The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS MAMARONECK, N. Y., MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1948 MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Tonight, increasing cloudiness, lowest in middle 30's. Tomorrow, cloudy followed by snow, probably changing to rain, highest in upper 30's. High tides today at 4:40 P. M.; tomorrow at 5 A. M. and 5:52 P. M.

Combing The Town

Big Demand

A continuing demand for the art and literature exhibits of the work of outstanding Negroes, sponsored by the Mamaroneck branch, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, has caused the branch to hold it over for most of March, President Benjamin Morrell announced today.

Following is the schedule: March 2, Larchmont Community Church; March 3, 4 and 5, Harrison High School; March 7 and 8, Hebrew Institute of Mamaroneck; March 11 and 12, Chatsworth Avenue School.

The exhibit has already been shown at the Barry Avenue Methodist Church, Mamaroneck Senior High School, Bellows High School, Mamaroneck Avenue School, and Mamaroneck Junior High School.

Music Minded

A glee club has been launched by members of the St Augustine's Men's Club under the supervision of F. Colwell Conklin, director of music at the Mamaroneck Senior High School.

The singers held their first meeting last Wednesday, and will hold another Wednesday, March 10, at 8:15 P. M. in the St. Augustine's School auditorium. All interested members of the Men's Club have been invited to join.

Mr. Conklin introduced the "Wintergood Song", "Morning", "Kentucky Babe", and George M. Cohan's "Mary" to the new glee club. Accompanist was Alois Aconwitz, a student at the Juilliard School of Music.

Add Signs Of Spring

March came in like a lamb today, and residents here weren't the only ones who smelled Spring in the air.

The first red-breasted robins which Mrs. Roy E. Booth of 16 Roosevelt Avenue, Larchmont, spied in her backyard at about 10:15 this morning, looked as though they were here to stay as they pecked away at the soil looking for earthworms.

Robin box score to date: Six.

Loop Year King

Crowned with an egg plant and handed a celery scepter as a symbol of regality Saturday night at Swarthmore College was Neil Neuburg, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Neuburg of 20 Lincoln Street, Larchmont.

The Larchmont youth was elected king by Swarthmore coeds at a Leap Year dance program arranged by the Women's Student Government Association. Neuburg, a senior, won by three votes over a Summit, N. J. student.

Better Going

Larchmont harbor was ice-free yesterday, and despite a swinging cold North wind, 17 dinghies participated in five races off the Larchmont Yacht Club.

Bob De Coppet won two races with Zotom, while other winners were Jack Sutphen in Rum Dum, Cornelius Shields in Dainty and Ed Raymond in Plight.

Arthur Knapp was pronounced the winner of the winter series in his boat Agony, scoring a clean slate of 1,000.

Fraioli Named Permanently As Patrolman

The permanent appointment of Patrolman Vito Fraioli to the Mamaroneck Police Department has been approved by the Board of Trustees, effective Feb. 21, Chief Arthur W. Martensen reported today.

Patrolman Fraioli, who has been serving on a probationary appointment since Oct. 1, 1944, was awarded a commendation of commendable merit last March 10 for his part in saving a life.

An Army veteran, Patrolman Fraioli served 16 months with the military police and is a graduate of Mamaroneck High School. He is married and lives at 921 West Post Road, Mamaroneck.

Democrats Open Campaign Tonight

Henry T. Hornidge and David V. Chisholm, Democratic candidates for police justice and trustee, respectively, will speak tonight at 8:30 in the Knights of Columbus clubrooms, Playhouse Building, Mamaroneck Avenue.

The meeting is sponsored by the Mamaroneck Democratic Club, to enable voters to become acquainted with the candidates who are seeking office in the coming Village election.

DON'T THROW IT AWAY:

When cleaning your attic its annual Spring cleaning don't throw away articles that you can sell for cash. Every day our Miscellaneous For Sale columns carry ads which enable selling cash to smart advertisers. They advertise everything (cribs, refrigerators, rugs, bicycles, pianos, fur coats) and get good hard cash for them. Practically anything can be sold through the want ads. Call Mamaroneck 9-2100 the first thing Monday morning — action will start immediately.

Red Cross Opens Larchmont Drive To Raise $12,515

Mail Appeal For Support Goes To 5,030 Residents

A total of 5,030 letters addressed to residents of the Larchmont Postal District urging support of the 1948 American Red Cross fund campaign are in the mail as the drive to raise $12,515 opened today in Larchmont. The letters went out to residents usually reached by personal solicitation in a pre-campaign drive for "special gifts" as well as letters to all civic and social organizations. Earlier, letters were sent to the clergy of the local churches requesting mention of the campaign in the Church Bulletin or from the pulpit.

The past week has been a busy one for the Larchmont branch. Officers, chairmen and workers united under Mrs. John G. van Santvoord *chairman of staff assistance*, and Mrs. Frederick E. Liptrott, office manager, to prepare the pledge cards for mailing.

"Typing cards, stuffing envelopes, addressing and sealing letters is slow monotonous work but upon it hinges the success of the Campaign," Mrs. R. T. Marston, Jr., branch chairman, said.

Other activities include distribution of posters by Boy Scouts *under direction of Norman Klein*, erection of large signs at the Municipal Building, Larchmont station, and junction of Chatsworth and Palmer Avenues. Red Cross flags have been distributed to local merchants and will be displayed in the business district from March 1 to 14. Mrs. Frederic C. Barnet is chairman of public information assisted by Mr. Klein.

Nothing remains to be done, according to *Joseph F. Gagliardi*, campaign chairman, "but to await the response to our appeal in the hope that once again Larchmont's quota is oversubscribed."

ANDREW E. TUCK

Trustee Tuck Urges Support Of Red Cross

Andrew E. Tuck, trustee of the village of Larchmont, chairman of the Board of Directors of the 1946 American Red Cross Fund Campaign, and *member* of both 1947 and 1948 Boards today paid tribute to the officers and members of the Larchmont Branch in urging generous participation in the Campaign now in progress.

Mr. Tuck said "Larchmont has responded generously in every Red Cross Fund campaign. I am confident it will repeat in 1948. The problems facing the Red Cross are heavy. The great number of veterans in hospitals and in addition, the abnormal record of *disaster relief* combined with *increased cost of operation* call for sympathetic consideration of the appeal.

"In this campaign the residents of the Larchmont Postal District have the opportunity to show again their response, their appreciation, of the splendid work performed by the officers and members of the Larchmont Branch of the American Red Cross."

Nothing Taken As Intruders Ransack Home

Returning home at about 10 P. M. last night Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kranz of 28 Vanderburgh Avenue, Larchmont, enjoyed a Sunday night snack for about 45 minutes before they realized that their house had been ransacked by intruders. Apparently nothing was taken, police reported.

Mr. Kranz told Larchmont police that he and his wife had gone out about 6 P. M. When they returned, his wife entered the house to open the garage door so he could put the car away. He said he came into the house through the kitchen door and they had a bite to eat in the kitchen. About 45 minutes later, they discovered that a side table and china closet in the dining room, and a bureau and dresser in two bedrooms had been ransacked.

Officers Jack Keresey and George Stewart were detailed to investigate and reported that entry was made through the front door, where a pane of glass had been broken. They said that apparently a tall man with a long arm reached in and unlocked the door.

Mr. Kranz told police that although there were many articles of value about the house, nothing appeared to be missing.

CUT BY KNIFE

Six-year-old Kenneth Baron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth J. Baron of 141 Mamaroneck Avenue, Mamaroneck, suffered a laceration of the left wrist shortly after noon Saturday when he fell with a knife, police reported. Police took the boy to the offices of Dr. F. R. Hunter for treatment.

Democrats Use Wallace Fight To Help Deflect Dixie Revolt

WASHINGTON, (AP) — The Truman Administration tried today to deflect some of the heat of the Southern Democratic revolt by turning new fire on Henry Wallace's Third Party.

This strategy, as outlined by a party official who asked not to be named publicly, is to try to minimize intra-party differences over the president's civil rights program.

Many of the Southerners are as opposed to Wallace and what he stands for as they are against Mr. Truman's racial views. Thus on the Wallace score, at least, they think alike with the national *Democratic* organization leaders.

Senator McGrath of Rhode Island, the Democratic national chairman, sounded the new Administration note in a weekend speech at Philadelphia. He said "a third party has as much place in American politics as does a third party on a honeymoon."

Administration supporters thought for a time they had a potent Southern ally in their new party strategy.

But only because Senator Connally of Texas also aimed his main fire at Wallace and steered clear of the civil rights issue in the formal address he prepared for a Jefferson-Jackson Day Dinner at Raleigh, N. C.

He departed from his advance text to take strong issue with the President's call for anti-lynch, anti-poll tax and anti-job discrimination laws.

930 Back Hornidge By Petition

Non-Partisans Present Candidate For Police Court Justice

ASK LINE ON BALLOT

The Non-Partisan campaign to elect Henry T. Hornidge as Police Court Justice was formally launched this morning with the filing of nominating petitions bearing the signatures of 930 Village of Mamaroneck voters. The petitions were presented to Village Clerk Fred H. Bull by Mr. Hornidge and Laurence Quinlivan, chairman of the Non Partisans.

With the petitions formally placing Mr. Hornidge in nomination as an independent candidate, he now becomes the official nominee of both the Non-Partisans and the Democratic Party.

Mr. Hornidge also requested in a letter to Mr. Bull that the Non-Partisans be assigned a single line on the voting machine instead of being grouped with the Democratic ticket.

His letter to Mr. Bull read: "I request that the Non-Partisans be given a separate line on the voting machine. The great majority of the signers of the petition are Republicans.

"It has been brought home to me from various sources that a substantial number of Republicans who wish to vote for me will not do so if it means that they are compelled to vote on the Democratic line. If the separate line is not given the result is that these people will be disfranchised in respect of the election of the village judge."

Mr. Hornidge's petition bears 104 more names than the 826 who supported Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone, Republican candidate, in the recent party primaries, it was pointed out today by Mr. Quinlivan.

With the filing of this petition, Mr. Quinlivan said, the Non-Partisans formally become the "formerly opposition" referred to by Barney Epstein, campaign manager for Mr. Sansone, who will oppose Mr. Hornidge in the election of March 16.

"While the signatures included those of Democrats and unassigned party affiliations," Mr. Quinlivan stated, "the vast majority were of enrolled Republicans. They probably included those of the several Republicans referred to by Mr. Epstein who are not satisfied to vote for *the Republican nominee.*"

While they cannot become a part of the petitions filed today with the village clerk, signed petitions still outstanding should be returned to Hornidge headquarters, Mrs. Betty Horst, headquarters manager, requested today.

Stolen Auto Recovered On Barry Avenue

Mamaroneck police yesterday recovered a stolen automobile abandoned on South Barry Avenue, owned by a Ridgefield, Conn., resident.

The police entered the picture at 12:51 P. M *yesterday* when it was reported that a car was *stuck in a ditch on* South Barry Avenue, east of Alda Road.

The case was turned over to Detective Jerry Geary who was informed by Greenwich police that the car had been stolen from Frank E. Goodwin of Ridgefield, on Feb. 18.

Mr. Goodwin reported his car was stolen from Main Street in Ridgefield and added that another car, stolen from the Town of Mamaroneck last Dec. 8, had *been abandoned in* nearby South Salem. The latter car is owned by James M. Desmond of Larchmont Acres and was recovered on Feb. 20, Town police said. Ridgefield police verified Mr. Goodwin's report.

In the meantime, Detective Geary interviewed Mrs. John A. Elford of South Barry Avenue, who reported that the car had been left in the ditch the day before. Her son, John, 16-years-old, told Detective Geary he saw two boys back the car into the ditch at about 3:30 P. M. Saturday. He said they got out of the car, locked it, and left the area.

The only description he could give police was that one of the boys was tall and wore a khaki jacket and had dark hair but no hat. The other boy, he said, was short and had no hat. Both were about 20 year-old, he said.

Mr. Elford said that between 7:30 and 8 P. M. Saturday, a dark sedan drove up to the car and she saw someone working around the car. She said she thought the car had broken down and that they were trying to fix it. She was unable to describe the men or the dark sedan.

When Mr. Goodwin came to Mamaroneck to claim his car, he reported that the radio, a license plate and the *certificate of registration had been removed.* Police also found *in the car* a bag of automobile keys which the thieves apparently use for stealing cars.

'HELP STOP WORLD WAR 3,' VANDENBERG ASKS SENATE IN MARSHALL PLAN PLEA

Debate Opens On 5 Billion Dollar Europcan Fund

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Senator Vandenberg appealed to the Senate today to "Help stop World War III before it starts" by approving the European Recovery Program.

The Foreign Relations Committee Chairman opened debate on the $5,300,000,000 Marshall Plan by telling his colleagues they face a decision "that can be a turning point in history for 100 years to come."

Denouncing "treacherous Moscow propaganda" that has "charged us with iniquitous American imperialism," Vandenberg said the 16 Western European nations must be saved from economic chaos.

"This vast friendly segment of the earth must not collapse," he said in a prepared address.

"The Iron Curtain must not come to the rims of the Atlantic by aggression or default."

The Communist Cominform, the Michigan Senator said, is frankly calling on its *adherents* to wreck the Marshall Plan.

"It is indeed 'cold war,'" he declared. "It is pressure *not* against the independent recovery of Europe. Obviously it also is aimed at us."

Yet Vandenberg said there is nothing in the proposal to help Western Europe economically that "threatens the Soviet Police Empire with any sort of consequence which she does not herself choose voluntarily to invite."

"Peace with justice is our utterly paramount concern," he declared. "Any thought of another war is abhorrent to our soul.

"But peace and security are not on speaking terms; and the totalitarian idea of virtually dividing the earth between Washington and Moscow would not be peace. It would simply be a dishonorable truce preceding final, unspeakable disaster."

As Vandenberg took the floor there were indications that the Senate will approve the recovery program in about the form voted by the Foreign Relations Committee—after 10 days or two weeks of debate.

Some members, including Senator Taft of Ohio, chairman of the Republican Policy Committee, have said they will vote to cut the proposed $5,300,000,000 aid spending for the 12 months beginning April 1.

PROMINENT LAYMEN of three faiths addressed 3,000 Masons yesterday at Hotel Astor, New York City, at the third annual Communion Consecration Breakfast of the Metropolitan Area. Above, left to right, are U. S. Attorney general Thomas C. Clark, Justice Joseph M. Proskauer, James A. Farley, former Postmaster General, and Gay H. Brown, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Masons, New York State, who presided.

Staff Photo.

Local Officials Laud Work Of Fire Fighters At Annual Dinner Attended By 65

More than 65 Mamaroneck firemen and their guests participated in the annual Mamaroneck Fire Council dinner Saturday night at the Volunteer Engine and Hose Company No. 3 headquarters on Mamaroneck Avenue.

Mayor B. J. Santoro headed the delegation of village officials which included Village Manager William H. Johnson, Trustees James Jackson, John Withers and Ralph Mann, Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone, and Police Chief Arthur W. Martensen. Also attending was former mayor William E. Lyon, Jr., now a resident of New York City.

Headed by Fire Chief Michael Orsino, the Fire Department was represented by five members of each company, including the captain, first lieutenant, second lieutenant and two wardens from the Hook and Ladder Company. Mamaro, Halstead Manor, Volunteer and Columbia.

The Rev. Arnold A. Fenton, rector of St. Thomas's Episcopal Church, and the Rev. Biagio Del Negro, pastor of St. Vito's

(Continued on Page Three)

PICTURES DON'T LIE, so Charles L. Daymon, local real estate broker, sent this snapshot of *himself holding* a 14-pound dolphin which he caught while vacationing with Mrs. Daymon at West Palm Beach, Fla., to Pete Doern, who reported the catch recently in his Fish and Philosophy column. They returned home yesterday.

2 Crashes Occur Over Weekend

Only two traffic accidents, both in the Village of Mamaroneck, were reported over the weekend.

Slippery roads due to sleet and rain Saturday morning caused two cars to collide on Mamaroneck Avenue near Villa Road at 9:50 A. M.

Mamaroneck police reported Mrs. Vartanoush Turner of 1617 Urban Street, Mamaroneck was driving southeast on Mamaroneck Avenue when a car coming from the opposite direction skidded and hit her vehicle on the left rear fender. Owner of the other car, police said, was Carlecto Franzoni of 79 Pine Brook Drive. The left front fender of the Franzoni car was damaged.

While backing out of the driveway at 609 Jefferson Avenue at 8:45 P. M. yesterday, a car operated by Edward Bolling backed into another auto parked on the opposite side of the street. The bumper of Bolling's car hooked the left rear fender of the parked car. As the Bolling car pulled away, it dragged the parked car into the middle of the street, damaging the fender and wheel of the parked car, owned by Martin Bernstein of New Rochelle. There was no damage to Bolling's car.

PARKWAY REOPENED

WHITE PLAINS — A two-mile stretch of the *Bronx River Parkway* in Scarsdale, from Popham Road to Harney Road, closed last Tuesday for repairs to the pavement, has been reopened, it was announced here by the Park Commission.

BOARD MEETS

A meeting of the Larchmont Village Board will be held at 8 P. M. today in the Larchmont Municipal Building.

Farley Tells Masons Action By U. S. Needed

BY JACK CHEQUER
Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK — Demanding a solution of the Palestine problem, "let the chips fall where they may," and urging adoption of the Marshall Plan, former Postmaster General James A. Farley addressed approximately 3,000 members of the Masonic fraternity at the Third Annual Communion-Consecration breakfast yesterday morning at the Hotel Astor, New York City.

Speaking before delegations from Metropolitan New York *Eastern New Jersey and the two* Westchester-Putnam Districts, Mr. Farley declared that the Marshall Plan can prevent Russia from "riding rough-shod" over Europe, and that without American leadership the world can revert to conditions like those of the dark ages.

Striking out at the delay in taking action in present-day political circles, Mr. Farley urged a strong leadership for America in *international affairs* and a quick implementation of the Marshall Plan.

"We are living in one of the most crucial periods of this country," he asserted. "It seems criminal that in the past three years since the war ended that we have been unable to sign peace treaties and settle European affairs."

The dual observance of the annual breakfast and Brotherhood Week began at 8 A. M. with religious services at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church and Central Synagogue. Prominent representatives of Jewish, Catholic and Protestant faiths, including Justice Joseph M. Proskauer, Mr. Farley, and U. S. Attorney General Thomas C. Clark, addressed the breakfast gathering.

Keynoting the meeting, Gay H. Brown, former New York Supreme Court Justice, and presently Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New York, declared:

"We have met this morning in church and synagogue proving

(Continued on Page Three)

Dr. Gifford To Preach At St. Thomas's

The Very Rev. Frank Dean Gifford, S. T. D., former rector of St. Thomas's Church for 73 years, will be the guest preacher at the *mid-week Lenten* service at 8:15 P. M. *Wednesday* at St Thomas's Dr. Gifford, who is now dean of the Episcopal Seminary in Philadelphia, was educated at New York.

Following his service in World War I, he was advanced to the priesthood and served as a missionary to Japan

During his rectorship at St. Thomas's from 1902 to 1946, he baptized and presented many residents for confirmation and made many friends in all walks of life. He also instituted many parish innovations, among them, the Book of Remembrance for the altar. Dr. Gifford was a member of the Mamaroneck Lions Club and the University Club of Mamaroneck.

The full choir will present special Lenten music, and the Order of the Evening Prayer will be said by the rector, the Rev. Arnold A. Fenton.

The children's Lenten Service will be held at 4 P. M. Wednesday there will be the Celebration of Holy Communion Friday morning at 10.

General Electric Will Oppose Wage Rises As Inflationary

NEW YORK, (AP)—The General Electric Co., the nation's largest electrical manufacturer, today disclosed that it will oppose as inflationary any wage increase for its 100,000 unionized employes.

Company officials said they felt any wage rise now would increase inflationary pressures and undermine the company's ability to maintain price cuts it put into *effect two months ago.*

General Electric's position became known as it prepared to enter contract negotiations tomorrow with the CIO United Electrical Workers, which seeks substantial pay increases to meet increased living costs.

The electrical workers talks start today with Westinghouse Electric Corp., second largest in the industry, which has not made public its specific attitude toward the union's demands.

However, Gwilym A. Price, Westinghouse president, last week urged wage stability as an indispensable element in stabilizing prices. He has indicated that the company might be able to raise wages a few cents an hour without altering price schedules.

The Electrical Workers' Union, third largest in the CIO, has announced it will seek pay rises to make up for an estimated loss of $13.03 in the weekly purchasing power of its members since 1945. The union has not made public the exact amount it will ask.

General Electric officials said the company was determined to refuse any rise in labor costs that was not accompanied by an increase in production.

Couple Injured When Car Hits Parked Auto

A Larchmont couple was injured Saturday night when their automobile rammed the rear of a car parked in front of 79 Fifth Avenue, near Koch Street, New Rochelle.

Injured and removed from the scene to New Rochelle Hospital were Philip F. O'Neill, 49, and Loretta O'Neill, 47, of 11 South Drive, Larchmont. Mrs. O'Neil suffered a simple fracture in the right leg, lacerations of the forehead, and abrasions and contusions. Her husband, operator of their 1935 coupe, suffered a cut on the nose. Both were discharged after treatment.

Police said O'Neil was driving east on Fifth Avenue and quoted the driver as saying that he had been talking to his wife and did not see the parked machine, a 1935 sedan owned by Henry Arthur Ebert, 28, of 11 Yorktown Street, Rockville Center, L. I. Mr. O'Neil was taken to the hospital by police; an ambulance removed Mrs. O'Neil from the scene. Their car, listed as owned by the O'Neil Rug and Carpet *Company, Inc., of* 434 North Avenue, New Rochelle, was towed to a garage.

O'DWYER QUITS HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, (AP) — Mayor William O'Dwyer, saying he was "feeling fine," left Bellevue Hospital yesterday after an eight-day rest. O'Dwyer's physicians said Saturday that his heart had suffered no permanent damage.

Dr. Gifford To Preach At St. Thomas's

The Very Rev. Frank Dean Gifford, S. T. D., former rector of St. Thomas's Church for 73 years, will be the guest preacher at the *mid-week Lenten* service at 8:15 P. M. *Wednesday* at St Thomas's Dr. Gifford, who is now dean of the Episcopal Seminary in Philadelphia, was educated at New York.

Following his service in World War I, he was advanced to the priesthood and served as a missionary to Japan

During his rectorship at St. Thomas's from 1902 to 1946, he baptized and presented many residents for confirmation and made many friends in all walks of life. He also instituted many parish innovations, among them, the Book of Remembrance for the altar. Dr. Gifford was a member of the Mamaroneck Lions Club and the University Club of Mamaroneck.

The full choir will present special Lenten music, and the Order of the Evening Prayer will be said by the rector, the Rev. Arnold A. Fenton.

The children's Lenten Service will be held at 4 P. M. Wednesday there will be the Celebration of Holy Communion Friday morning at 10.

Weather Station Expansion Denied

WASHINGTON, (AP) — A proposal by the Weather Bureau to expand its operations at more than a score of airports has been rejected by the House appropriations committee.

F. W. Reichelderfer, chief of the Bureau, had asked for an additional $341,383 to enlarge its present services. He listed the Westchester County, N. Y., Airport as one of the points at which the Bureau wants expanded service.

Nominee Group Sets Meeting For Thursday

The committee for the selection of Mamaroneck school board nominees will meet Thursday at 8:15 P. M. at the Weaver Street Firehouse to receive the recommendations of the sub-committee of six appointed early last month to sound out public opinion on those best qualified to serve on the Board of Education.

Trustee posts being considered are now filled by Mrs. Harold Hughes, who has served two terms, and Walter F. Brady, who is completing his first three-year term on the board.

Citizens are urged to give any member of the committee suggestions for nominees so that the committee may do a democratic job in arriving at final recommendations for the positions. Candidates selected by the committee Thursday night will be presented to the community at an open meeting later this month for endorsement.

Members of the committee are Mrs. John D. Brewer, Caldwell Buck, Paul Gunsalus, Mrs. Warren A. Kipp, Jr., Roy Moore, Mrs. Meyer Schelker, Jr., Mrs. Theodore G. Sebad, and Mrs. Charles R. Whittingham, all of Larchmont; George H. Carl, Mrs. Oliver Gill, Mrs. John J. Goldsmith, Mrs. John Hillsley, William Juilliet, Richard I. Land, Horace Nichol and Mrs. Theodore Tuck, all of the unincorporated area of the Town of Mamaroneck; and Louis Deverich, Fred Farr, Mrs. Albert Ilgenfritz, Charles Lanza, Mrs. John J. Muehlke, Earl Nelson, Wilfred Roberts and Mrs. Harry Walters, all of the Village of Mamaroneck.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ★ MAMARONECK, N. Y., TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 1948 ★ MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

This afternoon, rain and fog. Tonight, rain, lowest in mid 30's. Tomorrow, rain and fog, highest in mid 30's. High tides today at 5:52 P.M.; tomorrow at 6:15 A.M. and 7:09 P.M.

Combing The Town

A La Rube Goldberg

The present distribution of state aid to Towns and Villages of Westchester County is arrived at by means of a "Rube Goldberg" formula, according to Gordon Miller, Village Attorney of North Pelham and a member of the Westchester County Village Officials Association. Mr. Miller appeared before the Larchmont Board of Trustees last night to explain the association's fight to get for the Villages their fair share of state aid.

He said that although the association was not trying "to put the bee" on anyone, it has been unsuccessful in finding out who made up the formula. The state comptroller denies making it, as does the County Board of Supervisors, he said.

Mr. Miller told the trustees that $300,000 in state aid is being taken away from the Villages by the Towns. He said that the association wants $3 per capita in state aid for the villages. He estimated Larchmont would get $20,000, instead of $6,000 at present.

Back In U. S.

Seaman 1/c Daniel R. Minnerly, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Minnerly of 415 Tompkins Avenue, Mamaroneck, arrived in the United States recently on the U. S. S. Severn, and is now in the Naval Hospital at Oakland, Calif., recovering from malaria.

The U. S. S. Severn is one of the biggest and fastest tankers afloat, sailing between Yokosuka, Japan, and the Persian Gulf, hauling Arabian petroleum to Japan.

Seaman Minnerly entered the Navy on June 27, 1946, and received his boot training at Bainbridge, Md. He was assigned to the Severn in December, 1946. He is a former Bellows High School student and was active in the Varsity Club, and basketball and

About Face

Yesterday, four rosy-breasted robins welcomed in a sunny March 1 here as they pecked away at the earth in search of worms.

Today, winter was back again, perhaps not in all her fury, but with enough effect to make driving extremely dangerous. Two inches of snow had fallen up to noon, according to the Westchester County Waterworks Pumping Station, bringing the total this winter to 54 inches. The snow turned to a mixture of sleet and rain and traffic was crawling shortly after noon.

P. S.—There are 19 more days of winter remaining.

It's An Ill Wind—

Want to save a little money on your income tax?

Then keep track of the amount you spend on repairing Winter damage to your trees and shrubs, is the advice of H. P. Stacy, who spoke yesterday for the Carden Club of Larchmont at the March program in the Larchmont Avenue Church house.

It's tax-deductible, Mr. Starmer told members. Every little helps, you know.

New Address

Dr. L. Howard Katz, local dentist, announced yesterday that he has moved his offices from 325 Mamaroneck Avenue to 303 Mamaroneck Avenue, Mamaroneck.

Dr. Katz, who is active in veteran's affairs, is a past commander of the David Potts, Jr. Post 1156, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and a member of Mamaroneck Post 90, American Legion. He is also a past vice president of the Mamaroneck Hebrew Institute.

Prague Denies Benes Resigns

PRAGUE, (AP) — President Eduard Benes remains under the care of his personal physician, and his scheduled return to Prague Sunday still is uncertain, the Ministry of Information said today.

A Ministry spokesman termed "stupid and nonsense" a London Evening News story, that Benes had resigned and that the Communists now in control of the Government were keeping the resignation secret.

Benes, 64, and frail, is at the Presidential country home at Sezimovo Usti, the Ministry said. His physician is a Dr. Klinger, who long has attended him.

WELL READ!

Women of today, as did their mothers and mothers' mothers, read the want ads nightly. Look at some of the classifications and you'll readily understand why. "Miscellaneous for Sale" teems with all kinds of merchandise; from washing machines to radios, gas boilers and fur coats, toasters and toys. There is no end to it! "HELP WANTED" carries ads of interest to nearly every one in the community. Nearly all houses for sale are listed in the want ads, too. Those are only a few of the reasons why the want ads are so well read That's why the want ads are such a good medium for you when you want to buy, sell, rent or hire. To place your want ad simply phone Mamaroneck 9-2100—we'll do the rest!

Board Acts To Wind Up In Rem Sale

Larchmont To Dispose Of Last 25 Parcels At Third Of Valuation

$29,000 YIELD SEEN

In an effort to "get out of the real estate business" the Larchmont Village Board of Trustees last night approved a recommendation that 25 village-owned parcels be put on the market for In Rem proceedings at one-third their assessed valuation.

Village Assessor FRANK E. Barnes and Village Treasurer W. Edward Bracken recommended the lowering of the upset price on the property which has been held by the Village for the last two years, so that the parcels may be sold and put back on the tax rolls. It was recommended that the properties, assessed for a total of $78,925, be listed with Larchmont real estate brokers at a minimum offer of one-third the assessed valuation of the property. If all parcels are sold at the lowest price, the village will receive approximately $29,000. In the event more than one offer is received for a certain parcel, it will be auctioned off.

(Continued on Page Three)

Sammarco And Sulla To Study Village Tax Ple

WHITE PLAINS — In an endeavor to work out some acceptable compromise between Westchester Towns on the one hand and Villages on the other, with regard to distribution of State aid under the "Moore Plan," the Board of Supervisors late yesterday named a special advisory committee of six Town Supervisors to meet tomorrow morning with the Board's Committee on Legislation and the County Village Officials' Association.

The special advisory committee was named by Chairman Horan at the board when Supervisor James D. Hopkins, North Castle, chairman of the committee on legislation, pointed out that on the latter committee there is only one member from a town which includes villages. Chairman Horan then named Supervisors Quinn of Mount Pleasant, Sammarco of Rye, Downing of Yorktown, Sulla of Harrison, Lavery of Ossining and Lambert of Pelham to the advisory committee.

The controversy between towns and villages is based upon the special Westchester distribution of state aid to municipalities, whereby in the State pays an average of 94 cents per capital to villages, although villages nowhere throughout the State receive $3.00 per capita. Towns elsewhere in the State receive $3.55 per capita and more in Westchester because at the time the Moore Plan was passed Westchester towns bore welfare and relief costs. Now these have been assumed by State and County and the reason for special allocations to Towns has disappeared, the Villages claim.

Mrs. William Lefferts, White Plains, chairman of the county recreation commission, filed the "silver jubilee" report of the commission in person with the board yesterday, pointing out that for the first time in the commission's history the demand for use of the County Center exceeds space and dates available.

Reports On Debt

The 1947 report of the County Finance Department was filed by Commissioner Edward J. Ganter, showing the total bonded indebtedness of the County at the close of the year to be $75,403,995, as

(Continued on Page Three)

Jailed Newsmen To Tave Hearing

WHITE PLAINS — Two newspaper men, who were jailed last week for refusing to tell the Orange County Grand Jury where they obtained a lottery ticket reproduced in their paper, the Newburgh News, will be given a hearing in Supreme Court here this afternoon.

Under a writ of habeas corpus issued yesterday by Justice Frank H. Coyne, the newspaper men, Douglas Clarke, news editor, and Charles L. Leonard, reporter, are to be brought to court this afternoon for argument over their sentencing.

ALDANY, (AP) — Governor Dewey today professed "deep understanding" of the "need to protect" news sources but, along with Republican Legislative leaders, was non-committal toward the Desmond-Mailler newspaper confidence bill.

The measure was introduced last night as a sequel to the jailing of the two Newburgh newspaper men.

MAYOR R. J. SANTORO of Mamaroneck designates next Sunday as Red Cross Sunday and discusses the needs of the Red Cross with Mrs. John F. Auer (center) chairman of the Mamaroneck Branch, and Robert C. Duncan (left) chairman of the 1948 Fund. The Mayor said today: "I hope all our people will plan to be at home when the Red Cross workers call. We all know that the Red Cross has to have money to carry on. When fire, flood, and hurricane strike a town, we all read that the Red Cross was there, too. Not so many of our boys are overseas now, but some are, and some are still in hospitals; they and their families need the Red Cross."

2 Variances Granted By Zoning Board

Two applications for variances were approved and another denied at a public hearing before the Zoning Board of Appeals last night in the Mamaroneck Municipal Building.

The board approved the application of the Charles J. Anderson Realty Company for permission to erect a building to be used for the fabrication and assembly of lamps, trays, candle holders and similar gifts on property known as Section 8, Block 103, Lot 1, Waverly Avenue.

Also approved was the application of the Colford Realty Corporation to permit the use of a building for cabinetmaking, woodworking and storage of light building materials on property known as Section 9, Block 31, Lot 9, on East Prospect Avenue.

The board denied the application of Grace Mannella, for permission to construct three rooms and a bath in a garage on property known as Section 4, Block 4, Lot 17, on Jefferson Avenue.

British, Jews Battle Arabs

JERUSALEM, (AP) — British troops battled beside Jews today against Arab snipers dug in on hillsides commanding the Jerusalem-Jaffa Road, a Jewish Agency source said.

The British vowed last night to use their weapons henceforth "impartially against whichever side is firing."

The informant said both British police and Tommies moved into the area, about 12 miles outside Jerusalem.

A large-scale battle appeared to be under way. Heavy automatic weapons and grenades were heard, and the Jews were believed to be bringing up mortars.

Man Indicted On Murder Count

WHITE PLAINS — Roosevelt Hanner, 40, of 214 South Seventh Avenue, Mount Vernon, was indicted yesterday by the Grand Jury on a charge of *murder second degree*.

Hanner is alleged to have shot and killed Thomas Burts, 46, of 137 South Eighth Avenue, Mount Vernon, on Jan. 22, in an argument over a card game. After his arrest, several days later, Hanner asserted he acted in self defense. He said that he shot Burts, police say, after the latter had attempted to knife him.

$.500 AT BALL

YONKERS—Brotherhood Week reached a climax in Yonkers Saturday night when 3,500 men and women of all races and creeds attended a "Brotherhood Ball" at the State Armory.

ISACSON SWORN

WASHINGTON, (AP). — Rep Isacson, ALP, N. Y., was sworn yesterday as a member of the House.

Soap Box Derby Date Slated For July 10; Registration To Open In Four Communities

The 1948 Daily Times Soap Box Derby, cosponsored by the Luby Chevrolet Co. and conducted by the Mamaroneck Lions Club with the assistance of the Lions Clubs of Larchmont, Harrison and Rye, will be held on Mamaroneck's Derby Downs on Saturday, July 10.

Decision as to the date of the big event was reached yesterday afternoon at the initial meeting of the Derby steering committee at the Union Savings Bank.

Howard Smith, chairman of the Derby has announced that official pictures of the 1947 All-American Soap Box Derby would be shown at all local schools as well as in Harrison and Rye schools.

Entries will be opened as soon as necessary supplies arrive and entrants will be able to register in Larchmont, Mamaroneck, Harrison or Rye.

Chairman Howard Smith conducted yesterday's preliminary meeting of the steering committee which included Charles Schmidt of the Larchmont Lions Club, Herbert Reid of the Rye Club, co-chairman Arthur Dunn, Jr., John Egemeier, Fred T. Wilson, Gabriel Wenzel, and the Rev. Theodore O. Fossett, Jr.

Hornidge Sees No Threat To Republicans

Formation of the Non-Partisans to advance his candidacy for police court justice is no threat to the Republican Party, Henry T. Hornidge said last night in an address before the March meeting of the Mamaroneck Democratic Club in the K. of C. clubrooms.

"It was started by a group of old friends of mine who wish to befriend me and feel that since from time to time I have devoted some energy to the affairs of the village, I should be honored with the distinction of the village judgeship," Mr. Hornidge said. "They were very careful not to include on their petition a candidate for any other office. They had no desire to break into the Republican or Democratic ranks."

The club also heard a talk by David B. Chisholm, candidate for trustee, who charged that "poor government invariably results whenever a community is dominated by a single, all powerful party or is divided into many small groups.

"The safety of representative government rests fundamentally upon two-party activity which means that one party must act as a check upon the other. One of the most important functions of a minority office holder is to act as a critic and reporter-to-the people of the action of the majority, whenever necessary, not to oppose blindly all, or even much, that the majority proposes."

Stating that the Village presents a "cross-section of the people of this great nation of ours," Mr. Hornidge said:

"I want to urge upon all who take part in our campaign that no word should be spoken or deed done that will disturb the life we have enjoyed here, or that will detract even to a degree from this reputation that Mamaroneck has so justly earned of being a friendly village."

Continuing, Mr. Hornidge declared, "I wish to compliment the Republican Party in selecting Barney Epstein as campaign manager. I am sure that their campaign will indeed be in capable and clean hands. Barney and I do differ in national politics but

(Continued on Page Three)

County Trust Gets Tax Note At .88 Rate

The award of $125,000 in tax anticipation notes was made last night by the Larchmont Board of Trustees to the County Trust Company, lowest of three bidders with an interest rate of .88 per cent, an increase of about 80 per cent over last year's interest rate on $100,000.

Commenting on the higher interest rate, Treasurer W. Edward Bracken said that the trend on short term bonds is on the increase." He said he had been informed by the bonding attorney that interest rates were returning to normal, indicating that last year's rate of .48 per cent, held by the Bank of Westchester, now merged with the County Trust, was subnormal.

Other bids received on the four-months note were from the First National Bank of Boston, which submitted a bid of par plus $1 at one per cent, and the Central

(Continued on Page Three)

Second Home In Two Days Ransacked; Nothing Stolen

Burglars struck again in Larchmont for the second time in as many days, ransacking the closed home of John Winkel at 9 Wendt Avenue. Larchmont police reported today, but again apparently nothing was taken.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kranz, 29 Vanderbush Avenue, was entered and ransacked Sunday night.

The entry into the Winkel home was discovered at 4:30 P. M. yesterday by Patrolmen Jack Keresey and George Stewart while on patrol. They noticed that a pane of glass was broken in the front door.

The officers found that the burglars had entered the Winkel home in the same manner that the Kranz home had been entered by breaking a pane of glass in the door, reaching in, and unlocking the door from the inside.

Several rooms in the Winkel home were ransacked including a buffet and china closet in the dining room, a desk and book shelves in the living room, and a bureau and dresser drawers in the master bedroom.

The officers found a wooden jewelry box lying on the bed with several pieces of costume jewelry scattered about. They said that the fixtures in the bathroom had also been tampered with. Two other bedrooms had been entered, but nothing appeared to be disturbed, they reported.

Det. Sgt. Thomas Boyle arrived shortly after the discovery of the entry and was joined by Mrs. Edwin Dimond of 14 Alden Road, Larchmont, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Winkel. Mrs. Dimond stated that apparently nothing was taken and added that no money or jewelry was kept in the house. Everything else of value was accounted for, she told police.

The similarity of the two entries led police to believe that they were made by the same person or persons, but the police were unable to determine whether the burglars are working locally or on a county-wide basis. Sgt. Boyle reported that a somewhat similar entry was made in Bronxville Sunday night, the same night the Kranz home was entered.

Crash Pins Driver In Truck Seat

Acetylene Torch Used To Free Injured Man In Skidding Accident

TRAFFIC HALTS HOUR

A driver of a truck carrying four new 1948 Pontiac cars escaped serious injury early today when an oncoming truck skidded on the slippery pavement on West Post Road between Rockland Avenue and Central School, Mamaroneck, and crashed into the cab, demolishing it and pinning the driver behind the wheel.

Both truck drivers were injured in the crash but before John Wymbs, of Windfield, N. J., driver of the new car delivery truck, could be removed it was necessary to cut away the steering post with an acetylene torch.

The drivers were taken to United Hospital by Mamaroneck police. Wymbs suffered a broken left arm, abrasions of the face, head, nose, chin, left knee and the back of both hands. Driver of the other truck was Fred Markel of Milford, Mass., who was treated for a laceration of the head and released. United Hospital reported at noon today that Wymbs had been detained, but not admitted, and would be released this afternoon.

The accident at 4:46 A.M. in front of Skinner's Green House, tied up traffic for nearly an hour. Larchmont police detoured all eastbound traffic through Chatsworth Avenue, up Palmer Avenue to Mamaroneck Avenue, and back to the Post Road.

The White truck, driven by Markel, was travelling west on the Post Road and when opposite the green house it skidded completely around, crashing into the front end of the truck driven by Wymbs, which was travelling east.

The trailer of the truck driven by Wymbs buckled in the crash, police reported. Extent of damage to the four new cars was not reported.

Police stated that the left side of the cab on the truck driven by Markel was also pushed in, and the right side of the body scratched.

Dr. F. R. Hunter administered first aid at the scene. Reginald John Freed Wymbs from the cab of his truck with the acetylene torch.

Rain Forecast To Wash Away Today's Snow

Alternating snow and rain this morning was due to settle to rain this afternoon, the Weather Bureau promised a snow-surfeited Westchester. If it doesn't there will be four or five more inches of that white stuff by nightfall.

The total Winter's snowfall in the far northern county mounted over seven feet. Two inches were added Saturday to the previous total of 80 inches and there was another three inches by mid-morning today.

The Weather Bureau said the storm would keep up as rain this afternoon, with fog, and scheduled more rain for tonight and tomorrow. Woe to Westchester if it continues as snow.

This storm started slowly with a very light snow at 1 A.M. at the County Airport by 8 A.M. the snow fell the air and kept up until 8:30 when it turned to rain. Then the Weather Bureau issued a new warning and the storm increased in intensity with a fine snow coming down harder.

If temperatures in Westchester do not rise above freezing this afternoon an accumulation of several inches of snow can be expected.

Steel Leader Claims Price Rise Justified

WASHINGTON, (AP). — The head of the nation's largest steel firm told Congress today that a recent boost in steel prices is "too small and unimportant" to be inflationary.

"I believe that much of the criticism has been emotional or political in character," said Benjamin F. Fairless, president of the United States Steel Corporation.

Fairless testified before the Senate-House Economic Committee investigating the $4.00 a ton hike in semi-finished steel announced Feb. 20.

RESIGNS BANK POST

WHITE PLAINS — Allen N Swift has resigned as vice president and trust officer of the County Trust Company to accept a position as vice president and trust officer in charge of the Trust Department of the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas. In an announcement today Andrew Wilson Jr., chairman, stated that the resignation had been accepted with profound regret.

Republicans Set To Cut Aid Bill Below 5 Billion

Senate Session Delves In Cost Of Relief Plan

WASHINGTON, (AP) Critical Senators pulled the wraps off their Marshall Plan questions today.

Senator Wherry, Neb., acting Republican floor leader, said a number of his colleagues have indicated they want more information about the $5,300,000,000 European Aid Program now being debated.

"I'm confident," Wherry told a reporter, "that most of today's session will be Q and A"—that is, questions and answers.

The top question confronting the Senate is whether the amount of money involved can be safely cut.

Senator Taft believes it can. So does Senator Ball R., Minn., one of the leaders of the so-called GOP "revisionist" group.

Taft has not yet announced an alternate figure. But Ball may lay before a revisionist meeting tonight a proposal to trim the sum to $3,500,000,000. At the same time the group is expected to decide what other amendments may be offered, either by individuals or on behalf of the entire bloc of some 20 senators.

Thus the outcome of tonight's meeting will have a definite bearing on the timetable proposed by Chairman Vandenberg of the Foreign Relations Committee. Vandenberg has asked that the program be approved by March 15 and sent to the House.

Gamble Gives Pledge To Spur Housing Action

Congressman Ralph Gamble of Westchester has pledged to do "all he can short of sinning a petition" to bring the Taft-Ellender-Wagner Housing bill to the floor of the House representatives from this area to the National Veterans Housing Conference reported this morning.

The conference was held in Washington Sunday and yesterday. Among those who heard Senators Taft and Ellender describe the bill and the need for its passage were Louis Weiner, of the Port Chester Central Veterans Committee, representing the six Village veterans organizations; Milton Greenberg, Harry Leibert and Rudolph Sobernheim of the American Veterans Committee; Rocco Turso and Murray Baker of the Harrison Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Eleven of the Westchester delegates called on Congressman Gamble in his office yesterday and were told that he had never signed a petition to get a bill out of committee to the floor of the House during his tenure of office.

