AS LOVELY?
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## THE TAX BILL

The government's present tax policy has two distinct phases. First and most obvious phase is the necessity of raising more revenue. Second phase is to reduce consumer purchasing power, as one means of fighting inflation. War priorities will result in a considerable reduction in the amount of goods available for consumers. War spending, on the other hand, will result in a great increase in payrolls and income. That situation, unless corrected, must almost inevitably result in price inflation. And one means of correcting it is heavy taxation.

Few authorities oppose these purposes. But a good many authorities are extremely dubious of the wisdom and justice of the new tax bill as tentatively approved by the House of Representatives committee. Their opposition is based on varied grounds.

The new tax bill places its heaviest burdens on the middle-income groups—present rates of taxation on big-income groups make it impossible to substantially increase revenue from them. Persons and families earning from \$4,000 to \$12,000 per year will be forced to pay the bulk of the increases in taxes. Writing in the New York Times, Godfrey N. Nelson says that, if the proposed bill passes in its current form, less than 4 per cent of the population will have to make returns, and nearly one-half of these will not be required to pay a tax because of their exemption credits. In other words, the tax does not reach down into the smaller bracket incomes. Mr. Nelson, like other economists, suggests that it is advisable to reach these lower incomes either by reducing amount of exemptions, or by levying a flat tax, payable at the source, on all incomes. "It seems reasonable to assume," he says, "that if the national debt is ever to be paid, all earnings should be made to contribute to the liquidation."

Furthermore, it is clear that the middle-income groups—which are composed largely of salaried people—will share the least in war spending. Wages for workers are going up far faster than salaries, for white-collar help. On these grounds alone, the new bill seems definitely inequitable.

Some are convinced that the burden the new bill will place on industry is dangerously high. No one wants "war profiteering." But it is clearly necessary for industry to earn sufficient profits for expansion and to attract new capital, if it is to continue as a healthy, progressive factor in our national life. For this reason the soundness of the excess profits tax provisions of the bill is gravely doubted in many quarters.

Still another general criticism of government fiscal policy is that almost nothing has as yet been done to reduce non-defense Federal spending. Various authorities, including Treasury experts, have estimated that \$1,000,000,000 to \$2,000,000,000 could be saved by pruning unnecessary and avoidable items from the budget.

Summing up, the feeling is almost universal that all of us, without exception, must pay greatly increased taxes, and make all necessary sacrifices for defense. But many economists regard the new tax bill as a helter-skelter affair, unsound, and in some cases confiscatory, which needs a thorough overhauling.

## TYRANNY THREATENED AT HOME

Right now, wrote Frank R. Kent recently, there is a drive on "to utilize the national crisis to push the union frontiers forward to the point where a tight labor monopoly will be so firmly established that neither man nor woman can get or hold a job unless he or she is a member of a union. . . . If, through closed shop, checkoff and complete unionization of all labor, the monopoly now sought should be acquired, the power of the labor leaders would be irresistible. They would become the real rulers of the nation, superior to the government itself. . . . The people of this country would live under a tyranny as intolerable in many ways as any of those we denounce abroad."

These are strong words, but late events have fully justified them. The lust of some labor leaders for more power is insatiable. It is these leaders who have made extortionate demands upon such industries as coal, the railroads, aircraft plants, etc. It is these leaders who have set their own ambitions ahead of the very safety of the nation. It is these leaders who have actually defied government. It is these leaders who are out to destroy the right of a man to earn his living whether he is a member of a union or not.

There are definite signs which indicate that the public has at last become aroused and alarmed. When any group attempts to "cash in" on the gravest crisis in our history, the American people will eventually rebel.

Honest and patriotic working men have a chance to clear the labor movement of the onus that has been cast on it by the actions of irresponsible, ruthless leaders. It is up to the rank and file within the union ranks to clean house. If labor fails to do that, it will simply court disaster. It will risk the loss of the many deserved gains it has made over the years. It will invite harsh legislation. A strike in a defense industry now is nothing more nor less than deliberately planned sabotage.

