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THIS Vandalism Seen In Burning Of For years the weather man has been "a feudin" and a fussin' with us, messing up every vacation, every trip and tour-under

both Democratic and Republican administrations. When we succumbed to the e picture promises of Florida vacation, that was the time of the year when the snows almost came past Daytona Beach. A trip through New England ends. sent us scurrying to the high places as Hurvicane Hazel came roaring up from Cape Hatteras. The trip to California coincided with record breaking freezes in Los Angeles. And, when we tried to escape this "unusual weather" by flying to Las Vegas, we checked into the Desert Inn' stroyed. with a huge snow-man, just be-

ginning to melt, on the front lawn. Las Vegas natives said it was the first time they had seen snow. It got so that we couldn't point a finger at a travel folder or turn to the resort and tour section of in the burning of the benches. the New York Times without having the barometer boil over. Friends cancelled reservations when they learned we were plan-

ming a trip. This Summer, we-thought we had worked out a diabolical plot to fool the weather man. We quietly joined the Colony Swim Club in Livingston where we planned to do a little serious sun tanning and lounging-where we hoped to outwit the Hurricane Hildas, the flash floods and the "most unusual weather.

The strategy evidently failed and the weather man is having more fun than ever. Cold and rain have spoiled practically every week-end. We intend to have our Congressman do something about it.

We are watching, with keen delight, the testimony being introduced at the trial of the Marine drill sergeant in Parris Island. Our interest_is_personal_since_we_ Bandomer of 36 Evergreen avehad the pleasure (?) of going through that intensive toughening · process as a recruit in the Marine boot camp back in 1917.

If the Marine drill sergeants of today are any tougher than they as a member of Springfield's of-ficial family although the Bandowere back in those World War One days, it will be news to boys who will attend the reunion of our outfit this November. The barking Marine drill sergeants in those days, gave us forced night marches-(they called them ma-l-named to fill the vacancy caused all the cars and traffic was nouvers) and put us through such by the resignation of B. H. Fox.' jammed for miles on the high-



While Springfield is free from the so-called juvenile problems—the Recreation Commission and other Township officials are very much concerned because of a wave of vandalism in the local playgrounds during the last few week

According to a playground offi-"We believe we know the kids who are guilty of vandalism in Washington Playground," stated cial, bénches in the Riverside Playground have been burned, this official. "and the police have new slides have been wrecked in been asked to question some of the Irwin Street Playground and them in an effort to discover more parts of fence around the Hen- facts. We know these youngsters shaw Playground has been delib- are no more than 13 or 14 years old and we wonder why their eratcly pulled down and de-

NEW BOARD OF ADJUST

MENT MEMBER. Kenneth E.

nue, who is expected to sit in on

the next meeting of the Board,

being named to fill a vacancy by

the Township Committee. This is

Mr. Bandomer's first assignment

mer family has been very active

in Township áffairs for a great

run until December, 1958. He was

many years. His appointment will history.

being out at all hours of the night. According to the police, several youngsters in the area of the It isn't possible that the parents don't know their youngsters are Riverside Playground are being prowling around until midnight. watched because neighbors have -We-are-fairly-certain-we-knov pointed to them as the guilty kids who these children are and we. hope to fix the blame very soon

seen swimming in the condemned water back of the Riverside Playground. "We have the cooperation of

the police and we want to stop art. (Robert Potter is not in this vandalism at once." nhoto:)

Lancasters Stranded For **4 Hours By Flash Storm**

flash flood, just outside of Baltimore, this past week end The Lancasters-George is well

way. When the Lancasters dis mown electrical contractor here covered that the water was gradand Mrs.-Lancaster one of the ually rising over the floor boards very active members of Springof their car, they decided to abanfield's First Aid Squad-drove to don the auto and both of them Maryland last Friday, planning waded to a high spot with the to spend-the-week end in Baltihelp of police, firemen and other more and vicinity. They had satety groups. checked in at a motel just outside

There was no shelter to care of Baltimore and were returning for the many stranded autoists, at 11:45 Friday evening on the and the Lancasters did what they main highway, Route 40, when could to protect themselves from the area was suddenly struck by the torrents. They took refuge in one of the worst flash storms in a gas station nearby which, by this time, was crowded with oth-The rising water soon stalled er autoists in similar plight.