The Congressman said that he was in favor of a public housing bill "if its provisions were proper."

Mr. Weiner, who was appointed to the New York State steering committee at the conference, will report on the conference Friday evening to members of the Central Veterans Committee.

County To Seek Right To Share In Racing Tax

WHITE PLAINS — Desire of Westchester County for parimutuel taxes which enrich the coffers of Nassau and Saratoga Counties led to approval by the Supervisors yesterday of a bill which, if passed and held constitutional — would permit the county to tax the pari mutuel "take" of race meets held by the Empire City Race Track of Yonkers at Long Island Tracks, to which they have been switched in recent years.

Supervisor Charles F. Hughes of Mount Vernon, of the board's committee on legislation, in moving the bill estimated that as much as $2,500,000 yearly could be obtained for Westchester from the 5 per cent on the money handled by the pari-mutuels. There have been doubts expressed as to the constitutionality of any law which would permit Westchester to impose a tax on any meet held outside the County.

Supervisor James D. Hopkins, North Castle, chairman of the committee on legislation, asked that on the vote he be recorded as "not voting" since the law firm with which he is connected represents the Empire Track.

The board voted also to approve a bill from Assemblyman Malcolm Wilson at Albany which would repeal a 1947 law, requiring that Yonkers realty instruments must, in recording, carry a lot as well as block numbers. The 1947 law, it was explained, has placed an extra burden on the County Clerk and has caused confusion among attorneys. It may even, it was said, have affected titles in some instances where the numbers were not given. The Repeal Act would validate such titles.

Another bill pending at Albany which the Westchester Board voted to oppose was one which, amending the Sullivan Law prohibiting carrying of concealed weapons, would require even the licensing of shot guns and hunting rifles. The Board was informed by Supervisor Hugh Coyle of Lewisboro that the bill is "too broad in scope."

Vandenberg Rejects Primary Test Offer

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Senator Vandenberg declined today to "speculate" whether he would support the Republican nomination for President.

Vandenberg wired Raymond A. McConnell, Jr., Lincoln, Neb., newspaper editor again, asking that his name be withheld from the April 13 Nebraska Primary.

PLANE CRASHES HOME

LIVERMORE, CALIF. (AP) — A private plane crashed into a house near here early today killing two flees. A family of three escaped injury although the bed room in which they were sleeping was demolished. The plane bounced on across a road, exploded and burned.

Bureau Chief Claims House Charge False

WASHINGTON, (AP) — A report blasting the head of the Government's Bureau of Standards as "one of the weakest links in our atomic security" spurred two Congressional Committees into action today.

Dr. Edward U. Condon, the 46-year-old scientist so accused by a House Un-American Activities subcommittee, reported:

"This is gratifying information because I'm absolutely reliable and therefore we have nothing to worry about. The committee can relax."

To an accompanying charge that he "knowingly or unknowingly entertained and associated" with alleged Russian spies, Condon commented to a reporter:

"That's just too vague to talk about. I certainly didn't do it knowingly."

The House group contended that the Bureau of Standards—one of the testing ground for some of the nation's top secrets "has become the target of espionage agents of numerous foreign powers."

In its formal report made public last night, the committee noted that Condon had been appointed head of the bureau May 5, 1945, on the recommendation of Henry Wallace, then Secretary of Commerce.

Dewey Denies Job Deal Story

ALBANY, (AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey will pass up his usual Spring vacation and personally lead his forces in a drive for the Republican Presidential nomination, he disclosed today.

At the same time the Governor denied a newspaper report, not carried by the Associated Press, that he had offered jobs in return for political support in the Wisconsin Presidential Primary, where he is contesting with Harold E. Stassen and Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

House Passes Shift Of Registration Dates

ALBANY, (AP)—A bill to move registration dates ahead about a week in New York City and Westchester County was passed by the Assembly last night and sent to the senate.

The measure fixes registration days as Sept 27-28-29-30 and Oct. 1-2.

John R. Brock, New York City Republican, said the measure was sought so registration dates would not conflict with Jewish holidays.

1948 Coupe Stolen At Larchmont Depot

A new, 1948 convertible coupe, with less than 200 miles on its speedometer, was reported stolen from the eastbound Larchmont railroad station sometime between 8:20 A. M. and 6 P. M. yesterday.

The owner, F. H. Talmon of 16 Broadmoor Road Scarsdale reported the theft of his car, painted black and equipped with white tires, to Larchmont police at 6:35

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather
Tonight cloudy followed by snow or rain. Lowest temperature in middle 20s. Tomorrow snow or rain in morning, highest in middle 30's. High tides today at 7:09 P.M.; tomorrow at 7:29 A. M. and 8:16 P. M.

Combing The Town

Back From Japan

T-4 Martin E. Rose of Larchmont, arrived in San Francisco on Washington's Birthday from Japan, and expects to receive his discharge soon from Camp Stoneman, Calif. He left Japan on Feb. 11.

Sgt. Rose was assigned to the 118th Medical Station Hospital in Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan, and also was in charge of medical aid at a hotel for dependents of C.I.'s on the island.

He enlisted in the Army in September, 1946, receiving basic training at Fort Belvoir, Va., and going overseas in December, 1946. He was a student at Mamaroneck High School prior to entering the service, and is the son of Harry A. Rose of 17 Centre Avenue.

Paper Drive April 4

The 18th waste paper collection by Mamaroneck Post 90, American Legion, will be held Sunday, April 4, it was decided last night at a meeting of the post's executive committee.

Joseph Humphreys was appointed sergeant-at-arms by Commander Isidore Linehan, who also appointed Salvatore Aloia color-guard sergeant and William Kufitzky, chairman of the house and membership committees.

Thoughtful Gesture

Motorists driving along Fenimore Road near the brook in the Washingtonville this morning were confronted with a middle-of-the-road obstruction.

Jammed down into a deep hole was a large branch of a tree, and tied to it was a red rag.

Police reported that Leo Jubb, while driving along Fenimore Road early this morning, noticed a makeshift caution sign as a temporary measure until the hole can be filled.

At Boston Navy Yard

Seaman 1/c Frank J. DiBuono, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DiBuono of 907 Lester Avenue, Mamaroneck, has returned from a tour of Mediterranean waters aboard the U.S.S. Yellowstone, a destroyer tender, which is now berthed at the Boston Navy Yard.

Seaman DiBuono visited Naples, Italy; Ismir, Turkey; and Suda Bay, Crete, while on shore leave. The ship left Newport, R. I., last summer.

Gaining Notice

The story of Elkan Park, formerly known as "Foxhole Acres," appears in the March issue of The American Legion Magazine.

The article was written by Bob Richelson, former sports writer for The Daily Times, who reviewed the veterans' determination to obtain housing for themselves and the subsequent development of Elkan Park.

Struck By Car, Larchmont Man Injured

A handyman, crossing Main Street, New Rochelle, a few feet east of Webster Avenue, suffered injuries requiring his admission to New Rochelle Hospital yesterday when knocked down by a panel truck. The accident happened at 6 P. M.

Victim was Joseph DiTori, 55, of North Chatsworth Avenue, Larchmont. His injuries were listed as a possible skull fracture, broken nose, deep lacerations of the forehead and of the chin and right index finger.

The police accident squad quoted Maurice Stone, 40, a tailor, of 248 Center Avenue, New Rochelle, driver of the truck, as saying that he had been going east and passed the traffic light green in his favor at Main and Webster when the pedestrian, who had been standing in the center of Main Street, backed into the car's left front fender.

On arising from the street, police said, DiTori was driven to the hospital by Stone. There, DiTori told them his version of the mishap. He said he stopped in the center of the street to await a break in westbound traffic and was struck by the left front fender of Stone's truck, owned by Maurice Stone & Son, 727 Main Street, New Rochelle.

FILLS COURT POST

NEW ROCHELLE — Appointment of a temporary Acting City Judge has been authorized by City Council. He will stand by to serve while permanent Acting City Judge Sol Rubin is on the bench during the absence of City Judge Thomas N. Fasso. Judge Fasso is in Phoenix, Ariz., resting by advice of his physician.

A TIP FOR EMPLOYERS!

If you want experienced or inexperienced help, full or part time, commercial or domestic—if you want a selection to choose from—then follow the procedure of the smartest firms in town.

The names of these firms which have successfully used our help wanted columns reads like the "who's who in the business world" in the community. Don't forget the largest number of potential employes in this area are reading the help wanted columns nightly. Place your ad today and get help quickly. Phone Mamaroneck 9-1100.

More Snow Or Rain Due Tomorrow

Freeze-Up Predicted Again Tonight; County Roads Dangerous

TREES ICE-COATED

Ice clung to trees throughout Westchester today and up-county roads were very slippery as the temperature mounted slowly only a little above freezing and the Weather Bureau predicted a freeze-up again tonight and more snow or rain late tonight and tomorrow. Spring is due two weeks from Saturday.

Yesterday's weather was about as unpleasant as it can get, and plows worked during the night pushing deep snow to the curbs.

The new snowfall made a total of 98 inches at Croton Falls this Winter.

As the rain continued yesterday afternoon, the mercury stayed generally just above freezing in the lower half of the County and the icing was not heavy enough to break many limbs or cause much wire trouble. Most of Westchester escaped another disastrous March "Silver Freeze" such as in 1940 by a few degrees of temperature.

Town Offers Larchmont Use Of Fire Truck

The aerial truck, equipment and personnel of the Town of Mamaroneck Fire Department are at the disposal of the Village of Larchmont, "should the occasion arise", Town Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville has informed Mayor E. Spencer Greason.

The supervisor's letter was read by the mayor at the meeting of the Larchmont Board of Trustees Monday night, in which he reassured the mayor of the Town Fire Department's assistance at all times.

The letter was written in connection with an article which appeared in The Daily Times on Feb. 18, reporting the Larchmont Fire Department's apparatus committee recommendation of the purchase of an aerial truck. Mr. Mandeville's letter follows:

"There was an article in a recent issue of The Daily Times concerning the recommendation to your village board for a new aerial fire truck.

"I would like to take this opportunity to reassure you that the Town of Mamaroneck has at your disposal its aerial truck and equipment, and the personnel of the fire department stand ready and willing at all times to assist you should the occasion arise.

"We shall be very happy to continue this mutual aid arrangement which has been in effect for a number of years".

Mayor Greason said he would reply to the letter.

Institute Sets Talk Friday By Journalist

James Aronson, former feature writer, drama editor and telegraph editor of the New York Post, and copy editor of the New York Herald Tribune, will speak on "Behind The Press on Controversial Issues" Friday at 8:30 P. M. in the Hebrew Institute of Mamaroneck at the eighth in a series of 11 Friday night forum services.

Mr. Aronson worked in Germany with the Information Control Division as deputy chief of press, and later was made chief of press for the Western Military District.

A graduate of Boston Latin School, he holds a B.A. degree from Harvard University and an M.S. degree from Columbia University. He was formerly a reporter for the Boston Evening Transcript.

The services, conducted by Rabbi Irving Koslowe, will include appropriate English prayers, congregational singing, and the traditional Mourner's Kaddish. Refreshments will be served by the Sisterhood following the service.

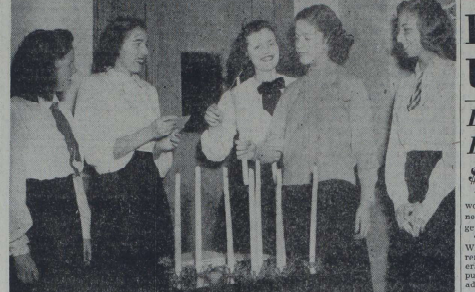
Speeding Costs Two Fines Of $10 Each

Two speeders were fined $10 each this morning in Mamaroneck Police Court by Acting Judge Hunter Meighan. They were Craig Otte of 18 North Chatsworth Avenue, Larchmont, and Francis Miller of New Rochelle.

Mrs. Greta Gellert of Rye was fined $3 for passing through a full stop sign and Mauro Diremo of New Rochelle, $2 for parking in a restricted area.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETS

The Town Council will meet at 8:15 P. M. today in the Weaver Street Firehouse.



WELCOME, STRANGER—Miss Eeva Tilus, Helsinki student temporarily attending Mamaroneck High School, is pictured above during yesterday's candlelight initation ceremony at the Junior High School, Where she became a member of the Larchmont Camp Fire Girls. Left to right are Janice Shaffer, Kinunka Group president, Sally Monson, Horizon Club president, Beverly Brawley, vice president of the Horizon Club, Miss Tilus, and Phyllis Hotchkiss, treasurer of the Horizon Club. The celebration in the Finnish student's honor was attended by 80 Camp Fire Girls, with the Kinunka Group as hostesses. Story on page five.
Staff Photo

150 Hear Talk By Coneybear On Boating

Unfavorable weather outside failed to keep approximately 150 Westchester boating enthusiasts from making registration for and attending the first in a series of lectures on small boat handling given by the Westchester Division of the U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary last night at Albert Leonard School, New Rochelle.

The course, which will cover both sail and power handling, is being given in such a way as to appeal both to the novice and veteran. After an introductory film on the Coast Guard's relation to the average seaguer, the first lecture was given by S. R. Coneybear of Mamaroneck.

Beginning with fundamental nomenclature of boat structure and sea terms, which he amplified to the audience through blackboard sketches, Mr. Coneybear delved into marlinspike seamanship. He covered the main varieties of knots and splices, citing the instances in which they can be of greatest aid in emergency or just in normal procedure.

The audience was held down to its small number by the freezing rain outside and the reluctance of the functioning committee to encourage people to venture out. The committee told the great number of people phoning in that they could safely miss the first lecture, as there would be a short review of the matter covered at the second lecture next week.

Capt. R. E. McIntyre of 22 Halcyon Terrace, New Rochelle, who heads the Westchester branch of the Coast Guard Auxiliary, announced that a test would be given at the end of the lecture course.

Finn Leader Fears Delay Annoys Soviet

HELSINKI, (AP) — President Juho Paasikivi was described by responsible sources today as growing impatient at Parliament's delay in informing him of its views on a suggested military pact with Russia.

Political leaders are said to be in favor of negotiating on the pact, but emphasize that acceptance of Prime Minister Stalin's proposal would not necessarily follow.

The 78-year-old President, who has had years of experience in dealing with the Russians, was said to fear that undue delay might irritate them and destroy a favorable basis for negotiations.

Government circles said they thought Paasikivi might urge Parliamentary groups today to speed formulation of their attitude toward the pact. Stalin's letter proposing the agreement was handed to Paasikivi last Friday.

Parliamentary groups from the far right to the extreme left have spent hours discussing the proposed defense and mutual assistance pact plus its consequences for Finland. More such meetings are scheduled today.

2 Newburgh Newspapermen Win Parole As Judge Coyne Weighs Plea For Release

By JOSEPH W. SHANNON
Staff Correspondent

WHITE PLAINS — Two Newburgh newspapermen jailed for their refusal to violate a confidence under questioning by the Orange County Grand Jury won their freedom, at least temporarily, yesterday when Supreme Court Justice Frank H. Coyne paroled them as he reserved decision on writs for their release.

Additional data necessary for his decision is to be submitted tomorrow by John H. Flanagan, attorney for Douglas V. Clarke, news editor, and Charles L. Leonard, reporter, of the Newburgh News, and by District Attorney Stanley B. Johnson, who prosecuted them. Mr. Johnson consulted that Clarke and Leonard be paroled by Mr. Flanagan's custody.

Despite the stormy weather the courtroom was filled to capacity, with an audience numbering many attorneys drawn by the legal questions involved. Presence of newspaper photographers, and newsreel and television cameramen, with their flash and flood lights drew many spectators. The brilliant lights set up in courthouse corridors made the scene resemble a movie premiere.

(Continued on Page Three)

None Injured As 3 Trucks Collide Here

Three trucks, headed east on West Boston Post Road, Mamaroneck, collided with one another at 1:15 P. M. yesterday. Two of the trucks were damaged, but no one was injured.

According to police, a truck driven by John Carlo of Norwalk, Conn., stopped for the traffic light at Elm Street, started up and stopped again, causing a truck behind to run into it and a third truck to ram the rear of the second truck.

There was no damage to the truck driven by Carlos, police said. The second truck, driven by Earl T. Gardner of Norwich, Conn., received a dented right front fender. The third truck, operated by Albert Smith of North Bergen, N. J., received a damaged radiator, fan, grill and hood.

Lions Learn Of Indonesia's Need For Aid

The Indonesians want technical help and new capital for further development, but don't trust the Dutch, Dr. L.F.V.P. Van Horst of Larchmont told members and guests of the Mamaroneck Lions Club at a luncheon meeting yesterday at the Blue Haven Inn.

Dr. Van Der Horst, who spent 11 years in Batavia as surgeon general of the hospital there, came to the United States during the war as a representative of the Dutch Government, married and took up residence and practice in Larchmont.

The Indonesians want assistance from the United States, China, India and the Philippines, the speaker reported.

According to Dr. A. K. Gani, director of the Indonesian Department of Economic Affairs, the Dutch, while recognizing the Indonesians' right to govern themselves, do not wish to be uprooted suddenly from a land where Dutch people have lived for centuries, the speaker said. The Dutch, he said, warn that if they leave, some other strong Western power must come in or permanent chaos will prevail. If that happens, Dr. Gani points out, Russia will find Indonesia a happy hunting ground.

Increasing numbers of natives have been placed in positions formerly held by Dutch and Eurasians, Dr. Van Der Horst declared, accompanied by enormous increases in educational facilities.

Education of the masses does not always make the people more happy, however, the speaker said. The growth of a minority group of semi-intellectuals there created a profound feeling of dissatisfaction, he said. This minority group, he pointed out, sought immediate freedom for the Indies by revolutionary means. But the Dutch and a large body of the natives were far from willing to surrender the reins of government to a few who were regarded by them as mere "revolutionary hot-head politi-

(Continued on Page Three)

TWO NEWBURGH NEWSPAPERMAN, who were jailed for refusing to reveal their news source, are pictured yesterday in the courthouse at White Plains, where Supreme Court Justice Frank H. Coyne paroled them until he decides whether or not they were properly committed. Shown left to right are: Douglas V. Clark, news editor, Harry Cohen, publisher and general manager, Charles L. Leonard, reporter, all of the Newburgh News, and defense counsel John H. Flanagan. The newsmen refused to tell the source of a lottery numbers ticket, a facsimile of which had been published in their paper. They produced the original as required by subpoena but declined to tell where they had obtained it, contending that to do so would violate the ethics of their profession, and were sentenced to 10 days in jail and fined $100 each. Legislation to protect newspapermen given confidences is now pending at Albany.
Staff Photo

MORE MILITARY AID FOR GREECE, TURKEY URGED BY MARSHALL

Larchmont Nearly Breaks Even On Budget; Revenue $4,751 Short Of Estimate

The Village of Larchmont wound up its fiscal year Sunday nearly breaking even with its budget.

The annual report of Treasurer W. Edward Bracken showed there remained only $712.90 in the general account, available for any purpose, although there is an additional balance of $10,711.44 earmarked for special purposes, with more than $9,000 set aside for the War Memorial.

Although the general account balance is more than $10,000 less than last year, a saving of $7,143.-61 was effected in the total disbursements of $351,467.20, compared with the total budget appropriation of $358,613. It was a forced saving, however, since the collected revenues of $137,417 fell approximately $4,751 short of the total estimated revenues of $142,-163. That loss, plus unpaid taxes and cancellation of Town Taxes amounting to more than $2,000, offsets the saving, leaving a balance of $212 in the general account.

The loss in estimated revenue is mainly due to the decrease in In Rem sales and the payment of tax arrears.

During the year, the Village paid off a total of $162,530 on its bonded indebtedness, reducing it from $1,017,650 to $855,-120. A schedule for paying the principal and interest on the bonded indebtedness shows that there will be two years before there is any substantial reduction in the debt service. Debt service for 1948-49 amounts to $187,731.-10, $169,878.53 for 1949-50 and $138,341 for 1950-51. The present bonded indebtedness of the village is scheduled to be paid off in full by 1972.

Total uncollected taxes since

(Continued on Page Three)

Jury Unable To Agree In Suit For Loan

WHITE PLAINS — A Supreme Court jury was unable to agree yesterday afternoon in a suit brought by a Mamaroneck man against a New York City couple to recover $3,455 in loans. Justice Frederick G. Schmidt declared a mistrial, when the jurors told him they were hopelessly deadlocked.

Clarence Cohn, represented by James H. Lyttle, sued as holder of an assignment made by his father, Isaac J. Cohn of New York, charging that Herbert and Adele D. Gilbert, represented by Benjamin Burstein, had failed to repay the loans.

The Gilberts contended the money was not a loan but was given as a result of a claimed promise by the elder Cohn that he would bequeath Gilbert $7,000 if he would serve as a companion. Gilbert asserted that the elder Cohn endorsed the money against the prospective inheritance so he and his wife could open a business. He contended that the promise was reaffirmed two years ago, at which time, Gilbert said, he was instrumental in saving Cohn's life.

A. L. MORRIS

Blood Project Of Red Cross Wins Praise

A. L. Morris, veteran of World War II and member of both 1947 and 1948 Larchmont American Red Cross Fund Campaigns feels that the newly planned national blood program is of paramount importance. He says:

"As a result of war-born experience, the use of blood and blood derivatives in the treatment of the sick and injured has become standard medical practice throughout the world. Now for the first time, this practice will be brought within the reach of everyone through the new National Blood Program of the Red Cross which will be started this year. This program provides for the establishment of a National Blood Bank, from which blood and blood products will be distributed without charge to patients, physicians and hospitals throughout the country.

"No portion of the 1948 Red Cross Plan comes more nearly back home than the blood program. Under its administration, whole blood will be left in Westchester communities for immediate use and, after processing, blood derivatives will be returned to assure a completely balanced supply adequate for any emergency. That these products will be immediately available could well mean the slender difference between life and death for a neighbor . . . or any of us.

"That this program will save lives and greatly reduce human suffering is without question. Its accomplishment however will be a far from simple matter . . . requiring an estimated three to five years. For 1948 alone, nine million dollars will be required to get the program under way, and as always, it is up to all of us to contribute our share to insure its success."

World Group To Curb Reds Is Proposed

WASHINGTON, (AP) — A new world agency was proposed last night by a group of Republican senators. Its aim: to keep Russia from getting control of any more countries.

The Senators offered that as one of several changes they want to make in the Marshall Plan. The new council would be outside the United Nations, would have no veto, and would include 11 member countries.

Senator Ball of Minnesota, one of the leaders of the Republican group, drew up the new plan. If passed by Congress, it would direct the President and Secretary of State to open talks with other nations immediately.

The plan doesn't mention Russia by name, but the Senators made it clear they had the Soviet Union in mind. Yesterday in the Senate Ball said the spread of "Russian tyranny" should be stopped.

SUSPENDED SENTENCE

R. C. Gormley of 10 Larchmont Avenue, Larchmont, who appeared in Larchmont Police Court last night in answer to a summons for failure to remove snow from his sidewalk, was given a suspended sentence by Judge John R. Cahill.

Secretary Fears Both Nations Are In Grave Peril

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Secretaries Marshall and Forrestal told Congress today there is "grave danger" Greece and Turkey can not remain free unless they get more military aid from the United States.

The two Cabinet members testified jointly to the House Foreign Affairs Committee in support of the Administration's request for $275,000,000 to be spent on guns, planes and other weapons for the two nations.

Secretary of State Marshall said that arming the Greeks and Turks would be "discouraging" to further aggression against their countries.

Both Marshall and Secretary of Defense Forrestal left little doubt they were thinking of Russia.

Marshall said there is "clear evidence in Greece and Czechoslovakia of Communist activities against all nations that stand in the way of their expansion.

And as long as they can confront Greece and Turkey, Marshall said, there can be no assurance that American assistance can be stopped.

Forrestal said it is evident that "the military position in both countries must receive our first attention."

Both the Cabinet members said guerrillas in Greece are getting help from neighboring countries on the north.

They said that economic recovery in Greece depends on first wiping out the guerrilla nuisance.

They said, too, that Turkey is under foreign pressure and needs continued help if her people are to be assured of keeping their independence.

Youth Council Aids Council For Red Cross

The Youth Council of the Mamaroneck Branch, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, will be in charge of collections for the 1948 Red Cross Fund in District 11, according to Benjamin Worrell, president of the branch. Girls of the Youth Council will solicit contributions Sunday during the one-day drive.

Miss Mildred Smith is chairman of the committee and Miss Frances Williams is serving as its secretary. Other workers are the Misses Shirley McKelver, Joan Wallace, Ersaline Alexander, Mamie Alexander, Dorothy Hilton, Gladys Hackney, Joan Mitchell and Flora Langley.

The girls will work under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. Worrell and Mrs. Lavinia Robinson, county director of youth councils.

Resident Injured In Parkway Crash

WHITE PLAINS—Poor visibility due to last night's heavy mist was today given as the cause of an automobile accident on the Central Westchester Parkway and Orchard Street.

According to parkway police, a car driven by George Crist, 29, of 2623 Mamaroneck Avenue, Mamaroneck, stalled about 11:38 P. M. near the intersection and the car's lights went out Harrison Jackson, 27, of Westport, Conn., didn't see the stalled vehicle in time, and his car skidded into it.

Considerably damaged, both cars were towed away. Crist was treated at White Plains Hospital for a cut over the left eye and released.

CIO PLANS

NEW YORK, (AP)—The State CIO's Executive Board voted yesterday for immediate establishment of a political action committee to replace the American Labor Party as the union's political arm in New York.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ★ MAMARONECK, N. Y., THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1948 ★ MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

This afternoon intermittent snow, highest temperature in middle 30s. Tonight cloudy; lowest near 20. Tomorrow, clearing; high in mid 30s. High tides today at 8:26 P. M.; tomorrow at 8:33 A. M. and 9:21 P. M.

Combing The Town

'Our Best Efforts'

James T. Morley, above, member of the Board of Directors of the Larchmont 1948 American Red Cross Fund Campaign urging cooperation in the campaign now in progress says "Each year the charitable work of the Red Cross manifests itself in the lives of the less fortunate of this world. We in the United States should be grateful that we are in a position to give rather than to receive. Let us make this year's drive our best effort." Mr. Morley is a welcome addition to the Board and brings to the task experience gained by two years work on the Larchmont Community Chest.

Children In Spotlight

The purposes of the coming Community Institute, sponsored by the Board of Education, Parent-Teacher Council and the Teachers Association, were outlined for members of the Larchmont Lions Club by Herbert Morgenroth, an instructor at the Mamaroneck Junior High School, who was the guest speaker at the luncheon-meeting held yesterday in the Pal-Mar Restaurant.

Mr. Morgenroth outlined the agenda of the Institute, to be held on Monday, March 22, which will feature a general discussion on child development. He extended a cordial invitation to the Lions to participate in the event.

Cornelius VanBuren, a member of the club who recently returned from a fishing trip to Florida, related his experiences in catching a 76-pound sail fish. He presented the club a souvenir of his trip, a huge coconut.

Dr. Daniel D. Karrel, president, appointed Eugene Riviere and Herman Bose to represent the club at the 25th anniversary charter dinner of the New Rochelle Lions Club to be held at the Ronnie Briar Country Club.

Guests included Daniel Bucky and John Von Stein.

G.O.P. Drive Launched

The Republican campaign or the Village of Mamaroneck will open tonight with a dinner-meeting at 7 o'clock at the Winged Foot Golf Club. Barney Epstein, campaign manager, announced today.

Prominent Republicans and party workers will be present, Mr. Epstein said. The dinner-meeting will be presided over by the campaign manager, who will introduce the Republican candidates for trustee, incumbents James Jackson, John Withers, and Alfred Wecker, and Anthony Sansone, candidate for police justice.

Back On Job Soon

Town Police Justice Wesley M. Messersmith returned to his home in Larchmont Acres yesterday from New Rochelle Hospital where he had been a patient for seven weeks. A severe cold brought on a heart attack which required his hospitalization from the early part of January. Judge Messersmith is up and about, and expects to be back on the job in another week.

Radio May Win Editorial Right

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Radio stations may win the right to take sides editorially, but on the condition they give their opponents full time to reply on the air.

Federal Communications Commission Chairman Wayne Coy intimated in exchanges with witnesses in the FCC hearing on the editorial question. The hearing entered its fourth day today, with 40 witnesses still to be heard.

PLAN TURKEY SHOOT

WHITE PLAINS—Motion pictures and a turkey shoot, followed by a buffet supper and dancing will be the highlights of a social evening to be held on March 19 by the Westchester Detachment of Marine Corps League, at VFW Hall, 101 Main Street.

LIKE HIDDEN MONEY!

Take stock of all that old furniture that's gathering dust in your attic—it will be like finding hidden money! All you have to do to convert it into cash is to place a little want ad . . . all of which is very simple. Just call an ad taker . . . she takes your ad exactly as you want it . . . or else makes suggestions that will make you money. You'll never do anything more profitable than when you place your want ad by calling Mamaroneck 8-2100.

Mandeville Backs More Village Aid

Supervisor Says Town Could Give Up $24,000 Of Its State Aid

FOR FORMULA NO. 3

The Town of Mamaroneck will give up $24,000 of its state aid revenue to be distributed between the Villages of Mamaroneck and Larchmont, if the plan endorsed by Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville is approved.

The supervisor told members of the Town Council last night, that the plan, known simply as "Formula No. 3," was one of a half dozen discussed yesterday by the County Board of Supervisors and the Westchester County Village Officials Association, which is seeking a larger share of state aid for the villages.

"There is nothing definite on it at present, the supervisor said, "but formula No. 3 appears to be the only encouraging one." He added it was his feeling that "something should be done for both villages."

Under the existing distribution of state aid, the town receives a total of $128,483, twenty per cent of which is split three ways between the unincorporated area and both villages in proportion to the population. The present distribution gives the Town $112,924, Village of Larchmont $6,068, and Village of Mamaroneck $9,051.

In addition, the Village of Mamaroneck receives another $3,613 from the Town of Rye.

Formula No. 3 proposes that the amount to be shared should be increased to 50 per cent, which would reduce the Town's share to $88,886, and increase the Village of Larchmont's share to $17,270 and the Village of Mamaroneck's to $22,627 from the Town of Mamaroneck and $9,182 from the Town of Rye.

Dr. II. S. Leiper To Speak For Union Service

The Rev. Henry Smith Leiper, D. D., executive secretary of the American Committee for the World Council of Churches, will speak at the fifth union Lenten service conducted by St. John's Church and the Larchmont Avenue Church Tuesday in the Larchmont Avenue Church.

Dr. Leiper is also associate general secretary of the World Council's Provisional Committee, and has served since 1930 as ecumenical secretary of the Federal Council of Churches in charge of relations with churches abroad.

He has a wide knowledge of Christian life and organization in many parts of the world, including the Orient. He watched the Russian revolution develop from the inside and followed on the spot the early expansion of the Japanese. He saw Hitler's rise and predicted the Nazis' attack upon the foundations of western civilization.

Dr. Leiper is a graduate of Amherst College, Union Theological Seminary and Columbia University. He has served as a minister, traveling secretary of the Y. M. C. A., war relief worker in Siberia during World War I, educator and relief worker in China, and editorial secretary for the Congregational Christian General Council in America.

Before and after World War II, Dr. Leiper has spent each summer in Europe keeping alive his contacts with church leaders, preaching and lecturing, and attending world church conferences. In February, 1946, he attended the meeting of the World Council's Provisional Committee in Geneva. Later the same year he flew to India to survey famine conditions, then attended the meeting of the Commission on International Affairs in England. He has also been associated with the Church World Service and International Missionary Council.

Dr. Leiper is the author of four books—"Hand Spots — Experiments in the Cure of Race Prejudice," "Thou, Ghost of Caesar Walks," "Christ's Way and the World's," and "World Chaos or World Christianity." He is editor "Christianity Today" an editor of "Christianity and Crisis," coauthor of several books, and a contributor to numerous magazines.

Firemen Are Called To Help Policeman

NORTH TARRYTOWN — The police had to call firemen to help them near Philipse Manor Railroad Station. Sergeant Hugh Robertson, in charge of a patrol car, seeing smoke pouring from under the car's hood, was unable to seek the source because the hood was frozen shut. He radioed an alarm and two fire companies responded.

They found the fan belt had slipped off and rubbing of the rotor against it caused smoke. There was no fire.

IT'S BABY BATH TIME at Westchester headquarters of the American Red Cross as *Grace Pennock of Bedford Hills, center,* gives instruction in mother and baby care and family health, one of the home nursing courses conducted by the chapter. Shown as the current class, organized Feb. 16, worked over a doll, Miss Pennessi guides while Mrs. John Merritt of Larchmont, right, undresses the "baby." Mrs. W. A. Conklin of Larchmont is looking on. Open to all interested persons, another class will begin as soon as 10 students have signed up, the Red Cross said. Three are now listed.

—Staff Photo

2-Month Snow Removal Costs Town $19,664

The cost of snow removal in the unincorporated area between Dec. 26 to Feb. 28 was $19,664.21, Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville reported last night to the Town Council.

He pointed out, however, that the actual cost of snow removal amounted to only $6,870 since labor, costing $8,830, was performed by men of the Town Highway Department who worked at nothing but snow removal. That amount, he said, would have been paid out of another fund for doing other work had there been no snow. In addition, estimated refunds from the State and County amounted to $3,962, he reported.

Following is a breakdown of the cost: Labor, $8,833.06; trucks, $575.75; bulldozers, $4,346 loader, $2,236.80; sand $1,942.04; salt, $606.01; gas and oil, $431.27; meals and incidentals, $299.28.

Estimated refunds are as follows: state roads, $2,800; County Park Commission, $150; Town Park Department for the parking area, $708; town incinerator, $252.

Town Engineer A. J. Foote reported that since the snow storm there have been "surprisingly few complaints," which he estimated at about 30.

New Party Split Faces Truman At Convention

By The Associated Press

Rebelling Dixie Democrats today recorded a setback in their drive to keep President Truman's name off Southern ballots. But from the North came fresh support for a change in party standard bearers.

Virginia legislators, yesterday threw out a bill to bar Mr. Truman's name from the ballot. But they kept another weapon to use against him.

At the same time, three New England Democrats — including Boston's long time Mayor James M. Curley—urged Gen. Douglas MacArthur as their party's presidential candidate.

Curley, who last Thanksgiving was granted a Presidential pardon after serving five months of a 6 to 10 months mail fraud sentence, declared the nation is demanding that Mr. Truman stay out of the race.

He joined former Governors Joseph B. Ely of Massachusetts and Francis P. Murphy of New Hampshire in proposing the Supreme Allied Commander of Japan as the Democratic standard bearer.

Ely supported the late Alfred E. Smith in his break with President Franklin D. Roosevelt and backed James A. Farley against Roosevelt at the 1940 Democratic Convention.

PLATES RECOVERED

New York police yesterday notified Mamaroneck police that they had recovered the stolen license plates of Frank Lancia, 205 Florence Street, Mamaroneck, from a stolen automobile abandoned in New York City. Local police notified Mr. Lancia and canceled an alarm which had been sent out on the missing plates.

Larchmont Legion Offers To Donate Ambulance For Larchmont And Town Use

The Town Council last night agreed to accept and maintain jointly with the Village of Larchmont, an ambulance which *Larchmont Post, 1947, American Legion,* plans to donate.

The Council passed a resolution to that effect after Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville read a letter *(Continued On Page Thirteen)*

CLEMENT E. CONGER

Film On Spain To Highlight Men's Meeting

The first and only color film of Spain, "Castles and Fiestas in Spain," will be presented at the meeting of the Larchmont Men's Club at 8:15 P. M. Monday in St. Augustine's School Auditorium, Larchmont.

This new lecture-film was produced by Clement E. Conger, noted traveller and lecturer, who will present the commentary on the film in person. Formerly a major on the Army General Staff, Conger went to Spain in 1946 immediately after his Army discharge on an expedition arranged in cooperation with the National Geographic Society of Washington.

The first motion picture of Spain since the Spanish Civil War in 1936, it shows in graphic fashion the glories of ancient Spain, its fiestas and storybook castles, and picturesque people at work and play.

State Assessors Elect Barnes V. P.

WHITE PLAINS — Edward F. Hallahan, Mount Vernon, was elected president of the Westchester Chapter, N. Y. State Association of Assessors, at the annual meeting yesterday in City Hall here. He replaces Joseph Lennox, Yonkers.

Others elected were: Frank Barnes, Larchmont, vice president; Harold H. Bennett, Scarsdale, secretary.

Commissioner Harry Clinton of the State Tax Commission and Deputy Commissioner Raymond Slade will be guests at a May 14 meeting of the chapter in City Hall.

Bomb Plot Fizzles As Police And Federal Agents Scour City

NEW YORK, (AP)—A fantastic "plot" to blow up two railroad terminals and other city key points sent police and Federal agents out last night on one of their biggest bomb hunts in years. But the threatened zero hour—the 5:15 P. M. rush period—passed without even one small explosion.

The bizarre "plan," which police dubbed the lurid work of a crank, was unfolded in a rambling 15-page letter unaddressed and intercepted yesterday by police inspectors at a postal station.

Labeled "Plan Vodka," it assigned 25 men, all carrying suitcases filled with "new high explosive bombs" to Pennsylvania Station, 23 to Grand Central Terminal and 25 to the General Post Office.

Reaching these points, they were directed to leave the suitcases, vanish into the homewards-bound crowds and "meet at H-W."

In addition, 27 trucks, all laden with explosives, were to be loaded onto ferries at the Staten Island Slip. Other operatives were instructed to pack bombs in the South Ferry subway station and on ferry boats.

Under a crude sketch of Times Square, those instructions were printed:

"Fifty men and women in crowd. Rush hour. Leave suitcase of high explosive bombs on platform and vanish. *Surprise element is deciding factor.*"

Although police said they had attached little credence to the bomb threat, detectives, bomb squad operatives, fire officials and police launches were rushed to *the danger points.*

Candidates' Meeting Set For Tomorrow

Candidates for trustee and police justice in the coming Mamaroneck Village election will speak to the voters at a meeting at 8:15 P. M. tomorrow in the Barry Avenue School auditorium, sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Mamaroneck.

Mrs. Julius Silver, League president, will preside and introduce the following candidates: for police justice, Henry T. Hornidge, Non-Partisan and Democratic nominee, and Anthony Sansone, Republican nominee; for village trustee, David V. Chrisholm, Democrat, and incumbents James Jackson, Alfred Wecker and John Withers, Republicans.

The candidates' meeting is a public service provided for voters by the League, which is non-partisan and does not support any candidate. The voting public is urged to attend the meeting, which is unique in that candidates of all parties are gathered together on the same platform. The audience will be given an opportunity to question the candidates following the speeches.

Saturday is registration day from noon to 8 P. M. at the regular polling places. Voters who did not register last Fall must register in order to vote on election day, March 16.

Driving Range Lease Favored By Councilmen

The Town Council last night voted 3 to 1 in favor of granting a two-year lease on Town-owned property at the entrance to the Hommocks for use as a driving range, subject to the approval of the Zoning Board and the Police Department.

Opposed was Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville, while Councilmen *Edward Watson, George Mills, Jr., J. Thomas McKeever* voted "yes," and Councilman David A. Embury abstained from voting.

The supervisor said his main reason for voting "no" was that *he wanted to indicate that* it was a buck-passing affair. He said the decision rests en- *(Continued On Page Thirteen)*

TRUMAN THREATENS U. S. WITH INFLATION GOVERNOR CHARGES

Hebrew Institute To Buy Property On Palmer Avenue For Erection Of Temple

Plans to raise funds to buy land for a new temple for the Hebrew Institute of Mamaroneck were formulated last night at a meeting held in the home of Reuben Sirlin, 201 Wagner Avenue.

A contract has been signed for the four and a half acre plot at Palmer and Rockland Avenues, purchase price of which is $18,500.

The growth of the congregation has been so great that the present facilities are inadequate at the Institute on Halstead Avenue, according to Mr. Sirlin, chairman of the Mamaroneck division of the campaign committee.

Dr. Harry C. Bruskin of Mamaroneck heads the committee, which includes, in addition to Mr. Sirlin, Harry Ballow, chairman of the Larchmont division and Barnev Epstein, Gordon Lyons, Fred Rubin, Dr. Alex Prakin, Edward Mogolnik, Morris Stern, Dr. Sol Shapera and Mortimer Margolulis.

Gordon Lyons of Greenhaven made a substantial contribution to get the drive under way. Anyone interested in furthering the campaign may send contributions to any of the committee members.

Rabbi Irving Koslowe of the Institute said today that there is a great need for more facilities, especially for youth activities. Although it has not yet been decided whether a temple or youth center will be built first, Rabbi Koslowe said, the Institute hopes eventually to have a building constructed for part-time religious education and recreational activities.

Families Away Sunday Urged To Give Early

Robert C. Duncan, chairman of the 1948 Red Cross Fund in Mamaroneck asked today that families who expect to be out of town on Sunday contact their district captain, so a worker can call upon them tomorrow or Saturday.

"Last year's drive was over the top by 3 P.M. on Sunday evening" Mr. Duncan said. "This year, our quota is higher, but we can do it again if we all try."

The appointment of Jerome Hefner of 561 Claflin Avenue as captain in District 4A was announced today. Mr. Heffner succeeds Robert S. Mitchell.

Other captains in the residential canvass are: 2A—Mrs. John Frend, 306 Hill Street; 3 — Henry T. Hornidge, 132 Mt. Pleasant Avenue; 4B—Mrs. Henry Book, 411 Cortlandt Avenue; 5—Miss Martha Estep, 512 Tompkins Avenue; 6—Clarence Litchfield, 835 Grove Street; 7—Mrs. Henry C. Kincaid, 144 North Barrey Avenue; 8A—John J. McDonald, 1302 Park Avenue; 8B—Alvah Small, 1503 Rose Avenue and William B. Sullivan, 1501 Pine Knoll Lane; 9—Mrs. Audrey Herman; and 11—Miss Mildred Smith.

Man Killed On Okinawa Left $21,868 Estate

WHITE PLAINS—John A. Eckert, 3rd, of Harrison, who was killed in action at Okinawa on May 3, 1945, left an estate valued at $24,350 gross and $21,868 net, according to a report filed in Surrogate's Court by Appraiser George M. Percy.

The estate consists of $12,988 in stocks and bonds, and $11,362 in mortgages and cash, and is bequeathed to his mother, Mrs. Frances S. Houck of 22 Archer Road, Harrison.

An estate valued at $29,388 gross and $25,544 net was left by Dora M. Smith of Rye, when she died on July 27. She owned realty at 43 Orchard Lane, Rye, appraised at $5,000, and cash, $1,000; stocks and bonds, $2,256 in mortgages and cash, and $1,450 in personal property.

Her sister, Susie B. Bruce of 43 Orchard Road, receives personalty and a life estate in the residue. A brother-in-law, Arthur B. Bruce of the same address, receives $5,000. A niece, Margaret W. Quesing of Brookline, Mass., and a nephew, John T. Golding of Chestnut Hill, Mass., receive equal remainder interests in theresidue.

ADJOURNMENT SET

ALBANY, (AP) — The Assembly yesterday passed a resolution providing for final adjournment *Friday, March 12, at 5 P.M.*

CORD MEYER, JR.

Forum Guests To Speak On Peace Plans

Two alternatives for peace, the U.N. or World Federation, will be discussed at the Larchmont Forum for Public Opinion, at 8:30 P. M. Friday, March 12, in the Chatsworth Avenue School auditorium.

"Two men who have seen a third alternative, "global war," at close quarters, will be the speakers. They are Joseph R. Phillips, foreign affairs director and columnist for Newsweek Magazine; and Cord Meyer, Jr., who, at 27, is national president of United World Federalists, Inc.

Mr. Meyer, a proponent of world government, was born in Washington, D. C., schooled in New York City, and was graduated from Yale in 1943. He entered the Marine Corps in November, 1942, saw action through the South Pacific campaign as a machine-gun platoon leader, and was retired in June, 1945, with the Bronze Star, Purple Heart and rank of captain after being seriously wounded in the assault on Guam.