## Playground Activities

Humid weather failed to hamper the interest in the activities this week at the local park playground. Although rain prevented several exhibitions, the children braved the heat to compete in the various sports. Winners in the marble contest held on Wednesday of last week were: Junior girls—won by Barbara Kees; second, Jean Olsen; third, Ann Detrick; Junior boys—won by Charles Vojlr; second, Dick

# Mountainside Activities

## Boys, Girls Take Part In Hiking

MOUNTAINSIDE—Boys and girls of the Echo Lake Park Playground participated in an eight mile hike to Lake Surprise on Friday. At noon the group held an outdoor lunch which was greatly enjoyed by all participants. The group held a shuffleboard contest which was won by Robert Pittenger; second, Richard Young; third, Margaret Conrads. The Knitting Club meets every Tuesday and Thursday and anyone who wishes to learn how to knit can seek instructions in the playground. On July 29, a class was held in spatter print and a book project was started. The playground will sponsor a cake sale benefit for movies to be shown on Tuesday in the Locust Grove at Echo Lake Park. A regular show of an hour and a half will start at 8:30 P. M. Everyone is invited to attend. The cake sale will take place today in the playground.

A picnic supper celebrating "Joseph Lee Day" will be held today. Balloons filled with gas will be turned loose to see how far they can travel. During supper, there will be musical features and after supper there will be two baseball games. The first game will be for children under 11 years old who will play among 11 years old vs. boys for four innings; and then the older boys and girls will compete for honors.

Next week's program follows: Monday, quilts; Tuesday, Knitting Club; Wednesday, freckle contest; Thursday, jumping rope contest; and Friday, pot show, musical games and song festival.

## IT'S A BOY

MOUNTAINSIDE—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Juergenson of Deerpath on Monday in Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield.

In mixed groups and top honors went to Doris Reeve; second, Florie Bretler; third, Kathryn Reddington. The winning boys were: First, Eugene Sacco; second, Charles Vojlr; third, Ed Parsell.

Hopscoch was played on Monday and the winners were: Junior girls—won by Ann Detrick; second, Philomine Colantone; third, Shirley Brodhead; senior girls—won by Doris Reeve; second, Kathryn Reddington; senior boys—won by Don Schweigert; second, Ed Parsell.

Next week's schedule consists of the following: Monday, washer, doubles; Tuesday, rope jumping; Wednesday, horseshoe, doubles; Thursday, boys, nail driving; girls, button sewing; and Friday, ping pong, singles.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

"Happy Birthday" greetings this coming month from the SUN to the following residents of Mountainside:

- 1-Violet Von Borstel
- 2-Herman Lindeman
- 3-Christlan Fritz
- 4-Ernest Honecker
- 5-Susanna E. Trautman
- 6-Mrs. Henry Weber
- 7-John J. Heckel
- 8-Miss Jacqueline Revaz
- 9-Miss Madeline Frey
- 10-Robert O. Curtiss
- 11-Sally Ahearn
- 12-Ottmann De Buhr
- 13-Miss Marianne Melsick
- 14-Bernhard Nolte, Jr.
- 15-Mrs. Andrew Schneller
- 16-Miss Mary Linden
- 17-Frederick Spitzhoff
- 18-Miss Luella Pfeiffer
- 19-Miss Ethel Pittenger
- 20-Lessie Fritz
- 21-Mrs. Charles Shomo
- 22-Miss Lottie Behlau
- 23-Harry Behlau
- 24-Matthew B. Walker
- 25-Arthur Schweitzer
- 26-Albert Benninger
- 27-David Knoll
- 28-Sharon Winn
- 29-Donald Winn
- 30-John Dwyer
- 31-Edwin Leet
- 32-John Frey
- 33-C. R. Evans

## MOUNTAINSIDE CALENDAR

Aug. 4 (Mon.)—Rescue Squad meeting, headquarters, 9 P. M.  
Aug. 9 (Sat.)—Annual picnic, Sunday School, Echo Lake Park, 2:30 P. M.  
Aug. 14 (Thurs.)—Fire Department meeting, firehouse, 8 P. M.  
Aug. 21 (Thurs.)—Board of Education meeting, Mountainside School, 8 P. M.

ster, Mass., are now living at 597 Woodlawn avenue.  
Paul K. Davis of Central avenue is convalescing in his home following an appendectomy in Overlook Hospital.