--The-waters-on-the-highway became so high and ran so

rushing waters and became

wedged against a utility pole

very close to where they were

stranded. According to the police,

the car might-have been_lost_in_

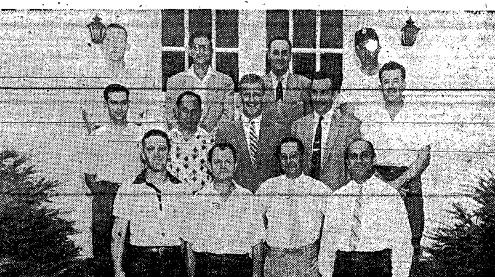
the deeper waters if it had not

The authorities finally



DID THEIR BIT FOR THE BOYS. Photo shows Springparents do nothing about the kids field's minor baseball league managers and coaches, left to right, first row: John Shields, Walt Gurski, Robert Wittish and James Rowan. Second Row: Frank Di Biase, Gene Halper, Bert Henry, Ed. Eppinger and Lou Cohen. Top Row: J. Billings, N. Hart, I. Yablonsky and Russ Stew-

SPRINGFIELD, N. J., THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1956



TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lancaster of 23 Irvin Ter-race, are back in Springfield with plenty of mud in the transmission of their automobile and a harrowing tale of a narrow escane when they were caught in the path of a To Youth League Officials

Springfield's official family and residents in general have given a formal "pat on the back" to those who made possible the success of the Springfield Youth Baseball League-which just closed its season with the Rotary Club representatives as champions. Special-thanks-is-given-to-the-

various adults who served as of- Bruno Becker (Office manager ficers of the league, those who Treasurer; William Buckelew officiated at the games, the managers, the coaches, the great number of very busy people who devoted their time and energy

(Plant supervisor) Secretary: Ed Ruby, (Recreation supervisor) Commissioner; Clare Seltzer (High School instructor) Equip-

In National **Music Contest**

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Miss Dolores Iorio

of Irvington won first prize in the

The Major Studios band parti-

(Continued on Pae 7)

10¢ A COPY, \$3.50 BY THE YEAR **Bad Water**

WORKED HARD FOR YOUTH LEAGUE._Springfield residents sit still for photograph after doing such a swell job in making the Youth Baseball League such a success. In the usual order, By Township left to right, first row: R. Anderson, W. Buckalew,

photo)

Hole Filled

Springfield, s gov-erning body and the Board League secretary; J. Simon, B. Becker, League Treasurer. B. Becker, League Treasurer. Second Row: C. Selzer, of Health gave residents of the South Derby Road area League Publicity Director; quick action on the com plaint that "there was a R. Marino, League Vice Presstagnant, mosquito breeding ident; W. Becker, Joseph L. water hole" in need of im-Focht, League President; E. mediate attention. Schnell, ! E. Ruby, League Orders were issued by the Commissioner. Third Row; M. Mitterhoff, R. Isley and B. Eckmann. (Bob Jones

te Library

Board of Health to Springfield's road department and, Monday morning loads of fill began to eliminate the health menace, A great many loads of fill will be needed according to Health Board officials. Tractors were on the job

Tuesday to help on the job. While the work of filling the yater hole is being done by the Township road department, the owner of the property, Nicholas Messino of 1788 Vauxhall road, Union,-will-be-billed-for-the-job. According_to_Board_of_Health_officials notice was given the owner-to-eliminate-the-hole-whencomplaints were first heard by Township officials. Messino was given a definite time to do the iob but delay was permitted because of bad weather.

When_the_most_recent_com plaints were made by residents in that area, the orders went out to start work at once and Monday saw the start of the filling in process. The job is expected to be completed-in-a-few-days-with-instructions, however, to deliver additional fill in if the waters should rise again because of the general flood conditions in Springfield,

Looks Like Blood; It Was Red Paint

Hollywood couldn't have done it any beter. The color movie directors, long ago, came up with the idea of pouring ketchup over the white shirt of the hero to show. up the blood of shot from the blank cartridge. And then came the pill, filled with red syrup, that is taken in the mouth of the actor who is about-to punch it out for the hand of the heroine. Springfield's police and wit-

nesses of an accident which occured Monday morning on Morris avenue, corner Warner, received terrific scare until it was disovere what eve thought was blood, was only red paint. Gus Fries, 52, of Carol Road, Union, was on his way in a station wagon to start a painting job he had contracted for. Gus told police he lost control of the car and crashed into a utility pole. When the police arrived, not only was Fries covered with the red paint but it ran all over the floor of the car and out onto the street. Two pet dogs, belonging to Fries, were also covered with the red paint which according to the driver came from a gallon can which burst open when he struck the pole. Fries was rushed to Overlook Hospital where the report stated he was suffering from a fracture of the right arm and possible internal injuries. Patrolmen Thomas Kennedy and John Baber investigated the accident.

disciplinary paces which, the brass liked to refer to as building 'esprit de corps."

When our buddies of the First Marine Aviation outfit get together at annual reunions, the most interesting subject of dis cussion is "Parris Island and the boot training." One can always detect a little cuss word here and there when any reference is made to "Remember that drill instruc-

tor-what was his name?" Knowing the Marines and Parris Island, we have an idea that Sergeant McKeon will have a couple of stripes yanked off his chevrons - but that's about all. However, things might have campaign. The new officers are: (Continued on page 2)