Upon his return to civilian life, Mr. Meyer was chosen to serve as veteran assistant to presidential aspirant Harold P. Stassen, who was the U. S. delegate to the San Francisco Conference in 1945 when the United Nations Charter was drafted.

That same year, Mr. Meyer also helped organize the American Veterans Committee, which he still serves as a member of its national planning committee and chairman of its foreign policy committee. He contributed an article in the September, 1945 Atlantic Monthly, entitled "A Serviceman Looks at Peace." His first fiction piece, a short story entitled "Waves of Darkness" was published in the January 1946 issue of Atlantic and won the O. Henry Prize for the best first-published short story of 1946.

Mr. Meyer, whose United World Federalists believe in "limited world government with powers adequate to prevent war," was named president by the organization's national executive council in June, 1947.

In 1945, he studied on a Lowell Junior Fellowship at Harvard University, and wrote a book entitled "Peace or Anarchy," published in October 1947 by Little, Brown, and Company, which won *the critics' acclaim. He has ap-*peared on many radio forum broadcasts, at national roundtable institutes, and before other state and local groups throughout the county.

Broadcast To Tell Of Red Cross Work

Human misery left in the wake of a tornado is the subject of the weekly Red Cross program to be heard on Station WPAS tomorrow at 9:15 A.M. The program features Lurene Tuttle, well known radio actress, in the role of a girl blinded by a disaster who is helped by a Red Cross volunteer.

Westchester Fighting New Snowstorm Today

Westchester fought a new snowstorm today.

The snow began falling short ly after midnight and the Weather Bureau expected it to continue through the afternoon. However, during the final few hours, only one-tenth of an inch was recorded.

Clearing and colder weather was forecast for tomorrow.

President Called 'Incompetent' In Dewey's Blast

ALBANY, (AP)—Governor Thomas E. Dewey said today the "quarreling" Truman Administration threatens the nation with "ruinous inflation" by "profligate waste" of public funds.

He added that the Government's "conduct of both our domestic and foreign affairs has been so weak and incompetent that it has failed in both fields."

Dewey fired the blast in a telegram thanking Wisconsin friends for supporting his candidacy for the Republican Presidential nomination.

"We are together in a good cause," the Governor told the 27 Republicans who filed petitions yesterday for the Wisconsin Presidential Primary April 6 as a full slate of Dewey pledged delegates to the GOP national convention.

"Our national government is torn by bitterness and quarreling," he said. "Its profligate waste of the moneys it has wrung from our people by taxes threatens to bring us to ruinous inflation."

Dewey contended that "our task as Republicans is to restore integrity, competence and purpose to the national government."

"Only in this way," he said, "can we build a stable industry and agriculture, maintain high standards for labor develop a consistent and strong foreign policy and win a lasting peace."

Dewey said he was "sure" that among Republicans "there will be a heartfelt unity and devotion to the great tasks to which our party will be called in November. These high purposes will require the best efforts of all Americans, working together for the good of all."

This was interpreted here as a prediction of a Republican victory next fall against President Truman, the presumed Democratic nominee.

Dewey supporters will contest the Wisconsin delegate slates against slates pledged to Harold E. Stassen, former Governor of Minnesota, and Gen. Douglas MacArthur. The Stassen slate was filed yesterday.

The Dewey candidates for delegate seats wired the Governor their petitions contained 98,101 signatures.

Dewey declined to comment on the filing of a petition yesterday with the New York Secretary of State naming former Rep. Hamilton Fish of Newburgh as a candidate for delegate to the GOP National Convention. Fish and Dewey have been at odds for years.

In New York City, Fish said he had no statement at this time, except that if elected he wanted to go to the convention uninstructed and support the strongest "available candidate, "a man who can win."

"If the Republicans do not nominate a candidate who can win, it may very well mean the end of the party," Fish said. "This convention is apt to be the most important ever held. The very destiny of the Republican party and maybe the Republic will be at stake."

Reds Report Czech Leaders Flee Country

PRAGUE, (AP) — The Communist press hinted today former Health Minister Adolf Prochazka, his wife and an anti-Communist student leader have fled Czechoslovakia, but mystery surrounded their whereabouts.

Mlada, 19, the Minister's daughter, is under arrest after an unsuccessful attempt to escape from the country.

Mlada Fronta, a Communist newspaper, said the Prochazkas and student leader Emil Ransorf escaped across the border. It was the first time the Communist Press reported that Czechs were fleeing across the frontiers.

Rude Pravo, the official Communist newspaper, reported the Prochazkas "attempted" escape, but gave no details. It said an official statement would be issued in a few days. Other reports, all unconfirmed, said the three were captured or were across the border in the U. S. Occupation Zone of Germany.

CARS COLLIDE

The right front door and rear fender of a car driven by Mrs. Marciona Laughlin of Shore Acres Drive, Mamaroneck, were damaged at 10 A.M. yesterday when her car collided with another car backing out of a driveway on Tompkins Avenue, Mamaroneck police reported. Operator of the other car was Henry Pohl of 416 Tompkins Avenue, Mamaroneck, the tail light on Pohl's car was broken police said.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ★ MAMARONECK, N. Y., FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 1948 ★ MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather
Tonight, clear and cold, lowest 5 to 10. Tomorrow, mostly sunny, followed by increasing cloudiness and not so cold. High tides today at 9:11 P. M.; tomorrow at 9:37 A. M. and 10:03 P. M.

Combing The Town

World Of Books

Miss Helen Snow, librarian in the Rye Neck School District, explained how the Mamaroneck Free Library could be made more useful to the schools at a meeting of the board of trustees Wednesday in the Mamaroneck Free Library Building.

Miss Snow represented Dr. Alvin W. Hicks, Rye Neck school superintendent, who was invited but could not attend. T. James Ahern, superintendent of Mamaroneck Schools, was also unable to be present.

A list of children's books in the library will be sent to the schools to avoid duplication on book purchases.

Photos of the Blizzard of '47 in Mamaroneck will be exhibited in the library this month by Andrew Karabet of 95 Rye Road, Rye.

The trustees announced that a series of recorded music concerts is being planned.

Librarian Eleanor Marrow reported that book circulation in February was 5,053, a slight increase over the same month last year.

She reported a gift of $10 from Miss Irma Strange, Rye Neck school teacher, for the purchase of records, her second gift, and a renewal of the magazine "Seventeen" in memory of their late daughter, Betty, by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farr.

Homework? Yes!

Should teachers give homework?

Yes, they should, it was decided *yesterday following a debate by* seventh graders at a Bellevue High School assembly program.

Members of the affirmative winning team were Dorothy Lindberg, Peter Nisselson, Esther Saperstein and William Dunn. The negative side was argued by Stewart Park, Barbara Watkins, William Harriott and James Hurley. Runners were Barbara Stymiest and Patricia Gillette.

The Judges were James Duggan of the Bellows family, Richard Lawrence, General Organization president and Mrs. Merrill Hodedon, member of the Bellows Community Club.

Diane Dunn was moderator and ushers were Edgar Hodsdon and Jean Scelia.

44-Year Service

W. C. Reich, 10 Forest Park Avenue, Larchmont, was honored by United States Rubber Company at *the organization dinner* of the company's Twenty-Five-Year Club of New York City last night.

Mr. Reich, who is assistant treasurer of the company, was presented a special award by Herbert F. Smith, company president in honor of his 44 years of continuous service with U. S. Rubber.

The dinner, held at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York, was attended by 262 employes of the New York offices who have been with the company for 25 years or longer.

Bolivian Costure

Consuelo Zalles Freland, 11-year old student in the Henry Barnard School, Woods of Larchmont, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emile C. Freeland of 14 Highwood Avenue, Larchmont, represented Bolivia yesterday at the Red Cross presentation of a flag to the United Nations at Lake Success, L. I.

Mrs. Jorge Zalles, grandmother of Consuelo, was chairman of the Bolivian committee for the presentation. Mrs. Zelles presented her granddaughter's name to the All-Nations Committee.

Still Spry

Yesterday was the birthday of Bill Wenzel's grandmother. She's 109 and reported to be in excellent shape.

Her latest antics are reviewed today in Pete Doern's "Fish and Philosophy" column on Page 10.

Hairdressers Win In $50,000 Suit

WHITE PLAINS — A jury of eight men and four women found "no cause for action" in the suit of Dr. Fanny Zade, formerly of Mamaroneck, now living in New York, against the Dante and Harold Hairdressers, Inc., 611 East Boston Post Road, Mamaroneck for $50,000, nor for her husband's accompanying claim of $10,000 damages.

The verdict in the trial before Supreme Court Justice Frank H. Coyne was brought in yesterday.

Dr. Zadeh claimed that on July 11, 1946, a hair dye treatment administered by the Mamaroneck firm caused her hair to fall out and brought on a skin disease.

Louis Zingesser was attorney for the plaintiffs and William Hays represented the defendants

LOOKING FOR A BARGAIN?

Every smart house wife in town knows that the Want Ad Section of this newspaper is the community bargain place. Want Ads are read nightly by budget minded women looking for house furnishings. For china. For used refrigerators. The smart housewife knows that she will meet other smart housewives through the Want Ads. Sell the "Don't needs" for good cold cash. What have you to sell? Try the Want Ads. They pay off! Just call Mamaroneck 9-2100.

King Urges Solid Front For G.O.P.

Defeated Candidate In Republican Race Vows Sansone Full Support

CAMPAIGN LAUNCHED

The Mamaroneck Village Republican Party last night launched its campaign with a dinner-meeting at the Winged Foot Golf Club attended by more than 60 prominent party leaders and members who called for the full support of Republican candidates.

Martin E. King, life-long Republican who was defeated by Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone for the Republican nomination for police justice, told the gathering he made an honorable effort to get the job myself, but the people of the party have designated their choice and I am behind him 100 per cent."

"I know Anthony Sansone and Henry Hornidge," Mr. King said. "Both are wonderful, fine gentlemen. Either one would be able to conduct the court they aspire to.

"However, the issue goes deeper. If our Republicans split away, they will be following the pattern that developed in Europe and lead to the destruction of democracy."

He called upon the members of *(Continued on Page Three)*

Congress Told Tax Reform Is Nation's Need

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Congress on a pat on the back today from the National Association of Manufacturers for its efforts to cut income taxes.

But Don G. Mitchell, the NAM spokesman, quickly added:

"If the nation does not have a thorough-going tax reform, overtaxation will kill the goose that lays the golden eggs of better jobs, better wages, better goods, lower prices."

Chairman Mitchell submitted his prepared testimony to the Senate Finance Committee which is considering the House-passed bill to trim individual income taxes by $6,500,000,000. Chairman Millikin, R., Colo., raised the prospect of a second tax measure this year.

In a speech before the Economic Club in New York last night, Millikin noted that the House Ways and Means Committee is studying a general overhaul of the revenue laws. He said this may lead to "limited additional relief" in 1948.

Mitchell is president of Sylvania Electric Products of New York and chairman of NAM'S taxation committee. In his statement he termed the $6,500,000,000 House bill "the best, in fact the only, tax bill that can be enacted at this time."

Noting *reports the Senate may* hold the reduction to about $5,000,000,000, he said such a cutback "would do more than towards meeting the fundamental needs of the economy."

Mitchell added that unless corporations and persons with incomes above $10,000 a year receive further tax relief there will be less funds for "venture capital" or investments.

He used covernenmt charts and data and President Truman's economic reports to show that business will be short about $50,000,000,000 of such capital "during the next six to seven years."

Recalling that President Truman had estimated industry would need this same amount for new investment in the next few years, Mitchell said:

"The best way to acquire this venture capital, he said, is by a drastic revision of tax rates on both individual and corporate incomes."

Larchmonter Hurt As Car Hits House

Anthony Fiore of 10 Kilmer Road, Larchmont, is in Yonkers General Hospital where his condition was reported "fair" as a result of an accident yesterday in The Bronx.

Mr. Fiore was driving to business in New York City when his car skidded on the ice, road and crashed into a house at 875 East 228th Street. Mr. Fiore suffered lacerations of the face which required 14 stitches.

The Fiore car was badly damaged and also caused considerable damage to the living room of the house.

CAR AND TRUCK CRASH

The front ends of a car and a truck were damaged yesterday afternoon when they collided on Carlton Avenue, Town Police reported. No one was injured. Dr. Fred F. Prusinitz of the Stonecrest Apartments, Larchmont, driver of the car was travelling east *when the accident occurred*, police said. Driver of the truck was Louis M. Weiss of New York City.

THE WESTCHESTER RELIGIOUS INSTITUTE has bought "Waytes Court," (above) 29-room brick and stone Norman style structure at Orienta Point, Mamaroneck, where a Jewish Day School including garden and elementary grades will be opened about September. The building is one of many on the 26-acre landscaped estate, and was erected in 1894 by Mrs. Amy H. Weatherbee, daughter of the late Arnold Constable.

Swedish Youth Impressed By Hamburgers

Two of the visiting Scandinavian students, Sten Stromholm and Ulrik Plesner, described their impressions of America and compared our customs with those of their own countries yesterday at the luncheon-meeting of the Mamaroneck Rotary Club at the Blue Haven Inn.

Sten, who comes from Uppsala, Sweden, said he was impressed by the friendliness of America, the snow, and our hamburgers.

He told the Rotarians that in Sweden, the state operates the railways, utilities and radio stations, which have no "commercials." In Sweden, there are cooperative stores which are owned by the customers, but prices are high. Cigarets, he added, cost $1 per pack and pipe tobacco $2 per package.

He believes the standard of living in Sweden is on a par with the U. S. He said modern homes and slum areas and most people live in apartments.

A native of Denmark, Ulrik said that in America everyone talks a lot about equality, but in Denmark they just have it and don't talk about it.

He said that in America the schools try to get everyone up to a certain level, while in Denmark they encourage only the outstanding students. He said he found the schools in America more pleasant, and that the home ties are greater in his country than here.

President Stanley Warner presided. Guests included A. Norman Klein of the Larchmont Rotary Club, and Bill Kuntz and Joe Gordon of Mamaroneck.

Jews To Form Palestine State If UN Fails

LAKE SUCCESS, (AP) — The Jewish Agency told the United Nations in effect today that it was determined in any event to go ahead with creation of a Jewish nation in Palestine.

This would be done even if the UN is unable to carry out its own partition project, the agency said in a major policy statement to the UN Security Council.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver, chairman of the American section of the agency's executive, told the council:

"We feel under obligation to make our position unmistakably clear. As far as the Jewish people is concerned it has accepted the (partition) decision of the United Nations. We regard it as binding and we are resolved to move forward in the spirit of that decision.

"Under the plan there are dates to be met. We must assume that these dates will be met.

"We fully respect the authority of the United Nations but if it is unable to carry out its own decision and, as a consequence, the Jewish Community of Palestine is confronted with the threat of annihilation, it will be compelled by the considerations of sheer survival, not to speak of the preservation of its rights, to take all the necessary measures which the situation will call for."

Brothers' Twin Wives Mothers Together

NEW ROCHELLE — Baby girls were born to twin sisters who married husbands who are brothers at New Rochelle Hospital yesterday and today. The baby girls each weighed exactly six pounds, five ounces.

The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Resner and Mr. and Mrs. John Resner. The mothers were the former Nichelina and Angelina Rizzo of New Rochelle. Their husbands came from Pelham. They were married June 8, 1947, in New Rochelle.

A double room has been arranged for at the hospital for the twin mothers and their offspring.

Registration Set Tomorrow For Larchmont, Mamaroneck Elections Slated March 16

Tomorrow is Registration Day in the Villages of Mamaroneck and Larchmont.

All citizens who did not register for the Fall election must do so tomorrow to be qualified to vote in the Village elections Tuesday, March 16.

In the Village of Mamaroneck, Anthony Sansone is the Republican nominee and Henry T. Hornidge the Democratic and Non-Partisan nominee for police justice. Incumbents James Jackson, John Withers and Alfred Weeks are the Republican nominees for trustee while the Democrats have nominated David B. Chisholm.

In Larchmont, the Republicans and Democrats have named a fusion ticket consisting of Walter B. C. Washburn, Republican for mayor, and George N. Gibbs, Democrat, and Harold T. Hughes, Republican, for trustee.

Registration hours in Larchmont will be 2 P. M. to 8 P. M. at the Municipal Building (District 1), and Chatsworth Avenue School (District 2).

Registration hours in Mamaroneck will be from 12 noon to 8 P. M. at the following places:

District One—Mamaroneck Avenue School.

District Two—Fenimore Road and Waverly Avenue.

District Three—Mamaro Fire House, Palmer Avenue.

District Four—Central School, West Boston Post Road.

District Five — Holy Trinity School Auditorium, East Boston Post Road.

District Six — Columbia Fire House, Barry Avenue.

District Seven — Barry Avenue School, Barry Avenue.

District Eight — Halstead Manor Firehouse, Halstead Avenue.

District Nine Basement, Hillcrest Apartments.

State Income Tax Reduction Of 40% Given

ALBANY, (AP) — Governor Dewey today signed a bill permitting a 40 per cent "forgiveness" on personal state income taxes due next month on 1947 earnings.

He also signed a measure fixing the tax at 3 per cent on net incomes of unincorporated businesses based on 1947 returns.

For the past three years the income tax forgiveness has been 50 per cent, but 10 per cent has been added to help defray the cost of the State Veterans' Bonus.

Therefore a state income tax payment this Spring will be 50 per cent of the full rate, or 20 per cent higher than last year's payments.

Fire Losses In Town Hit All-Time Low

Fire losses in the unincorporated area during 1947 amounted to only $1,075, the lowest in the history of the Town of Mamaroneck Fire Department, Councilman George E. Mills, Jr., said Wednesday night at the meeting of the Town Council in reading the annual report of Chief George W. Burton.

Fire losses for the previous year totalled $9,120. Hithest loss was $94,000 in 1937, when the Chatsworth Gardens Apartments burned.

Members of the board joined Councilman Mills in praising the department for the exceptionally low fire loss in the 5.17 square mile area protected by the department, containing buildings with an assessed valuation of $22,675,262.

2 Residents Hurt As Car Overturns

Robert P. Giampia, 22, of 418 Mamaroneck Avenue, Mamaroneck, and Robert Sullivan, 23, of 125 Mamaroneck Avenue, Mamaroneck, were slightly injured at 7:50 P.M. yesterday when the car in which they were riding overturned after hitting the tailgate of a truck lying in the road on Mamaroneck Avenue near Bryant Avenue, White Plains.

Giampia, driver of the car, suffered scalp cuts and bruises and a possible concussion. Sullivan, a passenger, also suffered scalp bruises. Both men were taken to St. Agnes Hospital and later released.

Boivin's Keen Memory Puts Police On Trail Of Burglar

White Plains police yesterday arrested a man for burglary who was identified as the same person who committed a burglary in the town of Mamaroneck 20 years ago.

A teletype message was sent out requesting information concerning Rudolph Manasek, who was picked up by White Plains police for breaking into and looting an apartment. Sgt. Louis Boivin, desk officer at Town Police Headquarters, saw the message as it came over the machine and immediately recalled the name.

Checking the records, Sgt. Boivin reported that Manasek was arrested on May 11, 1927, by Detective Chauncey Smith, then a patrolman, and Patrolman John Gilloy, now retired. Manasek, who was 17 years old at the time, was arrested with an accomplice, William Yonswalet, then 21, for looting a house on Hillside Road which was occupied by John Greuner. Loot found on them was estimated to be worth $1,000.

Both were indicted by the Grand Jury. Manasek, because of his age, was sent to the Elmira Reformatory for an indefinite period, and Yonswalet was sentenced to four to eight years.

Detective Smith last night took the record to White Plains and also questioned Manasek in connection with apartment burglaries committed here last Fall.

Rotarians Aid Red Cross In Business Area

The Mamaroneck Rotary Club members are busy this week collecting funds for the Red Cross among the retail business in the Village. Harry Harrison, captain of the Rotary team, hopes to have reached his allotted share of the overall $6,185 quota before the one-day residential drive Sunday.

It is the fifth year the Rotary Club has volunteered to canvass the business district.

The following members are working with Mr. Harrison: Dr H. C. Bruskin, James Fastiggi, William J. Kuhn, Joseph Rigano, Aaron Ditmen, John Kreezl, Henry D. Holden, Melvin Goldman.

Also Jules Schwartzreich, Stanley Warner, Mortimer Margolius, Thomas McKeever, T. James Ahern, George R. Ayres, Leo Orsino, D. Page, Frank Cuce, Fred Yankocy, Dr. R. E. Machan, Joseph McLain, Al Fiorelli, Chuck Policini, and Joseph Pugliese.

Tax Rebate Bill Is Made Target Of Democrats

ALBANY, (AP) — Democrats promised today to make a last-ditch stand in the Assembly against final passage of the Condon-Wadlin bill to give employers an additional $20,000,000 in unemployment insurance tax rebates.

The measure also increases maximum benefits to idle workers by $5 a week.

The Democrats announced they could renew a charge made yesterday, when the bill passed the Senate 36-16, that it was a Dewey Administration "windfall" to big business. Final passage of the measure by the GOP-controlled Assembly is expected next week.

The Senate yesterday also approved without dissent and sent to the Assembly bills which would:

1. Provide emergency salary increases totaling $360,000 for legislative and judiciary employes.

2. Continue the Wicks Commission, which is investigating the State Education Department for another year, until March 31, 1949, and appropriate $50,000.

3. Establish a record administration division to supervise the preservation and disposal of administrative documents.

The Senate approved the Condon-Wadlin Bill by a party vote after heated debate.

Democratic Leader Elmer F. Quinn read into the record a CIO letter which branded the measure "an attempt to plunder the Unemployment Insurance Law."

Finn Majority Hits Alliance With Russia

HELSINKI, FINLAND, (AP) —Two minority parties announced their opposition today to entering into a military alliance with Russia. Their stand means that parties representing a majority of the members of Parliament now are aligned against such a tie.

The minority parties, the Conservatives and the Liberals, joined *other parties and blocs, however,* in approving the opening of negotiations with the Soviet Union on a friendship and mutual assistance pact as suggested last week by Prime Minister Stalin.

The final decision on the answer to Russia now rests with President Juho Paasikivi, a statesman with long experience in dealing with the Russians. Parliament would be required to ratify any treaty after its conclusion.

Mrs. Frank Reveals Conference Plans

WHITE PLAINS—At the meeting of the nutrition committee of the Westchester Council of Social *Agencies, Inc.*, held yesterday in the County Office Building, Mrs. A. S. Frank of Larchmont, chairman, announced plans for the regional conference of the New York State Nutrition Committee.

The Westchester nutrition committee will be host for this meeting on Thursday, April 15, at Hotel Gramatan in Bronxville. State Health Commissioner Herman E. Hilleboe will open conference, speaking on "The State Program." Miss May McDonald, chairman of the New York State Nutrition Committee, will preside at the morning session which will be followed by a luncheon.

Albany Strike Cancels G.O.P. Club Session

Due to the employes strike at the Ten Eyck and De Witt Clinton Hotels in Albany, the Federation of Women's Republican Clubs of New York State, Inc., has cancelled its legislative conference scheduled for Monday and Tuesday, it was announced today by Miss Jane H. Todd, president.

A "campaign school" meeting will be held in Albany in April, Miss Todd said.

Orienta Mansion Sold For Jewish Children's School

Mrs. James And Brady Endorsed

Trustee Walter F. Brady and Mrs. Raworth H. James were unanimously endorsed last night by the committee for the Selection of School Board Nominees for presentation to *the community* at an open meeting March 18, as candidates for the Board of Education of Union Free School District No. 1.

Endorsement of Mr. Brady, who is completing his first three-year term, and Mrs. James followed the advancement of their names by the sub-committee of six members chosen last month to canvass the Town of Mamaroneck and Village of Larchmont for prospects.

The committee, composed of 24 representatives from all sections of the Town of Mamaroneck, met in a Board room at the Weaver Street Firehouse to hear the report of Walter Schenker, Jr., chairman of the sub-committee. The report had been outlined by the larger committee, coordinating the many suggestions and opinions presented by various committee members and other citizens who contacted them and whom they approached.

The sub-committee recommended Mr. Brady's continuation in office to represent the unincorporated area of the town on the firm belief that Mr. Brady's ability and business experience, coupled with the knowledge of the problems and workings of the Board of Education gained by him during his first term readily indicate his selection."

In presenting Mrs. James to represent the Village of Larchmont, the sub-committee stated that it was the consensus of citizens contacted that it was both wise and helpful to have at least one woman on the Board of Education.

Mrs. James, who lives at 7 Dawes Place, Larchmont, is a graduate of Cornell University with a B.S. degree in home economics. She has been active in community affairs for the last 10 years. She has served on the executive boards of the Parent-Teacher Association of Chatsworth Avenue School, and the Mamaroneck-Larchmont Parent-Teacher Council. During the war, she was a member of the *Larchmont War Council* and was chairman of war activities in charge of nutrition classes and War Bond sales. The Board of Education appointed her chairman of a canning school conducted in the schools to conserve food. She has also been chairman of the Larchmont unit of the Westchester County Home Bureau. She has two daughters and is serving this year as class representative in the Mamaroneck Junior High School and Mamaroneck Senior High School, which her daughters attend. She is also a Campfire guardian and member of the Larchmont Campfire Council.

The sub-committee contains two members each from the unincorporated area of the Town, the Village of Larchmont and Village of Mamaroneck. Caldwell Buck, chairman of the larger committee of 24, served ex-officio.

The committee of 24 will present the names of Mrs. James and Mr. Brady at the open meeting March 18, which all voters qualified to vote in school elections are urged to attend. Their endorsement will be sought at that time in order that petitions may be filed for their nomination. Nine members of next years nucleus committee for consideration of candidates will also be elected at the meeting.

Mrs. Harry Walther of 503 Cortlandt Avenue, Mamaroneck, was appointed to serve with the committee studying the question of the size of the school board. A report by this committee will be made at a later meeting.

Truck Driver Fined $25 For Carelessness

William W. Shaw, a truck driver of Winston Salem, N. C., was fined $25 last night by Judge John R. Cahill in Larchmont Police Court for imprudent driving.

Another Larchmont resident was fined $2 for failing to remove snow from his sidewalk. He was Philip Berkowsky of 21 Forest Park Avenue.

Mrs. Emma H. Haber of 6 Pryor Lane, Larchmont, was fined $3 on a parking violation and Robert McPherson of The Bronx, $5 for passing through a red light.

GREEKS EXECUTE EIGHT

ATHENS, (AP)—Eight persons were executed here today for crimes committed during the December, 1944, rebellion.

26-Acre Estate Opens In Fall As County School

The 26-acre Weatherbee estate known as "Waytes Court," on Orienta Point, Mamaroneck, which includes a 29-room house, has been purchased by the Westchester Religious Institute for conversion into an elementary school for Jewish children in the county, it was announced today.

Scheduled to open next September, the school will provide an integrated course of studies consisting of regular public school curriculum under state supervision, and instruction in Hebrew subjects.

The estate, assessed at $275,800, is located at 856 Orienta Avenue. It fronts on Orienta, Blicker and Walton Avenues, and has a water frontage of 500 feet on Long Island Sound. It is beautifully landscaped and includes, besides a sumptuously furnished brick and stone dwelling of Norman architecture, a gardener's cottage, two-story garage and stable, hunting lodge, summer house, gate house, four heated greenhouses, and other structures.

The school, according to officials of the Institute, will serve the educational, spiritual, recreational and cultural needs of Jewish youth in the area.

It will be operated on a non-profit basis, and will grant scholarships in meritorious cases. Facilities will include transportation for pupils to and from home, meals prepared under a dietician's supervision, and gymnastic and recreational activities.

Rabbi David I. Golovensky of New Rochelle initiated the cam- *(Continued on Page Three)*

Taft Opposes World Agency To Block Reds

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Senator Taft of Ohio today lined up with Senator Vandenberg of Michigan against trying to set up a new world agency to block Communism.

The opposition of the two Republican leaders spelled death for the plan planned by four of their GOP colleagues: Senators Ball, Minn., Wherry, Neb., Hawkes, N. J., and Cain, Wash.

Taft is chairman of the Senate Republican Policy Committee. Vandenberg heads the Foreign Relations Committee and is the Senate's presiding officer.

The super agency idea was offered as an amendment to the $5,300,000,000 European Recovery Program.

It would direct the President to try to create an 11-nation "Supreme Council" outside the United Nations. There would be no veto against the use of armed force to stop "aggression or subversion."

Taft told a reporter he is not willing to surrender the veto power which the United States now has in the United Nations Security Council unless the UN Charter is rewritten.

Vandenberg, who rejected the plan outright Wednesday, also is opposed to junking the Big Power veto held by Britain, France, Russia, and China.

Greason Calls For Response To Red Cross

F. Spencer Greason, mayor of the Village of Larchmont today, expressed confidence that the 1948 American Red Cross Fund campaign will meet with hearty cooperation. Urging prompt response, Mr. Greason says:

"The 1948 American Red Cross Fund campaign needs no sponsors to tell the people of Larchmont why they should contribute to it.

"Everyone knows of the Red Cross and so they also know that during the past year, this, our own American organization for succor and help to whatever extent needed and to any and all peoples all over the world, was called upon for expenditures of money and materials far beyond expectations. As always, those *monies and materials and services* were promptly and freely given.

"I am confident that the people of Larchmont will give of their *money just as freely and* promptly that the relatively small quota for our community of $12,515 will be substantially oversubscribed long before the end of the campaign on March 14."

PUNCH BOARDS BANNED

PEEKSKILL—All punch boards have been ordered out of stores and other public places in Peekskill by Chief of Police Joseph A. Tillie. Some of the boards paid off in cash, he said.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ★ MAMARONECK, N. Y., SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 1948 ★ MEMBERS OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather
Tonight ..Increasing cloudiness and not so cold. Lowest in the mid-20's. Tomorrow snow changing to rain, highest in the upper 30's. High tides today at 10:03 P. M.; tomorrow at 10:16 A. M. and 10:41 P. M.

Combing The Town

Palestine Problem

The U. S. State Department, which seeks to delay the partition of Palestine, does not reflect the majority of public opinion and press in this country and throughout the world, according to Dr. Benjamin Shwardrin, who spoke last night at the eighth Mamaroneck Hebrew Institute forum.

Dr. Shwardrin, head of the research department of the Emergency Zionist Council of America, appeared in place of James Aronson, who was ill and could not attend.

Because of the State Department's attitude and if the U.N. will not help with a police force in Palestine, Dr. Shwardrin said the American public will morally support the Palestinian Jews, who will fight to protect the Jewish State paradoxically set up by the U.N.

He also said that it is British policy today to leave Palestine and thereby encourage an open battle between Jews and Arabs and then point out to the world and say, "I told you so."

Air-Minded

John Dodenhoff, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dodenhoff of 23 Forest Street, Larchmont, has entered the Academy of Aeronautics in New York City for a two and a half year course in aeronautical engineering.

A June, 1947, graduate of Mamaroneck High School, where he was a hockey star, he won a prize last year in the Fisher Body model competition.

In Caribbean Area

Pfc. David F. Britt, U.S. Marine Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Britt of 221 Frank Avenue, Mamaroneck, is with the regular complement of the Eighth Marine Battalion aboard the U.S.S. Philippine Sea, an aircraft carrier which is participating in fleet maneuvers in the Caribbean Sea area.

The cruise is the third major peacetime operation in which the battalion has been embarked aboard Navy ships. The entire organization left Norfolk, Va. Navy Yard recently.

Still Time

There's still time to register.

All citizens who did not register for the April election must do so before 8 P. M. today to be qualified to vote in the Village election in Mamaroneck and Larchmont on Tuesday, March 16.

Ten Men Face Charges In Big Express Theft

NEW YORK, (AP)—Ten men were held on grand larceny charges today following their arrest in a police roundup which authorities credited with smashing a multi-million dollar theft ring preying on the Railway Express Agency.

The ten, arrested and arraigned yesterday, were charged specifically with action in concert in the theft of $30,000 worth of wearing apparel from the express company. Magistrate Samuel Orr set March 10 for initial hearings.

Forty persons were seized in the roundup. Most of them were held for questioning.

Four of those arraigned were company employes. Police said the stolen merchandise had been transferred from an agency truck to a private truck in which two of the prisoners were arrested Thursday.

Joseph Adinolfi, 32, Frank Miranda, 34, Louis Scheman, 34, and James Cipallara, 44, were listed by the District Attorney's office as "leaders of the gang."

Others arraigned were: Emil Marinaro, 25, Louis D'Elia, 44, of Yonkers, Warren W. Carney, 29, Sam Amato, 40, James D. Sherry, 24, and Anthony Quinn, 39.

Police said "millions of dollars" worth of merchandise had been stolen from the Express Agency during the past year.

Senior Scouts Slate Meeting Monday Night

Sea Scouts and Explorer Scouts of Senior Unit 8 will hold a meeting Monday at 7:45 P. M. in the Church House of the Mamaroneck Methodist Church, East Boston Post Road.

All members are requested to attend. Any boys, 16 years old or over, with or without Scouting experience, are also invited.

NO BROBLEM AT ALL!

To place a want ad in our paper is about the easiest thing in the world . . . because want ads are as near as your telephone. This will be attested to by hundreds of advertisers who call in their want ads to this newspaper every week.

To start action just call Mamaroneck 8-2100. If you know what you want to say one of our girls will write it down word for word. If you aren't sure our ad takers will help you, she'll help you write a help wanted ad which will bring you help immediately . . . or a miscellaneous for sale ad which will sell any of your "don't needs." Just remember the phone number . . . Mamaroneck 8-2100.

Man Seized In Chamber Fraud Plot

Exposition Promoter Arrested For Attempt To Deceive Merchants

WANTED ELSEWHERE

Mamaroneck police are holding Gilbert Ray Minter, promoter of commercial expositions, on a charge of committing a misdemeanor by using an assumed name or address with attempt to deceive.

The man, they said, is also wanted in Cambridge, Md., where two warrants have been issued for his arrest and that he has admitted to ing money from merchants in Pe Chester and having been convicted of taking money under false pretenses in Trenton, N. J.

Minter's arrest was brought about after he solicited Mamaroneck merchants selling booth space in an exposition and coaching school to be held in the parish hall of St. Thomas' Episcopal Church. Arthur Dunn, Jr., secretary of the Chamber of Commerce from whom he asked endorsement of his exposition, wrote to other places to get information on the man. The information he got led to the man's arrest.

Minter gave 60 East 42d Street as the address of his United Expositions Company, but the New York Better Business Bureau reported no such firm at that address.

Appearing before Acting Judge Hunter Meighan this morning he pleaded not guilty and was re-
(Continued on Page Three)

Dewey Lashes Critics As He Signs Aid Bill

ALBANY, (AP) — Governor Dewey today signed the Feinberg Bill increasing State aid for education from $152,000,000 to $190,000,000.

Dewey, noting an $80,000,000 increase since he became Governor in 1943, lashed at "pressure groups" and others he accused of picturing New York as "A Tobacco-Road State in the Field of Education."

In a sharply-worded statement, the Governor said the increase during his tenure was "unequalled in the educational history" of the nation, and added:

"We have in the State of New York the finest schools in the world. We have the finest buildings, infrequent exceptions to the contrary notwithstanding.

"Our teachers are the most highly paid. We have more of them. We have the broadest and most intensive curricula. It is an injustice to the people of the State to attempt to deny these facts."

New York leads the educational field "by any sound comparison," Dewey asserted.

He said the Feinberg Bill, which revises the system of apportioning State aid, was "good for the schools" and "more than adequate in many situations."

He added, however:

How good the program is for the soundness of the State's finances in the future is a question that only the future will answer."

The State pays a little more than one-third the total cost of education in New York.

The Feinberg Bill actually provides a permanent increase of $56,000,000 annually. This includes $26,000,000 granted on an emergency basis last year and $30,000,000 in new money. It becomes law July 1.
(Continued on Page Three)

Bridges Ousted By CIO Union

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP)—The CIO ousted Harry Bridges as northern California regional director yesterday.

And, newspapers reported, a third attempt is to be made to deport the Australian-born longshore labor leader.

In Washington, however, aides of Attorney General Tom Clark said "the Bridges case has not been reopened."

The CIO fired Bridges from the regional director post yesterday because he went contrary to national CIO policy by supporting Wallace's third party and opposing the Marshall Plan of Aid to Europe.

He was warned two weeks ago to get in line with policy of the CIO executive committee on the issues or face ouster from the regional director's position. He was silent on his ouster.

TROOPERS COVER CITY

PEEKSKILL—The State Police guarded Peekskill as City police met in a courtroom to reorganize the department. The reorganization followed recommendations of Police Commissioner John F. Hayes, former Peekskill patrolman.

OPPOSING CANDIDATES MEET—Left to right, at last night's candidate's meeting sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Mamaroneck, are incumbent trustees John Wilmers and James Jackson; Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone, Republican candidate for police justice; Mrs. Julius Silvers, president of the League; David B. Chisholm, Democratic candidate for trustee; Henry T. Hornidge. Non-Partisan and Democratic candidate for police justice; and Alfred Weeks, incumbent trustee. —Staff Photo

Group To Plan Freedom Train Trip To State

NEW YORK, (AP) — A committee of newspaper and railroad representatives has been set up to plan an itinerary for a New York State Freedom Train tour of the State next October.

Ira C. Sapozink, a member of one of the newspaper groups that met here yesterday with railroad representatives, said the committee also will decide on the number of cars to be used in the train and what historical documents it will carry.

The committee also will confer with State Legislature and publishers who will collaborate in the project.

Among those at the meeting were Gerald II. Salisbury, managing editor of the Knickerbocker News, Albany, and chairman of the State Freedom Train Committee; Wallace Odell, vice president of Westchester County Publishers, Inc., representing the New York State Publishers Association, and A. B. Chown, president of the Trunk Lines Central Passenger Association.

Sapozink said another meeting will be held in about two weeks in Albany or New York.

Czechs Plan To Nationalize Foreign Trade

PRAGUE, (AP) — Czechoslovakia will nationalize her foreign trade but will not devalue currency to set up a special trade dollar value, the Minister of Foreign Trade said today.

The Communist Minister, Antonin Gregor, reiterated his hope that Czechoslovakia could continue to do business with the western countries—defined as those countries lacking a planned economy, no matter what their location.

A news conference developed a discussion of the grain help given Czechoslovakia by Russia. British and American reporters quickly gained an admission from Gregor and Evzen Loebl, an assistant, that the UNRRA aid given the year before had been sizable.

Loebl said that one difference was that UNRRA aid was United Nations help given without any political conditions. Questioned whether he meant that Russia's help was therefore political, he retreated from his definitions.

Meantime it became known that the March 4 edition of the European edition of the New York Herald Tribune was banned. It contained a denunciation of events here by British Labor Party members, the story that the State Department would blacklist Charles University, and the resignation of Ambassadors to Washington and Ottawa.

Jewish Mortar Fire Kills Five

JERUSALEM, (AP). Jews in Haifa hailed five persons and damaged three buildings severely by firing three-inch mortar shells at Arabs in the area area today, police said.

The police report said the fire came from Hadar Hacarmel, all-Jewish business and residential section halfway up the Carmel mountainside.

Anniversary Mass Set For Monsignor Breslin

WHITE PLAINS—A solemn anniversary Mass of requiem will be offered in St. Julus's Church here Monday at 11 o'clock, for the late Right Rev. Monsignor Joseph A. Breslin, former Dean of Westchester County and pastor of St. John's.

On Sunday, March 14 St John's Holy Name Society will receive Holy Communion at the 8 o'clock Mass which will be offered for Monsignor Breslin, former moderator of the society.

Rival Political Candidates Outline Views From Same Platform At VFW Meeting

Anthony Sansone, Republican candidate, and Henry T. Hornidge, Democratic and Non-Partisan candidate for village police justice, declared their belief in the high standards required by the office and outlined their qualifications for the post last night at a candidates' meeting sponsored by the Mamaroneck League of Women Voters in the Barry Avenue School auditorium before a gathering of about 60 persons.

Incumbent Republican Trustees James Jackson, John Wilmers and Alfred Weeks and David B Chisholm, Democratic candidate for trustee, also spoke.

Mr. Sansone outlined the criminal and civil functions of the local police court, mentioning that in criminal cases the court has jurisdiction over many types of misdemeanors with the power to hand down a one-year sentence or $500 fine or both, and in civil cases it has up to $1,000 jurisdiction. Last year, the court was also given jurisdiction over removal of tenants, he added.

He described the court as "the poor man's court," one to which the working man goes. "It is the only court many persons ever go into," said the corporation counsel. "They get their first and sometimes only impression of justice in this court."

One need not be a lawyer to qualify for the police justice post, Mr. Sansone said, but the position calls for the exercise of common sense, patience, and tolerance of ideas and viewpoints, petty disputes and arguments. These arguments could develop into something important, he said, but here the police justice should insect his understanding and patience. He said he thought that he has that patience in "goodly quantity."

Mr. Sansone said that he has been practicing law for 25 years, and in his 15 years as village corporation counsel has tried virtually every type of case that the police have brought before him.

"I feel I'm perfectly able to handle the job, as I feel Mr. Hornidge is," he declared. "It comes right down to the question, 'Who's got the most votes?'"
(Continued on Page Three)

Palestine Plan Put Up To U. S. And Russians

LAKE SUCCESS, (AP) — Solving the Palestine problem seemed today to have been left mainly to the United States and Russia.

After two weeks of cautious debate, the United Nations Security Council late yesterday called on the five major powers to find a way of carrying out partition of the Holy Land into Jewish and Arab nations, recommended by the Assembly Nov. 29.

Britain announced off the floor that she would not take part in the consultations. China has abstained from much of the UN voting on Palestine. France has been reluctant to take a stand.

This prompted the general view that the future of the Holy Land rested on the doorsteps of Washington and Moscow.

The first big-power meeting was set for Monday morning in the New York offices of Soviet Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko. A 10-day limit was put on the sessions.

American Delegate Warren R. Austin immediately dispatched his top Palestine adviser, Dean Rusk, to Washington for conferences. Rusk was due back with any instructions from Secretary of State George C. Marshall in time to join Austin at the first session.

U. S. delegation conferences also were scheduled in New York over the weekend.

It still was not clear whether Britain would boycott the meetings entirely or would refuse officially to take part but send an observer. A spokesman emphasized that his government, as mandatory power in Palestine, was prepared to supply any information requested.

The Council struck a blow at partition in yesterday's meeting by refusing to adopt an American proposal that it accept the UN Assembly's partition decision. That plan makes provision for the Council to find ways to carry out the split up. The vote on the issue was 3 to 0 with six abstentions.

'PLAN' FOR MID-EAST?

CAIRO, EGYPT, (AP). The widely circulated weekly newspaper Akhbar El Yom quotes an an "informed source" in Washington today as saying mideastern countries "soon will benefit from a plan similar to the Marshall Plan for Europe." The dispatch describes the information as the "first official confirmation."

Another Heavy Snow Forecast By U. S. Bureau

Heavy snow was forecast today by the New York Weather Bureau for late tonight and tomorrow.

The bureau in a special advisory issued at 8:30 said rain may follow to reduce the depth of the snow in some places.

"Several inches of snow may fall," the official notice said which would put 1948 in sight of the all time record Winter snow depth of 57.8 inches in 1904-05. That was measured at New York. Croton Falls has had 90 inches since Dec 23, but there is no accurate record of the depth there in 1904-05, which may already have been exceeded.

Two storms are headed this way, the Weather Bureau warned, which may cause snowfall tomorrow even heavier than the "several inches" indicated. The conditions are somewhat similar to those which produced the record Dec. 26 snow.

The snow is expected to begin late tonight or tomorrow, the prediction said, "but will probably change to rain." That would reduce the depth of the snow. However, experience has shown that when snow changes to *rain in* New York City it frequently continues to snow in Westchester. Also the Weather Bureau says that a storm is moving off the coast as on Dec. 26 and Jan. 24, and if it should develope for this area tomorrow the snowfall "may be heavier."

The abnormal cold continued for a second night. It was 2 below zero at Croton Falls at 6:30 A. M.

36 Nations Join In Wheat Pact

WASHINGTON, (AP). — A 36-nation wheat agreement putting a $2 a bushel ceiling price on wheat exported by the United States, Canada and Australia was announced today.