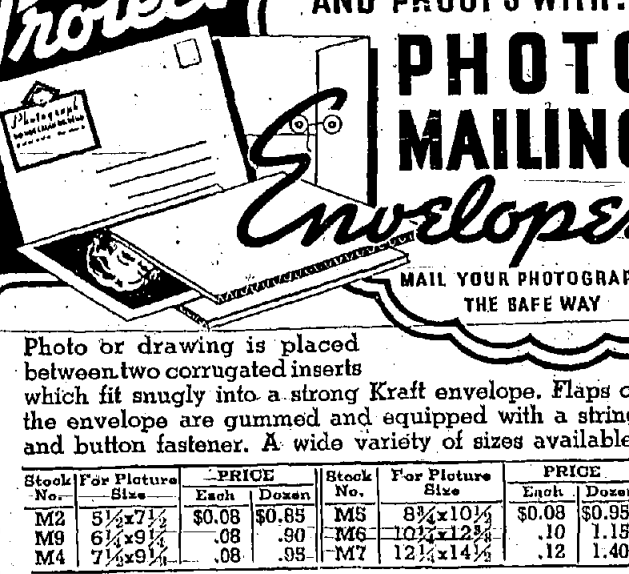
Mrs. Edward F. Meneirth of New Providence road was hostess Monday night to her executive board of the Union County Council of P.-T. A.'s for the purpose of determining a program for the coming year.

A surprise shower in honor of Mary M. Meixner was given Monday night in the home of Mrs. Robert N. Vanning of North street, Westfield, by Mrs. Manning, Elsie Bair and Freda Verman.

Henry C. Buege of Amsterdam, N. Y., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Rinker of Springfield road on Sunday.

Patrolman Christian Fritz of the borough police, is on a two weeks' vacation. He will spend part of his time at Point Pleasant.

## Rahway Official In Assembly Race



CLIFFORD P. CASE  
Clifford P. Case of Rahway has announced that he will be a candidate at the primary election September 16 for Republican nomination as a member of the General

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## --Propaganda Diagnosis--

The surprising part about England's "V for Victory" campaign is that the German propaganda minister, Dr. Goebbels, did not originate it. The doctor did the next best thing; he stole the English word "victory" and now is blasting it over the Nazi radios with a German twist "Viktoria." The word "sieg" means victory. Maybe from now on, Hitler will yell "Sieg Viktoria Heil!" Churchill's interpretation of the meaning of "V" was broadcasted from London. He said: "The V sign is the symbol of the unconquerable will of the occupied territories, and a portent of the fate awaiting Nazi tyranny. So long as the peoples continue to refuse all collaboration with the invader it is sure that his cause will perish and that Europe will be liberated."

The "symbol" is designed to cause a nervous state in Germany and will no doubt make a few of the friends of Hitler take aspirins for more than a headache.

"V" has its effects—and affections—in the United States. A nearby community, Westfield, adopted for its aluminum drive the slogan of "V." And the New York newspaper, PM, in its issue of last Thursday printed the "V" sign on the first

page. The second page contained a blank space from the impression on page one. The reader was supposed to cut the letter and directions with three pictures showing how to cut the letter were given. The caption read "Clip as PM's Charlotte Hall is doing, upper left. . . . Drop both sides in egg white, upper right, this acts as mullage and gives a gloss. . . . Paste it on your front window in the wind wing or other parts of your automobile. . . . Strange enough, along side of the pictures, and directions, was a half page map showing the Russian war in progress which showed progress for Germany. The British hope that the letter will help alter this situation.

In Sunday's New York Times, the "Fight For Freedom, Inc." carried a quarter page advertisement asking President Roosevelt: "Don't let Dakar become another Indo-China." Next to the organization's name was the letter "V" and under it, three dots and a dash—the Morse code for "V."

Babies born within the British Commonwealth probably will be called "Victor and 'Victoria'" whereas babies born in the United States probably will have their middle names beginning with "V."

Delta Upsilon Fraternity. Other interests include the Rutgers Alumni Fund Council, of which he is a member and trustee; the Board of Directors of the Railway Y. M. C. A.; the Board of Foreign Missions of the Dutch Reformed Church, of which he is chairman of the finance committee; the Board of Trustees of the Second Presbyterian Church of Rahway; the New York State Bar Association and the Association of the Bar of the City of New York; the latter organization having named him as a delegate to the recent Philadelphia meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science; the Civil Service Reform Association; and Railway Lodge, No. 1075, B. P. O. E.

Despite his membership on the Railway Common Council and his active interests in and support of the Republican party in that city, Case has not heretofore engaged in political activities outside Rahway and he is not affiliated or identified with any party, faction or group within the Republican party in county or state politics.

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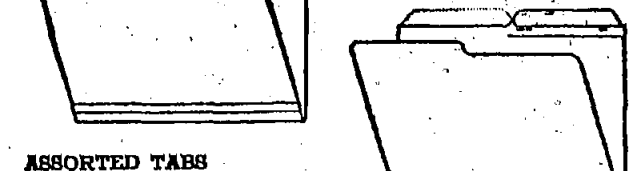
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