LOOKING FOR A BARGAIN? Then you'll want to look at the values being offered on pages 3, 4 and 5 of this week's Sun. It's all part of SPRING-FIELD DOLLAR DAYS, with all participating merchants offering sharply reduced prices on_their_mid-summer_stock.-

cratic Convention. The Springfield Committee, which is made up of non-partisan volunteers working for Stevenson, met last week to elect new officers and organize its pre-convention Mrs. William Fisher, chairman; Miss Nancy Cohen, secretary, David Weatherbee, treasurer; and election." John Johnson, publicity. Mrs. Fisher also pointed out Others attending the meeting included Phyllis Barg, Dorothy

G. Cohen, Vivienne R. Cohen, -"If-anyone wants to-volunteer Lorrie Lewis and Madie Weatherhis services, please call either bee. Mrs. Fisher, the new chairman, stressed that the Stevenson | DR 6-0832, or DR 6-6387," Mrs. Fisher said, "We'll be glad to tell group is non-partisan. Fisher said, "We'll be glad to te "We especially welcome Inde- them who they can help out."

Local Group Launching **Adlai Stevenson Drive**

Springfield's newly-activated "Stevenson for President" Committee is launching an all-out campaign to sup- been stopped by the pole. port Adlai Stevenson at the forthcoming National Demo-

(Continued on page 2) pendent voters who believe in Stevenson and want to help out # she said., "Our first objective, of course, is to make sure that Stevenson wins the nomination at the Chicago convention next month. After that, our big job will_be_to_help Stevenson win the

> that the Springfield Committee needs more volunteers.

ago Wednesday.

WINS COLLEGE GRANT-Ed Strauss, Manager of Hall University_students. Dr. James A. Hart, Dean Employee Relations of Jersey Central Power & of the School of Business Administration at Seton Light Co., congratulates Paul-F. Jones of Springfield upon gaining one of the three grants given to Seton Hall looks on.

wards helping make Little that many of the stranded cars League baseball such a success in were carried off and wrecked. Springfield. The Lancasters were fortunate that their auto floated with the

Evidence of this gratitude will be found on Page 8 of this issue, with photographs of the various managers. teams, some interesting publicity

concerning the players and the names of the sponsors who made possible this tribute to those who participated and helped make the league such a success.

Started 2 Years Ago

Slightly over two years ago the Springfield Recreation Commission requested all service and other organizations to send representatives to a general meet-

the possibilities of organizing a baseball setup to provide for the youth of Springfield. As a result of this meeting the nucleus of what is now the Springfield Youth Baseball League was formed. This organization which has just-completed-its-third-successfulber Cor, Fidler Cleaners and

season now consists of six_major league teams and six minor league teams which serve as farm eams for the major leagues. Altogether some 220 boys in the -12 age bracket are provided with the facilities and proper supervision in participation of our national pastime. This group is supervised by some 50-60 adult fa-

STARTS NEW JOB, Harry E. Monroe of 447 Meisel avenue, is already at work as a member of sons, calls for full time opera the Springfield Board of Tax As | tions.

per

At present this league is supersessors. He was named to that vised by a governing committee office by the Township Commitconsisting of the following pertee at a regular meeting, July 11, sonnel: Joseph L. Focht (C.P.A.) and sworn in by Township Clerk President; Robert Marino (In-Eleonore H. Worthington a week surance broker) Vice President;

What About Those Old Car Tracks

What, if anything, is going to be done about the exposed trolley tracks on Morris Avenue?

What, if anything, is Commissioner Dwight G. Palmer of the New Jersey State Highway Department, going to do about eliminating this traffic hazard that has already caused many accidents here?

Highway Commissioner Palmer has already, informed the Township Committee that the department would be glad to take up the exposed and dangerous rails if Springfield would ban all parking on Morris Avenue-24 hours a day!

Mayor Albert G. Binder and the Township Committee refused to accept these conditions-and the Highway Department has done nothing to eliminate the danger.

Now-with the end of the Summer approaching and the prospect of another Winter of hazardous driving on Morris Avenue-merchants on Morris Avenue want to know what the State Highway Department intends to do about tearing out the trolley tracks.

'Or, isn't the safety of autofits and pedestrians more important than some vague political advantage?

ment and publicity director; Rus sell Stewert (Traffic manager) Minor league director, Stanley

McConkey (Personnel manager) Co-director, and 6 major league

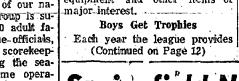
> At present the major league teams are sponsored by American Legion Post No. 228, Lions Club, P.B.A., Kiwanis Club, Big Top-Car Hop Restaurant and Rotary Chub. In the first year of

operation four teams were considered adequate as a start, but discovered that through an expanded program additional teams had to be added. In future years

this may necessarily have to be ing to be held for a discussion of expanded further. This year the minor-leagues acquired sponsors who provided certain necessary equipment for the boys. Their sponsors are: Chamber of Commerce - 1956 Champions, Haydu's, Columbia Lumber Co., Union County Lum-

Scott's Excavaling. During the off-season the governing committee meets regu- National Championship Contest, larly for purposes of discussing Dolores Iorio-of-29 Henshaw ave., league rules and regulations, fund Raymond Nendze of 171 Henshaw

thers who act as league officials. managers, coaches, scorekeep-ers, etc., which during the sea-



Springfield Now Boasts **Of Good Dining Places**

Not too long ago, residents of Springfield had to hop he explained, before hestook of into the station wagon and go out of town for luncheon or fice here but that it was done, dinner.

band.