Parkway Police Officer Saved By Alert Child

OSSINING — Sergeant Charles T. Smith, 41 of the Westchester Parkway Police is recovering today at Ossining Hospital from carbon monoxide poisoning he suffered yesterday.

Police said that Sgt Smith, a resident of 79 Highland Avenue, Ossining, went to his garage to found the garage doors closed and heard the motor of the car running. His mother summoned police who discovered Smith seated at the wheel of his car, unconscious.

The police gave him artificial respiration and when pulse and breathing were found to have stopped called the fire patrol with a pulmotor. The treatment revived him. At Ossining Hospital he told police he had been running the motor of his car at frequent intervals, then got in the driver's seat to take the car out for a test spin, suddenly felt faint and that is all he remembers the police reported.

What Is Mamaroneck's Greatest Need?

(Editor's Note—This is the 17th in a Saturday series of interviews with citizens on important issues of the day. Suggested topics from readers are invited. Today's question is: What do you believe Mamaroneck needs most?")

Mrs. Milton A. Mandelson, 639 Seney Avenue, Mamaroneck: Mamaroneck needs more parking facilities. There is not enough parking space along Mamaroneck Avenue, especially on Fridays and Saturdays when people are doing their weekend shopping. It has gotten so bad that *I finally gave* up and went to Larchmont to do my shopping."

Mrs. Gregory J. Pastore, 378 Northrup Avenue, Mamaroneck: "Our community needs a hospital. Sick people have to go either to New Rochelle or Port Chester. In the event of an emergency, time is important. By having a hospital here, many lives could be saved. As far as financing a hospital is concerned, I think the money should be raised by contributions from all residents, not only the taxpayers, but everyone."

Judge Charles M. Baxter, Jr., 100 Mamaroneck Avenue: The one thing that would do the most good for Mamaroneck as a residential community would be the improvement of the East Basin. The West Basin improvement changes the entire complexion of the village. Beautifying the village advertises it and attracts people to live here. Along with the basin improvement should go an extension of the marginal park system on Harbor Island."

Frank Rigano, 178 Fulton Road, Mamaroneck: "I think a boys' club is badly needed, a meeting place for boys to engage in recreation instead of hanging around street corners."

Mrs. Wallace L. Palmer, Soundview Gardens Apartments: I think Mamaroneck needs to become a city. It seems to me that many more improvements would come if we were under a city form of government."

Mrs. Anna B. Loy, 417 Hinman Place, Mamaroneck: "Low rentals! Property taxes are an important factor in the progress and development of a community. Westchester County as a whole has a reputation for high taxes. For this reason, many people are reluctant to buy in these parts, including Mamaroneck. It has also been called a wealthy community. Recently while shopping in New York City, I mentioned to the salesman that I had to catch a train. Upon learning where I lived, he laughingly said, 'Oh, you're one of those Westchester millionaires.' My reply was: 'If living in Westchester means being a millionaire, then I'm one of the poor millionaires.'"

Fred J. Yankocy, 218 Lawrence Avenue, Mamaroneck: "There is a need for a professional building and hospital in Mamaroneck. I
(Continued on Page Three)

Red Cross Seeks Goal Of $6,185 In Drive Tomorrow

260 Workers To Tour Village As Siren Sounds

Mamaroneck's fire sirens sounding the signal, 1-9-4-8 at 1 P. M. tomorrow will herald the start of this year's Red Cross Fund campaign.

During the afternoon an army of 260 volunteer workers will visit every home in the village to collect the 1948 quota of $6,185.

Robert C. Duncan, Fund chairman, today urged all residents to stay at home tomorrow until their neighborhood collector has called.

By eightfold it is hoped that the quota will have been reached. Last year's goal of $5,500 was overscribed more than $3,000 in the single day campaign.

The Union Savings Bank will open its doors at 7 P. M. to receive district captains with the day's receipts.

During the next two hours, the bank will present an American scene worthy of the pencil of Norman Rockwell, who grew up here not so long ago. Tellers will work feverishly checking returns with tired, triumphant captains, while Red Cross branch directors, village officials and the police look on hopefully.

Mr. Duncan today announced the following residential district quotas.

Districts 1 and 2—$250; Kendig Divito, Frank Quadrini and Mrs. Rose Constantini, captains.

District 2A—$125; Mrs. John Frend, captain.

District 3—$250; Henry T. Hornidge, captain.

District 4A—$625; Jerome Heffner, captain.

District 4B—$450; Mrs. Henry Boak, captain.

District 5—$500; Miss Martha Estep, captain.

District 6 — $400: Clarence Litchfield, captain.

District 7 — $1,250; Mrs. Henry C. Knesal, captain.

District 8—$600; John J. McDonald, Alvah Small and William D. Sullivan, captains.

District 9—$550; Mrs. Audrey Herman, captain.

District 11—$120; Miss Mildred Smith, captain.

The crew of workers at the Savings Bank will operate under the direction of Gabriel Wendell, treasurer of the Fund. The workers are Harold Saunders, Miss Marjorie Clapp, John Sullivan, Miss Gertrude Cahill, Joseph V. Fastigi of the bank staff. Also Herbert La Roza, Miss Babette Cross and Miss Dorothy Warren of the County Trust Company staff.

Officers and directors of the Mamaroneck Branch who are backing Mr. Duncan and the Fund committees are Mrs. John F. Auer, chairman; Mrs. Arthur Callahan and Mrs. John S. Gallagher, vice-chairman; Mrs. Warren K. Friar, recording secretary; Mrs.
(Continued on Page Three)

Tax Share Is Offered To Villages

WHITE PLAINS — A tentative agreement upon a compromise offer to be made the 22 villages of Westchester in distribution of State aid to municipalities under the so-called Moore Plan has been reached by Supervisors of the Towns affected, it was reported today.

Under the proposed compromise, the villages which are now receiving an aggregate of $130,000 in state aid under the special Westchester formula would be allocated approximately $361,000 This is not quite as much as the villages had asked, namely, $444,000, but it is expected that serious consideration will be given to the offer when the Village Officials' Association meets next on March 18.

At present, as worked out by the Village Officials' Association, the Moore Plan provides State aid of $1,034,118 to the 18 towns in Westchester and $130,063 to the 22 villages. On the five-year program under which the Moore Plan becomes effective, the towns share is expected to reach $1,123,532 and that of the villages $152,436.

The Moore Plan provided basically for States aid on a per capita basis, $6.75 to cities, $3.35 to towns, and $3.00 to villages. But in Westchester, where at that time towns bore all relief and welfare costs and the villages none, a different arrangement was made in an amendment to the Moore Plan, whereby the towns received larger amounts and the villages considerably less. The villages assert that they average only 94 cents per capita throughout the county, and now that the State and County have assumed the welfare and relief costs, they insist upon a new formula.

Under the distribution formula as it now stands, the Westchester villages receive 20 per cent of the amount given the towns, dividing that 20 per cent among themselves on the basis of assessed valuations. *The compromise offer reported* to have been agreed upon by the towns is that the 20 per cent be lifted to 50 per cent.

Plan Awaits Action

Roughly, this would mean that any village would under the new plan receive two and one-half times the amount it is now receiving in State aid, although this is not entirely accurate, since the distribution among several towns in the same village must be worked out on an assessed valuation comparision.

The State aid to the 18 towns varies, ranging from $196,320 for Greenburgh to $9,005 for Poundridge. In relation of State aid to town tax levies, the State funds represent an average of 28 per cent of the town levies. Two towns, Pelham and Rye, have no tax levies whatever, since the State aid and other revenues eliminate the need for any tax levies. The State aid varies in this percentage, ranging from 60 per cent of the Pelham town budget to eight per cent of the Harrison Town budget, incidentally, towns without villages will not be affected under the new plan, it was announced by Chairman James D. Hopkins, North Castle, of the Supervisors' legislative committee.

For the villages, under the present arrangement, State aid averages only two per cent throughout the County of the aggregate villages' budgets, compared to 28 per cent of the towns' budgets mentioned above. No village receives from the State at present more than three per cent of its budget requirements.

Acceptance of the compromise will hinge upon the attitude of the Town Boards affected and of the villages. This may require several months, it was said, before a definite agreement can be announced.

Police Have Prisoner Waiting For Complaint

YONKERS—The police didn't have to go far to find Dominick Derenzo, alias John Adams, 22, when Henry Pierro, complained he had a bad check signed by Derenzo. The man was already in City Jail awaiting hearings on two grand larceny charges.

Pierro, proprietor of the Radio Center, Yonkers, and Westchester AAU Boxing Commissioner, whose place of business is three blocks from Police Headquarters said the check was issued to the amount of $25.20. Derenzo is charged with selling autos which were not free and clear of liens.

Farley Calls Wallace Threat To Democrats

NEW YORK, (AP). — Former Postmaster General James A. Farley predicts that Henry A. Wallace's third party bid for the White House will poll some 5,000,000 votes next November. And, he says, "from half a million to a million" of them will come from New York.

Wallace, the one-time National Democratic Chairman said last night, "is more of a threat to the Democratic Party than the Democratic leaders realize."

He was interviewed on the "Meet the Press" radio program during which he said flatly that he was not a candidate for office in 1948. "Neither for the Presidency, nor the vice presidency."

That Mink Coat Craze May Become Masculine

HOLLYWOOD, (AP). — The time is not far off, a noted fur designer said today, when no male with the slightest pretense of being well-dressed will try to get by without at least one garment in his wardrobe fashioned from the pelt of some inoffensive quadruped.

Designer Al Teitelbaum, widely known fur designing those fur creations for the movie lovelies, climbed right out on the end of a branch and said that tailored mink coats for men are not more than five years away—and indicated it will be a lot less if he has anything to say about it.

Teitelbaum disclosed that he already is turning out men's sports jackets in calfskin and smoking jackets in Persian lamb and seal, and he is confident he'll find some buyers for them.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., MONDAY, MARCH 8, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Mostly sunny, highest temperature in middle 40s. Tonight clear and cold, low in upper 20s. Tomorrow mostly sunny, highest near 40. High tides today at 11:20 P. M.; tomorrow at 11:27 A. M. and 11:47 P. M.

Combing The Town

Lenten Speaker

The Rev. Henry Smith Leiper, D. D., executive secretary of the American Committee for the World Council of Churches, who will speak tomorrow night at the fifth union Lenten service in the Larchmont Avenue Church.

He Better Be Good!

Albert Idell, whose book on "The Blizzard of 1888" will be published Thursday, will be among the guest speakers the following day at Mrs. Mary E. Turnbull's 60th anniversary "Blizzard Gals" luncheon at the National Arts Club in New York.

Mrs. Turnbull is the staunch 77-year-old Ladchmont blizzard survivor who is determined not to allow the noted Blizzard Men to take all the glory of that memorable March 12 event of 1888. Her luncheon is a sell-out, she reports, and letters continue to pour in from women survivors from many parts of the country, extolling her efforts and wishing her good luck.

Mr. Idell's book is the result of considerable research, and unless it turns out that he has given plenty of credit to the distaff side for their blizzard accomplishments, Mr. Idell will be a sorry author indeed, according to Mrs. Turnbull!

Youthful Journalists

Members of the editorial and business staff of The Record, Mamaroneck High School newspaper, will attend the 24th annual convention of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association, Thursday through Saturday, at Morningside Heights in New York City. More than 3,500 school journalists will be present.

Representing the Record will be Jean Roberts, editor in chief; Bob Kelly, news editor; Edward Wright, Michael Severin, Gina Guttman, David Drexler, Philip Severin, Roy Stern, Joan Foster, John Goldsmith, Phyllis Dixon, Libby Deverich, and Frank Stern, all of the editorial staff. Also Beverly Brawley, Valerie Mitchell and Nancy Neal of the business staff.

More than 150 meetings, press conferences, round table discussions, newspaper and magazine clinics and group discussions have been scheduled for the three-day program to be held in the University's McMillin Theater, the Horace Mann School auditorium, and class and lecture rooms.

Joins Tribute

Brig. Gen. Robert E. Condon of the Brompton Apartments, Larchmont, was among the distinguished guests at a testimonial dinner to Joseph F. Crowley of Yonkers, Westchester County Civil Air Patrol commander, at the Roger Smith Hotel, White Plains, Saturday night.

Gen. Condon is commanding general of 16th Air Force Service Command in charge of reserve officers in this district.

During the ceremonies, Major Crowley was presented with his commission as a lieutenant colonel by Lt. Col. Elbert C. Isom, deputy New York wing commander of C.A.P. He was also given a testimonial plaque.

Capt. Louis S. Frank of 49 Ellsworth Road, Larchmont, group executive officer, has been recommended for promotion to major, Col. Isom announced.

Breaking The Rule

They say swans prefer fresh water, but apparently there are exceptions to every rule.

Mrs. Dorothy Dulin of the Orienta Point Apartments, Mamaroneck, looked out of her window this morning and saw two regal white swans very much at home on the water at the mouth of the West Basin.

"I've lived here 10 years but never before saw a swan around here," Mrs. Dulin exclaimed.

BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE!

If in your business you're looking for experienced mechanics, good salesmen, stenographers, clerks, typists, bookkeepers . . . the type of help who help you build for the future . . . your best bet is a want ad. It's one of the best read features of the newspaper . . . men and women looking for their career all read it nightly.

You can get in touch with these people easily. Just insert your need under the appropriate help wanted classification. Both quantity and quality of response will please you. To start your ad simply phone Mamaroneck 9-2100. We'll do the rest!

Red Cross Tops Quota By $1,267 In One-Day Drive

$7,452 Reported With Collection Still Incomplete

Despite stormy weather and incomplete returns from business and industrial collections, Mamaroneck exceeded its Red Cross quota of $6,185 in yesterday's one-day drive, by $1,267.50 with cash tabulated by Fund Treasurer Gabriel Wendel, last night at $7,452.50. Further contributions are expected to swell this amount during the week.

Robert C. Duncan, chairman of the campaign, extended his thanks today to "all the captains who worked so hard to meet our goad on time, and especially to all the workers who braved the elements."

The first district to report last night at the Union Savings Bank was the Washingtonville, where collections were made by members of the Alessandro Manzoni Lodge, Vittorio Emanuel III Society and Betsy Ross Society. They had gone over their quota and set the pattern for the balance of the evening.

Returns by districts were as follows:

District	Quota	Raised
1 and 2	$250	$320.25
2A	125	158.00
3	250	329.00
4A	625	585.00
4B	450	502.25
5	500	603.25
6	400	445.00
7	1,250	1,392.00
8	600	716.75
9	550	727.00
11	120	120.00
Apartments	900	1,127.15
Industrial	1,055	157.35
Business	600	268.50
Organizations	125	

Pledges amounting to $78 were also received, but were not allocated to the districts.

Ex-Chairman To Be Feted By Democrats

Frank X. O'Donnell, Jr., of Larchmont, retiring head of the Town of Mamaroneck Democratic Committee, will be honored tomorrow at a testimonial dinner at 7:30 P. M. at the Old Forge Restaurant in Larchmont.

Mr. O'Donnell is retiring to become co-chairman of the New York State Young Democrats.

Speakers following the dinner will be Henry T. Hornidge, Democratic and Non-Partisan candidate for Village of Mamaroneck police judge; Professor David Chisholm, Democratic candidate for trustee in Mamaroneck; George N. Gibbs, Fusion candidate for trustee in the Village of Larchmont, and Harold T. Garrity, Democratic co-chairman.

Henry Zieger, incoming chairman of the Town Democratic Committee, will preside as toastmaster, with Councilman George E. Mills, Jr., as dinner chairman.

Assisting Mr. Mills as vice chairmen of the dinner committee are William Fernschild, president of the Larchmont Democratic Club and Joe Hunter, president of the Mamaroneck Democratic Club. Henry Ruiz heads the ticket committee, with Claude Seixas in charge for Larchmont and Nick Leon for Mamaroneck. Katharine M. McCahill heads the gift committee and Martin Stern is treasurer.

Miss Marron Dies Suddenly

Miss Marguerite Ann Marron of 423 Union Avenue, Mamaroneck, died suddenly at her late residence yesterday at the age of 23.

Miss Marron had attended 10 o'clock mass at Holy Trinity Church, returning home about 11 o'clock. She was seated reading the newspapers and died at 12:20 only a few minutes after complaining of feeling ill.

A member of her family said that she had been in an accident about a year and a half ago.

Dr. Edwin H. Huntington, acting county medical examiner, attributed death to a heart condition. He said that there was no connection between a fall Miss Marron suffered while ice skating a year and a half ago and her death. He reported she had been under medical care for some time.

A native of Mamaroneck, she was born July 21, 1924, and was a graduate of Holy Trinity School and Bellows High School. She was employed as a typist with Fawcett Publications in Greenwich, Conn. Miss Marron was a member of the Children of Mary Sodality of Holy Trinity Church.

Surviving are her parents, Michael J. Marron and the former

(Continued on Page Three)

Polio Drive Yields New High Mark

An all-time high of $3,503.43 net was raised during the 1948 March of Dimes drive in Mamaroneck, Fred J. Yankocy, chairman of the local committee, announced today. The amount exceeds by $765.78 the $2,737.65 raised in the 1947, which until this year was the highest ever obtained, Mr. Yankocy pointed out.

"But it could not have been done without an excellent and hard-working committee," Mr. Yankocy declared.

The gross amount collected was $3,530.43, from which $27 was deducted, leaving the $3,503.43 net, Mr. Yankocy stated. The drive locally brought in $3,413.09, to which he added credits from county headquarters of $117.34.

"I feel proud of the achievement of the committee this year," Mr. Yankocy continued, in thanking those who worked with him to put the drive over the top. "My co-Chairman, Mrs. Helen O'Donnell did a wonderful job in handling so successful the various women's groups who sat daily at the two local banks and in the Playhouse lobby during the evenings. To the treasurer, Gabriel Wendel, and the secretary, Frank Wright, I again express my appreciation.

"Various other committee chairmen, deserving of special commendation for fine work, are Charles Warren, in charge of collections in the schools; Leo Heithaus and E. J. O'Neill, Special Gifts; Charles Gronberg, organizations; Pete O'Reilly, churches; Dan Goetz and Charles Lanza, sports activities; Lillian and Bill Hall who contributed their bowling alleys for a special match; Charles Gaa, who made collections in the theater lobby possible; Leon Epstein and Ed Margoluis who distributed boxes throughout the Village.

"I want to make special mention of the fine collection made by the Fish and Philosophy column, edited by Pete Doern, needled and abetted by Leo Jubb, the hunters friend, and those doughty mariners, Roy Halsey and Merv Connor; also of the P.-T. A. groups from the Mamaroneck Avenue and the Daniel Warren Schools; and of the Girl Scouts, Campfire Girls and Cub Scouts

(Continued on Page Three)

Three Crashes Over Weekend; None Injured

Three minor automobile accidents were reported to police over the weekend. No one was injured.

Mrs. Margaret Dodson of 29 Mohegan Road, Larchmont, reported to Larchmont police Saturday that at 11:10 A. M. Friday the right side of her car was damaged by another car which pulled away from the curb while she was traveling south on Larchmont Avenue between Addison Street and the Post Road.

She reported that the operator of the other car, whose left front fender was damaged, was Leslie Jayne of New York City.

Charles C. Haire of New Rochelle reported to Mamaroneck police that while his vehicle was traveling west on Tompkins Avenue near Beach, a taxicab coming from the opposite direction, driven by Edward Hollywood of 255 Halstead Avenue, Mamaroneck, skidded and ran into the left rear fender of his car. There was no damage to the cab, Mr. Haire told police. The accident occurred at 5:50 P. M. Saturday.

Two cars were damaged early this morning when they skidded on Weaver Street just beyond the railroad bridge, Town police reported.

Both cars were traveling south on Weaver Street, police said. Operator of the first car was Joseph Sinopoli of 156 Center Avenue, Mamaroneck. The right front fender was damaged as was also the right side of the car driven by Harold N. Englander of 9 Villa Lane, Larchmont.

Holy Name Society Sees Movie Tonight

The Holy Name Society of St. Vito's Parish will hold its monthly meeting at 8:15 P. M. today in the church hall on Madison Street, Mamaroneck.

A movie entitled "The Brooklyn Orchid" will be shown following the regular business meeting. Refreshments will be served. The Rev. Carl Doersam is moderator for the society.

TWIN MOTHERS AND "ALMOST TWIN" COUSINS, rest happily in their double room at New Rochelle Hospital today. Mrs. John Resner, left, and Mrs. Edward Resner, her twin sister, proudly hold their baby daughters, Jacqueline and Karen, born Thursday and Friday, respectively, in the hospital as Nurses Florence A. Blake and Gertrude G. Raymond, look on. Mrs. John Resner was the former Angelina (Angie) Rizzo and her twin sister was Michelina (Micky) Rizzo, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Vito Rizzo. They were married June 8, 1947 to two brothers in a double wedding. The cousins each weighed exactly six pounds, five ounces at birth.

Staff Photo by Robert Dunn

Mount Vernon Symphony To Play Original Piece By Mamaroneck Composer

Morris Mamorsky of 117 Frank Avenue, Mamaroneck, an outstanding young composer, will have his "Bluebird Suite," based on Maeterlinck's classic of the same name, played for the first time at a concert conducted by the Mount Vernon Symphony on Saturday, March 13, at the Joseph Wood Auditorium in Mount Vernon.

It will be the only original piece on the concert program, which will feature solo performances by Mack Harrell of Larchmont, Metropolitan Opera Company star.

Mr. Mamarosky received a Mus.B. degree from Yale University in 1937, and was the winner of the $1,000 Paderewski Fund prize for his piano concerto in 1939.

He is now engaged in composing for radio and the movies. He composed the musical background for "The New Tobacco Land," a 30-minute film shown to the studio audience at the Perry Como show over N. B. C. His music is also heard every Sunday noon on the "Eternal Light" program over the same net work.

Born in New Haven, Conn., Mr. Mamorsky is married and has two daughters, Elizabeth, 9, a pupil at Daniel Warren School, and Dorothy, 1½.

Emil Severin of Mount Vernon, real estate broker with offices at 147 Chatsworth Avenue, Larchmont, is president of the Mount Vernon Symphony. Simon Asen of New Rochelle is the conductor.

REV. C. LAWSON WILLARD

New Haven Rector To Give Lenten Sermon

The Rev. C. Lawson Willard, rector of Trinity Church, New Haven, Conn., will be the guest preacher at the mid-week Lenten services at St. Thomas's Church Wednesday at 8:15 P. M.

Born in Philadelphia, the Rev. Mr. Willard was graduated from the Pawling School. He served in the U. S. Navy during World War I. After graduating from St. Stephen's College he attended the General Theological Seminary in New York City. He served as curate of St. James' Church, Elmhurst, L. I., and later became rector of that church, serving in that capacity for 11 years.

In 1940, he became rector of Trinity Church, which is located in the center of New Haven. He is a trustee of Bard College, and has been active in the Red Cross and New Haven Council of Social Agencies. He is the author of "The Younger Churchmen Look at the Church," a book published in 1935. He has also been active in campus activities at Yale, University and has attracted many students to his church.

The Order of the Evening Prayer will be said by the rector, the Rev. Arnold A. Fenton, and the choir will present special Lenten music.

A children's Lenten service will be held at 4 P. M. Wednesday. Friday morning at 10, there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion.

Stolen Jeep Found Abandoned Here

A jeep, owned by Anthony Guadagnola of 82 Murray Avenue, Larchmont, was stolen last night and recovered this morning in the Shore Acres area, Larchmont.

Town police reported the jeep was taken at 7:30 P. M. from in front of 243 Palmer Avenue, where Guadagnola was visiting friends.

Clarence R. Hayward of 35 Monroe Avenue, Larchmont, reported to Larchmont police at 7:20 this morning that while walking his dog he noticed a jeep parked near the new homes east of Shore Drive. Checking the license plate number, police found it was the missing jeep and reported it to Town police, who notified the owner.

2 DIE AT BREWSTER

BREWSTER, (AP) — Two persons were killed yesterday when the car in which they were riding skidded and crashed into a milk truck on route 22 near here.

Mayor Thanks Town For Use Of Fire Truck

Mayor E. Spencer Greason of Larchmont, in reply to Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville's letter renewing the agreement between the Town and the Village for use of the Town's aerial fire truck, said that there is no need for a separate aerial truck for each department.

Mayor Greason's reply follows:

"Thank you very much for your letter of Feb. 25 in which you reaffirm the arrangement which you so kindly made two years ago to make available to the Larchmont Fire Department the use of the Town aerial truck.

"You and I are in agreement that the limited need for an aerial truck within our two communities does not require a separate truck for each; and I wish to assure you that your cooperation in making available to the Village of Larchmont this particular piece of equipment is very much appreciated. I trust that when the time comes that your aerial truck becomes inadequate to the needs of the two communities that then the Village of Larchmont will provide one which will be as freely offered to the Town."

Resident Unhurt In 7-Car Crash

SCARSDALE—The Hutchinson River Parkway near Old Mamaroneck Road was the scene of a tangled, claking seven-car traffic accident at 9:45 last night when one auto skidded and six others piled up behind it like a giant accordian. Three persons were injured.

Driver of the first car behind was Armando C. Iraco, 22, of 332 Northrop Avenue, Mamaroneck. He was unhurt. The three persons in following cars were Rebecca Krevolin of New Haven, a passenger in the second car who suffered back injuries; Davis Phillipson also of New Haven and driver of the fifth car who suffered knee injuries; and Phillipson's passenger, Rita Singer of New York City.

Residents Tell What Village Needs Most

(Editor's Note — Following are additional answers to Saturday's "Question of the Week." The question was "What do you think Mamaroneck needs most?")

Mrs. C. James G. Wentz, 1421 Mamaroneck Avenue, Mamaroneck: "Golly, I thought it was a pretty good little village. We have good stores, a playground and beach. Outside of the need for adequate housing, which is nation-wide, I would say that what we need is to get the buses to wait a couple of minutes more at the station for commuters to get off the trains and also the bus company should make it easier to get schedules."

Mrs. Arthur R. DeFosses, 205 Union Avenue, Mamaroneck: "Mamaroneck is really a grand place and I can't think of anything it needs most, but what about doing away with the unsightly billboards that are seen on entering and leaving Mamaroneck? I would also like to see little maple trees planted along Mamaroneck Avenue like you see in New England towns."

Mrs. John A. Massman, 206 Villa Avenue, Mamaroneck: "I have always felt that Mamaroneck needs improvements in some of the buildings along the main street to remove the eye-sores. Mamaroneck is doing very well, however, but a little landscaping wouldn't hurt. I also think they ought to get a Chamber of Commerce like the Larchmont Fair Trade Association. The Mamaroneck chamber doesn't seem to be as active as they are in Larchmont. For instance, they ought to put on a show like they did in Larchmont. There are several stores in Mamaroneck which no one knows about."

Mrs. Mary J. Loescher, 414 Fourth Street, Mamaroneck: "Offhand, I would say Mamaroneck needs a recreation place for the youngsters to keep them off the streets and out of the movie houses."

Mrs. G. A. Read, 630 Hillside Avenue, Mamaroneck: "We need a little more street cleaning."

Mrs. Paul F. Rigano, 3 Staub Court, Mamaroneck: "I think Mamaroneck needs a couple of more good stores. There are a lot of things that you have to go out of town to buy."

Mrs. Marshall R. Sarles, 511 Jefferson Avenue, Mamaroneck: "A housing project for veterans. They deserve every means for making a livelihood and a place to live for what they did for us. There is a lot of space here in Mamaroneck which could be used for that purpose."

INCINERATOR OVERHEATS

An overheated incinerator at the Larchmont Hills Apartments on North Chatsworth Avenue, Larchmont, brought out all apparatus of the Town Fire Department in response to a general alarm at 8:45 P. M., Saturday. No damage was reported. Recall was at 9:25.

New Record Set As 1,130 Register To Vote March 16

Total Of 5,938 2nd Highest On Record Here

Three rival factions in the March 16 Mamaroneck village election are today giving varied interpretations to Saturday's registration, which set a new record for Spring elections here.

With the contest for police court justice highlighting the election, more than 1,130 voters turned out Saturday to add their names to the registration rolls, boosting the total registration to 5,938, the second highest on record.

The figure is surpassed only by the March election of 1941, when 6,771 were qualified to vote due to the heavy Fall registration for the presidential election of 1940.

Last March only 34 additional voters registered for the village election. The total qualified stood at 5,265, which is 673 below those who may participate in Tuesday's balloting.

District Three holds the largest total registration with 836. District Seven led with 176 additional registrations on Saturday. District Nine was low with only 54 registering Saturday for a total of 423.

Interest centers this year in the contest between Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone, Republican, and Henry T. Hornidge, Democratic and Non-Partisan candidate for police court justice. In the trustee race, the only other to be decided, David B. Chisholm, Democrat, is opposing the three incumbents, James Jackson, John Withers and Alfred Weeks.

Saturday's registration by districts, followed by the number of persons who had registered last October in parentheses, follows:

District 1, 88 (375); District 2, 91 (546); District 3, 151 (685); District 4, 149 (643); District 5, 165 (475); District 6, 162 (528); District 7, 176 (549); District 8, 95 (673); District 9, 54 (423).

In Larchmont where there is no contest, only three persons registered Saturday in the first district and six in the second. The total registration in Larchmont is 1,824.

ThirdHome Ransacked In Week

A burglar last night broke into the home of Edward H. Benedict, 214 Delancey Avenue, Mamaroneck, using the same method that was used to enter two Larchmont homes last week, ransacking the house and stealing several pieces of jewelry and silverware, valued at more than $500 by the owner, Mamaroneck police reported.

Reported missing were about 20 pieces of silverware, consisting of knives, forks and spoons, a white gold wedding ring, an amethyst dinner ring, an emerald bracelet, a man's wrist watch, cuff links and other costume jewelry. Mrs. Benedict, who said the articles are covered by insurance, told police that several of them were family heirlooms.

The burglary was discovered at 10:40 last night when Mr. and Mrs. Benedict returned home after visiting friends in Scarsdale. They told police they had left the house at 2:30 P.M. Entry was made by breaking a small pane of glass in the front door, reaching in and unlocking the door.

Lieut. Herman Pauls and Patrolman Alton Palmer, detailed to investigate, reported that two upstairs bedrooms, the living room and pantry had been ransacked. Articles removed from the bureau drawers in the bedrooms were thrown on the floor and on top of the beds, police reported.

Last Monday, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kranz of 28 Vanderburgh Avenue, Larchmont, was ransacked Tuesday night, the home of John Winkel of 9 Wendt Avenue, Larchmont, was entered. Police reported that apparently nothing had been taken.

Minter Wanted By Four Other Police Forces

Following the apprehension of Gilbert Ray Minter, exposition promoter, by Mamaroneck police Friday for attempting to deceive merchants, Chief Arthur W. Martensen reported today that Port Chester police have filed a warrant for his arrest on a similar charge.

Chief Martensen, who previously reported that Minter is wanted on two warrants by the Maryland State Police, said that he has also received messages from the New Jersey State Police at Port Norris saying that Minter is wanted for the non-payment of a sedan and truck which he purchased at Millville, N. J., and from the Millville Police Department stating he is also wanted by the Motor Vehicle Bureau.

A third message has been received from the State Police at Bridgeville, Del., where Minter is also wanted for obtaining $600 under false pretenses, the chief said.

Minter is being held at the County Jail, East View, pending trial Wednesday morning in Mamaroneck Police Court before Acting Judge Hunter Meighan. If he is found guilty, he is liable to a maximum fine of $500 or one year in jail.

Hint Of Spring Follows Storm

Temperatures around 40 today gave a hint of Spring due a week from Saturday to Westchester which was saved from a last lash of Winter yesterday by a few degrees on the thermometer.

It was still chilly from the snow on the ground but at least there was less snow than if yesterday's storm had not turned to rain as predicted by the Weather Bureau. The early morning snow changed to sleet and then to rain at about 35 degrees which would have made several inches of snow if it had been three degrees colder.

Streets were slippery this morning from the freeze-up of yesterday's run-off. The sun and traffic soon burned off the slick.

The Weather Bureau said it would remain mostly clear tonight and tomorrow with moderate temperatures.

MEETING DATE CHANGED

The meeting of the Rye Neck School Board, originally scheduled for tomorrow at 8 P. M. in the Barry Avenue School, will be held Wednesday at the same time and place, Edward Julier, school board clerk, announced today.

Rotary Club Sets Study Of New Calendar

The Larchmont Rotary Club Friday appointed a committee to study a proposed standard calendar for world-wide use, following a talk on the subject by Hoyt Smith, principal of the Junior High School, at the club's luncheon meeting in the Larchmont Lodge.

Mr. Smith told the Rotarians that a movement is on foot to make a standard calendar, to take effect on Jan. 1, 1950, the first time New Year's Day falls on Sunday. He recommended that the club appoint a committee to consider the matter.

President Alexander P. Gest, Jr. appointed Mr. Smith chairman of the calendar committee, and Harry Bogart, Pat McGuire and Milton Weintraub as members.

The president also appointed Jack Roche chairman, and Milton Weintraub and Hugh Owens as officers and directors for the ensuing year. The committee will make its recommendations at the March 26 meeting. The election will be held Friday, April 23, at which time other nominations may be made if desired.

Visitors included Rotarians Bill Seeley, Mount Vernon; William J. Brown, New Rochelle; Malcolm McLean, White Plains; David J. Miller, East Haven, Conn. Also Dick Wood, Don Henigson, E. Reade Apgar, Norman Blair, and Ulrik Plesner of Denmark, visiting Scandinavian student.

The guest speaker this week will be John J. "Donna" Fox, of Larchmont, who will relate his experiences at the Olympics in Switzerland.

Best Seller Author Is Called Suicide

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., (AP) — Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon for Ross Lockridge, Jr., 33, author of the prize-winning novel "Raintree County," who died Saturday night of carbon monoxide poisoning in the garage at his home here.

Dr. Robert E. Lyons, Jr., Monroe County coroner, reported in his finding that Lockridge committed suicide.

The young author left no explanation of his action, which came as he was on the crest of success. "Raintree County," his first novel, was a Book-of-the-Month selection.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ★ MAMARONECK, N. Y., TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 1948 ★ MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Low tonight near 30. Tomorrow, cloudy, moderately cold followed by rain or snow changing to rain, high in upper 30's. High tides today at 11:47 P. M.; tomorrow at 11:51 A. M. and 12 midnight.

Combing The Town

Interviews Legislators

Milton Heimlich of Larchmont, vice-president of the New Rochelle Council for Unity, was among Unity group members who returned from Albany today after interviewing six State legislators on the Metcalf-Quinn Fair Educational Practice Bill.

Accompanying Mr. Heimlich were Bishop Thomas Gibson and Dr. John B. Hanna, executive director of the council. They reported that the legislators expressed themselves in favor of the bill and voiced their conviction that it would be enacted.

Legislators interviewed were Senator J. Raymond McGovern, Assemblyman Frank S. McCullough, Senator Benjamin S. Feinberg, president pro tem of the Senate; Senator Elmer F. Quinn, minority leader of the Senate; Assemblyman Oswald D. Heck, Assembly speaker, and Assemblyman Irwin Steingut, minority leader of the Assembly.

At St. John's

The Rev. Henry Smith Leiper, D.D., executive secretary of the American Committee for the World Council of Churches, will speak at 8:15 P. M. today at St. John's Church, Larchmont, not at the Larchmont Avenue Church as stated in yesterday's Daily Times. This will be the fifth in a series of union Lenten services alternated between the Larchmont Avenue Church and St. John's Church. Next Tuesday's service will be held at the Larchmont Avenue Church, with the Rev. Samuel M. Shoemaker, D.D., rector of Calvary Episcopal Church, New York City, as guest preacher.

Added Starters

The Westchester Dog Protective Association report for the month of February, read at the meeting of the Mamaroneck Board of Trustees last night, showed that among the dogs, cats and rabbits picked up, something new has been added—21 white rats.

Village Manager William H. Johnson explained that a testing laboratory in the village, which uses the white rats for experiments, had given some of them to youngsters and apparently some had gotten away.

Trustee Ralph H. Mann told the board that Bellows High School recently bought six white rats, presumably three males and three females, but they turned out to be all males.

Heads Drive Again

For the 18th consecutive year, Harry Freides of 123 Beach Avenue, Mamaroneck, will head the local drive for the collection of the Matzoh Fund.

The committee has set its goal at $3,000, to be sent overseas for the purpose of buying matzohs and other Passover supplies for the Jewish survivors of Europe.

The committee plans to reach every person in the community for a personal solicitation, it was announced. Donations, however, may be sent or taken to the Synagogue office of the Hebrew Institute of Mamaroneck or to Mr. Freides at 357 Mamaroneck Avenue, Mamaroneck.

Florida Bound

Fireman 1/c Gunther T. Westphal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Westphal, of 929 West Boston Post Road, Mamaroneck, is now at the Charleston, S. C., Navy Yard aboard the U. S. S. LSM 513, a landing ship operating with the amphibious force of the U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

The LSM 513 will soon be decommissioned, and Fireman Westphal expects to be transferred to a Navy Base in Florida. A former Bellows High School student, he started his boot training at Bainbridge, Md.

Identified

Those swans Mrs. Dorothy Dulin saw from her Orienta Point Apartment room yesterday probably belong to George P. Skouras, Andrew Karabet of Rye Road, Rye, informed The Daily Times last night.

He said two swans owned by Mr. Skouras have been seen in the harbor often, and that there is another one, a wild swan, which has made its home there for some time. He said that swans seem to like salt water as much as fresh water.

Machinist Material

Seaman 2/c George R. Engelhardt, U.S.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Engelhardt of 119 Florence Street, Mamaroneck, has reported for training at the Machinist's School, Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

NEED CASH?

You won't have to sell your Savings Bonds or draw on the little old bank account after all. Not if you have any unused pieces of furniture you can sell—not if you have any used hobby equipment you've outgrown (how about that enlarger you're not using) . . . not if you've found you can get along without your car. You can get cash quickly by inserting a For Sale Ad in this paper. The cost is small . . . the readers are waiting. Start your ad today—get cash action tomorrow. The number to call Mamaroneck 9-2100.

Village Ripe For Crime, Chief Says

Martensen Asks Board For Added Patrolmen Or School Guard Plan

PENSION PROBLEM

The Village of Mamaroneck is very vulnerable to attack by the unlawful element who are quick to invade an area which does not have adequate police coverage," according to Police Chief Arthur W. Martensen, who last night renewed his request to the Board of Trustees for additional personnel.

In referring the request to the budget committee, Mayor B. J. Santoro said the board would give it serious consideration. "When the board gets up the budget," he said, "this is one item that must get its attention."

The request was contained in a letter from the chief, who wrote that, "on the whole, we are very vulnerable to attack by the unlawful element who are quick to invade an area which does not have adequate patrol coverage."

There are 30 men in the department, he said, but additional men are needed for adequate patrol coverage, according to original requests on April 26, 1946, and again on Aug. 15, 1946, by Chief Martensen.

The chief pointed out, however, that if the "school guards" program is put into effect, the present personnel would be adequate. It was explained by Chief Martensen and Village Manager William Johnson that a plan is under consideration by the County Personnel Office for the creation of a school guard position which would be a part-time job on a non-competitive basis. The Mayor asked that Mr. Johnson contact the Personnel office to learn if there are any new developments along these lines.

Chief Martensen also presented the board another personnel problem for consideration; that of men in the department who are past the retirement age, or near it, but they cannot live on their retirement pay.

The chief did not submit any request regarding salaries since the board "has been giving serious

(Continued on Page Three)

Police Arrest 'Peeping Toms' In Larchmont

Larchmont police last night apprehended two 16-year old "peeping toms" after complaints had been received from residents about prowlers in their back yards.

The youths were picked up by Sgt. William Adams and Officer Frank Perry, who took them to headquarters. After two hours of questioning by Lieut. Lawrence Marshall and Det. Sgt. Thomas J. Boyle, they confessed their "peeping tom" activities. Sgt. Boyle also said the youths admitted a similar act last December. They also admitted taking a station wagon for a day ride last Summer without the owners' permission. Both were released pending further investigation and disciplinary action.

The first complaint was received at 9:36 P.M. from Mrs. Robert H. Goffe, Jr., of 19 Lyons Place. Sgt. Adams and Officer Perry investigated, but were unable to find anyone.

At 10:20 P. M., Mrs. Edward Edwards also reported to police that there were prowlers in her back yard. Police found the two youths in the vicinity and took them to headquarters.

The youths said they were scared away rom the house on Lyons Place when they saw someone peering out of the window. They admitted raising a window and made at the Edwards' residence. Sgt. Boyle said. When the window which had a broken sash cord, fell with a crash, Mrs. Edwards summoned the police.

Derailed Caboose Ties Up Trains

A caboose derailed this morning at 9:30 at the Mamaroneck freight station near Fenimore Road blocked the two west bound tracks to New York City for more than a half hour, M. A. Barrymaster reported. The cause of the accident has not been determined, he said.

The caboose remained upright. Mr. Baryshyan said, as the front pair of trucks left the track, but caused a coal car to spill part of its load across the tracks.

All trains into New York were delayed while railroad gangs from New Rochelle and New York, under the direction of Train Master S. S. Seward, put the caboose back on to the track and cleared the coal.

PATIO RETREAT for members of the Federated Garden Clubs of New York State, Inc. installed on the fourth floor of Grand Central Palace for the 324 International Flower Show which opened yesterday is given finishing touches by two West Chester women. Mrs. Horace Marsland of Larchmont (left), chairman of hospitality for the Federated Clubs show and Mrs. Charles A. Hoffman of Scarsdale, chairman of judges, are pictured arranging floral displays.

—Staff Photo

Moreland Wins Trusteeship Of Holy Name

Hugh Moreland of Griffen Avenue, Scarsdale, was unanimously elected to serve two years as trustee of the Holy Name Society of St. Vito's Parish, Mamaroneck, at a meeting last night in the Church Hall on Madison Street.

Mr. Moreland, well known in Catholic circles, is district deputy of the Knights of Columbus, 30th District, and also grand knight of Mamaroneck Council No. 2347 of the K. of C.

A committee under the chairmanship of Tom Santora was appointed to make arrangements for the society's annual communion breakfast to be held on May 9, Mother's Day. Plans were also discussed for forming a softball team to play other local organizations.

Next Sunday will be Communion Sunday for the Holy Name Society. All men of the parish are invited to receive Communion with the members of the society.

Following the business meeting, a movie entitled "The Brooklyn Orchid," with William Bendix and Ann Sothern, was shown, and refreshments were served.

Traffic Tied Up By Crash On Post Road

Traffic along the Post Road was tied up for about 10 minutes early yesterday morning when a truck ran into a car between Lorenzen Street and Kilmer Road, Larchmont. The rear end of the car was completely demolished but the driver, although shaken up, was otherwise uninjured.

The accident occurred at 6:23 A. M., police reported, when the car driven by William Edler of New Rochelle, proceeding east on the Post Road, suddenly slowed down and stopped, apparently preparing to make a left turn into Basil Frees Nurseries. The truck, close behind, crashed into the rear of the car, turning it in a half circle. The truck made a quarter turn stretching across the roadway, Edwin Hess of York County, Pa., driver of the truck, told police he was about to pass the car when he realized the car was slowing down. He said the driver did not signal for a turn.

Police said that the left front fender of the truck was pushed in and a right rear tire blew out. No charges or arrests were made.

At 11:20 A. M. yesterday, an unoccupied car rolled from its parked position in front of the Brompton Apartments house on Palmer Avenue into the left side of another parked car on Palmer Avenue near Depot Way East, police reported.

The accident was reported by Mrs. Edna May Barry of 69 Carleon Avenue, Larchmont, whose car was damaged by the unoccupied car. Mrs. Barry said she had gone into a store to do some shopping when someone notified her of the crash. Mrs. Barry told police that the other car had been parked in front of the Brompton Apartments by Mrs. Peter Reilly

(Continued on Page Three)

MacArthur Bids For G.O.P. Nomination; Truman Says He Will Seek Re-Election

By JACK BELL
Associated Press Staff

WASHINGTON—General MacArthur bid openly for top place on the Republican ticket today, even as President Truman foreclosed his mortgage on the Democratic nomination.

The two announcements — only hours apart in Tokyo and Washington—far overshadowed today's New Hampshire Primary, the first actual voting for delegates to the National Party Conventions in Philadelphia.

MacArthur's message saying he is available but will not actively seek the Presidency caught professional GOP politicians by surprise.

It put the 68-year-old Five Star General in the positive candidate class, along with Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio, former Gov. Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota and Gov. Earl Warren of California.

The Supreme Allied Commander in Japan issued no party to his announcement that he would accept "any public duty to which I might be called by the American people."

But his statement took note of the fact that his name has been entered in the Wisconsin Republican Primary next month.

The Announcement

"I have been informed that petitions have been filed in Madison signed by many of my fellow citizens of Wisconsin, presenting my name to the electorate for consideration at the Primary on April 6. I am deeply grateful for this spontaneous display of friendly confidence. No man could fail to be profoundly stirred by such a public movement in this hour of momentous import, national and international, temporal and spiritual.

Mr. Truman's word that he would accept the Democratic nomination was hardly surprising, but the timing of the announcement was. In its wake, reporters asked White House Secretary Charles Ross today what campaign plans have been made. He said none as yet.

Some of MacArthur's admirers started talking again about getting him back to this country soon. Rep. Miller, R., Neb., said he had "definite information" MacArthur would come to Washington if asked to testify to Congress on matters dealing with Japan. He did not say the source of his information.

Miller is a leader in the MacArthur-for-President movement. MacArthur recently turned down an invitation to come here and testify about China's need for American aid.

"While it seems unnecessary for me to repeat that I do not actively seek or covet any office and have no plans for leaving my post in Japan, I can say, and with due humility, that I would be recreant to all my concepts of good citizenship were I to shrink because of the hazards and responsibilities involved from accepting any public duty to which I might be called by the American people."

The Truman Decision

Mr. Truman's decision to run drove a new edge into the Democratic Party split over his civil rights program.

His action killed any practical hope of Dixie party members for a compromise candidate.

Politicians generally agree that now the President has spoken the nomination cannot be denied him.

The President's availability was made known by Democratic Chairman J. Howard McGrath.

In the lobby outside Mr. Truman's White House office, McGrath gravely told a ring of reporters:

"The President has authorized me to say that if he is nominated by the National Democratic Con-

(Continued on Page Three)

Another Dog Dies; Poison Dose Reported

Town police reported today that a second dog at the Larchmont Acres Apartment died during the night from what is believed to be a dose of poisoning. This is the second case of alleged poisoning that has occurred at Larchmont Acres within the last two weeks.

Edward J. O'Rourke notified police this morning that his female red setter had died at 1:15 A. M. today. He told police he felt the dog had died of poisoning, since the animal had never been sick before. He said he had taken the dog out on a leash at 11 P. M. She appeared to be in good condition at that time, but apparently had picked up some poison, he said, for at one o'clock she suffered convulsions and died.

On Feb. 26, a black Belgian police dog owned by Mrs. John M. Beck died from alleged poisoning. Another dog, owned by Mrs. John M. Cooper, also of the Larchmont Acres Apartments, was also believed to have been poisoned, but survived.

Police are still looking for evidence of poison in the area.

Building Here Tops $46,000 In February

Five permits were issued in February for new construction totalling $46,750, an increase of $29,250 over the preceding month when two were issued, Building Inspector George D. Perschke reported last night.

Permits were for alterations amounting to $8,950, which was $2,950 more than in January for the same number. The total for the year ending, to March 1, 1948 showed 125 permits for new construction totalling $1,829,950, and 48 for alterations totalling $97,670.

Other permits issued during the month included two sign permits, five certificates of occupancy and one plumbing permit.

Girl Hurt By Cat Attacked By Dog

Miss Mary Mills, 16, of 286 Weaver Street, Larchmont, is nursing four painful scratches on her face today as a result of what happens when dog meets cat.

Dr. G. C. Hoffmann reported to Larchmont police yesterday afternoon that he had treated Miss Mills for four lacerations of the face which were caused by her cat's claws.

She was scratched, Dr. Hoffman reported, as she was entering Dr. Shefford S. Miller's Dog Hospital on Palmer Avenue with her cat while W. H. Openheimer of Mulberry Lane, Larchmont, was leaving with his dog. The dog, which was not on a leash, attacked the cat, which became excited and scratched Miss Mills' face.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

A meeting of the Mamaroneck School Board will be held at 8 P. M. today in the Senior High School.

NON-PARTISANS WIN SEPARATE LINE FOR TUESDAY'S ELECTION

Nurse Added To Staff At Health Center

Miss Catherine Dolan of Harrison, a graduate of Manhattanville College, and a registered nurse, has been added to the nursing staff of the Mamaroneck Health Center, Inc., it was announced at yesterday's March meeting of the board of directors.

A class for instructing volunteers in the various clinics was held last week for a large group, it was reported. The next class will be held March 17 at 10 A. M. The classes conducted by Mrs. Mildred Burns, supervising public health nurse of the center, are being attended by members of the board and volunteers from the Eastern Westchester Unit of the New York Junior League.

Mothers' classes for expectant mothers will be resumed March 25 at the center. Registrations may be made by calling Mamaroneck 9-1803.

An exhibit to be shown at the Community Forum March 24 is being arranged by Mrs. Charles Howard with the assistance of Mrs. Frank Rathbone, Sr.

Tentative plans were discussed for an open house at the center April 11. Mrs. Thomas Headley, president of the center, who presided at the meeting, appointed Mrs. Mervyn Connor, chairman of the planning committee. It was felt that residents would be interested in seeing the alterations and attractive decorations which have been recently completed.

Membership for the recent membership drive amounted to $790.18, including memberships received in February, and advertising and postage costs, Mrs. Paul Brautigam reported.

In February, two chest clinics were held with 44 attending, four child hygiene clinics with 44 attending, and one orthopedic clinic was held with five. The nurses made 160 field visits and 13 office visits Mrs. Burns reported.

The secretary's and treasurer's reports were given by Mrs. George Chapman and Mrs. J. F. Auer, respectively.

Board members attending were Mrs. Auer, Mrs. Brautigam, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Connor, Mrs. Headley, Mrs. Heyworth, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Winfield Huntley, Mrs. F. B. Laughlin and Mrs. Irving Marsland.

Board Accepts Two In Rem Parcel Bids

The Mamaroneck Village Board of Trustees last night approved the sale of two In Rem parcels, subject to the approval of the Town Council, rejected a bid, and withheld action on three other bids pending further investigation.

A bid of $650 was accepted from Nancy Di Francesco of New York City, through John A. Fazioi of 118 Waverly Avenue, Mamaroneck, for property on the south side of Pelham Street, known as Section B, Block 64, Lots 14, 15, 16, and 17.

The board also accepted a bid of $60 from John Daly for a small triangle of land on Harmon Drive, consisting of an odd corner piece of property he had bought through the Town In Rem procedings. The property, known as Section 8, Block 105, part of lot 5 and 6, is assessed for $250.

Following discussion by the board, on a motion made by Trustee James Jackson, it was decided to reject the bid of Harold A. Hughes of 333 Florence Street, Mamaroneck, for $200, only 15 per cent of the assessed valuation, for an interior parcel located at the rear of 333 Florence Street.

The board will make an inspection trip Saturday of parcels located on Shore Acres Drive, for which several offers have been received, and property located at Madison and Grand Streets.

Another bid from Atanasio Todaro of 181 Grand Street, Mamaroneck, who offered $525 for a parcel assessed at $2,500, was referred to Village Manager William H. Johnson for tabulation and recommendation.

Mayor B. J. Santoro said that following a meeting with the representatives of the Village of Mamaroneck who served on the Joint Recreation Commission, it was the consensus that the Village Board should meet with the Larchmont Village Board and Town Council to discuss the committees' recommendations. It

(Continued on Page Three)

Bull Reconsiders As Sansone Asks Favorable Edict

The Non-Partisans were today granted their request for a separate line on the voting machine in next Tuesday's election on behalf of Henry T. Hornidge, their candidate for police court justice.

The application was approved this morning by Village Clerk Fred H. Bull, Jr., upon the written request of Anthony Sansone, Republican candidate opposing Mr. Hornidge for election. Mr. Bull said that his original intention was to decline the request of Mr. Hornidge upon the advice of Carl J. Noe, deputy commissioner of elections. He reconsidered his decision, Mr. Bull said only after Mr. Sansone made his formal request supporting that of the Non-Partisans.

Granting of the application means that Mr. Hornidge's name will appear twice on Tuesday's voting machines under both the Democratic and Non-Partisan emblems.

Mr. Bull pointed out this morning that several previous requests under similar conditions had been turned down in the past, the last one being in 1941 when the Village Forum Party sought a separate line for its candidate, who was also running on the Democratic ticket. The refusal was based on an opinion handed down by the Board of Elections, he stated.

In explaining his delay in arriving at a decision on the Non-Partisans application, Mr. Bull stated that although the request was filed with him a week ago yesterday, and a formal acceptance of the nomination by Mr. Hornidge on Wednesday, no decision was indicated until today, the final day for a candidate to decline the nomination.

In a letter to Mr. Bull, dated today, Mr. Sansone said "I hereby join in the request made by Mr. Hornidge that The Non-Partisans be given a separate line on the voting machine." His letter follows:

"With respect to the application made by Henry T. Hornidge that a separate line be afforded the Non-Partisans on the voting machine, at the conference had at my office this morning, you advised me that you had received an oral opinion from Carl J. Noe, deputy commissioner of elections, and also Harry Herman, county attorney, that under the circumstances presented the Non-Partisans were not entitled to a separate line, but that Mr. Hornidge's name should appear only on one line bearing the Democratic and Non-Partisan emblems.

"I have read the letter of Mr. Hornidge to you dated March 1, 1948, and the memorandum filed on behalf of the application with you on March 3, wherein it is stated the reason a separate line is requested is that some Republicans who wish to vote for Mr. Hornidge would not do so if compelled to vote by a machine bearing the Democratic emblem.

"While you had this matter under consideration, I, too, had occasion to examine cases on the subject, and I agree with the opinions expressed by Mr. Herman and Mr. Noe. I hereby join in the request made by Mr. Hornidge, and ask that the Non-Partisans be given a separate line on the voting machine."

Replying to The Daily Times editorial of Saturday taking him to task for delaying his decision, Mr. Bull today directed a letter to the editor of The Daily Times which follows in full:

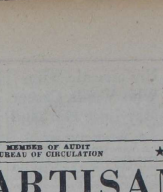
"I was surprised to read in your editorial column of Saturday, March 6, the statement that up to press time of that day no decision had been given on the application of the Non-Partisans for a separate line on the voting machine.

"Of course, I don't know when press time is on such an important matter, but the time was between 10 and 10:30 A.M. Saturday. I told Mr. Drews, a member of the Non-Partisans' executive committee, that if he wanted an answer at that time, the answer was 'that they could not have a separate line.'

"I told him this decision was based on several talks I had had with Mr. Carl J. Noe, deputy commissioner of elections, who has been for years recognized as an expert on election matters.

"I also told him that if he was willing to wait until 12 o'clock noon on Monday I would try to

(Continued on Page Three)



FRANCIS X. O'DONNELL, JR.

O'Donnell Sees Vital Need For Red Cross Aid

Francis X. O'Donnell, Jr., member of the Board of Directors of Larchmont's 1948 Red Cross Fund campaign and chairman of the 1947 Campaign today reminded Larchmont residents that:

"Three hundred twelve times last year disaster struck some American community, large or small. Each catastrophe found the Red Cross promptly on the scene, efficiently renewing its traditional role of mercy. This familiar story needs no retelling; the identity between the Red Cross and ever-ready disaster relief is firmly fixed in our minds.

"Not nearly so well-known is

(Continued on Page Three)

Seven Named As Stewards By Methodists

Seven members were added last night to the Board of Stewards of the Mamaroneck Methodist Church, the election of three trustees ratified, and various committee appointments made at the annual meeting in the church house under the direction of the Rev. E. A. Pollard Jones, district superintendent.

The new stewards are Leonard O. Carson, Dr. Lauchlin M. Currie, Dr. James Deer, Lewis H. Donaldson, Orville Hanson, Merril Hodsdon and Mrs. Charles L. Tiffin. The board now numbers 35 members.

Trustees whose reelection to a three-year term was ratified are R. P. Brewer, C. R. Johnson and Dr. Irving A. Marsland.

Elected to the pastoral relations committee were Mrs. Clarence S. Kingdon and William F. MacDonald Jr., Mr. Hodsdon was elected to the nominating committee and also as managing editor of the new monthly church newspaper. Mrs. J. Elsworth Olsen was named chairman of released time weekday school and Stewart Park will continue as chairman of the Second Sunday Forum. Oscar L. Birch was elected chairman of ushers and Mr. Garson and Ezekel Falk were named to the music committee.

Annual reports were presented by the Rev. Asbury G. E. Stromberg; the Rev. Burton H. Throckmorton, Jr.; Charles L. Warren, lay leader; Lewis H. Donaldson, for the Couples' Club; Mrs. Paul Gillespie for the music committee; Jack Connor, Epworth League head, and Herbert LaRoss, treasurer.

Mrs. Paul Fraas reported for the Women's Society of Christian Service and Mrs. Earl Annis for the Wesleyan Service Guild; Mrs. Thomas C. Cluck for the Girl Scouts and Mrs. Robert Primrose for the Camp Fire Girls.

Arnold B. Manchester gave a detailed account of the three-year Margin for Progress Drive and said all goals were achieved. The goals included property improvements and enlargement of the personnel. Herbert P. Houghton was renamed Sunday School superintendent and presented the year's report on enrollment and attendance. C. G. Saporito was elected an honorary member of the board of stewards.

Rev. Mr. Stromberg introduced

(Continued on Page Three)

CHIMNEY CATCHES FIRE

The Hook and Ladder Company of the Mamaroneck Fire Department responded to an alarm at 12:45 P. M. today when a chimney fire was reported at the Mamaroneck plant of Frito, New York, Inc., at 332 Center Avenue. Chief Michael Orsino, who was in charge, reported no damage.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ★ MAMARONECK, N. Y., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 1948 ★ MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather
Tonight clearing and colder, lowest in middle 20's Tomorrow increasing cloudiness and colder, forecastingcloudiness and colder, followed by snow. High tides today at 11:51 A. M.; tomorrow at 12:05 A. M. and 12:12 P. M.

Combing The Town

Juke Box Jam

The love of all small boys—firemen—visited five-year-old James Butkis at his 30 Pryer Manor Road home Monday. But it was anything but a social call. Jimmy got himself in a jam with a juke box in the Butkis playroom.

It was shortly after 3 P. M. that his cries attracted help. He got his finger in the front of the machine all right. But he couldn't get it out. Within the ensuing half hour, police, who were notified first by Mrs. Butkis, were joined by firemen, a nurse, a private doctor and the New Rochelle Hospital ambulance.

Police extracted the finger with little damage to Jimmy. At the hospital, his only injury was listed as a slight laceration of the left index finger and this morning he was back in his kindergarten class at St. Augustine's School, Larchmont.

Also this morning, Parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert T. Butkis were determined to keep Jimmy away from the electric washing machine.

New Harvard Editors

Two Larchmont students, members of the freshman class at Harvard College, were elected last night to the editorial board of the Crimson, Harvard undergraduate daily newspaper, following three and a half months of intensive competitive try-outs.

Pete Taub of 102 Murray Avenue, and John Sack of 44 Mayhew Avenue, were among the five successful candidates, three of whom were freshmen. Both were graduated in June from Mamaroneck High School, where Sack was valedictorian and Record editor and Taub one of two senior essayist-oratorsw and Record sports editor.

Competitions for the Crimson staff began the end of November, with 45 aspirants. Elections were held in the Crimson Building in Cambridge, and today's edition "announces with pleasure."

Spearhead Campaign

The Rev. Joseph F. Blake of St. Augustine's Church, Larchmont; the Rev. Bartholomew J. Singleton of Holy Trinity Church, and the Rev. Carl G. Doersam of St. Vito's Church, Mamaroneck, have been appointed as active parish directors to spearhead the 1948 fund appeal of New York Catholic Charities in their respective parishes.

The goal for this year's appeal has been set at $2,500,000 the amount needed to carry on the services of Catholic Charities for another year according to the Right Rev. Monsignor Christopher J. Weldon, executive director of Catholic Charities. The house-to-house canvass in the parishes is scheduled for April 18 to 28.

Accepted With Regrets

The Mamaroneck Board of Education last night formally accepted the resignation of Kenneth G. VanSciver, who for the last 26 years has been clerk of the board.

Mr. VanSciver's letter of resignation was read at a previous meeting of the board, but action was withheld until last night, when a full board was present. The board accepted the resignation with regrets on a motion made by Trustee C. Frank Johnson and seconded by Trustee Hugh B. Kirkman.

The president, Charles W. Pease asked that a committee be appointed to choose a successor. The board named President Pease, Trustee Walter F. Brady and Trustee Luther Nelson as the committee.

Services Curtailed

Services in the German language at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church will be omitted until Good Friday, March 26, because of the illness of the pastor, Rev. Theodore O. Posselt, Jr., who announced the cancellation of the German services yesterday. Other services will be conducted by the pastor including tonight's midweek Lenten service as well as next Wednesday's service and a service on Holy Thursday evening, will be held as scheduled. Sunday services will be held at the usual hours.

G.O.P. Slates Joint Meeting Tomorrow

The Rye Neck Young Men's Republican Club and the Young Women's Republican Club will hold a joint meeting at 8:30 P. M. tomorrow in the Elks Clubhouse, President Joseph Humphreys of the Men's Club announced today.

The meeting will be addressed by all the Republican candidates for trustee and police justice, President Humphreys said.

SPRING HELP!

One of the biggest selling seasons of the year (Easter) will soon be here . . . And the smart store owner is training his personnel now while he has a chance. He's not going to have customers leave because they can't get good "service." If you're looking for good sales help, use the help wanted column. The results will please you. . . Both in quality and quantity. The cost is inexpensive too. Start an ad today! To start your ad simply phone Mamaroneck 9-2100.

New Haven Takes Fare Plea To ICC

Railroad Invokes Federal Law To Get Decision On Commutation Rates

PROTESTS PSC DELAY

WASHINGTON, (AP) — The New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company today asked the ICC to order an average of 20 per cent increase in the railroad's commutation fares inside New York State.

Such an increase was applied to interstate commutation tickets on the New Haven last September. The action followed the Interstate Commerce Commission's general permit for interstate commutation fare increases throughout the East.

New Haven told the ICC that it has since obtained authority from the Public Service Commissions in Connecticut, Rhode Island, and Massachusetts to make the increase on travel within those states. But it complained the New York State Public Service Commission has not yet acted on commutations within that state.

The railroad asked ICC to find this to be "a discrimination and burden on interstate commerce," forbidden by Federal Law, and to order the increases into effect in New York.

The increases sought amount to 25 per cent on 60-trip tickets good on any day, and 15 per cent on 46-trip tickets which are not good on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays.

New Haven specified it is seeking no change in interstate school commutation charges.

Kennedy New City Manager For Yonkers

YONKERS—City Comptroller Thomas V. Kennedy was appointed unanimously City Manager by the Common Council last night.

Mr. Kennedy, who was comptroller since Feb. 1, 1946, and acting manager since the retirement of Robert C. Montgomery last year according to vote from 30 candidates, from various parts of the country, who had applied for the $12,000-a-year job. He is the fifth man, and sixth permanent manager since Jan. 1, 1940, when that form of government was instituted here.

Although Vice Mayor John J. Wasko and Councilman Emmett P. Burke had declined to sign as sponsors of the resolution naming Mr. Kennedy, both voted for his appointment, with the five other members of the council.

Before the session, Mr. Kennedy told the Council he has but one objective. "That is to start at 9 A. M. tomorrow to bring on the good in people, to look for the good in city employes, and to develop better relations between the City Manager and the City Council," he said.

Czech Leader Masaryk Ends Life In Leap

PRAGUE, (AP)—Jan Masaryk, non-party foreign minister in the New Communist government, killed himself today "in a leap from his second story office, the Government announced. He was 61.

Masaryk was the son of Thomas Masaryk, founder and first president of the Republic. His death came from the communists' use of the distinguished name. The controlled radio said Masaryk "must have been seriously aggrieved and wounded by the malicious, tendtious attacks made upon him by the Western press."

It added the circumstances of the death were being investigated.

Officials of the Foreign Ministry, after a period of reluctance to confirm the report, finally announced Masaryk had died at 8 A. M.

The Government broadcast at noon officially announced the death. It followed the announcement with solemn requiem music of Anton Dvorak, the great Czech composer. The Government delayed without explanation foreign news agency telegraph circuits for 30 minutes.

Vaclav Nosek, Minister of Interior, told the Communist parliament Masaryk hurled himself from his bathroom window. He said the Foreign Ministry had spent the night reading letters and telegrams from England and the United States attacking him for continuing in the Communist Government. Numerous cigaret stubs were found on the desk, Nosek said.

All the new Cabinet attended the session. A wreath of roses and lilies lay on the bench where Masaryk would have sat.

DEMOCRATS HONOR RETIRING LEADERS—Among the guests at last night's testimonial dinner in the Old Forge Restaurant, Larchmont, honoring Frank X. O'Donnell, Jr., retiring head of the Town of Mamaroneck Democratic Committee and Mrs. F. Warren Green, retiring state committeewoman were, (left to right) Councilman George E. Mills, Jr., County Democratic Chairman Harold T. Garrity, Mrs. Green, Judge Edward Kennedy of New Rochelle, Mr. O'Donnell, George N. Gibbs, fusion candidate for Larchmont trustee, and David B. Chisholm, candidate for Mamaroneck trustee. —Staff Photo

Dewey Wins First Battle With Stassen

By JACK BELL

WASHINGTON (AP) — New York's Gov. Thomas E. Dewey showed today he still packs a potent political punch by capturing six of eight presidential delegate votes in New Hampshire.

But by taking the remaining two in yesterday's first 1948 Primary, former Gov. Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota kept himself in the thick of the race for the Republican nomination.

Politicians thus regarded the New England result as pretty much of a standoff. They turned their eyes westward for the next battle—Wisconsin's April 6 primary.

There Dewey and Stassen take on Gen. Douglas MacArthur, who will be testing for the first time his appeal as a positive candidate.

The New Hampshire race long had been billed by Dewey supporters as an indicator of the New Yorker's strength in New England. Gov. Charles M. Dale, one of the six Dewey-pledged delegates elected, labeled the outcome a "flattering tribute" to the Governor.

Stassen's supporters on the other hand insisted they were well satisfied with collecting two Philadelphia Convention ballots in an area where the Middlewesterner was little known in 1944 when Dewey won the party nomination.

They said, however, claimed as many as five places as the campaign drew to a close.

Stassen made three personal, hand-shaking tours of the State, the last one only a week ago.

Dewey put in no recent appearance but depended on an organization headed by Dale.

New Tests Coming

One result of the New England Primary was to serve notice on Senator Robert A. Taft that Stassen is to be reckoned with in the May 4 Primary in the Ohio Senator's home state. The Minnesotan has announced plans to go after delegates there in a number of districts.

For Dewey the New Hampshire contest was one of three regarded as crucial by his forces. The other two are Wisconsin's battle next month and Oregon's May 21 delegate tussle.

Barring a last-minute change in plans, the Oregon voting will be another strictly Dewey - Stassen race. Friday is the last day for filing, and word from Portland is that the MacArthur camp will not try to enter the General's name.

Wounded Man Admits Killing Cop, Police Say

NEW YORK, (AP) — Grieved after an intensive 15-hour manhunt by more than 150 police—touched off by the slaying of a patrolman and the shooting of another—a wounded ex-convict was under arrest for homicide today.

Assistant District Attorney George A. Monaghan said the prisoner, Hugh Coughlin, 22, admitted the slaying in a gun battle in a dark apartment house basement of upper Manhattan.

The cop-killer search started before dawn yesterday and ended last night.

Coughlin, obviously in pain, was walking around with a bullet hole through his body when seized by police acting on a confidential tip.

The capture came at 4:30 A. M. yesterday left Patrolman Julius Mirell, 26, dead and Patrolman Jacob Zuckerman, 32, gravely wounded.

Police said Mirell was slain when he followed a suspect into the basement, and that Zuckerman walked into a hail of bullets when he entered to investigate the shots he heard from his post nearby. Zuckerman returned the fire.

Democrats Pay High Tribute To Two Retiring Leaders At Gala Testimonial Dinner

T. JAMES AHERN

Democratic leaders of county, town and village last night paid tribute to two retiring Town of Mamaroneck party notables at a testimonial dinner last night in the Old Forge Restaurant, Larchmont.

The guests of honor were Frank X. O'Donnell, Jr., who has retired as Democratic town chairman to become a national committeeman of the Young Democrats of America, and Mrs. F. Warren Green, retiring state committeewoman.

Speakers were introduced by Henry Zeiger, new town chairman, who sat the keynote of the evening at stressing the "forward look in politics" upon which he said the party insists.

"1948 is a year," he said, "that the Democratic Party will make a real contribution to our national life. We've had a free record behind us but we have a wonderful future ahead of us. In this town and country we happen to be the minority party — temporarily only."

County Chairman Harold T. Garrity paid tribute to Mrs. Green "for her Democratic enthusiasm" and thanked her "for all she has done for the party." "There will always be a place for her with us," he added.

Of Mr. O'Donnell, he said, "Greater things are in store for him. I believe he will go to great heights, not only in this county, but in this state."

Judge Edward Kennedy of New Rochelle told Mrs. Green she "had done a terrific job for the Democrats of Larchmont. Our progress has been due to your untiring efforts."

Henry T. Hornidge, Democratic and Non-Partisan candidate for Mamaroneck Village Court Justice, added his tribute to the guests of honor and paid his respects "to the small band of workers who year after year keep their inter-

(Continued on Page Three)

Ahern Urges Generous Aid For Red Cross

T. James Ahern, superintendent of schools, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Larchmont Branch, American Red Cross, and member of the Board for the 1948 Fund Campaign today explained the needs of the Red Cross saying:

"The Larchmont Branch of the American Red Cross is a community organization composed of you and your neighbors. The local Branch has a very important part to play in raising the 1948 Red Cross Fund which is larger than last year because of over 300 domestic disasters and because of the establishment of Civilian Blood Banks.

"The Larchmont Red Cross Fund drive is not a part of the Community Chest campaign because of a national policy, set by American Red Cross, but despite this disagreement with our community philosophy the great need for our help in this very worthy organization transcends our local ideas and reaches to the heights of real help in human suffering. As a member of the Board of Directors of the Larchmont Branch I urge your cooperation and generosity in support of the 1948 Fund Campaign by mail."

PERMITS ACTION

MOUNT VERNON — Mayor William H. Hussey invoked a little-used city charter provision when he withheld approval of two new city ordinances allowing them to become law without his signature. The ordinances created a new hack stand on the north side of East Prospect Avenue.

Westchester Zionists Protest U. S. Backtracking On Palestine

WHITE PLAINS — Indignation over the backtracking of the United States in its position on United States in its position on Palestine was registered by the board of the Westchester Zionist Region at a meeting last night in the Roger Smith Hotel.

A telegram and letter campaign will be conducted in all districts of the Westchester Region urging the United States government to live up to its pledges and to raise the embargo on arms so that the Jews in Palestine can defend themselves.

Thirty-five representatives of all Westchester communities attended the meeting, conducted by Robert Lagunoff of 3 Leroix Avenue, Mount Vernon.

Officials pointed to a surge in membership in the region. Every district shows an increase over last year, with Yonkers leading. Three hundred new members have been gained in Yonkers in the last month or so in a campaign headed by Moe Bryer, 7 Highland Place, Yonkers, and Louis Moss of 65 Bajart Place.

Tarrytown, in a drive headed by Max Sladkus of 7 Hanford Place, more than doubled its membership since last year.

More Than 100 Attend Agents' Meeting Here

More than 100 insurance agents, the largest group of its kind ever assembled here, attended the quarterly dinner meeting of the Westchester County Association of Insurance Agents last night at the Blue Haven Inn.

Property and casualty agents from Putnam, Rockland, Queens, Richmond, Suffolk and Nassau Counties, as well as from all over this county, were guests of the Mamaroneck association.

Other Mamaroneck agents present were Everett Houghton, Phil Fugano and Morris Stern.

Charles J. Schoen of Mount Vernon, director of the Westchester and New York State associations, was also present, as were Sol L. Rothschild of Yonkers, John A. Streb of Dobbs Ferry, Morton A. Reichbaum of New Rochelle and William A. Kleine of Bronxville, all directors of the Westchester association.

Legion Plans County Session Here Tonight

Close to 200 Legionnaires are expected to attend a meeting of the county committee of the American Legion at 8:30 tonight at Legion Hall, Prospect Avenue, County Commander Arthur O'Dougherty and other county officers are expected to attend. All local members are urged to attend.

Further plans for the next local Legion paper drive Sunday, April 4, were discussed by members of Mamaroneck Post 90 at a meeting last night at which Vice Commander William Kuritzky presided in the absence of Commander Isidore Lindner.

Dennis L. O'Connor of 200 Soundview Avenue, Mamaroneck, was inducted into the post.

The post voted unanimously to again sponsor a local boy to attend the Boys' State at Albany this year.

A past commanders' dinner will be held in the Legion Hall Saturday, April 3, it was announced.

Finnish Delegates Attempt To Quit

HELSINKI, Finland, (AP)—Several members of Finland's delegation to negotiate with Russia were reported today to have asked in vain to be relived of their assignment.

They were appointed yesterday to negotiate in Moscow in a Finnish-Russian pact.

Informants said the delegates told President Juho K. Passikivi they "did not under any circumstances want to go to Moscow."

The President is reported to have cut them off with the remark:

"There is no question of whether you have any desire to do this or that. This is a compulsory labor."

Girondo Sentence Set For March 22

Sentencing of Henry "Foot and a Half" Girondo of Mamaroneck, scheduled for Monday on a charge of second degree attempted grand larceny, was put over until Monday, March 22.

Girondo pleaded guilty to the charge when he interrupted the proceedings of his trial two weeks ago in Manhattan General Sessions Court.

He also has been indicted for the alleged theft of two automobiles in Mamaroneck and a dress sample in New York City.

IN ORATORICAL FINALS

ALBANY, (AP)—James Baird of Saratoga Springs and John F. Roche, a pupil at Christian Brothers Academy, Albany, will compete March 20 in State finals of the American Legion's Oratorical Contest. Baird won top honors last night in the Second zone competition. Roche was second and Marie O'Brien of Utica Catholic Academy was third.

HONORED BY CLUB

PRINCETON, (AP)—Thomas H. Middleton, Jr., of Bronxville, N. Y., has been elected vice president of Princeton University's Triangle Club, 60-year-old student dramatic group.

School Teachers Win $200 Boost In Pay Schedule

Board Approves Merit Increases In Mamaroneck

A new teachers' salary schedule to become effective July 1, which would in effect raise individual salaries by approximately $200, was formally adopted last night by the Mamaroneck Board of Education in executive session.

The board also went on record approving the payment of increments on a promotional of meritorius service basis, and also adopted a new sick leave policy.

The adoption of the new schedule, which ranges from a minimum of $2,300 to a super-maximum of $6,000, was announced today in a written statement from the board released by Superintendent of Schools T. James Ahern.

The schedule was adopted on the recommendation of the Committee on Education and Personnel and is felt to be "comparable with schedules of surrounding communities" and "consistent with the board's policy to pay the going salary range for this area."

The board credits the formulation of the new schedule to the "fine cooperative efforts" between the Teachers Welfare Committee and the board's committee on Education and Personnel. This year's harmony in adopting a schedule is in marked contrast to the heated discussions held last year.

The board set the yearly increment in salary at $200, which is $100 more than the usual increment. However, in the last two years double increments were granted to help meet the cost of living. Increments and salary adjustments totalling $725 granted last year were rolled into the base pay of the new schedule.

It was pointed out that under the new schedule nearly all the teachers would receive $200 increases, with the exception of some of the veteran teachers who had reached their maximums. In such cases, it is expected that the board will grant them a meritorious service increment.

An advisory committee consist-

(Continued on Page Three)

Minter Given 15-Day Term In County Jail

Gilbert Ray Minter, exposition promoter, was sentenced to 15 days in the Westchester County Jail today by Acting Judge Hunter Meighan in Mamaroneck Police Court. Minter was found guilty of collecting money under an assumed name with intent to deceive.

In passing sentence, the Court offered Minter a choice of a $50 fine or 15 days in jail. Minter claimed he had no money and had no alternative but to take the jail sentence.

Minter was arrested last Friday by Mamaroneck police following an investigation by Arthur Dunn, Jr., secretary of the Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce which revealed that Minter was wanted in Maryland and New Jersey for alleged swindling. Minter had approached Mr. Dunn in an effort to get the Chamber to sponsor a proposed "First Annual Merchants and Manufacturers Exposition" here in April.

Upon completion of his sentence, Minter will be faced with several warrants for his arrest, one of which is from Port Chester, where he will also be tried on the same charge.

Fined $2 each this morning for parking violations were E. Kelly Downey of the Orienta Apartments, Mamaroneck; Mrs. Priscilla Dobbs of 17 Addison Street, Larchmont; and Mrs. Catherine McCullough of Katonah, N. Y.

Girl Injured By Car After Leaving Bus

Janice Taylor, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Taylor of 3 Dillon Road, Larchmont, suffered abrasions of the face yesterday afternoon when she walked into the side of a moving car on the Post Road at Dillon Road, Town police reported.

She was taken to New Rochelle Hospital in an ambulance. The girl complained of a pain in her right knee and was detained for further observation.

According to the police, Janice alighted from a New Rochelle-bound bus at the bus stop in front of the Loyal Inn at 2:55 P. M. As she started to cross the street in front of the bus, she walked into the side of the car. Driver of the car, which was traveling toward New Rochelle, was Mrs. Robert H. Goffe, Jr., of 19 Lyons Place, Larchmont, police said.

The girl was knocked to the pavement, and pedestrians made her comfortable until police and the ambulance arrived.

Jury Supports Insurance Co. In Crash Suit

WHITE PLAINS—A Supreme Court jury has tonight found a unanimous verdict in favor of an insurance company which had disclaimed liability on its policy covering an automobile involved in a fatal automobile accident.

The finding became known this morning when Justice Lee Parsons Davis opened the sealed verdict. Justice Davis denied motions that the verdict be set aside.

Orazio Delia-rosta of Mamaroneck, who sued as administrator of the estate of his son, Vito, who died in the accident, and Carmine Federico, now in the Army, were plaintiffs in the suit against the New York Casualty Company.

Oliver K. King and Charles T. Murphy represented the insurance company, while Monroe J. Cahn appeared for the plaintiffs. In December, the plaintiffs won verdicts totaling $12,564 against Leonard Turso, Sr., Town of Harrison official, owner of the car, driven by his son, Leonard Jr., *at the time of the accident, on* Nov. 10, 1945.

Delia-Posta was awarded $9,-255, and Federico, $3,309.

Archer Pays $17.50 For Shooting Rabbit

YONKERS — Nicholas Morock, 19, shot an arrow and hit a rabbit. He was fined $17.50 Saturday for violating a conservation law—hunting without a license.

City Judge Martin J. Fay fined the archer on charges brought by State Game Protector George Pachonka. Almost two years ago Morock was fined $12.50 by Judge Fay for the same offense.

M'Arthur Plans To Stay On Job Ruling Japan

TOKYO, (AP) — General MacArthur said today he would not allow the Presidential campaign to interefere with the occupation of Japan, indicating he intends to remain aloof from campaign issues.

His public relations officer issued a statement that MacArthur's announcement of availability does "not change in the slightest" the operations of headquarters. Requests for a news conference and new posed pictures were declined.

Col. M. P. Echols, the PRO, said the General has nothing to add to yesterday's announcement in which he made as "a private citizen."

Thus it was indicated that MacArthur probably will not go out of his way to clarify his views on subjects other than the international topics he already has discussed. His latest statement on international policy was a recent message supporting military aid to China.

TO SPUR COUNTY BILLS

WHITE PLAINS—Fearful that special Westchester legislation may get lost in the shuffle during the closing days of the State Legislature, County Executive Gerlach and County Public Works Commissioner Harding have gone to Albany and will remain all day. The Legislature is scheduled to complete its 1948 session Friday night.

3,908,000 Babies Help Boost U. S. Population

WASHINGTON, (AP) — The United States population reached a new high of 145,340,000 at the start of this year after 1947 proved the biggest year of growth in history.

The Census Bureau said today a record number of babies, 3,-908,000 were born in 1947.

Continuance of a low death rate and a net immigration of about 215,000 persons also helped the net boost last year, 2,667,000 persons.

The bureau said the U. S. population increased by 10.4 per cent or 13,700,000 persons between April 1, 1940, when the last census was held, and Jan. 1, 1948.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ★ MAMARONECK, N. Y., THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1948 ★ MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather
Tonight snow and colder; lowest near 20. Tomorrow partly cloudy and cold, highest in upper 20s, fresh to strong northerly winds. High tides today at 12:13 P. M.; tomorrow at 12:33 A. M. and 12:40 P. M.

Combing The Town

Backs Fund Drive

Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville (above) today called upon residents of the Larchmont Postal District to give liberally to the Red Cross Fund campaign, now nearing its climax.

"The Red Cross is the most worthy and most needed organization in the whole country," Mr. Mandeville said.

"The people of the unincorporated area will all give generously as they always have in the past and we look forward with pride to the results which we know will be the answer to the citizens' feelings for this worthy cause."

Spotlight On Swans

Interest in swans has zoomed of late.

On Monday, Mrs. Dorothy Dulin of the Orienta Point apartments reported that she had saw two swans in the harbor. Mrs. Dulin said she has lived here 10 years and never heard of a swan in the vicinity. She was surprised that they took to salt water.

That night, Andrew Karabet of Rye Road, Rye, informed The Daily Times that the swans undoubtedly belong to George P. Skouras. He said that the swans have often been seen in the harbor.

This morning, Mrs. F. C. Margolf of 304 South Barry Avenue, reported that she has had marked success in taming two swans, apparently the same ones, sufficiently to be able to feed them pieces of bread. She said they come all the way up the inlet to the Mamaroneck Lou. Yesterday, however, two teen-agers appeared on the scene and threw stones at the swans, frightening them off.

Safety In Shooting

A demonstrated talk on guns was given by Lieut. Louis Giancola of the Mamaroneck Police Department at a meeting of Troop 4, Mamaroneck Boy Scouts, Tuesday evening at the Mamaroneck Avenue School.

Lieut. Giancola discussed gun handling and safety, and the history of the gun. He also showed the different types of gunpowder used in bullets and explained the accidental discovery which led to the accurate propection of bullets.

Stressing gun safety, he described some accidents caused by careless handling and pointed out how they could have been prevented. Among the guns he displayed were a .30 calibre Springfield rifle, .22 calibre rifle, 12 gauge shot gun, submachine riot gun, tear gas and flare gun.

Scout leaders present were Joseph Reyes, Anthony Lanza and Louis Notorangelo.

Blizzard Talk

Mamaroneck's own weatherman, Edward Stapowich of the Hillcrest Court Apartments, will compare the Blizzard of '88 with the Blizzard of '47 before a WNBT television camera tomorrow at 8:15 P. M.

Mr. Stapowich, assistant to Benjamin Horowitz, the U.S. Weather Bureau station in New York City, will be interviewed by a member of the WNBT staff and will discuss the cause and effect of both storms. He broadcasts weather news daily at 9:20 A.M. and 1 P.M. over WHN and at 2 P.M. over WNYC.

Grackles Return

Thomas Skinner, florist of 680 West Boston Post Road, Mamaroneck, reported today that the first grackles, commonly known as black birds, had arrived from the South.

He said that robins, with the exception of a few who have jumped the gun, arrive about a week or 10 days after the black birds.

SMOKE FILLS ROOM

Mrs. Robert B. Tyler of 522 Orienta Avenue, Mamaroneck, reported to police at 11:48 A. M. yesterday that there was smoke in an upstairs room of her home. Fire Chief Michael Orsino reported the smoke was caused by a burned-out motor of a heating unit in the

A HANDY HELPER!

If you are looking for an apartment, you can have a handy helper in the hunt. A certain number of homes and apartments become vacant every day through all sorts of causes. What happens then? The landlord looks at the "Wanted to Rent" ads. If your message is there, he'll call you. So state your case in a "wanted to rent" ad today! Call Mamaroneck 8-2100. An experienced ad taker will help you word your ad for best results.

Czech Vote Backs New Red Rule

Parliament Gives Gottwald Government Unanimous Approval

PLAN MASARYK RITES

PRAGUE (AP) — Czecho-Slovakia's Communist Government got a unanimous vote of confidence in Parliament today as it prepared a State funeral for Foreign Minister Jan Masaryk.

Thus, in two weeks and two days after the seizure of power, Communist Premier Klement Gottwald has tied up parliamentary approval for the program for which he had battled since last Summer.

When Chairman Josef David called for the confidence vote, all the 233 deputies who were present raised their hands. The parliament has a normal membership of 300.

Ahead of the deputies is the adoption of legislation to legalize activities of the Action Committees which Gottwald set up as the Czech crisis developed. The committees took control of the Government for him and quickly began to guide every phase of public and private life.

Now Gottwald has a parliament rid of the deputies he did not like. President Eduard Benes still is in office, although resting at his country house. The National Coalition of Parties is maintained in namen with the addition of trades union representatives, and it showed today how it will vote. Gottwald's "Popular People's Democracy" is functioning *in full swing along the lines* of others in communist Europe.

Communist speakers orated *today in favor* of the Communist National Action program for nationalization of industries and businesses employing more than 50 persons, for restricting land holders and for providing lower taxes for workers, peasants and small shopkeepers.

Jan Masaryk's state funeral will be Saturday. He will be buried beside his father, founder and first President of the Czecho-Slovak Republic.

The 41-year-old non-party Foreign Minister was found dead yesterday, two weeks after the new Cabinet came to power, in a stone courtyard more than 50 feet below his bathroom window at the foreign office. The government said he jumped.

Funeral services will be held in the pantheon of the Prague Museum in the Capital's Central Square. Communist Premier Klement Gottwald will speak. Burial will be in the family plot at Lany, beside the grave of Thomas G. Masaryk, who was president from 1918 to 1935 and died in 1937. Vlado Clementis, Communist under-secretary of state for foreign affairs, will speak there.

Two Vehicles Badly Smashed In Collision

The left front ends of two cars were badly damaged yesterday morning in a collision on Larchmont Avenue near Chatsworth in Larchmont, police reported. No one was injured, but both cars were towed away from the scene.

According to police, a car driven by George W. Hall of 40 Magnolia Avenue, Larchmont, was *proceeding north on Larchmont* Avenue when it was struck by another car operated by Mrs. Eleanor Ramsey of 57 Valley Road, Larchmont. Mrs. Ramsey's car, police said, was making a left turn out of Cherry Avenue to go south on Larchmont Avenue when the cars collided.

John B. Wood, Jr., of Scarsdale reported to Town police yesterday that both left fenders of his car were damaged Tuesday morning when the auto skidded into a tree on Weaver Street at Bonnie Briar Lane.

Wood told police that his car was traveling south on Weaver Street when it struck the bus, which was stopped facing in the opposite direction. There was no damage to the bus, owned by the Scarsdale Bus Corporation and operated by Francis Tobin of Tuckahoe.

Grand Jury Indicts Youth For Robbery

WHITE PLAINS—Stanley Carr, 21, of 84 Garden Street, Yonkers, was indicted by the Grand Jury on charges of robbery and grand larceny both in the first degree, while a 17-year-old youth accused with him is to be prosecuted as a youthful offender.

Chief Assistant District Attorney Frederick E. Weiks Jr. said the robbery charge is based upon a complaint made by Henry Braks of 111 Lockwood Avenue, Yonkers, that Carr and the youth "mugged" him on Jan. 12, assaulting him and taking $26.

The other charge alleges the theft on the same day of the automobile of Abraham Bistany of 139 Radford Street, Yonkers.