The now closed Cannon Ball Inn had a fine reputation taken by the driver of the post throughout the East and, at one time, lovers of unusual office collection truck. food came to Springfield for dinner there. But, aside from a sandwich counter here and there, and food served within reach of the bar, there weren't too many places where one could dine in Springfield in those early days.

Now and in a short space of years- Springfield is becoming the under the management of the rendezvous of the gourmet as well three new owners who have taken as a place where you can sit in over this Route 22 place. comfort in your own car and Terry Dempsey's, trying hard enjoy the glorified hamburger to hide behind the gas station at which is now on the menu as the point where Morris Avenue "chopped sirloin steak" or "the and Morris Turnpike meet, has quick, efficient service and wholebecome a "must spot" for those some food of the diner. who can't resists the magic of

Old Orchard Inn, under the smiling supervision of Hans Deh who knew all the tricks of being other specials. a warm Mein Host, attracted lovers of good food for a great The Twigs, located in Spring-

many years and is still one of field avenue, is attracting both | Some word will probably be avail-(Continued on page 2) . | able after Labor Day." Springfield's fine eating places

Local musician members of the Postmaster Orders **Collection Boxes**

Springfield residents-have raising, playing facilities and avenue and Louis Iorio of 29 been wondering why most equipment and other items of Henshaw avenue were the Spring- of the post office collection field members of the winning boxes on Morris-Avenue areon the one side of the street--the north side. Starting at the post office, there isn't a single collection box on the same side of Morris avenue until the corner of Warner

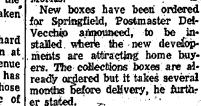
> Avenue. Postmaster Abel V. Del Vecchio has the explanation. The probably, because of the route

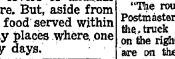
"The route was arranged," the Postmaster explained, so that the truck would be able to stop on the right side-and those boxes are on the north side since the

collection route starts east on, Mornis."

for Springfield, Postmaster Del-Vecchio announced, to be in-stalled where the new developments are attracting home buyers. The collections boxes are already ordered but it takes several months before delivery, he furth-

garlic bread to head the march of steaks, chops, roast beef and specifications," he said, "but other specifications," he there has been no announcement as to the acceptance of a site.





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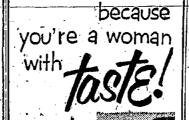
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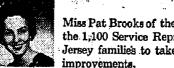
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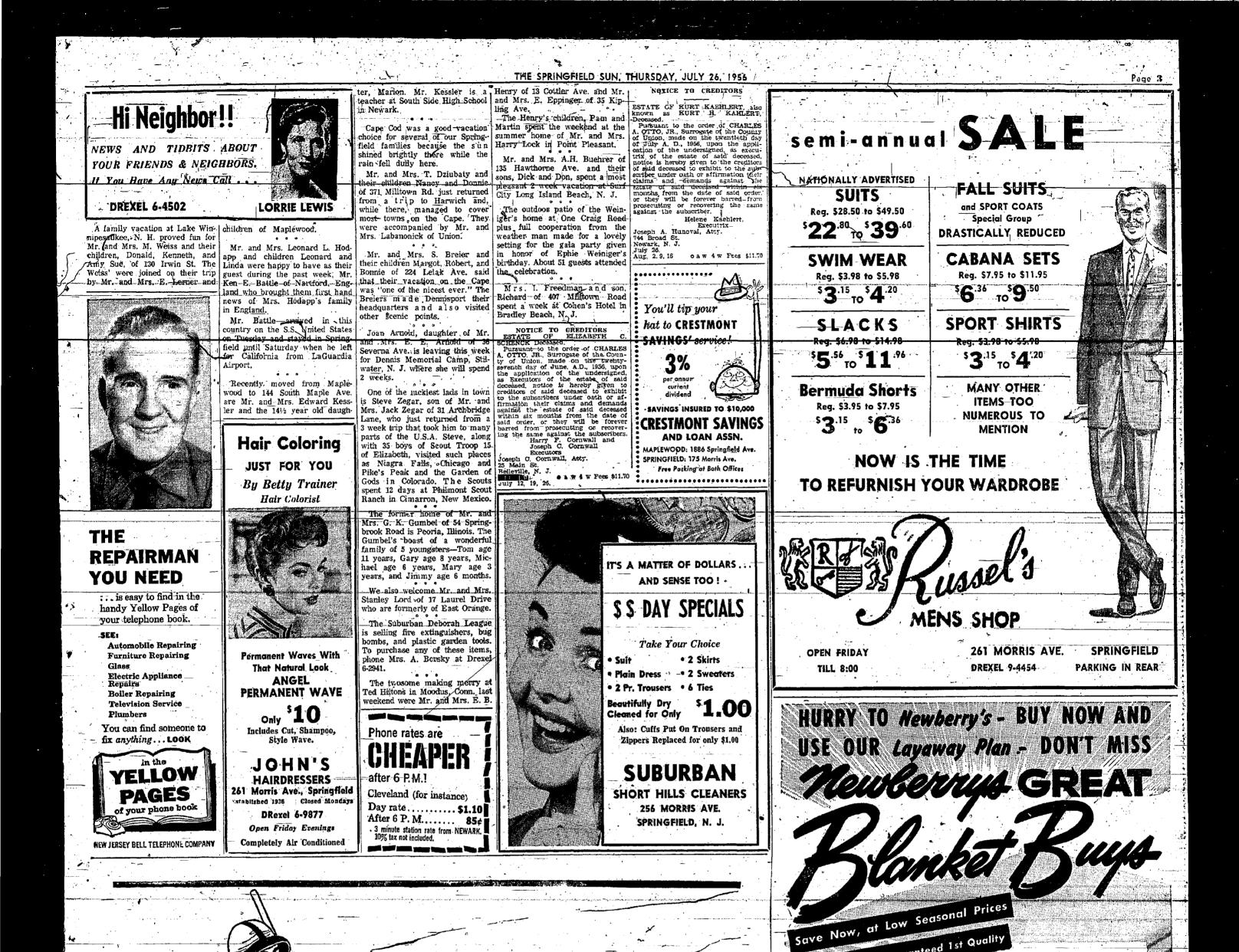
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can survive. There are four sound reasons why FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST boy had been warming up in the bullpen, about to have taken every person should and support the Church. They are: (1) For his his place? But he is a well-balanced youngster, and he would own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the 292 "Springfield Aver sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral ımmit, N. J. have taken that in stride, too. s.m.-Sunday Service. and material support. Plan to go to church regu-He has learned about being a good sport, about regard for larly and read your Bible daily. his fellow men, and about many other equally important things The cost of Smith and Smith service MOUNTAINSIDE. UNION 'CHAPEL in Church. For, like thousands of other American youngsters, is determined solely by you. Our complete Chapter Verses 1-15 1-9 10-19 1-5 1-12 35-48 8-17 SUNDAY, July 29-7 9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all age groups from mursery through adult services are within the rapge of all -- to the Church already plays an important part in his life. That is Thursda Friday Saturday one reason why his parents have faith in the fact that he will meet every circumstance, every need. Morning Worship Service Mitton P. Achey brancing the Junior Church will be con-or children in the first through i grades. Adequate supervision provided for the nursery age grow up to be a pretty fine man. ucted 1 Copyright 1966, Keister Adv. roup. .m. Youth Fellowship Meeting at en my Kalange in (en) was 200 the Chapel. 7:43 p.m. Evening Service. NONDAY, July 30 through August 10-Vacation Bible School will be in ses-tion Monday through Friday from 9:30-12:00. The Bible study course for young people and aduks will be held from 5-9 p.m. Monday through Friday during these mane two weeks. These Messages are being published each week in The Springfield Sun and are sponsored by the following interested insame two weeks. THURSDAY, August 2-8:40 a.m. Regular weekly broadcast by Rev. Achey over Radio Station WAWZ dividuals and business establishments: -136 K.C. VISITORS ARE WELCOME AT ALE SERVICES AT THE CHAPEL. Luborh SMITH and SMITH NATIONAL STATE BANK ALFRED YOUNG CRESTMONT SAVINGS & -FLAGG-SHOE-CENTER, INC., FUNERAL DIRECTORS OF ELIZABETH LOAN ASSOCIATION. Route 22 Funeral Director An Outstanding Service "Within the Means of All" **Springfield Branch** HOME FOR SERVICES Union SUBURBAN 145-49 Main Street 175 Morris Avenue SUNDAY, July 29-9:45-a:m. Sunday-Sch 60 Clinton Ave., Newark 5, N. J. 415 Morris Ave., Springfield, N. . DRexel 6-4282 9:45-mm. Sunday School. 11:00 a.m. Mowing Worst Rev. Ramish will speak on In The Night? WEDNESDAY, August 1-Member of Federal Reserve System Bigelow 3-212? Service. Millburn Springfield SMITH AND SMITH 7:43 p.m. Bible Study ervice. **RESIDENCE CONSTRUCTION** RICHARD BEST PENCIL Co., Funeral Directors SPRINGFIELD NURSERY, COMPANY, INC. 312 Main Street Springfield - Newark 492 Mouñtain Avenue Millburn. Springfield Springfield juion. DRAKE FUEL SALES CO. CHANNEL LUMBER CO. DAVEGA DISCOUNT CENTER Route 22 679 Morris Avenue LIDO DINER Route 22 Springfield Springfield Route 22 Springfield UNION COUNTY LUMBER CO. Springfield CHINA SKY, 191 Mountain Avenue COLUMBIA LUMBER & Springfield MILLWORK CO. Chinese-American Restaurant In Your Hour of Bereavement **NEWARK IRON & METAL CO.**