FRIGHTENED BUT SAFE—This young deer was rescued yesterday from the Hudson river, off Irvington, by Carl Stohr of the Humane Society in White Plains, and Patrolman Ernest Kindgren of Tarrytown. The deer ventured out upon river ice at Tarrytown and then found itself drifting down stream on a floe. As Mr. Stohr prepares to tie a rope about the deer, Patrolman Kindgren steadies the boat with his oars. —Staff Photo By John Sarno

200 County Legionnaires From 56 Posts Meet First Time In Local Clubhouse

No bids have yet been received for the 1948 Westchester American Legion annual two day convention, B. F. McGrath, Larchmont, chairman of the time and place committee told members of the County Legion Committee meeting in Mamaroneck last night.

Mr. McGrath pledged the members of Larchmont Post to assist any other post in the county in preparation for the convention scheduled for July 16 and 17. Last year's convention, generally believed one of the best in the history of the County Legion, was held in Larchmont.

At the meeting last night Mamaroneck Post 90 was host in its recently acquired headquarters in the Old Town Hall and Commander Isadore F. Linehan, Mamaroneck postmaster welcomed the members of the committee. The auxiliary of the host unit provided refreshments for those attending the meeting, first ever to be held in Mamaroneck.

Highlight of the meeting was a talk by Walter Roeder of Scarsdale, who described services at the Legion-maintained rest camp for all veterans at Tupper Lake.

Praised by Graves Committee Chairman Thomas Hammond of Yonkers was Yonkers Post 7 for its color guard and services rendered in burial of World War 2 dead in Westchester.

Application for charter of a new post in Purchase was presented at the meeting by Herbert C. Tilley 3d of Harrison, editor of the Westchester Legionnaire. The proposed new post has a charter roster of 125 members.

More than 200 Legionnaires representing 56 county posts attended the meeting. They were welcomed by Village Manager William H. Johnson, who stated that Post 90 and the Friendly Village of Mamaroneck were proud to be hosts to representatives of Westchester posts.

At the opening and closing of the meeting, colors were advanced and retired by the crack color guard of Scarsdale Post 52. It was the first time many members of the local post had seen this contest-winning group in action.

Mrs. Irene Silver, Auxiliary president, was in charge of refreshments.

U. S. Says Arms Plan Is Only Defensive One

By ELTON C. FAY
Associated Press Staff

WASHINGTON — Military developments in the United States reflect the "very, very serious" world situation noted by Secretary of State Marshall.

High command conferences . . . new weapons . . . tests for military manpower . . . Congressional warnings against cutting defense funds.

All these coincided today with Marshall's grave summation of the trend of global affairs.

But just as the Secretary voiced an implied plea to the Americas people to keep cool, other top officials in both the diplomatic and military branches of the government took pains to stress this:

All efforts to build up the United States' armed might are aimed solely at guarding against aggressive attack.

These officials 'shun the idea of a "preventive" war to beat any would-be attacker to the draw. Secretary of Defense Forrestal told a news conference yesterday that it is not the nature of democracies, "particularly this democracy," to plan a war deliberately.

But the United States is determined to put its military house in order.

The Developments

Here are some of the latest efforts:

High command: Forrestal has ordered the joint Chiefs of Staff to meet with him and tell him where they disagree about what service should do what in a war.

If these military commanders of the Army, Navy and Air Force and the Chief of Staff to the President still can't agree, Forrestal will make his own decisions.

The Chiefs of Staff have wrangled for years about such things as the role of the Air Force and the Navy in bombing operations. And they are still arguing, despite last year's service unification law.

Weapons: While making ready for further tests of atomic weapons in the Pacific, the military has begun experiments in California with the world's biggest standard explosive bomb—a 21-ton missile.

The first phase of the test was for a B-29 to drop a dud. Later *live bombs will be exploded.*

The Air Force plans these test drops from its biggest bomber, the B-36. That huge six-engine plane was designed for 10,000-mile flights. However, the range presumably would be less with a load which included the 42,000-pound bomb.

The Navy, stressing more and more the role of carrier-borne aviation in its fleet, proposes to build a giant 80,000-ton flattop. Such a carrier could make possible new and harder-striking task forces.

Manpower: A new effort to push Universal Military Training through Congress is underway. The Senate Armed Services Committee decided yesterday to ignore House delays and begin its own hearings on a bill next week. Marshall will be the first witness.

Meanwhile the Office of Selective Service Records is training officers to put a new draft program into effect quickly if the necessity arises. There have been suggestions that if UMT isn't adopted, a resumption of Selective Service might be the only alternative. There has been talk too that universal military training may not be enough.

REV. S. M. SHOEMAKER

Dr. Shoemaker To Preach At Union Service

The Rev. Samuel M. Shoemaker, D.D., rector of Calvary Episcopal Church in New York City for the last 28 years, will be the guest preacher at the sixth Union Lenten Service sponsored by the Larchmont Avenue Church and St. John's Church Tuesday at 8 P. M. in the Larchmont Avenue Church.

Dr. Shoemaker was born in 1893 in Baltimore, Mr., attended St. George's School, Newport, R. I., and was graduated from Princeton University in 1916. From 1917 to 1919, he served as secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association in Pekin, China, and as secretary of the Philadelphian Society at Princeton University from 1919 to 1920. He was ordained a deacon, elevated to the priesthood the following year and again served as secretary of the Philadelphian Society from 1922 to 1924, when he was assigned to Calvary Church.

He has been active in leading young men into the ministry, working with individuals to deepen their religious convictions, and training lay people to become spiritual leaders.

Dr. Shoemaker has written numerous books and pamphlets, his most recent book being "Revive Thy Church — Beginning With Yourself," "Children and This Crisis" published in 1943, "How You Can Help Other People," 1946, and "How *You Can* Find Happiness," 1947, were designated as Religious Book of the Month Club selections.

In addition to his writing, Dr. Shoemaker is active in radio work. From March to June, 1945, he broadcast weekly on "Your Life Today" over Station WJZ in cooperation with the radio department of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America; and from October, 1945, through April, 1946, he gave bi-weekly addresses over the ABC network. He returned to the air in September, 1946, for three Sunday broadcasts over WOR's "Radio Chapel," and also appeared on the "Faith In Our Time" program. He presently is heard over WJZ each Thursday at 8:45 A. M. and 11:30 P. M. on the "Gems for Thought" program.

His weekly sermons are mimeographed each week and subscribed to by a large number of people across the country. His sermons also appear in each issue of the Evangel, Calvary's monthly magazine.

BOARD TO MEET

A meeting of the Harrison Board of Education will be held tomorrow at 8:00 P. M. in the library of the Harrison High School, Leo B. Blehl, clerk, announced today.

Republican Club To Hear Nominees

Republican candidates in the village election will speak today at 8 P. M. before the organization meeting of the Lincoln Republican Club at the Elks' Clubhouse on Madison Street. Prominent party leaders will also be guests at the meeting.

Tax Withholding Agents Given Time To Report

ALBANY, (AP) — New York State Income Tax withholding agents have been given until March 25 to file returns and pay taxes on income of non-residents.

The State Tax Commission also advised the agents — New York employers of non-residents who earn their income in the state — that 40 per cent of the tax has been "forgiven."

County Parenthood Groups Will Meet

The regular monthly meeting of the Westchester Planned Parenthood Committee will be held tomorrow at 10 A. M. at the Port Chester Planned Parenthood Center, Mrs. Payton W. Spence, chairman, of Bronxville, will preside. The meeting will be attended by officers of the seven Westchester Committees engaged in planned parenthood work.

RYE NECK TEACHERS WIN AVERAGE BOOST OF $300 IN PAY SCALE

Lewis Donaldson To Head Committee To Study Needs Of Rye Neck School District

The Rye Neck School Board last night officially approved the formation of a Citizens' Committee to study the future needs of the district and named Lewis H. Donaldson of 319 South Barry Avenue, Mamaroneck, as general chairman.

The general chairman, Trustee Edgar B. Burchell, Jr., reported, will appoint sub-chairmen of committees to study problems and needs along specified lines. Included will be a study of what the community will be like in 10 years, another of what education will be like in 10 years, and a third to consider what are the deficiencies in the educational program.

Trustee Malcolm Brown objected to the types of committees as being "far too complex" and felt that the committees should be given a free reign. It was agreed to leave the work of the committees up to the discretion of Mr. Donaldson.

The board also approved the recommendation of Dr. Alvin W. Hicks, superintendent, to hold a "Senior Day" on a date to be decided upon, when members of the Senior Class will become "teachers" for the day.

President Raymond T. O'Connell read to the board an anonymous letter complaining about non-resident children who were attending the schools tuition-free. The matter was referred to the superintendent for investigation, but Trustee Russell Niles expressed the board's feeling by saying that it "disregard anonymous letters."

The Board approved a request to permit a student in the eleventh grade to complete the balance of the school year without tuition charge, although her family no longer resides in the district. It was pointed out in the request that the family had been forced to move and was unable to find other living quarters within the district.

Trustee Brown called the board's attention to the fact that under the by-laws the superintendent's budget was due March 1.

Dr. Hicks told the board he did not have the budget prepared, although preliminary copies are in the hands of the clerk, Edward

(Continued on Page Fifteen)

Mrs. Lebeis Appointed To National Post

Mrs. Edward H. Lebeis, Mamaroneck realtor, has been appointed to the educational committee of the National Association of Real Estate Boards by Raymond D. Porter of New Rochelle, president of the Westchester County Realty Board, it was announced at yesterday's meeting of the Mamaroneck Realty Board at the office of Houghton Associates, Inc.

Mrs. Lebeis held other committee appointments in the New York State Association of Real Estate Boards and is a past secretary of the County Board. She was formerly president of the Mamaroneck Board. She is also serving on the women's committee of arrangements for the annual convention of the National Association to be held in New York City in November.

Everett Houghton reported that the solicitation of apartments by the Realty Board during the Red Cross Drive last Sunday was very successful. The quota that the local board was asked to raise was $900. With reports still coming in, Mr. Houghton reported, $1,-338.65 has already been raised.

After a discussion of the Westchester County Airport, it was decided to hold the May meeting there.

Victor Dunn, Jr., vice-president, presided in the absence of president Morris Stern.

Three Youths Admit Taking Jeep For Ride

Detective Joseph Paonessa of the Town police yesterday apprehended three youths after many hours of investigation and questioning, admitted taking a jeep owned by Anthony Guadagnola of Larchmont Sunday night and driving it near the Larchmont waterfront.

Police said the boys had taken the jeep for a joy ride when they saw it parked in front of 243 Palmer Avenue with the keys in it.

Mr. Guidagnola did not prefer charges against the youths. They were released following a reprimand.

JOSEPH D. PHILLIPS

News Analyst To Speak At Opinion Forum

Joseph B. Phillips, foreign affairs director and columnist for Newsweek Magazine, will be one of two speakers who will discuss two alternatives for peace, the UN or World Federation, at the Larchmont Forum for Public Opinion at 8:30 P. M. Friday in the Chatsworth Avenue School auditorium.

Sharing the platform with Mr. Phillips will be Cord Meyer, Jr., former Marine Corps captain who is president of United World Federalists, Inc.

Born in Paducah, Ky., Mr. Phillips was educated at the Virginia Military Institute and the Graduate School of Journalism at Columbia University. After a brief apprenticeship on The Paducah News-Democrat, he went to work for The Washington Herald during the Coolidge administration. In 1927, he went to Paris for the New York Herald Tribune. He remained on the staff of the newspaper until 1938, when he returned to New York to become the foreign news editor for Newsweek.

One of Mr. Phillips's first important European assignments was covering the evacuation of British troops from the Rhineland. From Germany, he went to London to cover the Naval Conference, and from London, he went on to Rome in 1930. This was at the period Mussolini was at the height of his power.

In 1936, after a brief trip through the Balkans, he made his first trip to Russia, learned to speak Russian and to know Russians as have few Americans. He stayed on to cover the highly significant "purge trials" of 1936-37 before returning to America in 1938.

During the war years, Mr. Phillips served as a colonel on Gen. Eisenhower's staff. He was the first man shot at in the African campaign when he and several other American officers in an American bomber flew over a Nazi warship in the Mediterranean. He was the chief American public relations officer for the American landing in North Africa, which he says was one of the best kept military secrets of the time.

His next visit to Russia was in August, 1944, when he was sent by Gen. Eisenhower with the Military Mission to Moscow. He stayed 17 months, serving first as a member of the American Military Mission and later as an editorial and press attache at the American Embassy.

In the Spring and early Summer of 1947, Mr. Phillips revisited Europe to study conditions at first hand, renew personal contacts with outstanding political leaders, and keep abreast of those rapidly "foreign tides" affecting America's interests.

Chamber To Discuss Women Shopper Survey

The Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce will discuss a proposed survey of women shoppers at its March meeting Monday at 8:30 P. M. in the Legion clubhouse on Prospect Avenue.

The chamber hopes to find the reasons why some women shoppers are making purchases outside the community.

Donald Abbot will report on suggestions for bringing more yachting people into the business district to make their purchases.

Trustees Adopt Salary Range Of $2400 To $5200

Climaxing two months' negotiations between teachers and trustees, the Rye Neck School Board last night voted 5 to 1 to adopt a new schedule, effective July 1, which will raise the average salary almost $300.

Before voting "no" on the proposal, Trustee Malcolm Brown explained that he was going to do so "partly to underscore, the fact that it is a compromise." He added, however, that "if I thought it was necessary I would vote yes."

The board's action in adopting the new schedule, which is directed primarily at correcting inequalities in veteran teachers' salaries, was greeted with a round of applause from the more than 20 teachers who attended the meeting.

Reluctance on the part of the board in adopting the new schedule was also evidenced by Trustee William C. Fitts, Jr., who voted *for it, "with an explanation."*

"I am voting 'yes'," he said, "solely because I see no satisfactory alternative." He added that he preferred a schedule with more flexibility but was not going to insist upon it as it would only create a deadlock.

The adopted schedule is for minimum salaries based on training and years of experience. It extends through 18 steps or 17 years of experience. The salary range for four years of training is $2400 to $4800, for five years $2600 to $5000 and for over five years from $2800 to $5200. The latter salary range was left open, however, for *further consideration and regula*tions to be determined by the Board by July 1. The teachers had requested salaries *ranging from* $2400 to $6000.

During the discussion which lasted for more than two hours, Trustee Russell Niles said it was with "great reluctance" that he approved it. He predicted that the board would "regret" adopting the schedule. "It's just too bad we had

(Continued on Page Fifteen)

Conners Named As Commodore By Yacht Club

Harry R. Conners of 31 Cherry Avenue, Larchmont, has been elected commodore of the Horseshoe Harbor Yacht Club, which is entering its 60th year.

Other officers chosen are Ralph E. Pierece, vice-commodore; Theodore W. Keller, *rear-commodore*; Carlton J. Cuqua, secretary; Raworth H. James, treasurer; and F. W. Schnirring and Dr. E. J. McCabe, trustees.

Albert H. Stone of Larchmont, chairman of the regatta committee of the club, announced that the special series of sailboat races held last year will again be on the calendar of events this year.

Mr. Stone explained that these special races for club members are in addition to the two Yacht Racing Association of Long Island Sound races sponsored by the club and now conducted to "foster the spirit of racing."

These races, held off the club moorings, are on a handicap basis so boats of all classes have an equal chance to receive the winning gun, Mr. Stone said. He added that *many of the "neo-phytes"* who participated in last year's club races are planning to enter the Y. R. A. championship races.

Chatsworth Apts. Filled With Smoke

An apparatus of the Town of Mamaroneck Fire Department rushed to the Chatsworth Gardens Apartments, Larchmont, this morning when a general alarm was sounded at 10:21 A. M.

According to the Town police report, a considerable amount of smoke filled one of the apartments caused by a short circuit in an electrical panel controlling the oil burner. Police said no damage was reported other than damage to the panel. Recall was at 10:45 A. M.

At 12:23 P. M. today Columbia Rug Company extinguished a fire in a village disposal truck at Halstead and Union Avenues, Mamaroneck. The fire was caused by hot ashes which set fire to a box spring in the truck. No damage resulted. The truck was driven by a village employee, James Yizar.

HEADS HOSPITAL

MOUNT VERNON — Howard E. Laux, Mount Vernon auto dealer has been elected president of the Mount Vernon Hospital. Mr. Laux, who is also vice-president of the New York State Automobile Dealer's Association, succeeds Harold B. Storms as president of the hospital.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather
Sunny, windy and cold. Tonight clear and continued cold, low near 10. Tomorrow, mostly sunny and not so cold, high in upper 30s. High tides today at 12:40 P. M.; tomorrow at 12:55 A. M. and 1:14 P. M.

EUROPEAN AID PLAN RUSHED TO CRUCIAL SENATE VOTE TODAY

GUEST of the Larchmont Rotary Club at today's luncheon meeting in the Larchmont Lodge was 18-year old Dick Button, of Englewood, N. J., men's Olympic and world figure-skating champion, shown above kissing his mother upon his arrival in New York on the "Queen Elizabeth." His father looks on. Mrs. Gretchen Fraser, of Vancouver, Wash., winner of the women's special slalom ski event at the St. Moritz winter games, and Donna Fox of Larchmont, U. S. Olympic bobsled coach, were also guests. —International

Major Test Due Over Amount Of Relief Measure

WASHINGTON, (AP) — The "Great crisis" Secretary of State Marshall says is gripping the world sped the Senate toward a crucial vote today on his European Recovery program.

The issue was whether the Marshall Plan bill should carry the $5,300,000,000 first year figure now planned or be cut to $4,000,000,000 as proposed by Senator Taft.

Friends and foes alike agreed that today's vote would be the major test.

The bill itself is due to be approved—with one amount or the other late—tonight or tomorrow.

It then will go to the House, which yesterday was asked by President Truman to give Western Europe an additional $55,000,000 in stopgap aid by April 1.

The President said the money is needed to keep the supply lines to non-Communist countries filled until Marshall Plan help is available. And he termed it a matter of "extreme urgency" that the plan itself be approved quickly.

Calmness Urged

Congressional leaders now estimate this will be about April 10—just eight days before the Italian elections which may bring the crisis to its first climax.

Mr. Truman later told his news conference that his confidence in eventual world peace has been shaken somewhat by recent developments abroad. But he quickly added that he still believes peace can be achieved.

Marshall further underscored the gravity with which American leaders view the world's turmoil when he told a Federal Council of Churches meeting last night:

"The world is in the midst of a great crisis, inflamed by propaganda, misundertsanding, anger and fear."

Mr. Truman was in the audience at the Washington Cathedral where Marshall spoke.

The Senate debate on ERP took an unexpected turn yesterday when Taft, a candidate for the GOP Presidential nomination, single-handedly offered an amendment to slash the program by $1,300,000,000.

Senators Wherry, Neb., and Ball, Minn., had indicated earlier that such an amendment would be offered by the 20-member Republican revisionist group they head.

Wherry pledged that the revisionists would back Taft in his chips-down battle with Chairman Vandenberg of the Foreign Relations Committee. The cut amendment provided the first head-on clash between the two party leaders on the foreign relief issue.

On the basis of past tests, Vandenberg appeared to have an edge over Taft in this afternoon's voting.

But the Marshall Plan ran into new trouble in the House.

Three Republican members of the Foreign Affairs Committee decided to expand the European Recovery Program to include military help for China, as well as Greece and Turkey.

Combing The Town

Wins King's Medal

John Ashley Brownridge, son of Mrs. G. W. Brownridge of 17 Addison Street, Larchmont, has been presented the King's Medal for his work with the British Mission during the war, at a ceremony in Baltimore, Md., attended by his mother.

The citation read in part, "In gratitude and for the help you gave us when so many despaired . . . in the bitter struggle against overwhelming odds. . ."

Mr. Brownridge, who now resides in Alexandria, Va., with his wife and two children, became associated with the United Kingdom Technical Mission in New York, six years after his graduation from Mamaroneck High School in 1934. In 1942 he was transferred to the British Supply Mission in Washington, where he was responsible for all British drawings and technical information on guns and carriages to the various theaters of war.

He is now employed by Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths and Company in Washington.

Bomb Target—

Germany had definite plans to bomb the United States when actual hostilities broke out in World War II, according to Damon Polcini, guest speaker at the luncheon-meeting of the Mamaroneck Rotary Club yesterday at the Blue Haven Inn.

Mr. Polcini spoke on America's air defense prior to the beginning of World War II. He explained the use and minute operations of observation posts and radar. He also described the so-called "outer circle" and "inner circle" for detection and location of approaching enemy aircraft.

Guests included Larchmont Rotarians T. Roosevelt Allen and Morton Heide, N. H. Nolfesboro, Henry H. Rosseau. President Stanley E. Warner presided over the meeting.

Remember?

Sixty years ago today occurred what many people claim was the worst blizzard this area has ever experienced, notwithstanding the storm of Dec. 26, 1947.

Exchanging memories of the storm today in New York City are the Blizzard Gals of '88, organized by Mrs. Mary Turnbull of Larchmont. Tomorrow, the Blizzard Men of '88, of which Dr. H. K. Miler of Mamaroneck is a director of the board, will hold their 19th annual luncheon-meeting at the Hotel Pennsylvania in New York City.

Sightseeing

Seaman 1/c Robert P. Joyce of Mamaroneck, on a nine-week cruise in the Pacific aboard the U.S.S. Valley Forge, an aircraft carrier, has left Singapore, and will visit Saudi Arabia, Palestine and Italy next. He has already been to Pearl Harbor, Australia, and China.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Joyce of 1488 Pine Knoll Lane, he expects to receive his discharge in about three months. The Valley Forge is flagship of Task Force 38.

Campfire Birthday

Mamaroneck Camp Fire girls will begin their observation of National Birthday Week Sunday by attending local church services. Next week will mark the 36th anniversary of the founding of the National Camp Fire Organization.

Protestant and Jewish girls will attend the 11 A. M. service at the Mamaroneck Methodist Church, while the Catholic girls will attend the 9 A. M. Mass at Holy Trinity and St. Vito's Churches.

Snow Scenes

"Portrait of Winter" is the title of the exhibit of photographs now on display at the Mamaroneck Free Library by Andrew D. Karabet of Rye Road, Rye.

The exhibit includes 24 mounted photos 16 by 20 inches each of Mamaroneck scenes taken from Dec. 28 to Jan. 14.

Mr. Karabet has exhibited these pictures at Manhassett, Bayside and Glen Cove, L. I. The exhibit will remain at the library for the next two weeks.

Campaign Hat

Have you noticed the battered felt hat Barney Epstein, Republican campaign manager, is wearing these days?

Barney calls it his "campaign hat" and says he won't change it until after the Village election next Tuesday.

MAYOR DISPLEASED

YONKERS—Mayor Curtiss Frank of Yonkers has termed a bill introduced at Albany by Senator Fred G. Moritt of Brooklyn establishing Manhattan as a state, "ridiculous."

INTERESTING READING:

A reader of this newspaper is reading the Want Ads right now—this minute—and finding them mighty interesting. He or she would be interested in that old refrigerator, baby carriage, washing machine, vacuum cleaner, electrical phonograph, you no longer need. Lots of smart advertisers are selling things they don't need through our Want Ad section every day. Start your ad today. Call Mamaroneck 9-2100. Our experienced ad taker will be glad to help you write an inexpensive resultful ad.

Resident's Sister Dies In Blaze

Mrs. Fitzgerald Meets Death In N. Carolina Hospital Fire

KIN OF LARCHMONTER

Word was received by Larchmont relatives yesterday of the death of Mrs. F. Scott Fitzgerald, widow of the noted novelist, who perished in the tragic fire which demolished a mental institution at Asheville, N. C., taking a total of nine lives.

Mrs. Fitzgerald was the sister of Mrs. John M. Palmer of 105 North Chatsworth Avenue, Larchmont, whom she had visited two years ago. She was the aunt of Mrs. Palmer's daughter, Mrs. Edward E. Baker, Jr., of 16 Birchfield Road, Larchmont, and of her son, John M. Palmer, Jr., of New York City. The relatives were further shocked today to learn from Dr. B. T. Bennett, director of the institution, that contrary to previous reports, the body of Mrs. Fitzgerald has not yet been recovered. It was at first believed that an accurate identification of a body as that of Mrs. Fitzgerald, had been made, and preparations were being made by relatives for funeral arrangements. However word from

(Continued on Page Three)

Skouras Given Laws Degree At Boston U.

The honorary degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon Spyros P. Skouras of 2 Shore Road, Mamaroneck, president of the 20th Century-Fox Film Corporation, this morning at Boston University by President Daniel L. Marsh.

Mr. Skouras was among a group of 10 men which included top radio and motion picture executives, public relation authorities, industrialists, and editors, upon whom were conferred honorary degrees during the Fifth Annual Founders' Day convocation exercises held in Symphony Hall.

In conferring the degree, President Marsh read the following citation:

"Spyros Panayiotis Skouras president of the Twentieth Century-Fox Film Corporation; born in Greece, came to this country, and at the earliest possible time became a naturalized citizen; an illustration of the fact that America is still the land of opportunity, for you began as an immigrant bus boy in a hotel, and then you both found and made opportunity in the theater and motion picture business until you have now become capable and powerful head of the Twentieth Century-Fox Film Corporation, by means of which a boy from the land of Pericles and Socrates and Plato furnishes entertainment and information daily to multiplied millions of persons in the land of Washington and Lincoln and Wilson,—I confer upon you Boston University's honorary degree of Doctor of Laws."

Mr. Skouras, who has been president of 20th Century-Fox since 1942, began as a busboy in St. Louis hotels. He then organized a chain of theaters in St. Louis and became general manager of the Warner Brothers circuit and later became associated with Paramount Pictures. Prior to his present position he was President of the National Theaters Amusement Company.

He is chairman of the entertainment division of the Visiting Nurse Service, the Greater New York Fund and the Girl Scout

(Continued on Page Three)

Transit Fare Rise In NY Authorized

ALBANY, (AP)—Over strenuous Democratic objections, the Republican-controlled Assembly today passed a GOP bill authorizing Mayor William O'Dwyer's New York City administration to raise the transit fare from five cents to any amount it wishes.

Reds Report Another Suicide, As Czechs Mourn Masaryk

PRAGUE, (AP) — A line of weeping mourners nearly two miles long filed through Czernin Palace today to place flowers on the bier of Foreign Minister Jan Masaryk.

Masaryk's body lay in state from 9:00 A. M. until 5 P. M., but the throng was so vast the doors of the palace opened an hour early to permit school children to pass through.

Meanwhile, the Communists were strengthening their control of Czechoslovakia with a program of reorganization and legislation in a dominated parliament.

They also claimed new evidence of opposition plotting against the government in a report of the confession and suicide of a non-Communist political leader, Josef Herod.

That suicide was the second such to be reported officially this week. The government said Masaryk took his life by jumping out an apartment window Wednesday.

The latest suicide was reported last night by district police of Eastern Moravia. Their statement said Herod killed himself in his jail cell in Moravska Ostrava after confessing to participation in a military plot to overthrow the republic. They did not specify how he ended his life.

Herod was secretary of the local branch of the anti-Communist National Socialist Party.

Introducing Mamaroneck's Police Court Candidates

ANTHONY SANSONE

HENRY T. HORNIDGE

Anthony Sansone, a native of Mamaroneck, rose through hard work and perseverance from humble beginnings to become a member of the board and, finally corporation counsel of the Village of Mamaroneck.

Born here 51 years ago, Mr. Sansone was an outstanding athlete in the Village's grammar and high schools, and then served as a member of the U. S. Marine Corps during the first World War. After his discharge from the Marines, he was elected commander of Post 90 of the American Legion, an organization in which he has since retained his membership.

Mr. Sansone was admitted to

(Continued on Page Three)

Henry T. Hornidge, who has served the Village of Mamaroneck in innumerable capacities for a generation, rose to be its Mayor and held that position from 1933 to 1935.

A native of New York City, Mr. Hornidge was graduated from the City College of New York and from Columbia University Law School in 1906. He was admitted to the New York State Bar the same year. An attorney for more than 40 years, he is now associated with the firm of Upham, Blasi and Drews of New York City.

As early as 1924, Mr. Hornidge started his local civic career by becoming a member of the Zoning Commission which prepared the

(Continued on Page Three)

MHS Names Cynthia Hodgson Valedictorian Of Class Of '48; Drexler Salutatorian

The two highest ranking seniors, Cynthia Hodgson and David Drexler, have been named valedictorian and salutatorian, respectively, of the Class of 1948, Joseph C. McLain, principal of the Mamaroneck High School has announced.

Cynthia, with an average of 95.75 per cent, and David, with 95.456 per cent, head a list of 27 seniors whose average for three years of high school work is 90 per cent or above.

As the two leading students of their class, they will both deliver sfipeeches at the June commencement exercises along with two students who will be selected to present their senior essays.

Cynthia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hodgson of 127 Rockland Avenue, Larchmont, is a member of the A Capella Choir, Girls' Glee Club, Student Council, Honor Society, Mixed Glee Club, Latin Club and Finance Club. She is also the class treasurer and has participated in baseball, field hockey, the talent show and the junior play.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Drexler of 10 Byron Lane, Larchmont, David is make-up editor of The Record, school newspaper, and is a member of the Quill and Scroll, Speech, Arts, Radio Workshop, German, Latin, Forum, Chess, Engineers' Clubs and the Honor Society. He also has participated in the junior, senior and Thespian plays.

WILLIAM H. DOLAN

Dolan Appeals For Generous Red Cross Aid

William H. Dolan, serving Larchmont's 1948 Red Cross Fund campaign as treasurer, has given freely of his time on previous Red Cross and Community Chest drives.

A member of the Larchmont Rotary Club, the American Legion, and assistant treasurer of the Larchmont Federal Savings and Loan Association, Mr. Dolan calls upon Larchmont residents to give generously in the coming campaign.

"The American Red Cross is in the midst of its 1948 fund campaign. Everyone is urged to continue the fine support that is needed to further this worthy cause," he said today.

"Last year the Texas disaster and the fires in the Northeast caused untold suffering. The American Red Cross did much in those areas to alleviate the pain and suffering. It is because of these heavy expenditures as well as the newly inuagurated National Blood program, that Red Cross is asking $75,000,000 to carry on in 1948."

Lions To Hold Annual Blind Sale In April

The annual blind sale of the New York State Blind Commission, supported by the Larchmont Lions Club, will be held by the local Lions April 22, 23, and 24 in showroom space donated by Luby Chevrolet Company, Inc., of Larchmont.

Mrs. Harry M. Bardin of 429 Weaver Street, will be in charge of the Larchmont section of the Blind Commission, it was announced at Wednesday's meeting of the Lions at the Pal-Mar Restaurant.

Some communities will hold their sale in White Plains, but the Larchmont club decided that inasmuch as it is raising funds from local residents, the sale should be held here. All of the articles have been made by blind persons residing in the state.

The annual Lions' bridge party will be held Friday, May 21, at St. John's Church House, Harold Eisner announced.

George Miills, Sr., vice president of the Larchmont branch of the County Trust Company, has resumed active membership, it was announced.

Dr. Fred Prausnitz, zone chairman of Lions Clubs in this area, received an award from Lions International in Chicago for his efforts in the recent membership drive.

Guests included Daniel Bucky of Mount Vernon, and Dr. Herman G. Hofmann of Larchmont.

G.O.P. Sets Early Vote On Tax Cut

Taft Hopes For Final Action Next Week On $4,700,000,000 Bill

HOUSE PLAN SLASHED

WASHINGTON, (AP)— Senate Republican leaders today tabbed their $4,700,000,000 tax cut bill for action next week.

Chairman Taft announced that goal was set at a meeting of the Republican policy committee Debate may not begin until the middle of the week but the aim is to get final action by the week's end.

The Senate Finance Committee voted 10 to 1 last night for a tax slash of that size.

In doing so, it whittled $1,800,000,000 from the $6,500,000,000 tax bill passed overwhelmingly by the House Feb. 2.

The purpose of the Senate strategy is to try to win enough Democratic votes to pass a bill over the Presidential veto the Republicans expect. That would take a two-thirds majority in both the Senate and House.

Except for one major change which trimmed the amount of the cut, the Senate measure is prac-

(Continued on Page Three)

Icy Streets Cause Four Auto Crashes

Only four automobile accidents occurred yesterday despite the hazardous condition of the roads glazed with ice as a result of sleet and freezing rain, police reported. No one was injured.

Town police reported that a truck driven by Carl Tortorella of 175 Myrtle Boulevard, Larchmont, travelling north on Murray Avenue at 1:30 P.M. was struck on the left front fender by a car, coming in the opposite direction, which skidded into it. Driver of the car was Morris Berk of New York City. There was slight damage to both vehicles, police said.

Another truck, driven by Howard Knudsen of The Bronx and travelling west on the Post Road, struck a parked car near Alden Road at 5:20 P. M. The truck driver claimed, police said, that he did not see the parked car until he was on top of it because of the sleet. The rear end of the car, owned by Vernon H. June, was pushed in, police said. There was no damage to the truck.

Officer Howard E. Hanley of the Mamaroneck Police Department reported that a police car he was driving south on Palmer Avenue near Richbell Road at 4:45 P. M. skidded and sideswiped a parked car owned by Mrs. Evelyn M. Wells of the Colony Apartments. The right front fender of the police car and the left rear fender of the Well's car were dented, Officer Hanley reported.

Two cars were slightly damaged when they collided at 5:55 P.M. on Chatsworth Avenue and Depot Way, Larchmont police reported.

A car driven by Fred J. Littauer of New Rochelle, travelling south on Chatsworth Avenue and making a left turn into Depot Way, collided with another car proceeding north on Chatsworth Avenue, police said. There was no damage to the other car, driven by Miss M. Edna Schmidt of 50 Sheldrake Avenue, Larchmont. The left rear fender of the Littauer car was dented.

'Record' Wins 2nd Place In Press Contest

NEW YORK — "The Record", newspaper published by students of Mamaroneck High School, was announced today as the winner of second place in its classification in the nation-wide contest among school periodicals, sponsored by the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. The awards will be made on Saturday at the Hotel Commodore.

"The Record" competed with newspapers of senior high schools having enrollments of 750 to 1,000.

The contest was a feature of the 24th annual three-day convention of the association at Columbia University. Nearly 1,000 publications, representing school levels from elementary to junior college, were considered by the judges for excellence of makeup, typography, story content, editorial policy and the like.

Some 3,500 student editors, from 30 states, are attending the convention. Their meetings will be addressed by leaders in public affairs, sports, press and radio, including Senator Warren Austin, our UN delegate.

BEAUTY BILL PASSED

ALBANY, (AP) — A bill to make it legal for men to patronize beauty parlors is approved by the Senate and sent to Governor Dewey.

Erich Leinsdorf, Larchmont Resident, Leads Rochester Orchestra In N. Y. Saturday

* * *

ERICH LEINSDORF

Erich Leinsdorf, of Larchmont, will take the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, of which he is permanent conductor, to Carnegie Hall in New York City for a concert Saturday afternoon. Mr. Leinsdorf lives at 25 Larchmont Avenue, with his wife and their sons, David, five; George, three and a half, and Joshua, two.

Although Mr. Leinsdorf's musical career demands that he spend much of his time in Rochester, his family enjoy their Larchmont home so much that they have been loath to move. Frequently Mrs. Leinsdorf accompanies her husband on trips to Rochester, and occasionally when he is on tour with his orchestra.

The concert on March 13 will be a part of the Rochester Philharmonic's spring tour, which includes cities in Connecticut, New Jersey, Maryland, Virginia, New Jersey and Pennsylvania. The schedule opens with a concert Friday at Vassar College, Poughkeepsie.

With Isaac Stern as soloist, Mr. Leinsdorf will present an unusual program composed of works by Schumann, Brahms, Martinu and Prokofieff. Mr. Stern will play the Brahms "Violin Concerto." The Martinu selection will be the Fourth Symphony. In November, 1943, Mr. Leinsdorf presented the world premiere of this composer's Second Symphony and also has conducted the Martinu Violin Concerto with Mischa Elman as soloist.

The Carnegie Hall concert also is in part, a celebration of a double anniversary—Mr. Leinsdorf's and the orchestra's. This season marks the 25th year since the orchestra's founding and the tenth year since Mr. Leinsdorf's dramatic debut at the Metropolitan Opera House as a conductor in this country, a debut which has led to his being recognized today as one of this country's few outstanding symphony and opera conductors.

His accomplishments during the last 10 years include five years as head of the Metropolitan Opera's German Wing, several years as permanent conductor of the Cleveland Orchestra, guest conductor of practically every leading symphony orchestra and opera company in the United States, Canada and Europe, and now permanent music director and conduct-

(Continued on Page Three)

Straight GOP Vote Essential, Santoro Says

Mayor B. J. Santoro urged Republicans last night to vote a straight party ticket in Mamaroneck's Village election next Tuesday and said party regularity is essential now to "build a strong, solid foundation" for the presidential campaign in the Fall.

Mayor Santoro, who was one of several speakers at a rally in the Elks Club, emphasized the need for voting a "straight" ticket in the election, a point apparently directed at Henry T. Hornidge, candidate for police judge of the Democratic organization and the Non-Partisans, an independent group composed mostly of Republicans.

Calling for the support of Anthony Sansone, corporation counsel, who has the police judge nomination of the regular Republican organization, Mayor Santoro said his party "does not have to apologize for any of its candidates—now or during the last 12 years."

"There is no community in the county that gives more for its tax dollar than Mamaroneck," Mayor Santcro said. "It speaks well for the Republican Party that it has been able to return its candidates

(Continued on Page Three)

Southerners Turn Deaf Ear To Plea For Party Harmony

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Two Dixie Senators pleaded today on the eve of a showdown meeting of Southern Governors for party rebels to fight out the civil rights battle without quitting the Democratic fold.

But the harmony pleas of Alabama's Democratic Senators Hill and Sparkman—as well as a mild peace gesture by President Truman himself—seemed to fall mostly on deaf ears.

Mr. Truman told his news conference he won't send any bills to Capitol Hill to carry out his 10-point civil rights program which caused the Southern revolt.

It is up to Congress to write its own ticket, the President said. He would be glad to help, if asked. But he didn't talk as though he expected to be asked.

His it's-up-to-you attitude was looked upon as a reminder to Dixie Democrats that if any race equality laws are enacted, Mr. Truman alone shouldn't be blamed.

But most of the Southern Democrats continued to direct the blame his way anyhow.

They have made it plain they are after the President's political scalp.

The Southern governors, beginning to arrive for a conference tomorrow, seemed likely to hoist a no-surrender banner and map a fresh attack on the anti-poll tax, anti-lynching, and anti-Jim Crow measures asked by the President.

Condon Wins Promotion To Brig. General

Col. Robert E. Condon of the Brompton Apartments, 1880 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont, has been promoted to brigadier general in the Air Force Reserve, it was announced today by the Secretary of the Air Force in Washington.

Gen. Condon was nominated for promotion by President Truman on Jan. 29. His promotion was approved by the U. S. Senate.

He is commanding general of the 16th Air Force Service Command, Organized Reserve, Fort Slocum, New Rochelle. This command covers units in the Northeastern states. A resident of Larchmont for more than 20 years, he holds 21 decorations and awards from World War I and II. He has held every enlisted and commissioned grade through colonel. A management engineer in New York City, he is married and has two children.

Man Stricken Fatally While Riding In Car

OSSINING — Leslie Reginald Helms, 54, of 35 Wilson Avenue, Valhalla, died yesterday while riding in a car on the Taconic State Parkway near Kitchawan. Mr. Helms, a paint sales representative, was a passenger in a car driven by Earl Pangborn, 26, of 24 Mohawk Street, Rye.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., SATURDAY, MARCH 13, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather
Sunny and warmer today. Highest in the mid-40's. Tonight mostly clear, lowest in near 20. Tomorrow mostly sunny and mild, highest near 50. High tides today at 1:14 P. M.; tomorrow at 1:31 A. M. and 1:58 P. M.

Combing The Town

Luxuries—No Comforts!

Attention Major Greason!

An enterprising Larchmont resident has a suggestion for you.

Mrs. E. Hatheway Turnbull of 59 Shore Drive, who presided as chairman of yesterday's blizzard women's luncheon at the National Arts Club, told her fellow blizzard survivors and their friends that Larchmont is a beautiful place to live, except that "we have wonderful luxuries, not comforts."

What Mrs. Turnbull means is the lack of plumbers available in Larchmont of a Saturday. "You could drown on a Saturday in Larchmont before you could get a plumber to help you!" she declared.

If Mrs. Turnbull were mayor, she would arrange to have one plumber on call each Saturday. She has quite a few other ideas for municipal improvements, too. And judging from the way she organized the first blizzard luncheon for women survivors, she's apt to do something about them, '77 years old or not.

Brooch Disappears

Mrs. Stanley Wallace of the Hawthorne Gardens Apartments, Mamaroneck, reported to police yesterday at 5:15 P. M. that a friend who had visited her during the afternoon, had lost a diamond brooch valued at $500.

Mrs. Wallace told police the brooch, an antique, apparently was lost some place between the railroad station and her apartment. She described the brooch as oblong with a yellow gold setting, one large pearl and two small ones hanging from the center.

Studies Photography

Arthur F. Walker of 909 Sands Street, Mamaroneck, left last week for Baltimore, Md., to take a six months' course in photography at the Maryland School of Photography.

A graduate of Mamaroneck High School, Class of 1939, he recently finished a course in photography at the New York Institute of Photography.

False Alarm

Anthony Carpino of 11 Washington Street, Larchmont, reported to Town police at 1:45 A. M. today that there was a suspicious looking man in his driveway.

Police found that the "suspicious" man was a tenant of the next door Oakhaven Apartments who was out looking for his cat.

Platt Doubtful Of Any Library Aid Increase

Hope of County libraries for increased financial aid from the State this year was dimmed today by a message from Livingston Platt, Rye, Westchester Republican County chairman, to Mrs. Isabel D. Clark, president of the Westchester Library Association.

In reply to a plea from librarians of the county that he put his influence behind the bill introduced in the State General Assembly by Malcolm Wilson, Republican, of Yonkers, to increase State aid to libraries, Mr. Platt said:

"It is my understanding that studies are being made now to determine whether the monies called for under this bill can be found within the present framework of our tax revenues. The bill is now in committee awaiting the results of these studies.

"With my knowledge of the present situation I should doubt very much if the bill would be moved out of the committee for passage during the current session of the legislature."

Lewis Hinting At Coal Strike Over Pension

WASHINGTON. (AP)—John L. Lewis hurled an implied threat of a soft coal strike at the Government and mine owners today, then waited for something to happen.

The United Mine Workers chief declared in a letter to the Union's 400,000 members that their employers in the past eight months "have dishonored the 1947 wage agreement and defaulted under its provisions affecting the welfare fund."

That contract, signed last July 8, pledged the miners to stay on the job as long as they are "able and willing." Lewis told a news conference yesterday he did not know how much longer they'll be "willing."

IS YOUR HELP ADEQUATE?

A sure fire "help wanted" ad in The Daily Times is far less costly than the loss of business suffered due to the lack of adequate help. Will you have sufficient help for the Easter rush?—Will you suffer loss of business?

A help wanted sign in your window won't begin to reach all of the prospective employes who read this paper nightly. So if you need help, get them the smart way—through a potent inexpensive Want Ad. Start your ad today. Simply phone Mamaroneck 8 2100.

Czechs Pay Tribute To Masaryk

Final Rites Of Church Held For Patriot At National Museum

CRITICS UNDER FIRE

By A. I. GOLDBERG

PRAGUE, (AP)—Jan Mazaryk received the last rites of State today as President Eduard Benes wept at his bier.

In the vaulted pantheon of the National Museum, draped in black, Communist Premier Klement Gottwald made the main funeral oration, berating the critics of Masaryk in the West and indirectly accusing them of the Foreign Minister's death.

The frail, ailing President, who helped Masaryk's father mold this republic, dried his eyes as a eulogy by another Government official recalled episodes of Jan Masaryk's life.

The President stood with head bowed into the fur collar of his overcoat. He seemed to be trying to maintain his composure.

Then the light went down and a children's choir sang the favorite folk song of Czecho-Slovakia's first President, Thomas G. Masaryk. Benes broke into tears. The President mopped his face and mouth with a handkerchief. He rubbed his eyes with his fingers.

It was Benes' first public appearance since the government crisis began in Czecho-Slovakia Feb. 21.