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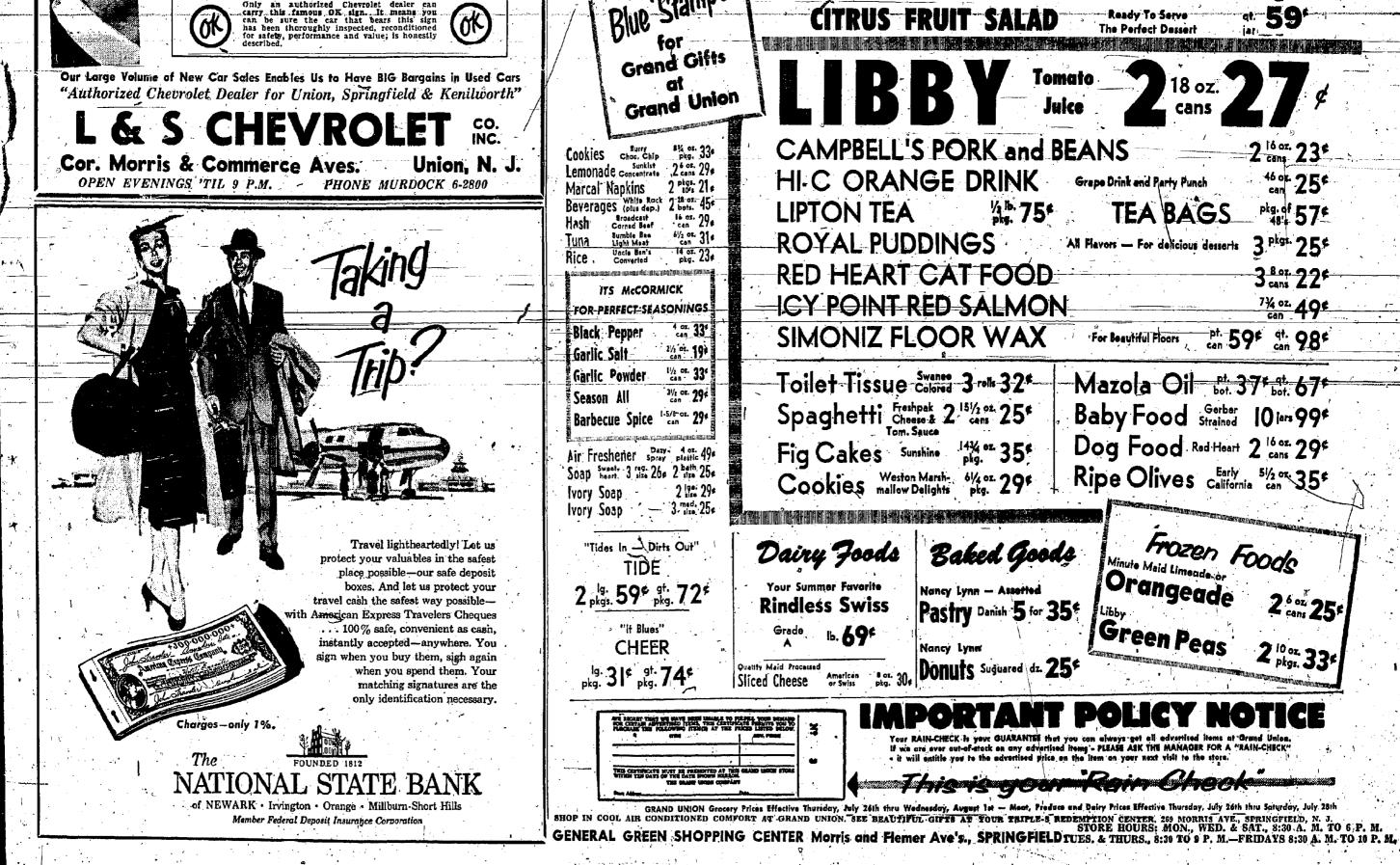
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Rotary Club The Rotary Club of Springfield Baseball Youth League can give oredit to their file ploying in winning the League's champion-winning the League's championship by taking advice from manager and coaches. The manager and couches. The team had greatly improved from the btart of the season. Walter Beck-er, manager of the Rotary, had er manager of the housy, had only three men from last year Rotary on this. year's Rotary team. Twelve men were picked from the try-outs and a working team had to be made to screen them for the various positions on

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The following boys on

the team. The following boys on the the team. The following boys on the beam were Mehard tusamen, from the fast a Rotary was converted into a pitcher this year due to his fast throwing aim as Sul-Medder. He did an dutstauting fob winning 7 games. Barry Becker pitcher also, Non last year, also turned in kn out-mending job. Barry who is only. If years old will schil have 2 years to play and should improve even more. Bissman will be missed as the will be 13 years old in Sept, and will skep up yo the Babe Ruth League and we wish him the bast of luok. Robt. Sardella calther new. comer wits year comer to us as an outfielder, was converted into a catoher and could be should into turned out to be the best. In the league. Our list bissman, Phil our second baseman, Rich-ard Freedman fras 2nd baseman, Rich-ard Freedman fras 2nd baseman. Was a speet kelp to the taal a. Wonder in due to be the baseman, Rich-ard Freedman fras 2nd baseman. Was a speet kelp to the team a. wonder in due to be should be seman. Was ploked from the minor and was a ploked from the minor and was a speet kelp to the team a. Wonder in due to be should be seman. Baseman and did seman. Baseman and did seman. Baseman and have a log Gordon. Romaid Arbarn mother newcomer at third base and a fine job if they hot corner be also from Ro-tany last year was the big slin for Rotary. He was the big slin runs in first four games of the season. Without Larry, things may have been different. Incy won't have to worry next year. Dir left-fielders were played by won't have to worry next year. Dir left-fielders were played by won't have to worry next year. Dur left-fielders were played. By our player blok Sussman and was different. Baseman and word rest year was the big slin by our player blok blok sussman and word any bay the baseman and word any bay the bay was the big slin has have to worry next year. Babe Rubh League in to the Babe Rubh League in tow the Babe Rubh League in to the Babe Rubh Leagu

for Learny is also going up to the Babe Rubb League. Lots of luck Larry. —Our Jeth-Helders were played by our pitcher Dick Sussman and Barry Becker alternating, as well as both doing an excellent job as pitchers they were equally as well in the outfield their timely hitting was also a great help.

hintery intuiting the and the bar of the bar Contor field was played by Richar Multhauph, a great little guy, He has improved with every game and should do as well next

game and should do as well next year. Dale Ohristiansen right field oame near being sent to the minors early in the season for more work, but he pulled him-self, together and improved greatly with every game, Watch him next year. Tommy Lucy our little "Lippy Durocher" alternates in the our-field. He has natural ability and should improve a lot which a little work. Bobby Hass an alternate outfielder has gread ability out in the field with some practice in batting should be an outstanding player. Henry Williams is also alter-nate. Should improve with a shittle work. John Gardelks, our iktiest man alternate at second base and should be a real comer. All in all these boys all worked together and that makes a team.

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ROTARY CLUB TEAM-1st row, Barry Becker, Tommy Lucy, Richard Multauph, John Gardella. 2nd row-Walter Becker, manager; Richard Sussman, Phil Vitello, Richard Freedman, Bob Cardella, Bobby Hass and Larry Stickle, coach. 3rd row-Frank Haydu, coach; Dale Christensen, Ronald Abram, Henry Williams, Larry Stickle and Earl (Photo by Bob Jones) Schaub, coach.



AMERICAN LEGION TEAM-1st row-L. Simon, D. Cohen, C. Petti, D. Inamorata, J. Crowley. 2nd row-Manager J. Crowley, S. Freeman, T. Hellman, B. Thiele, J. George. 3rd row-Coach E. Schnell, M. Greenberg, R. Puorro, D. Bonislawski, W. Buckalew-and-Coach-W. Buckalew. Missing were D. Sagerser, G. Faucher and Coach H. Platt. (Photo by Bob



P.B.A. TEAM-1st row-Don Weiss, Robert Potter, Richard Pomerantz, Steve Atkins, Lee Boyman.) and row-Bob Seltzer, Larry McConkey, Richard Muller, Richard Healet and Raymond Miele) 3rd row-Coach Tom Keppel, Larry Cyre, Miles Ratner, William Pea-

LIONS CLUB TEAM-1st row-Robert Eckman, coach; Jack Moore, Edwin Schnell, Bob

Eckman, Ed Fischtrom and Mike Mitterhoff. 2nd row-Stephen Arnold, Richard Frank-

lin, Allan Wyckoff and Jim Walker. Top row-Manager William Hummel, Richard Blafer,

Dwight Hummel, Walter Gurski, John Heller and coach Murray Mitterhoff. Bob De-



CAR HOP TEAM-E. Ruhy, League Commissioner; B. Chadwick, C. Monticello, A. Preston, J. Straub, J. Focht, beague president and Assistant Coach. 2nd row-A. Regi, coach; B. Regi/T. Geoghegan, J. Richards, B. Baker, R. Anderson, manager and coach. 3rd row-R. Marino, vice president and coach, J. Von der Linden, D. Tidaback, E. Diem-

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BASEBALL LEAGUE

FINAL STANDINGS

trolled by Richard Franklin, al-ways in the ball game with glove and bat. Bob Eckman was a stelwart in right field, coming up with several picture and inch for inch in hel hardest hitter in the league. Butch Arnold, a hustier who could always be counted on to fill In wherever needed, always in a structure of the total to the structure of out there to show the crowd a ball game. As they say in Brooklyn—"walt until next year!"