The song that brought tears welling to the old President's eyes was "Plough Your Land, My Son." It was sung at the funeral of Thomas G. Masaryk in 1937.

Benes talked for an hour with Jan Masaryk Tuesday night. The next morning Masaryk's body was found below a window of Czernin Palace, the Foreign Ministry Office.

The Communists, who seized power two weeks ago, said Masaryk committed suicide.

Dr. Benes reached the pantheon of the National Museum at 2 P. M. and a few seconds later the funeral began. From early morning thousands of persons had gathered around the National Museum and Parliament, and had crowded the side streets of Prague's Central Square. Yesterday more than 250,000 persons had filed past Masaryk's bier.

None Injured In Larchmont Auto Crash

Two persons escaped without injury early this morning when the front end of the car in which they were riding was demolished after the vehicle collided with a truck on Post Road near Manor Lane, Larchmont, police reported.

Detailed by radio at 2:25 A. M. to investigate the accident, Set. Harry Madden and Officer James Convery found John J. Lawrence of The Bronx, driver of the car, slumped behind the wheel, apparently dazed from the impact of the crash. Taken to headquarters, Lawrence was examined by Dr. G. C. Lyons, police surgeon, and was found to be uninjured. Robert Papp, also of The Bronx, who was a passenger in the car, was also examined and found uninjured.

Police said that Lawrence's car was travelling west on the Post Road, apparently on the left side, when it crashed into the right side of a trailer-truck, proceeding in the opposite direction. The car, police said, was turned completely around in the crash and had to be towed away.

The truck, driven by Thomas Tassogna of Bridgeport, Conn., was slightly damaged.

Siegfried Eppelsheimer of 8 West Avenue, Larchmont, reported to police that while stopped for a traffic light at Palmer and East Avenues at 3:25 P. M., a car behind him ran into the rear of his car. Driver of the other auto, Mrs. Marguerite Reichling of 7 Wildwood Road, Larchmont, claimed the Eppelsheimer car stalled in front of her, causing her car to run into it. The left rear fender of the Oppenheimer car and the right front fender of Reichling car were damaged, police said.

Benjamin M. Hanks of New Rochelle reported to Larchmont police that a car was backing out of a driveway on Ocean Avenue at noon yesterday it backed into an oncoming car at 40 Ocean Avenue, damaging it slightly.

Turning a corner at a high rate of speed, a car driven by Stan-
(Continued on Page Three)

COMMUNION GROUP

All men of the parish of St. Vito's Church, Mamaroneck, are invited to join members of the Holy Name Society to receive Holy Communion tomorrow at the 8 o'clock mass. Breakfast will follow in the parish hall. The Rev. Carl E. Doersam is moderator of the society.

TALKING TITLES — This trio spoke with authority in this session on championships yesterday during the Rotary Club luncheon at Larchmont Lodge. Figuring heavily in bringing home three Winter Olympic titles are, left to right, Donna Fox of Larchmont, coach of the winning four-man bobsled team; Mrs. Gretchen Fraser, women's slalom champion, and Dick Button, youthful men's figure ice-skating king, who also captured European and World crowns.
—Staff Photo

Olympic Stars Honored By Rotary Club

By HOWARD C. SMITH

Dick Button, world champion figure skater, and holder of the Olympic and European titles as well, and Mrs. Gretchen Fraser, first American girl to win an Olympic ski championship, were guests of honor yesterday at the luncheon meeting of the Larchmont Rotary Club, together with Donna Fox, member of the bobsled club, and coach of the U. S. Olympic bobsledders.

What started out to be a friendly tribute by his fellow Rotarians to Donna Fox for his achievements in the Winter Olympics developed rapidly into a gala occasion overnight. Not only did the two champions accept Donna's invitation to come to Larchmont, but with them came two of America's proudest parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Button, of Englewood, N. J., as well as Mrs. Fraser's husband, Donald, who was a member of the 1936 Olympic bobsled team. Also, in the party, was Gus Lussi, famous coach of figure skating champions.

Highlight of the meeting was the very short but impressive talk delivered by the 18-year-old Olympic champion. After modestly giving full credit to his coach, for creating the original and fantastically intricate figures that have amazed the skating world, he described his greatest thrill in the recent competitions.

As he concluded his final evolution in the last event of the men's world championship, someone in the crowd threw an orange at him which struck him on the shoulder.

"I thought it was a form of Communistic raspberry!" said Dick. "for since our first visit to Prague only a few short weeks before the Reds had seized control of the Czech government. But to my amazement, when I stooped and picked the orange up, I saw on it a scribbled message, 'Good Luck, Mr. Button.' A great many others were tossed out on the ice and all had notes hastily scrawled on them. 'Bring us a bit of America,' 'Democracy still lives,' and 'Remember us to USA,' were typical. The sincerity of the tribute was all the more appreciated when I stopped to realize how precious an item fresh fruit was in Europe."

Mrs. Fraser paid tribute to the wonderful sportsmanship of the entire body of contestants, and said she was sorry that the picture back here had been smothered by the squabble over the American hockey entries. She was naturally thrilled to be the first American woman to ever win a ski title in the Winter Olympics. Her most pleasant memory, she said, is that of discovering how genuine is the desire of all people for international friendship.
(Continued on Page Three)

Thirty Made Homeless By Fire In Tuckahoe

TUCKAHOE—A two-alarm fire made 30 persons in six families homeless shortly after 5 A. M. today and drove six other families in night attire out into the 20 degree cold.

The fire in a three-story frame tenement at 119 Columbus Avenue is tentatively estimated by Eastchester Fire Chief Arthur Steuhl to have done $15,000 damage.

What Does Larchmont Need Most? Varied Suggestions For Improvement Advanced

Editor's Note—This is the 18th in a Saturday series of interviews with citizens on important issues of the day. Suggested topics from readers are invited. Today's question is: "What do you think Larchmont needs most?")

T. Roosevelt Allen, 91 Lansdowne Drive, Larchmont: "I am enthusiastic about providing some sort of youth center for our community, and feel there is an actual need for a gathering place for the social activities and hobbies of our young people. There ought to be some kind of little clubhouse in a location that would be readily accessible. Another idea that I feel would meet with tremendous public response would be to provide a program of outdoor winter sports at community expense. The most inexpensive recreational program can be provided by maintaining a community ice-skating rink which would offer healthful exercise and fun for all ages from early fall through all the winter months. Flooding any flat area would not be costly and would offer a safe recreation for a cross-section of the population."

Mrs. Blanche Beardsley, 132 Larchmont Avenue, Larchmont: "Of course the need for additional housing is nation-wide, but I particularly feel that Larchmont needs new apartment houses. Attractive multiple dwellings would improve living conditions and bring added business to the community. Those of us who have been victims of the housing shortage recognize this as the prime need of the community."

Mrs. George Janasky, 99 Forest Park Avenue, Larchmont: "I have been reading about the adult education program and hobby and art classes conducted in White Plains and feel that a similar undertaking on a smaller scale would be very popular here in Larchmont. As a community, we love Larchmont, and feel that some sort of community house and recreational program would make its residents even more contented here."

Mrs. Cornelius Van Buren, 47 Chestnut Avenue, Larchmont: "Most everyone has a pet grievance about their home town, but in the way of a practical suggestion I feel that Larchmont must
(Continued on Page Three)

Legion Post To Celebrate 29th Birthday

Larchmont Post 347, American Legion will celebrate its 29th birthday Tuesday night at 8:15 in the Flint Park clubhouse.

Legionnaire Jack S. Connolly, who, during the past 29 years has brought to the Larchmont Post such prominent personalities as President Truman, Elsie Janis, General Romulo, Harry Hershfield, and four national Legion commanders has arranged for another outstanding speaker of international fame to speak at the meeting, John P. Coughlin, chairman of the birthday celebration committee, announced.

Mr. Coughlin pointed out that the speaker's acceptance was with the distinct understanding that his name would not be publicized. He added that this outstanding personality seldom appears on the lecture platform but has agreed to speak at the meeting as a personal favor to Mr. Connolly.

A program of entertainment will follow the address and refreshments will be served. Ladies are invited.

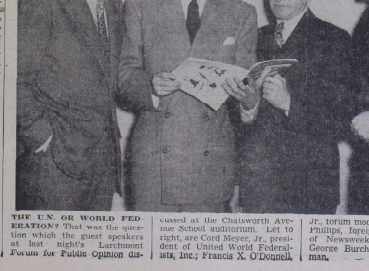
Anderson Will Be Candidate For Senator

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Anderson announced today he will run for the Democratic nomination for U. S. Senator from New Mexico.

Anderson said he will remain in President Truman's Cabinet until Congress adjourns, probably in July.

Anderson will be a candidate for the office now held by Senator Hatch. Hatch said last week that he will not be a candidate again in order to accept appointment to the Federal District Court in New Mexico if it is offered.

Anderson did not speculate on who might succeed him as Secretary of Agriculture.



THE U.N. OR WORLD FEDERATION? That was the question which the guest speakers at last night's Larchmont Forum for Public Opinion discussed at the Chatsworth Avenue School auditorium. Left to right, are Cord Meyer, Jr., president of United World Federalists, Inc.; Francis X. O'Donnell, Jr., forum moderator; Joseph B. Phillips, foreign news director of Newsweek magazine, and George Burchell, forum chairman.
—Staff Photo

SENATE DUE TO VOTE MARSHALL PLAN AS TAFT'S SLASH FAILS

Passage Of Bill Believed Certain By Tonight

WASHINGTON. (AP) — The Senate raced toward final action today on the European recovery program after defeating a major drive to slash its first-year funds.

By a 56 to 31 vote last night it blasted aside a determined effort led by Senator Taft, chairman of the Senate Republican Policy Committee, to shave $1,300,000,000 off the $5,300,000,000 Marshall plan figure.

Senator Connally one of the program's chief sponsors in Congress, predicted its overwhelming passage by tonight. The bill is designed to speed funds to 16 Western European nations to bolster them against Communism.

The Senate was called to meet at noon to resume debate on the stack of amendments which still were awaiting action when it recessed at 11:03 last night.

Elated backers said the resounding defeat suffered by Taft's fund cutting proposal insured Senate approval of the bill without major changes.

"We'll pass it by a bigger vote than we had against the Taft amendment," Connally told reporters.

Vandenberg Victory

That would be a victory for Senator Vandenberg, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and chief Capitol Hill exponent of the bi-partisan foreign policy.

Vandenberg stood his ground firmly as Taft led 22 other Republicans and eight Democrats in a roll call assault to batter the fund down to $4,000,000,000. The Michigan Senator was joined by other Republicans and 32 Democrats with him.

For the Senate, yesterday was an 11-hour day of bickering, charges and counter-charges.

Taft said it was justified "by the world battle against Communism," all right. Hitty he said it was "completely without economic justification."

"We may lose every cent we put up, but it seems to me there is a chance it will aid the battle against Communism," he said.

The stakes are so large that I believe we should take that chance."

But he said emphatically that "This is no war measure." He said he did not understand President Truman's statement Wednesday that his faith in peace was somewhat shaken. Taft said he does not believe there is danger of war.

He warned that "too lavish distribution of American dollars will do more harm than good."

World Federalist Leader, Noted Editor Agree U. N. Fails In Present State

With its customary timeliness, the Larchmont Forum for Public Opinion last night presented to a large audience at the Chatsworth Avenue School an analysis of the issues involved in securing a practical peace, and the means at hand to insure human survival in the face of the portentous events of the last few weeks in Europe.

Cord Meyer, Jr., youthful president of the United World Federalists, Inc., and Joseph B. Phillips, foreign news director of Newsweek Magazine and an experienced observer of the international scene, led the forum discussion entitled ::What's Our Best Bet? The U. N.—have the powers yet given it a real chance to succeed? World Federation—shall we move now for a world government of limited sovereignty."

The issue was hardly a controversial one, for both speakers were basically in agreement that the United Nations in its present structure is inadequate to prevent war and create peace. Mr. Meyer went further than Mr. Phillips in calling for an immediate change "In the limited time left us," strengthening its powers into the creation of a world government with limited powers adequate to prevent war.

Mr. Meyer's remarks were greeted with abundant applause from an audience which included a contingent of Scarsdale and Hudson United World Federalists.

At the close of the two principal talks, Frank X. O'Donnell, Jr., in the role of moderator, announced Dr. A. Arthur Schiller, professor of law at Columbia University as temporary chairman of a proposed Larchmont Chapter of United World Federalists, which will study the organization and present its findings to the public. Residents interested in the formation and work of the new group were invited to notify Dr. Schiller or other temporary officers: Dr. Edward Warner, psychiatrist, vice-chairman; John Herz, attorney-at-law, treasurer; and Mrs. Max Jellinek, treasurer.

The forum, he said, does not sponsor organizations, but in line with its creed "to promote an informed public opinion on national and international issues as related to human rights and an enduring peace," had permitted the distribution of the Federalists literature.

Mr. Phillips opened his talk with a world background of events before, during and since the war, gaussing at once the weaknesses and imperfections of the present United Nations, which he said, were taken for granted in advance by the great powers.

"But for two years we have had an international forum whose conflicts have been thrashed out and partially retained," he said.

Since the U.N. no longer fills the bill, suggestions have been offered for its improvement along two lines, he pointed out, eliminating the veto and organizing an armed force, and building up its strength through regional security pacts through small regional organizations, which he supported.

The regional plan, exemplified by our own Latin American pacts, is no guarantee, he said, but
(Continued on Page Three)

A. M. GEORGER

Georger Tells Of Red Cross Need For Fund

A. M. Georger, member of the Board of Directors of Larchmont's 1948 American Red Cross Fund Compaign and treasurer of the 1947 campaign today enumerated uses to which money raised in this campaign will be put.

"Your Red Cross gift will aid the victims of disasters, great and small—fires, floods, explosions, hurricanes, tornadoes, and epidemics," he said.

"It will help develop a national blood program which ultimately will assure free blood and its precious derivatives to those in need throughout the nation.

"It will minister to hospitalized, handicapped, trouble-beset veterans and their dependents.

"It will provide Red Cross service to the 1,500,000 men and women of our armed forces wherever stationed.

"It will maintain vital community services, including free instruction in water safety, first aid, accident prevention, home nursing, and nutrition.

"Your Red Cross was born out of human suffering. Emergency is its call to action. Instant in its response. It is your agency of mercy 24 hours a day, every day in the year.

"You can assure another year of this priceless service to humanity by contributing now to the Larchmont 1948 Red Cross Fund."

Airliner With 24 Passengers Long Overdue

SEATTLE, (AP) — The Seattle CAA Control Tower, checking on a Northwest Airlines plane overdue at Edmonton, Alberta, reported today it had been informed by the Gulkana Range Station a fire had been sighted on Mt. Sanford 200 miles east of Anchorage, Alaska.

The Gulkana station, about 50 miles south of the mountain, said the plane had reported it was overhead at 11:30 P. M. No further radio contact was made with the four-engided craft carrying 24 passengers and a crew of six on a charter flight from Shanghai.

The CAA said the flight plan filed with the pilot called for checks at Gulkana and Northway after leaving Anchorage. The plane was scheduled to have arrived at Edmonton at 5:03.

Mt. Sanford, on which the fire was sighted is to the right of the course the plane would have normally followed.

Police Explain Benefits Of Fresh Air Fund

NEW ROCHELLE — How the County Police Association Fresh Air Fund operates was explained to a group of Westchester social workers at Children's Court here by Patrolman Frank Bergin, committee chairman.

The committee has been active for four years now, the officer said, and has sent an average of 350 needy Westchester children to camps every year for two weeks to as much as eight weeks each. The associations has campers referred to it by such groups as public welfare sides, the Children's Court Probation Office, SPCC, Catholic Charities, Jewish Charities, and various veteran organizations.

LEHMAN GREETED

ALBANY, (AP) — Former Gov Herbert H. Lehman was extended "greetings and good wishes" on the approach of his 70th birthday in a resolution introduced in the Legislature yesterday by Assembly Democratic leader Irwin Steingut. The former Democratic chief executive of the state will be three score and 10 on March 28.

Election Drive Enters Final Lap Tonight

Candidates for police court judge and trustee in next Tuesday's Mamaroneck Village election will wind up their campaigns at meetings tonight and Monday night.

Henry T. Hornidge, Non-partisan and Democrat, and Anthony Sansone, Republican, candidates for the judgeship, and David Chisholm, Democratic candidate for trustee, will address the Negro Citizens Civic League at 8:30 tonight in the Elks Lodge clubroom on Madison Street. They will give their qualifications for office and their views on civic matters. The public is invited.

The League is supported by John Campbell, John Chisolm, Elder J. A. Brown, Floyd Wiley, James Opie Hagan, Benjamin Morrell, Colley Pilyon, Robert Lacy, Leonard Lacy, The Rev. Thomas Garland, The Rev. C. F. A. Kirton, Lawrence Foster, Clarence Phill, Nathaniel Baker and Frank Griffen.

A final Republican rally will be held Monday at 8:15 P. M. in the Manzoni Lodge on Mamaroneck Avenue, sponsored by the Manzoni Lodge, Betsy Ross Lodge, Victor Emanuel Mutual Aid Society and the Columbian Republican League.

Republican candidates Alfred Weeks, John Withers and James Jackson, who seek reelection as trustees, and Mr. Sansone will address the rally. Mayor B. J. Santoro and members of the Village Republican Committee will also be present. Anthony Santoro, First District Committeeman, is in charge of the rally.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Sunny, highest temperature in mid-50s. Tonight, cloudy, low, near 40. Tomorrow, cloudy, followed by scattered showers, highest near 50. High tides today at 2:37 P. M.; tomorrow at 2:55 A. M. and 3:23 P. M.

Combing The Town

Annual Blind Sale

The Larchmont section of the New York State Commission for the Blind will hold its annual sale of blind articles in the showrooms at Luby Chevrolet Company, Inc., Tuesday through Thursday, April 27-29, and not April 22-24, as reported in Friday's Daily Times.

One of the major supporters of the commission's annual sale, the Larchmont Lions Club was instrumental in securing the showroom space this year. Many other civic organizations are expected to support the drive. All articles to be sold have been made by blind residents of New York State.

Mr. Harry M. Bardin of 429 Weaver Street is again chairman of the Larchmont section. Mrs. Gordon H. Reifsnider is co-chairman.

Below Average

Attached to the Mamaroneck Free Library budget, sent to Village Manager William H. Johnson with a request for $24,212 next year, is a table showing that Mamaroneck spends 88 cents per capita on its library as against an average of $1.36 per capita in 16 other Westchester communities.

The report reveals that the per capita library tax in Larchmont is $1.33; Scarsdale, $1.32; Rye (for 1948) $1.21; New Rochelle, $1.98; and in White Plains, $2.19.

Of the 16 communities tabulated, only four spend less per resident on their library: Briarcliff, Croton, Pelham and Port Chester.

It Was the 13th, Too

"The Lost Instruments", a fanciful piece, nearly thwarted the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra concert Saturday in Carnegie Hall under the direction of Erich Leinsdorf of 25 Larchmont Avenue, Larchmont.

Mr. Leinsdorf and his musicians arrived at Grand Central Saturday morning expecting to find their instruments there. They had placed them aboard a baggage car in Poughkeepsie the night before.

It was discovered that the baggage car with the instruments was still on a siding at Poughkeepsie. The car was attached to the next through train, but the concert, scheduled to begin at 3 P. M., was delayed 40 minutes. It was necessary to omit the overture.

But that was not all. Misfortune continued to plague the conductor when a black kitten distracted the audience's attention by weaving in and out of the musicians' feet during an impressive violin solo.

Heads Cancer Group

Brig. Gen. Robert E. Condon of the Brompton Apartments, Larchmont, has been appointed chairman of the clubs and organizations group of the 1948 Joint Campaign of the New York City Cancer Committee, it was announced today by Thomas A. Morgan, chairman of the commerce and industry division.

Mr. Morgan stated that the appeal for $1,750,000 will begin April 4 as part of the American Cancer Society's nation-wide effort toward a $16,042,000 goal for cancer control. It will continue throughout the month, which has been designated by President Truman and Congress as "Cancer Control Month."

Ends Army Service

T/4 Martin E. Rose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Rose of 17 Center Avenue, Larchmont, received his discharge from the Army at Camp Stoneman, Calif., 11 days ago, and has returned home. He expects to attend college in the Fall.

T/4 Rose was recently stationed with the 118th Medical Station Hospital in Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan. He enlisted in September, 1946, and received basic training at Fort Belvoir, Va. He was sent overseas in December, 1946.

Bag Containing $70 Found on Post Road

A ladies' handbag containing $70.74 in cash was found yesterday on West Boston Post Road near the Red Circle lunch stand by Miss Mary Byrne of 50 Grandview Avenue, Rye, who turned it over to Mamaroneck police.

From the papers in the handbag, police identified the owner as Miss Marion Seifert of Rockville, Conn. She was notified of its recovery.

INJURED IN FALL

YONKERS — Mary Ann Spackman fell 30 feet from the second floor casement window of her Oriole Road home early today. She is in Lawrence Hospital with possible rib fractures, cuts and bruises. Police say Miss Spackman was opening the window when she fell.

NIGHT SHOPPERS!

You'd be surprised at the thousands of folks who find the want ad section as interesting as any in the paper. These people "shop" the want ad nightly—they "shop" for the thing they want through the want ads in the comfort of their easy chair. If you have anything to sell—a home, an automobile, a set of china, a rug, place it where these "shoppers" will see it—and act upon it—in the want ads. To place your want ad simply phone Mamaroneck 9-2100. One of our competent ad takers will be glad to help you write an ad for best results.

Soft Coal Miners Quit In Lewis Pension Battle

'Captive Mines' of Steel and Commercial Firms Are Closed Down

By The Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — More than one-third of the nation's 400,000 soft coal miners quit work today to support the demand of John L. Lewis for miner pensions.

An early tabulation showed more than 155,000 miners idle in eight states as follows: West Virginia, 60,000; Kentucky, over 40,000; Pennsylvania, 27,800; Illinois, 13,000; Ohio, 6,500; Alabama, 6,000; Indiana, 2,000; Tennessee, 300.

The U. S. Steel Corporation reported nine of its 14 Western Pennsylvania pits were closed. The corporation expected its coal output would drop today to about 20,000 tons, one-third of capacity.

The Jones & Laughlin Steel Corporation reported all its Pennsylvania and West Virginia mines were closed.

Republic was another steel corporation affected, with three Pennsylvania mines shut down. The output of steel company-owned pits is used in making fuel for steel mills.

Commericial mines, too, whose production is sold on the open markets, began to shut. The giant Pittsburgh Coal Company reported at least nine of its mines closed. Owners of some independent mines expected the movement to spread.

JUDD TO PREACH AT ST. THOMAS'

The Rev. Orrin F. Judd, rector of St. James' Church, Upper Montclair, N. J., will be the guest preacher at the mid-week Lenten service Wednesday at 8:15 P. M. at St. Thomas' Church, Mamaroneck.

As rector of one of the larger and growing parishes of the Diocese of Newark, the Rev. Mr. Judd has been active in committees of the diocese and in the community life of Montclair.

A graduate of St. Stephen's College and the Episcopal Seminary in Philadelphia, he was ordained to the deaconate and priesthood by the Bishop of Harrisburg. Prior to his appointment as rector of St. James' Church 10 years ago, he was rector of St. Mary's Church, in Haddon Heights, N. J.

The Order of Evening Prayer will be said by the rector, the Rev. Arnold A. Fenton, with special music by the choir under the direction of Charles E. Hall, organist and choirmaster.

The last of the special children's Lenten services will be held at 4 P. M. Wednesday, and the final special Lenten celebration of the Holy Commuion will be Friday at 10 A. M.

ALASKAN STORMS BURY WRECKAGE OF PLANE

By The Associated Press

ANCHORAGE, Alaska — Storms threatened today to bury the last trace of a crashed Northwest Orient Airlines DC-4 which carried 30 persons to their death high up on Mount Sanford.

The forecast of bad weather increased the probability that the bodies of the 30 victims will remain entombed on the 16,208-foot peak.

The four-engined airliner, en route from Shanghai to St. Paul, crashed Friday night on a glacier of the mountain 190 miles northeast of here.

The worst disaster in Alaska's aviation history, it was also the airlines' first since it began Far East service more than a year ago.

Even after brief glimpses of the crash scene Saturday, authorities were generally agreed that the danger of slides probably would make it impossible to reach the wreckage.

Arabs to Parley

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—The Arab Higher Committee for Palestine agreed today to consult with the big powers on the Palestine crisis. The decision was announced by Isa Nakhleh, New York representative of the Arab Committee, as delegates of the United States, Russia, France and China went into their fifth and final session on Palestine.

LARCHMONT SET FOR FUSION VOTE

Polling Places Will Open At 10 A. M., Close at 9 P. M.

A fusion ticket will be voted on at tomorrow's municipal election in Larchmont.

Voters will cast their ballots from 10 A. M. to 9 P. M. for Walter B. C. Washburn, Republican, for mayor, to succeed E. Spencer Greason, and George N. Gibbs, Democrat, and Harold T. Hughes, Republican, for trustee to succeed Andrew Tuck and Mr. Washburn.

Residents in District 1, south of the Boston Post Road, will vote in the Municipal Building, on Larchmont Avenue; those residing in District 2, north of Boston Post Road, will vote in the Chatsworth Avenue School.

Total registration in Larchmont is 1,824. Only three persons in District 1 and six in District 2 registered on March 6.

LIBRARY TO SEEK BUDGET INCREASE

Trustees Call on Board For 84 Percent Boost Over 1947

A budget of $24,212, an 34 per cent increase over last year has been presented by the trustees of the Mamaroneck Free Library to Village Manager William H. Johnson and the village board for approval in the village budget for the coming year.

Main reasons for the increase of $9,250 over last year's library budget of $14,962 are items providing for repainting the interior, renovation of the basement to provide a reading room for teenagers, replenishment of the book supply, salary increases and increased maintenance costs.

In a statement accompanying the budget, the trustees point out that during the depression and war years the cost of library operation was held to a minimum and "the budget has stood still while the community has grown." The maintenance appropriation must be increased, the trustees state, "to halt deterioration of the building." They further declare that the book supply must be augmented since "books are the life blood of the institution."

If the village board approves the request, the portion of the basement adjacent to the children's room will be remodelled combining the lower foyer and the ladies' rest room in a new reference room for readers of high school age. The cost of the project is estimated at $2,800. Requesting an estimated expenditure of $2,600 for painting the interior, the statement points out that, except for two small rooms, the library has not been painted since 1939.

The salary item has been increased from $9,905 to $11,936 including 11 and 15 per cent raises for the librarian and assistant librarian respectively and a salary for the new children's librarian of $2,200.

At the close of a detailed four-page analysis of the budget, the library trustees conclude, "We feel that our library is not only failing to measure up to libraries in other communities but also that it is failing the residents of Mamaroneck in three ways: it is dirty and run down; the book supply is sadly inadequate; the young adults or teen-agers are completely ignored."

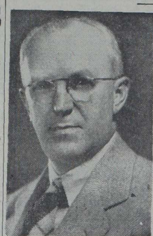
Finland Has Doubts

By The Associated Press

HELSINKI — Finland has informed Soviet Russia there are some "doubts" about a military agreement between the two countries. The Finns expressed hope of staying out of international conflicts.

President Juho H. Paasikivi advised Prime Minister Stalin that Finland expects the Russian-proposed treaty of cooperation to be freely considered in the negotiations which open in Moscow next Monday.

Introducing Mamaroneck's Village Board Candidates



JAMES JACKSON

James Jackson, a life-long resident of Mamaroneck, has been a member of the Village Board of Trustees since 1937.

In that year, Mr. Jackson was appointed to the Board. He has been elected every time he has since sought the office. He also was elected to the Rye Neck Board of Education in 1937, and remained in that board until his retirement two years ago.

Mr. Jackson was comptroller of the Town of Rye from 1942 to 1947, until his election as Rye Town Receiver of Taxes. He has served as a member of the Mamaroneck Village Planning Board for two years.

Prior to becoming comptroller in Rye, Mr. Jackson was in the landscape business. He was graduated from the old Rye Neck School and attended Columbia University.

Mr. Jackson lives with his wife and son at 327 Wagner Avenue, in the Rye Neck section.

JOHN WITHERS

John Withers, a native of New Haven, Conn., is seeking his third two-year term on the Village Board of Trustees.

Mr. Withers attended New Haven schools and the American Institute of Banking in New York City. He began his business career with the Bowery Savings Bank of New York and remained with that institution for 18 years.

He was assistant to the mortgage officer in the real estate department of the Bowery Savings Bank when he left in July of 1945 to become associated with the Knickerbocker Federal Savings and Loan Association. He was promoted to vice president of that association two years ago.

Mr. Withers became a resident of Mamaroneck 12 years ago, moving here from Mount Vernon. He lives with Mrs. Withers and a 12-year-old daughter, Marcia, at 1311 Langdon Lane.

ALFRED WEEKS

Alfred Weeks, who served as a lieutenant commander in the U. S. Navy during the war, is a native of Philadelphia.

Mr. Weeks, during his more than three years with the Navy, saw service in all theaters of operations. In March, 1946, nine months after his discharge, he was elected to the Board of Trustees. He is now seeking a second term.

Mr. Weeks was graduated from University of Rochester in 1924. As an undergraduate, he won five varsity athletic letters. Immediately after his discharge from the Navy, he resumed his position as vice-president and general manager of one of New York's commercial art studios.

Mr. and Mrs. Weeks live at 638 Stiles Avenue. They have one son, Ted, who also served with the Navy and is now at the University of Rochester. They have lived here 12 years.

Mr. Weeks is a member of the University Club of Mamaroneck, the Orienta Beach Club, the Mamaroneck Historical Society and St. Thomas' Church.

DAVID B. CHISHOLM

David B. Chisholm, Democratic candidate for Village trustee, was born in 1902 in Madisonville, Ohio, a surburb of Cincinnati.

Mr. Chisholm attended grade and high schools in Madisonville and was graduated from the University of Cincinnati in 1923 with a B.A. degree. He participated in glee club, track and football, and majored in geology.

During the Summer of 1923, he served as a field assistant for the U. S. Geological Survey. He held a teaching fellowship in mineralogy at Syracuse University in 1923-25, and obtained an M.A. degree there in 1925.

Mr. Chisholm served as an instructor in geology and geograpry at Colgate University from 1925 to 1926, was a James Furman Kemp Fellow at Columbia University in 1926-28, and in 1928 became an instructor and assistant professor of geology at New York University, a post he still holds. Mr. Chisholm was an assistant geologist for the Kentucky Geological Survey from 1925 to 1930. During 1943 he taught pre-meteorlogy to Air Corps Cadets.

Mr. Chisholm, who was married to the former Miss M. Louise Finney of Syracuse, in 1926, bought his present home at 1231 James Street and moved to Mamaroneck in the Summer of 1941. He is a life-long Democratic. Mr. Chisholm is the only candidate for village trustee to be nominated this year by the Democratic Party.

6 BOYS ENTER STORE, STEAL BOX OF CANDY

Six Mamaroneck boys, ages 7 and 8, broke into a store at 425 Center Avenue, Mamaroneck, last night and stole a box of candy, police reported today.

The six youths have all been identified, but will not be taken into custody until later today for disciplinary action, police said.

Desk Officer John Caputo of the Town police notified Mamaroneck police at 7:20 P. M. yesterday that someone had reported the store had been entered. Officer Charles Hanna, detailed to investigate, met Joseph Crutcher of 423 Center Avenue, who told him he had seen several boys taking candy out of the store. The case is being investigated by the Detective Bureau.

MAC ARTHUR HQ OPENED

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Headquarters for the New York State Veterans Committee for Gen. Douglas MacArthur for President were opened today at Room 1709, 220 East 42nd Street. The room is in the offices of Frederick A. Sansome, named last week as Temporary State Chairman of the MacArthur-for-President Club.

Where to Vote

Following are the polling places for tomorrow's Village election in Mamaroneck:

District 1—Mamaroneck Avenue School.

District 2—Building at Fenimore Road and Waverly Avenue.

District 3—Mamaro Fire House, Palmer Avenue.

District 4—Central School, West Boston Post Road.

District 5 — Holy Trinity School auditorium, East Boston Post Road.

District 6—Columbia Fire House, Barry Avenue.

District 7—Barry Avenue School.

District 8—Halstead Manor Fire House, Halstead Avenue.

District 9 — Basement, Hillcrest Apartments, Mamaroneck Avenue.

Widow Of Ex-Judge Blasts GOP 'Mockery' On Eve Of Election

Record Vote Anticipated As Village Campaign Comes To End

A split in the Republican party extending from rank - and - file members up to committeemen and leaders on an even higher level gave promise today of one of the heaviest votes in the history of the Village of Mamaroneck tomorrow.

The Republican Party has been split by The Non-Partisans, an independent group with a scattering of Democrats pledged to the election of Henry T. Hornidge, Non - Partisan and Democratic nominee for police judge.

A last minute effort to reconcile the differences in the Village Republican Committee was made yesterday — with approximately eight of the 18 members absent. The meeting was held at the Knights of Columbus clubrooms in The Playhouse on Mamaroneck Avenue.

Although there was no official report of the meeting, it was learned that among those not present were Robert Montgomery, secretary and committeeman from the Eighth District; Edward J. Kuhn, also from the Eighth District, Mrs. Florence W. Hughes and Edward W. Julier of the Fifth District; Mrs. Emily Huntley of the Seventh District; Edward Donnelly and George D. Perschke of the Sixth District.

The top-level differences within the party included the points of view of Mayor B. J. Santoro, who has actively campaigned for Anthony Sansone, regular nominee of the Republican party for police justice, and James A. Gillies, lifetime, stalwart Republican, who came out for Mr. Hornidge as long ago as early in January as "the man who stands out over all" to succeed the late Patrick J. Hughes as village judge.

These three factions—the Republicans, Democrats and Non-Partisans—will make every effort, it was expected, to bring to the polls as many as possible of the 5,938 persons registered, the second highest on record for any election in the history of the Village of Mamaroneck.

The race between Mr. Hornidge and Mr. Sansone, who has served as corporation counsel of the village for the last 17 years, has overshadowed the election of the trustees of the Mamaroneck Village Board. The judgeship race is for a two year term, to fill the unexpired term of the late Judge Hughes.

More than 1,130 voters turned out March 6 to add their names to the registration rolls, boosting the total registration to 5,938 and establishing a record for this first post-war election in the village to create widespread interest.

The Democratic Party nominated Mr. Hornidge for judge and advanced only one candidate for trustee—David B. Chisholm, an assistant professor of geology at New York University and a resident of 1231 James Street.

Running against Mr. Chisholm are the three incumbent trustees, James Jackson, Alfred Weeks and John Withers, all nominees of the Republican party. There has been no opposition to them expressed in the Republican Village Committee, the controversy there revolving solely around Mr. Sansone.

Polls will open at 7 A. M. and close at 8 P. M. tomorrow.

Midnight is Deadline For U. S. Tax Returns

Midnight tonight is the income tax deadline, and the New Rochelle Internal Revenue office in the basement of the Postoffice Building will be open until that hour to handle the last-minute rush.

Federal returns must be filed on 1947 income and any balance of the tax must be paid. In many cases, estimates must also be filed on 1948 income and the probable tax accurate within 20 per cent. The estimate may be amended during the year or the return may be filed and any balance of the tax paid by next Jan. 15.

The Money Order window at the Postoffice will be open from 7 to 9 tonight for convenience of taxpayers mailing their returns, according to Postmaster Joseph C. Walter.

TO GET HEARING

IRVINGTON. — Bernon T. Woodle, 58, of Riverview Road, Irvington, is free on $250 cash bail on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He was arrested Saturday night after his car collided with that driven by Carney Oles of Croton on South Broadway in Tarrytown. Woodle will be given a hearing Wednesday.

The Times Adopts That 'New Look'

More attractive in appearance, The Daily Times today steps out in its new Spring dress.

The body and head type, which gives the paper that new look, is the result of our efforts to improve its readability.

You will find many advantages in our new attire which will make the paper easier to read.

With the adoption of this new type dress, The Daily Times also plans an expanded coverage of local, county, state, national and world news events.

We hope you like our new appearance as well as we do.

NON-PARTISANS MAINTAIN VIGIL

Quinlivan Gives Pledge; Mayor Also Addresses Civic League

Laurence A. Quinlivan, chairman of The Non-Partisans, independent group supporting Henry T. Hornidge for police judge, disclosed Saturday night that the organization will preserve its records for "future use in case there is any repisal" against Republican Party members working for Mr. Hornidge.

Mr. Quinlivan spoke at a meeting of the Negro Citizens Civic League in the Elks Lodge on Madison Street. Candidates in the election tomorrow, as well as Mayor B. J. Santoro, also spoke.

Although he did not go into detail, Mr. Quinlivan indicated that his independent group, composed mostly of Republicans, would not sit idly by if Republican leaders after the election attemped to punish members who varied from the party line.

Mr. Quinlivan said he and his associates would watch carefully for any intimidation and that if it became necessary they would challenge the leadership of the party within its ranks "if it failed to act within the best interests of the Village." He added, however, that he was confident that Mayor Santoro would not countenance any act of reprisal against Mr. Hornidge's supporters.

There have been reports that Republican committeemen have been warned they would be expected to resign if they did not support the party's nominee for police judge, Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone.

"The activities of the Non-Partisans will cease with the election of Henry Hornidge," Mr. Quinlivan said. "We will, however, preserve our records for future use in case there is any reprisal against those who have worked for Mr. Hornidge."

Mr. Quinlivan pointed out The Non-Partisans "have taken no part in the election for trustee," and said "we have made no deals."

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

NONE INJURED IN TWO WEEKEND COLLISIONS

Two automobile accidents occured in Larchmont over the weekend, police reported today. No one was injured.

The front end of a car driven by Roland Watts of 206 Pelham Street, Mamaroneck, was demolished, police said, when it crashed into the rear of a truck at Palmer and Chatsworth Avenues Saturday afternoon.

The truck, driven by Dorando O. Vechy of Brooklyn, had stopped for the traffic light, police reported. Both vehicles were travelling west on Palmer Avenue. The two rear doors and rear bumper of the truck were damaged.

Police gave Watts a summons, when his registration showed an improper address, for failing to notify the Motor Vehicle Bureau of the change of address.

A jeep, driven by J. Kenneth Sewan of New Rochelle, was struck on the left side at 8:30 A. M. yesterday by a car at Beach and Stuyvesant Avenues, Larchmont.

Police said the jeep was travelling east on Beach Avenue when a car driven by LeRoy Amy of 10 Linden Avenue, Larchmont, headed in the oppisite direction, struck the left side of the jeep, causing its left front tire to blow out.

District Leader Assails 'Hypocrisy' In Plea For Hornidge

Mrs. Florence W. Hughes, widow of the late Judge Patrick J. Hughes, issued a statement today urging the election of Henry T. Hornidge as police justice in the Village of Mamaroneck and criticizing the Republican Party for its "hyprocrisy" in using her husband's name for campaign purposes.

Mrs. Hughes, a staunch Republican who has long been a committeeman in the Fifth Election District in Rye Neck, chose election eve to announce her support of Mr. Hornidge, nominee of the Democratic Party and of the Non-Partisans, an independent group composed mostly of Republicans.

She said she felt she was compelled to make the statement because of the "cheap mockery" of the Village Republican Campaign Committee in using Judge Hughes' name to further the interests of the Republican police judge candidate, Anthony Sansone, corporation counsel.

Mrs. Hughes demanded that the Republicans stop adjourning meetings in memory of her late husband. She said she considered the act "an insult to his memory" rather than a tribute. During his lifetime, she said, "these same people" gave Judge Hughes no support and, in fact, "did everything to handicap him."

In her lengthy statement detailing her reasons for supporting Mr. Hornidge, Mrs. Hughes made the following points:

1. That the Village Board of Trustees refused to raise his $3,600 annual salary throughout his 11 years as police justice.

2. That Judge Hughes was not given a private office or even a telephone and that during one five-month period Mrs. Hughes herself had to serve as clerk for him—a service she did without pay.

3. That the Republican campaign manager, Barney Epstein, had threatened to "fire" committeemen who did not support Mr. Sansone.

4. That the Republican Village Committee has ceased to function.

5. That Mr. Sansone as well as Martin E. King, who unsuccessfully sought the Republican nomination, both had conceded that Mr. Hornidge was well qualified for the position of judge.

6. That Reuben Sirlin, local attorney, who denied in a public statement that he had sought the office of corporation counsel, had in fact solicited the support of at least one committeeman in that connection.

Mrs. Hughes pointed out that The Non-Partisans will have a line on the voting machines in tomorrow's election, and concluded by urging Republicans to vote for Mr. Hornidge on that line.

The tactic of "adjourning in memory of the late Judge Hughes" was first used a meeting of some 60 party leaders and members at the Winged Foot Golf Club March 4, a campaign-launching session over which Mr. Epstein presided. At other meetings later the same practice was observed, or at times the audience was asked to stand for a minute of silence in respect to Judge Hughes.

It was "the hypocrisy of their empty statements of praise for my husband which has prompted me to make this statement," Mrs. Hughes said.

Her statement follows, in full:

"Due to the passing of my husband, the late Judge Patrick J. Hughes, the shock of which has broken my health, I have been unable to actively take part in this campaign. However, the absolute abuse of his memory in this campaign compels me to make a statement as he is not here to make it himself.

"I have been very much upset in reading of the continued use of his name at their meetings when they adjourn in his memory, not that my husband is not entitled to it, but the fact these people are using it as a help to get votes — cheap politics. They They gave him no support while he was alive and judge and now, when people throughout the Village are unanimous in their praise and appreciation of his services to this Village, they want to take advantage of it and put it to use in their campaign. Certainly they are not sincere at this time in what they say, when, while he was judge, these same people did everything to handicap him.

"While I have been annoyed about many things in this campaign I have tried to stay out of

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

Combing The Town

The Daily Times

The Weather
Tonight showers, followed by clearing, lowest in middle 40s. Tomorrow, partly cloudy and cooler, afternoon near 40. High tides today at 3:23 P. M.; tomorrow at 3:44 A. M. and 4:15 P. M.

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

Santoro, Answering Mrs. Hughes, Calls On Her To Retract

Combing The Town

It's A Joke, Son!

Trustee Ralph Mann told a Republican rally in the First and Second Districts last night that the present political situation reminded him of the small boy who came to school and informed his teacher that there were seven new Democrats in the family.

The teacher, Mr. Mann said, was a bit overwhelmed until the boy explained that the family cat had just had kittens. A week later, she asked him how the seven new Democrats were progressing.

"Oh," the small boy said, "they've got their eyes open now—they're Republicans."

Happy Birthday!

Nobody's stirring up a cake, and no bands are playing, but it will be Happy Birthday just the same on Friday when the Larchmont Postoffice will be 10 years old. Like most 10-year-olds, the postoffice has grown at a fast clip, and Postmaster Egger speculates about a wing being added to the present building to accommodate desks for additional letter carriers in the near future.

"Ten years ago we thought the new building was plenty big," he said. "But Larchmont has grown far beyond any one's anticipations."

Post-Election Roast

The annual St. Patrick's Day pig roast to be held tomorrow night at the Elks Club in Mamaroneck will mark the final party of the season under the direction of the retiring chairman of the board of governors of the club, Mark Henry, present chairman announced today. It is open to the public, he said.

Mort Levy is again preparing the roast, Mr. Henry stated, "and that means a really good roast," he added.

"Coming as it does the day after the Village elections, it offers an excellent opportunity for both winners and losers to get together amicably," said Mr. Henry. The roast will be served at 9 P. M.

Tribute to Cornell

A resolution honoring Charles E. Cornell who died yesterday, was passed by the Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce as its meeting adjourned last night after a moment of silence in his honor.

The resolution, a copy of which was ordered sent to his family "with our deepest sympathy", states that "the Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce mourns the loss of this beloved member of our community and extends to his family its deepest regret and condolences at his untimely passing."

At the conclusion of the meeting, Sam Sirlin asked that a moment of silence, stating that Mr. Cornell had been one of his "most beloved and admired friends."

WOMAN IS URGED FOR PLAN BOARD

The appointment of a woman to the Larchmont Planning Commission was suggested to Mayor-elect Walter B. C. Washburn, last night at the meeting of the Board of Trustees by Mrs. F. Warren Green of 9 Cliff Way, Larchmont.