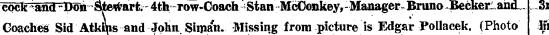
American Legion

The American Legion team placed second in the Youth League, and feel that the seaplaced second in the folia league, and feel that the sea-son was extramely worth while. The boys on the team played young throughout the year. Furry was catcher, did a fine job behind the plate, and proved to be, consistent Mitter, Buck-alew pltched, and turned out to be one of the better putchers-and inders of the League. Mike Greenberg was a fine fielder and hitter. As second base, Don Ina-morate showed himself a comer who should be a maintain of the team next year. Jim Crowley, played show toop and relieved as pitcher, doing a good job the both positions, as well as at bet-Baht Thele surprised with his fielding at third. Larry Simon, a big boy, played left field and with more practice should prove fielding at third. Larry Simon, a big bor, played left field, and with more practice should prove valuable in the future. Dave Bonistawald fielded wonderfully in center, and led the team in hitting. Teddy Heithan at right field is young, and should be of great, help to the beam frat year. Dave could as all in-field is. Stove Freeman is the youngest boy on the squad, and played the infield; as he grows, he should go places. Jimhie Geoge was another infielder who plays as if he loves the game-which he does. Gary Fauther, outdielder, should be could infield infield, and with more practice will undoubtedly become a very good player. Last to be men-toned on the team is Carmen Patti, ayounget who has a good swing at the bât. The team showed a great im-provenent over last year, and will provide a mucleus of play-ers for next year that gives promise of a ohampionship team.

Car-Hop Bob Baker ends his Youth League experience this year. He was one of the finest short stops produced by the league, and did an excellent job as a relief pitch-er. Bob Regi, while lacking con-trol as a pitcher, shows promise of improvement, and did a fine the strumwith a scatter stop. b elternaiting as short

defeat at the hands of the Rotary. The boys who made up the P.B.A. team can be proud of their 1956 record. It was a heart-breaker in the beginting. but the finish was magnificent.

Lions Club LIONS LIUB While finishing the season with a 5-10 record, and placing in the fibb slot, the Lions really had a better ball club obtain the record would seem to indicate. Several gamas were fict. Only by one or two runs; and the team was in the battle all the way with food pitching and fielding Lafer Richard Blafer had a siz-and his relief pitoher. Eddle Fischfrom, throwing from the right side, had many good games to his credit. Receiving these boys benchd the plate were Bob DeRonde and Waiter Gurski, who show great promise for the years ahead. First, base was covered well by Al Wyckoff, backed up by Johnong Heller. Dwight Hum-mei at second base made many woigh for the inield were Jimmy waiker at shortson, who was alwais three to make the innos-sible play, and Eciwip Schnell at through the the outlield. Pha-tooning in left field ware, bits Mitterhoff and Jack Moere, both of whom made those fly balls got through to the outlield was, pa-



(Photo by Bob Jones) ling, L. Focht and R. Ronco, coach.



KIWANIS TEAM-1st row-Richard Arends, Tommy McCracken, Jim Ellowitch and Barry Patterson. Middle row-Jeffrey Ward, Peter Finnerty, Alan Isley and Ronnie Kordalski. Back row-Manager Bob Isley, Dennis Francis, Don Feldman, Raymond Weiss, Ricky Humphrey and Coach George Ward. Absent from pitcure were Mike Bracht, Al Stender, Chuck Tonkin and coaches Vic Bracht and Gil Martin. (Photo by Bob-Jones)

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of improvement, and did a fine job alternativity as short stop, second base, and in the out-field. Larry Focht, played a variety of positions this year, though moves up to the habe Rauth League next year. Johnny Braub-played finst base for the entire season, and has one year left with this league. Hank Von der Linden played the outfield for the most part, and gors to the older isague next year. Pete Coan could play almost any position, but was used mostly in the in-field. Tommy Geoghegan batted .500 to lead the Car Hops in hits and home runs; he started as catcher but was later trens-ferved to the outfield, but kept his position as clean-up hitter. Johnny, Richards, outfielder, has the distinction of tying for the most base on balls for his team (12). Frame "Data for his team (13). Frame "Data for his team instate is season with our league he did a fine pitching institut as another one to leave us for the Babe Ruth League next year. Bob Paulis for his team infished his hast season with our league he did a fine pitching job.—Gene Deming tried out.as a catcher and proved so success-ful he was kept in that position all season. Led Chadwick is one of the younget and least ex-perienced, played and least to year in this league, he should do well. Allen Freston played and least to year in this league, he should do well. Allen Freston played and least ex-perienced, played and least ex-perienced on heat of the team, but which two more years to year in this league, he should do well. Allen Freston played and least ex-perienced of seeson, and we look forward to seeson, and we look forward to seed and heat ex-perienced of the season. and we look forward to seed and heat well. Allen freston leaves and to our community.

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dence of developing into a very fine receiver. Pitching in the early gamed was weak, due to inexperience but Barry Patterson and Ronme Kordalski led by the aforemen-tiomed Don Feldman showed marked improvement in the lat-ter, past of the season. With eleven of the fifteen man squad returning next year, Ki-wanis looks forward to a more successful season. In attitude and spirit however M couldn't be more successful.



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