"Women are as much interested in Larchmont as men," Mrs. Green said, adding that they spent more time in the Village than the menfolk who commute to the city.

Mrs. Green said she was informed that two members were to be appointed to the Planning Commission and suggested to the in-coming Mayor he consider appointing "one able woman." In making the suggestion, she concluded, "I hope you don't think I am too presumptuious."

The main purpose of Mrs. Green's appearance at the meeting, however, was to express her appreciation to out-going Mayor E. Spencer Greason and Trustee Andrew E. Tuck.

She thanked them for the honor of having been appointed to serve on the Village's Rrecreation Commission and added "I also want to thank you for serving our Village as well as you have and wish you both good luck."

Partition Wounded

By The Associated Press

JERUSALEM — Police announced John Partition was wounded here today in the Arab-Jewish fighting over partition of the Holy Land. They said Partition is an Armenian, aged 76.

THE PREFERRED MEDIUM!

Down through the generations, want ads have always been the preferred medium when people wanted to buy and sell. Tonight and every night the same intense reader interest will be focused on the want ads as in the days of your grandfather and his grandfather. If you have anything for sale (cameras, furniture, baby carriages, cribs, power tools, musical instruments) you can get a good high cash price for it. Just let one of our ad takers help you write an inexpensive resultful want ad today. You'll start selling tomorrow. Simply phone Mamaroneck 9-2100.

CHARLES CORNELL TAKEN BY DEATH AT AGE OF 75

Former Bank President And Realty Broker Dies At Home

Charles E. Cornell, prominent Mamaroneck real estate broker and former president of the Union Savings Bank of Mamaroneck, died yesterday afternoon at his home in the Heathcote Hills Apartments, Mamaroneck, following a brief illness. He was 75 years old.

Born Nov. 24, 1872 in New York City, he was the son of the late Charles and Carolyn Cornell. He attended the Walworth Business School in New York City and City College of New York.

Prior to moving to Westchester 27 years ago, Mr. Cornell had served for 12 years in the advertising field, representing trade publications in New York and the Middle West. He first resided in Harrison for 10 years but maintained his real estate office in Mamaroneck. He had lived in Mamaroneck since 1932.

One of the oldest active real estate brokers in Mamaroneck, he operated under his own name from 1921 to 1931, when he joined the Fred T. Wilson Corporation as vice-president which position he held until Jan. 1 of this year, since which time he had been an independent broker.

A member of the first board of directors of the Mamaroneck Trust Company, his banking career with the Union Savings Bank of Mamaroneck began in April 1928 when he was elected a trustee.

In 1938 he was elected second vice president and the following year became first vice president. Mr. Cornell was elected president of the bank in March, 1941 and served until he resigned as both president and trustee on Dec. 31, 1946.

A charter member of the Mamaroneck Lions Club, Mr. Cornell was also a member of the Westchester County Real Estate Board and the Mamaroneck Realty Board.

He is survived by his wife, the former Emily Trier of New York City whom he married in 1901; a daughter, Miss Jeanne M. Cornell, and a sister, Mrs. Henry Knapp of New York City.

Private funeral services will be conducted at 2 P. M. tomorrow at the Silleck & Keech Funeral Home, 767 East Boston Post Road, Mamaroneck, with the Rev. Arnold A. Fenton, rector of St. Thomas' Church, officiating. Friends and the public, however, will be admitted to pay their respects until noon tomorrow, it was announced. Following the services, interment will take place in the Rural Cemetery, White Plains.

FACING HEARING BOYS DISAPPEAR

Two 16-year-old Larchmont "peeping toms", scheduled to appear for a hearing tonight with their parents before Judge John R. Cahill, have disappeared, it was revealed today.

Larchmont police, Friday night, sent out a teletype alarm on the two missing boys, who are believed to be headed for Florida. Police said the boys apparently decided to run away when they learned that they were to appear in court.

The two youths were arrested a week ago Monday night following complaints from residents of prowlers in their yards. Taken to headquarters, they confessed their "peeping tom" activities after two hours of questioning. They also admitted a similar act last December. Both were released pending further investigation.

Judge Cahill and Chief William J. Keresey sent letters to the parents requesting their appearance with their sons, at the hearing tonight. Police said that the mother of one of the boys had shown the letter to her son, who told the other boy that they were to go to court.

Fearing the possible consequences of the hearing, they decided to run away Friday night, police said.

Greeks Seize Rebel Ring

By The Associated Press

SALONIKA, Greece — Police said today they have smashed a guerrilla underground recruiting station and quartermaster depot worth nearly $200,000. They said 47 persons were arrested, including eight women. They said the organization was equipped with buses, trucks, motor driven caiques (small boats), machine shops, and small shoe factories

TOYS FOR FRANCE — John Schue, back; Deena Margolin, center; and Virginia Brady, front, load toys donated by Murray Avenue School pupils onto a truck as their contribution to the Larchmont Lions' Club campaign to provide cheer for European children. —Staff Photo

BUNDLES OF TOYS for French children are taken from the office in the Chatsworth Avenue School to a waiting truck by, top to bottom, Ronald Parsons, Judy Pace and James Boerst. The children of the school responded generously to the drive of the Larchmont Lions Club for toys and clothing for unfortunate European children. —Staff Photo

All Voters Urged To Attend School Candidates' Meeting

An open meeting, which all qualified voters in school elections are urged to attend, will be held Thursday at 8:30 P. M. in the music room of Mamaroneck High School, when the names of Mrs. Raworth H. James and Walter F. Brady will be recommended for nomination as trustees on the Board of Education.

The meeting is sponsored by the Larchmont-Mamaroneck Committee for the Selection of School Board Nominees, composed of 24 citizens from all sections of the Town of Mamaroneck. This group, which has made a serious effort to canvass the opinion of the community, recently announced its decision to present Mrs. James and Mr. Brady for nomination for the three-year terms beginning this Spring.

Chairman Caldwell Buck of Larchmont, announcing the meeting, said, "We hope citizens will show their interest and feeling of responsibility in selecting qualified candidates to serve on our Board of Education by attendance at this meeting, and will feel free to express opinions of their own. The committee has tried to keep the best interest of all three districts in mind in arriving at its choice."

The sub-committee of six, composed of two representatives from the Village of Larchmont, two from the Village of Mamaroneck and two from the unincorporated area of the Town of Mamaroneck, who did the preliminary canvassing that led to the choice of Mr. Brady and Mrs. James, reported that it was guided by the following principles: "1. That of following the practice of suggesting the continuation in office of a member of the Board of Education whose first term is about to expire and who has served that term capably and intelligently. 2. That of suggesting the names of the most capable and experienced persons obtainable and leaving to the whole committee the problem of the final choice of actual endorsement." In addition, it took into consideration "the policy of the committee that at least one of the six members of the Board of Education should be a woman."

Following the selection of candidates, election of nine members to form a nucleus nominating committee for next year will be held. Three of the members will be from the Village of Larchmont, and the same number from the Village of Mamaroneck and the unincorporated area of the Town.

Chinese Reds Reported Demanding Ransom

By The Associated Press

SHANGHAI. — Chinese Communists are reported to have demanded $120,000 ransom for four American Marines they captured Christmas Day.

Navy sources today refused to discuss the report.

In Tsingtao—anchorage of the U. S. Western Pacific Fleet—a member of Vice Adm. O. C. Badger's staff told Associated Press photographer John Hogan there was no reason to believe the captured Marines would be released in the "near future." Badger is commander of the Western Pacific Fleet.

The Associated Press learned authoritatively that Marine and Navy officials have had a number of meetings with Red negotiators on the beach at Haiyang, Communist held village 60 miles north of Tsingtao.

Hearing Set Tomorrow On New Haven Appeal

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK.—A public hearing has been set for tomorrow on the plea of the New Haven Railroad for increased fares within New York State. The Public Service Commission announced today the hearing would begin at 2 P. M. at its offices, 233 Broadway.

The Commission said commuters and representatives of Westchester communities served by the line would be given an opportunity to testify on the proposals.

PALMER AVE. JOB DRAWS SEVEN BIDS

Costs For Improvement Range From $46,000 To $99,000

Seven bids ranging from $46,000 to $99,000 for the installation of sewer and water mains in the Palmer Avenue District improvement were received last night at the meeting of the Larchmont Board of Trustees. No action was taken pending study of the bids.

The seven bids were for furnishing all materials, labor, tools, plant and equipment necessary for the work, while three additional bids were received for furnishing materials only. Although bids were also asked for supplying labor, only one was received.

Low bidder for the whole job was the Peckham Construction Company, which submitted a bid of $46,718. Highest bid was $99,112.50 from the Vaccaro Brothers Construction Company. Others bidding on the whole job were New Rochelle Construction Company, $79,777.40; MacNamee Construction Company, $54,607; Frank Bracalello Construction Company, $64,267.50; Marello & Son Construction Company, $51,492.50; DeBlasio & Gragorio Construction Company, $58,579.

The Peckham Company also submitted bids for furnishing most of the materials needed at $14,995.67 and for labor only at $33,031.60.

A bid for supplying cast iron water pipe and fittings for $8,588.35 was received from the Warren Foundry & Pipe Corporation while the Eddy Vale Company submitted a bid of $1,705.15 for supplying valves and fire hydrants.

In connection with the Palmer Avenue District Improvement, Harry D. Edwards, a property owner from whom the Village seeks an easement appeared before the board to clear up "a misunderstanding on what I am going to do and what the Village is to do." After going into a huddle with the trustees about improvements he intends to make on his property Mr. Edwards said "I certainly can't be expected to give an easement through the center of my property without getting something in return." The Board deferred the matter until executive session.

Lester S. Simon of 5 Hall Avenue, Larchmont, brought to the attention of the Board a circular

(Turn to Page 9. Please)

County Goes Over Top In Red Cross Drive

WHITE PLAINS.—With a collection so far of $266,403, Westchester has passed its 1948 Red Cross Fund quota with 102 per cent, Robert H. Burdsall of Port Chester, fund chairman, announced today. The chapter goal was $260,000.

Of the 39 branches, 17 have reached their quotas: Ardsley Briarcliff, Bronxville, Croton Hartsdale, Irvington, Mamaroneck, North Castle, North Salem-Somers, Ossining, Pelham, Pleasantville, Port Chester, Rye, Scarborough Scarsdale and Valhalla.

Solicitation has not been completed in many communities, the chairman reports, with the average collection standing at 70 per cent in branches where the quotas have not been met.

Early Voting Heavy as 981 Go to Polls Before the Noon Hour

Mamaroneck voters flocked to the polls today with all indications pointing to the heaviest vote in years and one of the tightest contests for police justice the village has ever experienced.

Village Clerk Fred H. Bull, who made a tour of the nine districts between 10:40 and 11:40 this morning, reported that a total of 981 votes had already been cast, or 16.52 per cent of the total registration.

The number of votes cast when he arrived at each polling place follows: District 1, 52; District 2, 89; District 3, 164; District 4, 98; District 5, 111; District 6, 116; District 7, 142 District 8, 130; District 9, 79.

The polling places will remain open until 8 P. M.

A total of 5,938 persons are registered, the second highest on record in the history of the village.

Interest centers in the judgeship race, in which Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone, Republican candidate, is running against Henry T. Hornidge, Democratic and Non-Partisan candidate.

The three Republican incumbent trustees, James Jackson, Alfred Weeks and John Withers, are running against David B. Chisholm, Democratic nominee.

In Larchmont, where a fusion ticket has been designated, polling places will be open until 9 P. M.

WOMAN SHOPPER SURVEY APPROVED

Chamber to Sponsor Plan To Learn Housewives' Buying Habits

A survey of the women shoppers in a purchasing groups, along the lines outlined by Miss Katharyne Whitener at the January meeting, was approved by the Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce last night in American Legion Hall. Enough favorable response has resulted to justify the Chamber in undertaking the survey, the members agreed last night.

The survey will be conducted by college girls working under the direction of Miss Whitener who is research director of the Womans Council of the N. Y. State Department of Commerce.

In view of the apprehension of G. R. Minter and his conviction by Acting Judge Hunter Meighan, Aaron Ditman strongly urged that solicitors of all kinds be referred to the Chamber office for investigation before being permitted to call upon merchants.

"Those who are collecting funds of any sort from our merchants and our citizens," he stated, "should receive the most careful scrutiny. The Chamber, with its membership in the National Better Business Bureau and contact through the County organization with other Chambers, is well equipped to conduct such investigations."

William Fulcher announced that a full shipment of books will go off to Nurenburg this month and urged members to send list of books they might wish to donate to him or to the Chamber office.

Fred Rubin was reappointed chairman of the Chamber's annual boat ride in June.

Sam Sirlin brought up the matter of Summer closing. After discussion, Vice-President Leonard Chase, who presided at the request of President Ernest Warming, appointed the following committee to report back at the April meeting: Carl Strauch, chairman; Mr. Sirlin, David Berkwits, Mr. Ditman, Al Lombino and Mort Margoluis.

John J. Slattery, proprietor of the New Capitol Restaurant, was elected to membership.

Oleo Tax Decision Shelved by Committee

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The House Agriculture Committee voted 16 to 10 today to shelve all legislation to repeal Federal taxes on oleomargarine.

DIVIDEND DECLARED

WHITE PLAINS—The County Trust Company, White Plains, has declared a 37½ cent quarterly dividend payable April 1 to stockholders of record March 17, 1948

STORES PLAN BID FOR BUSINESS OF LOCAL YACHTSMEN

Chamber Discusses Plan To Provide Service For Summer Guests

Mamaroneck's merchants will get considerably more trade from yachtsmen who visit the local Harbor this Summer if plans submitted by Don Abbott and discussed by the members at last night's meeting of the Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce at American Legion Hall are approved by a committee appointed to give them further study. Telephones at each of the docks and some sort of car service for those wishing to visit Mamaroneck Avenue and other parts of our Village were among the ideas advanced by Mr. Abbott.

Mr. Abbott pointed out that local yachtsmen purchase their supplies on Friday, then are lost to the merchants for the week-end, since they visit other harbors along the Sound to the benefit of merchants in those harbors.

"However, the reverse process is what we are interested in: those yachtsmen from other harbors that come to visit in our harbor," he stated. "Those are the people whose business our merchants, restaurants and others want. The business is there to be had if we make it possible for them to get up town, make purchases and get back again without having to carry heavy bundles, or if we make it possible for them to phone our members and get fairly quick delivery at the docks."

One plan to receive study by the committee involves slot machine telephones, supported by the Chamber of Commerce, along side of which would be posted the names and business of the Chamber members. Another plan would be to make wider use of a Village delivery service which Bruno Koenzboch pointed out is in business in Mamaroneck.

A third plan envisaged the use of some sort of bus service, supported by Chamber members, which would carry the shoppers to Mamaroneck Avenue and other shopping points.

These and still other ideas will be studied by the committee headed by Mr. Abbott and on which Mr. Koenzboch and Sam Sirlin will also serve. The service would be in operation from the middle of June to the middle of September.

"In fact," Mr. Abbott said in closing, "if the telephone plan is carried out, merchants who want boat business would be afraid to stay out of the Chamber. Such a list hung by the telephones, and which I understand it is proposed to send all new residents in our Village, will prove invaluable in gaining additional business."

Costa Rican Army Seizes Revolution Stronghold

By The Associated Press

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica—Costa Rican troops have captured the stronghold of Rebel Leader Jose Figueres, the government said today.

The country is completely calm, a communique added, and the government has everything under control.

San Jose is almost isolated, with 75 per cent of its power plants blown up. The capital's economic life is paralyzed. Rural troops brought in by airplane yesterday patrol the streets.

Open revolt flared in this Central American republic Saturday after President Teodoro Picado Michalski declared martial law.

The captured rebel stronghold was identified as San Cristobal, below Cartago, which is 45 miles south of here. The government also said one of Figueres' mountain ranches was taken.

Holy Land Cool

By The Associated Press

JERUSALEM — A three-inch snow blanketed Jerusalem today. The Weather Bureau said it was the heaviest fall in a generation. Police said the snow apparently cooled both Jewish and Arab fighters. Only minor shooting incidents were reported during the night.

GOP Leaders at Rally Deny Widow's Charge, Attack Times

Mayor B. J. Santoro indicated at a rally last night closing the Republican campaign for the Village of Mamaroneck election that he would seek a fourth term in 1949.

Speaking at a meeting of First and Second District Republicans, Mr. Santoro made a broad hint of his candidacy for reelection but devoted most of his speech to answering the statement issued yesterday by Mrs. Florence W. Hughes, widow of the late Judge Patrick J. Hughes.

Other speakers, including Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone, Republican candidate for police judge, and Barney Epstein, Republican campaign manager, attacked The Daily Times' for its editorial stand for Henry T. Hornidge, police judge candidate of the Democratic Party and of th Non-Partisans, independent gro composed mainly of Republica

Mr. Santoro said that he o had been asked why he had for public office so often when his duties in such office took him away from his personal affairs.

"Well, I can answer that," said. "I'm not a quitter. In past, word frequently has g around that 'we will cut him d this time.' Well, maybe that s element that is aiming at a tain segment of our popula will have a chance to 'cut down' in 1949."

Mr. Santoro apologized for ing late. He said that in view the letter published by M Hughes he had been delayed 'looking up the record.'

'I want to speak as the Mayor of the Village of Mamaroneck and I want to call to your attentio something that was published t was not true," Mr. Santoro said. "I'm sure Mrs. Hughes will retract her statement when I point out the facts to her."

He referred particularly to that part of Mrs. Hughes' statement concerning the failure of the Village to increase Judge Hughes' salary during the 10 years that he he was in office. Mrs. Hughes had said that for eight years the Village Board of Trustees had failed to act on her husband's salary.

Mr. Santoro produced figures taken from Village records showing that throughout the period 1942 through 1945, the salaries of the key Village officials remained the same—police judge at $3,600; Village Manager at $5,000; Village attorney at $3,300, and treasurer-clerk at $3,900.

He said in the 1945-46 budget the Village manager's salary was raised by $500, and that in 1946-47, increases were granted the manager, the attorney and clerk bringing their salaries up to $7,000 $4,500 and $4,500, respectively.

Mr. Santoro recalled that on April 29, 1946, Mrs. Hughes ap-

(Turn to Page 9. Please)

Doctor in Ward Death Denies Marriage Offer

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Dr. Paul Singer of Jersey City, N. J., denied today that he told Jane Ward, baking heiress, prior to Oct. 17, 1947 that his brother would marry her for $25,000.

The physician, undergoing his third day of cross-examination also denied that he ever told the girl that if he was single h would marry her. He and Dr Oswald Glasberg are on trial in General Sessions Court on a charge of manslaughter in the death of Miss Ward, 22, from an alleged illegal abortion.

Dr. Singer has maintained tha the first time he saw the girl wa Oct. 17 last when she said sh was referred to his office.

Democrats in Senate Delay Tax Cut Figh

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—Democrati Senators decided today to hea President Truman's special mes sage to Congress tomorrow b fore taking any action on t Republican $4,700,000,000 come tax cutting bill.

Senator Barkley told repo ers this was agreed upon at hour and a half conference all Senate Democrats. The c ference was called originally lay plans for a fight to hold cut to $4,000,000,000.

Senate Republican lead who had planned to begin bate on the tax bill tomorr announced it will be put until Thursday.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Temperature in the 50s. Tonight clear and colder, low in the low 30s. Tomorrow increasing cloudiness and cooler, high in the low 40s. High tides today at 4:15 P. M.; tomorrow at 4:40 A. M. and 5:06 P. M.

HORNIDGE TRIUMPHS BY 514 PLURALITY

Combing The Town

Enriched

Three gifts were received from residents by the Mamaroneck Free Library this week.

Miss Frances M. Larmon presented a fund for the purchase of pictures and illustrative materials for the children's room in memory of Henry H. Stansbury III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Stansbury II of Hawthorne Gardens. A collection of Mother Goose pictures and two frames for them have already been purchased and are on display in the children's room.

Edward A. Healey of 544 Halstead Avenue presented a recording of Beethoven's "Symphony No. 5 in C Minor, Opus 67" performed by the N.B.C. Symphony Orchestra with Arturo Toscanini conducting.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Wesson of 709 Munro Avenue donated two frames for use in the children's room for displays and exhibits.

Busy Evening

The lines were burning at The Daily Times office last night.

Intense interest in the contest for village police justice was evidenced when staff members handled more than 150 calls on five lines. Calls began coming in as early as 7:15, three-quarters of an hour before the polls closed, and didn't stop until after midnight.

Weekend of Fun

Fifteen members of Troop 2, Larchmont Boy Scouts, spent the weekend at Camp Siwanoy, Wingdale, where they enjoyed skiing and hiking and passed scout tests.

The boys, headed by Scoutmaster Al Love, arrived Saturday noon and left Sunday at 3 P. M. Food was cooked by Al Gitoni.

Participating were Scouts Bob Murphy, Jim Murphy, Jerry Martin, Ed Farnam, Bob Gantner, Bruce Baum, Bob McCarthy, Bob Dana, Malcolm Hunter, Jack Carleton, Doug Tucker, Dickson Lang, Tony Martino, Morton Lowenthal, Sam Gordon, Don Burkhart and Dick Ridley.

Bob Dana and Morton Lowenthal are assistant scoutmasters of the troop.

Victor in Tears

Democratic Party workers anxiously received election returns at their headquarters on Mamaroneck Avenue last night and their enthusiasm mounted as district after district showed Henry T. Hornidge was winning the race for police judgeship.

Almost at the very moment the final returns were tabulated, Mr. Hornidge walked in the door. The crowd cheered uproariously—and that was the way Mr. Hornidge learned he had won the first election to be won by a Democrat here in a decade.

Mr. Hornidge burst into tears.

Democrat to Democrat

James Duggan, former chief of the Mamaroneck Village Fire Department and the only Democrat ever to hold that revered office, said today he wanted to publicly congratulate Henry T. Hornidge upon his election as police justice, the first Democrat to hold that office.

What Trustees?

Among the scores of residents who telephoned The Daily Times last night to obtain the results of the election was one who inquired only about the results of the Sansone-Hornidge race.

When she was informed that Mr. Horndge had been elected and that the three Republican trustees were returned to office, she paused and then asked:

"Trustees? Who were they?"

New Wrinkle!

The Non-Partisans, independent group of Republicans who backed Henry T. Hornidge for police judge, had a new wrinkle in politics yesterday.

They used volunteer youngsters as "sandwich men" at the railroad station to greet the commuters returning from New York City.

The signs read "You Have Until 8 P. M. To VoVte for Henry T. Hornidge." They also offered "free transportaton to your voting district and home." Three automobiles were waiting to transport the commuters.

Laurence A. Quinlivan, chairman of the Non-Partisans, said taxicab drivers made no objections and speculated that they, too, were Non-Partisans.

WILL YOUR BUDGET STAND IT?

How will your budget look when you buy those "musts" that you absolutely can't do without this Spring? Well, here is a suggestion that thousands have been using lately to help s-t-r-e-t-c-h their budgets. You have unused furniture in the attic; a piano or a bedstead. Or you have a fur coat or a bicycle which no one is using. Why not sell them and get good hard cash in return. Just call one of our competent ad takers—she'll help you write an ad which won't cost much but which will bring the cash to help balance the budget. Start your ad today! Just call Mamaroneck 9-2100.

Truman Asks Draft Law, UMT

Critical Europe Situation Calls For Speedy ERP

President Tells Congress U. S. Must Act To Be Strong

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—President Truman told Congress today the situation in Europe is "critical" and asked a temporary draft law and Universal Military Training.

The President also urged swift Congressional action on the Marshall program of economic help for Europe.

Mr. Truman went before a joint session of Congress in person to present a grim picture of world affairs and a major report on his foreign policy.

"The recent developments in Europe," he said, "present this nation with the fundamental issues of vital importance."

He pointed then to the just-completed five-nation Western European pact for common defense against attack.

He said of it:

"This development deserves our full support. I am confident that the United State will, by appropriate means, extend to the free nations the support which the situation requires.

"I am sure that the determination of the free countries of Europe to protect themselves will be matched by an equal determination on our part to help them to do so."

"The situation in the world today, is not primarily the result of the natural difficulties which follow a great war. It is chiefly due to the fact that one nation has not only refused to cooperate in the establishment of a just and honorable peace, but—even worse—has actively sought to prevent it."

Mr. Truman told Congress there are times when it is "far wiser to act than to hesitate" —

Then, plainly speaking of Russia, Mr. Truman said:

even though action always involves risk.

He said his recommendations at this time for action represent "the most urgent steps toward security of the peace and preventing the war."

The President stressed that the United States will continue to support the United Nations and will try every possible method of reaching international accord.

He went on:

"At the same time, we must not be confused about the central issue which confronts the world today.

"The time has come when the free men and women of the world must face the threat to their liberty squarely and courageously."

And developments have reached the point, Mr. Truman said, at which America's position should be made unmistakably clear.

Recalls High U. N. Purposes

Mr. Truman then spoke of the high purposes of the United Nations Charter, and added:

"We cannot, however, close our eyes to the harsh fact that through obstruction and even defiance on the part of one nation, this great dream has not yet become a full reality."

Therefore, he said, supplementary measures are necessary for America — universal training, temporary revival of the draft, and swift action on the European Recovery Program.

"Time is now of critical importance," Mr. Truman said of the European Aid Plan.

The Senate has approved European aid to be started with $5,300,000,000 for the first year. The House has not yet acted.

In urging universal training, the President said the United States must remain strong enough

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

Martial Law Set

By The Associated Press

PEIPING—Martial law was proclaimed today in Tsinan, where an undisclosed number of Americans remained as Chinese Communist troops drew near. Reports from Tsingtao, American naval base 190 miles to the East, said the Reds overwhelmed Government forces at Songnan, 15 miles north of Tsinan.

LARCHMONT VOTES WASHBURN MAYOR ON FUSION SLATE

Larchmont residents yesterday voted a fusion ticket into office with Walter B. C. Washburn, Republican, as mayor; and Harold T. Hughes, Republican, and George N. Gibbs, Democrat, as trustees.

With no contest, only 152 voters out of a registration of 1,824 went to the polls yesterday. Trustee Gibbs, the first Democrat in five years to be endorsed by the Republican Party, won the largest number of votes, 148 leading his Republican running mate by one vote. Mayor Washburn received a total of 145 votes.

Trustee Gibbs also led in the voting in his own district, No. 1, while Trustee Hughes received the largest vote in his district, No. 2.

The voting by districts was as follows.

District 1: Washburn, (R) 36, (D) 11, total 47; Hughes (R) 35, (D) 12, total 47; Gibbs (R) 36, (D) 13, total 49.

District 2: Washburn (R) 85, (D) 13, total 98; Hughes (R) 85, (D) 15, total 100; Gibbs (R) 83, (D) 16, total 99.

SCHOOL PROBLEM SEEN INCREASING

Modern high schools are experiencing more complex problems than ever before due to increased attendance, Joseph C. McLain, principal of Mamaroneck High School, told members of the University Club of Mamaroneck last night at the Elks clubhouse.

Mr. McLain illustrated his talk with colored slides of activities at Mamaroneck and Bellows High schools taken by Don Corfield, former Bellows and Mamaroneck teacher now a member of the N.Y.U. faculty.

"Education is big business," Mr. McLain declared. He said the average daily attendance in the U. S. is 31,000,000. He reported that according to the report of the President's Commission on Higher Education, 49 per cent of young people have the mental capacity for two years at college and 32 per cent for four years at college. By 1960, according to the report, there will be 4,600,000 students in college as compared with 2,300,000 today.

The slides showed scenes of activities in sports, music, dramatics and makeup, commercial classes, a record course in Shakespeare by Orson Welles and the Hollywood Players, and auto driving instruction, all at Mamaroneck High School; and shop work at Bellows High School. Also shown was a picture of the service flag at Mamaroneck High School, dedicated last Memorial Day.

Mr. McLain said that getting the right student to the right college is a major problem. He said that 121 of the graduating class of 270 last year are attending college, and that including those who are taking special courses, a total of 170 are continuing their education. Eighty-four are working, he said, 14 are undecided on their careers, and two are taking post-graduate work at the high school.

Butter Up 5 Cents

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Wholesale butter prices skyrocketed today, the New York Mercantile Exchange reporting advances of five cents a pound for Grades AA and A butter and 5½ cents a pound on Grades B and C. Closing prices were: AA, 83½cents a pound; A, 82; B, 82; and C, 81½.

LOSER CONGRATULATES winner in photo above of Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone, Republican nominee (left), who was defeated yesterday by Henry T. Hornidge, Democratic and Non-Partisan candidate, for police judge of the Village of Mamaroneck. —Staff Photo

Military Aid Pact Signed By West European Nations

By The Associated Press

LONDON—A newly formed Western Alliance of Great Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg pledged today mutual military aid if any of them is attacked.

The terms of alliance, embracing economic as well as military co-operation, were made public in the capitals of the five nations as their Foreign Ministers formally signed the pact in Brussels.

The 50-year treaty, forged last week in an atmosphere darkened by the westward advance of Communism, called for quick action to put its objectives of common security and economic recovery into operation. The treaty made partners of the five nations.

The treaty ordered formation of a "Consultative Council" to operate on a continuing basis.

The Council is to meet immediately "to consult with regard to any situation which might constitute a threat to peace . . ."

The treaty's fourth article was the crux of the agreement. It said:

"If any of the high contracting parties should be the object of an armed attack in Europe, the other high contracting powers will, in accordance with provisions of Article 51 of the Charter of the United Nations, afford the party so attacked all the military and other aid and assistance in their power."

The five powers did not mention Russia by name.

The text did specify that the Consulatitive Council would determine "steps to be taken in case of a renewal by Germany of any aggressive policy."

Significantly, the treaty added: "Or with regard to any situation constituting a danger to economic stability."

In seven points of the prelude to the treaty, the five Western democracies pledged themselves to work together "in maintaining international peace and security and in resisting any policy of aggression."

The treaty left the door ajar for additions to the alliance. It said the five countries "may, by agreement, invite any other state" to agree to its terms.

Under the plan, any such country invited could become a party to the agreement by depositing its acceptance with the Belgian Government.

The countries formally declared their "close community of interests' 'and expressed their belief in the "necessity of uniting in or-

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

LEGION TRICKED BY IMPERSONATOR

A capacity audience filled the Larchmont American Legion clubhouse last night in Flint Park to hear a surprise speaker whose appearance at the Post's 29th birthday celebration was arranged by Legionnaire Jack Connolly.

Up until the time he was introduced, there was much speculation as to who would be the speaker. Guesses as to his identity ranged from President Truman and General Eisenhower to Russia's U.N. delegate Andrei Gromyko.

An air of disappointment fell over the crowd as the speaker, Senor Alfred Rodriguez, was introduced by Mr. Connolly as a soldier-diplomat from a Latin-American country, now serving on the U.N.

In broken English, Senor Rodriguez said he was taught to speak English by a South American. He compared American customs with those of Latin-American countries which are adopting American customs.

"We are learning to chew gum," Sr. Rodriguez said. "Now we are becoming a nation of wide open faces."

He said the Latin-American count[illegible]s are beginning to take up American sports and are getting further away from the bull fights. One thing about bull fights, he said, however, was that he could always spot an American in the

(Turn to Page 3. Please)

The Vote By Districts

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Totals
For Judge:										
Sansone (R)	310	387	274	183	178	309	99	220	87	2,047
Hornidge (D)	68	81	207	234	222	151	216	233	140	1,552
Hornidge (NP)	10	24	163	154	139	91	193	143	92	1,009
For Trustee:										
Jackson (R)	315	386	404	316	278	385	277	358	140	2,859
Withers (R)	326	398	431	371	319	397	298	381	181	3,102
Weeks (R)	322	397	434	388	327	387	321	394	197	3,167
Chisholm (D)	64	97	232	282	268	187	264	247	191	1,832

CHURCH COUNCIL LEADER TO SPEAK

The Rev. Robert W. Searle, D.D., director of community relations of the Protestant Council of the City of New York, will be the guest preacher at the seventh and final union Lenten service of the Larchmont Avenue Church and St. John's Church Tuesday at 8 P. M. in St. John's Church, Larchmont.

Dr. Searle was born in New Brunswick, N. J., May 25, 1894. Educated at Rutgers University, he entered the New Brunswick Theological Seminary in the Fall of 1916 and resigned in April, 1917, to enter the Army YMCA. In October, 1917, he enlisted in the Army Ambulance Corps and later transferred and served overseas with the 303rd Field Artillery. From 1919 to 1920 he served on the staff of the Americanism Commission of the American Legion under Col. Arthur Woods.

He returned to the Theological Seminary in 1920, graduating the following year. He was assigned as youth director of Fort Washington Collegiate Church.

From 1923 to 1930, Dr. Searle served as minister of the First Reformed Church of Albany and also as chaplain of the Fort Orange Post, American Legion.

From 1930 to 1934, he was associate minister of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York City in charge of the welfare program. During this period Dr. Searle became a co-founder of the Yorkville Civic Council, a neighborhood association.

He served as general secretary of The Greater New York Federation of Churches from 1934 to 1945, directing the cooperative program of the Protestant churches of Manhattan, Bronx, Richmond and affiliated Westchester and Nassau churches. He was assigned to his present position in 1945.

In 1937, Dr. Searle was a delegate to the World Conference of Churches held in Oxford, England, and in 1941 he was a delegate to the North American Conference of Churches in Toronto, Canada.

He is president of the Institute for American Democracy, a member of the executive committee of the Citizens Housing Council and of the New York City Cancer Committee, chairman of the Church committee for Armenian Rights, member of the Advisory Council of the Magistrate's Court, Home Term; member of the Department of International Justice and Goodwill of the Federal Council of Churches, the Department of Research and Education of the Federal Council of Churches, trustee of the Scarborough School, and a member of the board of direction of Wiltwyck School.

Dr. Searle has written three books and is editor of Metropolitan Church Life, a weekly paper on church and community affairs.

G.O.P. Trustees Elected In New Record Turnout

HORNIDGE THANKS VOTERS, ASKS BAN ON POLITICS HERE

Henry T. Hornidge, successful Democratic and Non-Partisan candidate for Village police judge, today thanked the voters who elected him and called for a spirit that would eliminate national politics from "our simple community."

Other post-election statements included that of Anthony Sansone, the unsuccessful Republican nominee, who congratulated Mr. Hornidge, and those of Laurence A. Quinlivan, chairman of the Non-Partisans, and Mrs. Florence W. Hughes, widow of the late Judge Patrick J. Hughes.

Mr. Hornidge said:

"Naturally, I am gratified at my election. I am deeply grateful to the many people who have worked so hard and earnestly to bring it about—Democrats and Republicans both.

"My whole interest is in this community of ours. It has wonderful possibilities. They can never be accomplished by political motives—all that it needs are residents who really love the place and are willing to give their time to advance it. National politics distinctly do not belong in our simple community. Nor is this the place to exploit one's own political ambitions."

Mr. Sansone said:

"Last evening I personally congratulated Henry T. Hornidge on his election and wished him well in his new office. At this time I wish to publicly express my sincere thanks to all the district leaders, my campaign manager and host of friends who gave so generously of time and effort in my behalf all during the campaign."

Mrs. Hughes said:

"I congratulate Mr. Hornidge on his election and feel that the people of this Village have expressed themselves as to how they felt about this election and the statements in the press. The results justify the stand taken by the Republican Village Committee members who refused to endorse Mr. Sansone."

Mr. Quinlivan said:

"The results of the election are gratifying to all those who worked for Mr. Hornidge. In their behalf, I would like to thank and congratulate the voters of both parties who supported him.

"It is impossible for me to make note of the many good people who circulated the Hornidge petition and so unselfishly gave their time

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

'Halt War Hysteria,' Wallace Urges Congress

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK. — Henry A. Wallace called on leaders of Congress today to "quell the war hysteria" which he said is being "fanned" by the Truman administration to bolster the President's chances for reelection.

The Third Party Presidential aspirant made public telegrams which he sent to Congressional committees declaring that the "people look to the Congress for calmness and sanity." He asserted that on two other occasions President Truman "has convened the Congress in an atmosphere of artificially created crisis to cover up failures" of his policies.

Wallace said that "there is no evidence that any nation has threatened acts of aggression against us or threatened our national security. Yet the President and members of his Cabinet act as though a war crisis were imminent."

U. S. Oil Plans Checked

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—Secretary of Defense Forrestal said today "events in the last several weeks" may force this country to change plans to boost production of Middle Eastern oil. The defense chief told a Senate Business subcommittee he already has asked military experts to say whether it is advisable to continue shipping steel to build pipelines in Saudi Arabia.

Chisholm Polls Largest Vote For Democrats In Many Years

Henry T. Hornidge was elected police judge of the Village of Mamaroneck yesterday by a plurality of 514 votes.

So great was the public interest in the election that an all-time record was established for the number of voters drawn to the polls. Out of 5,938 persons registered, 4,767 or 80.28 per cent voted.

Mr. Hornidge, candidate of the Democratic Party and The Non-Partisans, an independent group composed mostly of Republicans, polled 2,561 votes as against 2,047 given to his Republican opponent, Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansone.

Mr. Hornidge's plurality surprised even his most ardent supporters and bewildered the Republican organization. A Democratic candidate has not been elected in the Village for more than a decade.

The incumbent trustees, James Jackson, John Withers and Alfred Weeks, were returned to office, however, as was expected. David B. Chisholm, the Democratic nominee, lost by approximately 1,000 votes under the lowest total of his opponents.

Mr. Chisholm, however, did poll one of the largest votes accorded in years to a Democratic candidate. He was the party's only candidate for trustee.

Mr. Hornidge was elected for a two-year term to fill the balance of the term of the late Judge Patrick J. Hughes, who had held the office since 1937.

Mr. Hornidge will take office April 5, the start of the Village's official year, as will the three trustees who were each given new two-year terms.

At that time also the Village Board will appoint a village manager, treasurer-clerk and corporation counsel, positions held, respectively, by William H. Johnson, Fred Bull, Jr., and Mr. Sansone.

The election campaign had proceeded at a traditionally complacent pace until Monday, when Mrs. Florence W. Hughes, widow of the late judge, issued a statement urging the election of Mr. Hornidge and charging the Republican Village Campaign Committee with "hypocrisy" in using her husband's name for campaign purposes.

That, coupled with other developments, brought voters crowding to the polls yesterday and long lines were formed at voting places in all nine districts during the closing hours.

Available election figures indicate that the only time such an interest was shown by the Village voters was in 1939, when again there was a fight within the ranks of the Republican Party itself.

In that year, a last-minute write-in campaign developed for William H. Johnson, former mayor and now village manager. Mr. Johnson lost to the late James T. Corrigan, but the issues brought to the polls 3,804 voters, or 68.91 of the total registration. That was far below the 80.28 per cent which voted yesterday.

Mr. Hornidge, a former mayor of the Village and one of the few Democrats to be elected to high public office here, appeared on two lines on the voting machines. Democratic Party leaders pointed out, however, that he polled more votes on the Democratic line than on The Non-Partisan line, 1,552 on the former and 1,009 on the latter.

Mr. Sansone, as had been expected, piled up thumping pluralities in the First and Second Districts and also carried his own district, the Sixth in the Halstead Manor section.

He lost every other district, however.

Mr. Chisholm surprised all political observers by corraling a sub-

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

Pleads Innocent

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Sven O. Sandgren, 51, today pleaded innocent to a superceding indictment charging second-degree manslaughter in the death of a boy attacked by a pack of dogs allegedly owned by him. Judge Harry Stackwell in Bronx County Court continued Sandgren in $2,500 bail pending trial. No trial date was set.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Temperature near 50. Tonight increasing cloudiness, lowest in low 30s. Tomorrow, cloudy and warmer with scattered showers, highest near 60. High tides today at 5:18 P. M.; tomorrow at 5:46 A. M. and 6:30 P. M.

U. S. ORDER TO CURTAIL TRAIN SERVICE 25 P. C.

MINE SHUTDOWN LEADS TO EDICT

Commuter Service to Be Affected Slightly; Effective Sunday

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Government today ordered a 25 per cent reduction in coal-burning passenger train service because of the coal mine shutdown.

The Office of Defense Transportation order is effective at midnight next Sunday, March 21, It was issued under wartime powers the ODT still retains

(It was expected that commuter train service will be affected only slightly and that the reduction will be met by dropping Sunday, mid-day and nighttime trains.)

The agency said the step was necessary because "railroad coal stocks today are considerably lower than they have been on previous occasions when stoppages in coal production have interfered with railroad operations."

Federal Conciliation Chief Cyrus S. Ching met with Ezra Van Horn, spokesman for the mine operators, and arranged to talk later with John L. Lewis, chief of the United Mine Workers.

The ODT order requires railroads to reduce coal-burning passenger train service 25 per cent under the operations as of March 1, 1948. It prohibits the carriers from substituting Diesel, electric or other equipment for coal burning locomotives, which will be laid up as a result of the order.

Steel Plants Affected By Soft Coal Strike

By The Associated Press

PITTSBURGH—The four-day-old soft coal walkout began biting into steel production today.

Youngstown Sheet & Tube Co. shut down one of the blast furnaces at its Briar Hill plant at Youngstown, Ohio. A company spokesman said it was done to save fuel.

Two other companies will soon follow suit. Sharon Steel Corp. announced it would bank one blast furnace and five open hearths at Farrell, Pa. Bethlehem Steel Co. said it will cut back production soon if the coal walkout continues.

Combing The Town

Returns to Bench

Judge Wesley M. Messersmith returned yesterday after an absence of two months, due to illness, to preside over Town of Mamaroneck Police Court.

Court attendants reported that the judge "looked better than ever." A light court calendar confronted him on his first day back. Fines totaling $16 were collected from five persons for traffic violations.

Orlando Vecchi of Brooklyn was fined $5 for operating a vehicle without a license and an additional $5 for failing to produce the registration. Glen V. Dorflinger of Mount Vernon was fined $3 for passing a red light, while Frank Wormser of 1 Acorn Lane, Larchmont; Thomas Gleason of New Rochelle, and Stephen Welwood of East Brady, Pa., were fined $1 each for parking violations.

Warblers

A barber shop quartet contest, complete with mustachios and trick clothes, will be a fall project of the Mamaroneck Lions Club, the members decided at their meeting Tuesday at the Blue Haven Inn, Howard Smith, chairman of the Soap Box Derby committee, proposed the plan, which received enthusiastic endorsement.

A committee consisting of Charles Gaa, Earl Quick, Howard Smith and Art Dunn was appointed to complete plans.

Local organizations will be asked to enter their own quartets. Prizes will be awarded for best costumes, best harmony, and other factors, with substantial cash prizes going to the winning organizations.

Open Meeting

All qualified voters in school elections are urged to attend an open meeting at 8:30 P. M. today in the music room of Mamaroneck High School when the names of Mrs. Raworth H. James and Walter F. Brady will be recommended for nominations as Mamaroneck School Board trustees.

The recommendations will be made by the Larchmont-Mamaroneck Committee for the Selection of School Board Nominees, composed of 24 citizens from all sections of the Town of Mamaroneck who have canvassed the opinion of the community.

Typical Tunes

Dennis Walsh, popular local Irish tenor, sang several Irish melodies to highlight last night's St. Patrick's Day dinner-meeting of the Mamaroneck Kiwanis Club at the Elks Clubhouse.

Walter Ficke, in behalf of the club, presented a Kiwanis Certificate of Appreciation to Mr. Walsh at the close of his musical program. Mr. Walsh was assisted at the piano by Richard Murray.

John McDonald, chairman of the program committee, presented a surprise gift to President Linden Morehouse from the members of the club. On opening the beautifully decorated gift package, Mr. Morehouse found a large potato presumably from Ireland.

Coincidence

St. Patrick's Day was an unusually festive occasion for Patrick and Leo Garvey.

Pat, who lives at 533 Palmer Avenue, Mamaroneck, and his brother, Leo, of New York City, who recently came to this country from Ballina, County Mayo, Ireland, each had a birthday yesterday. They celebrated it together last night in New York. Pat is 43, Leo 27.

Chalet on Exhibit

The Swiss chalet miniature used in the Juliette Lowe World Friendship Pageant of the Girl Scouts of Mamaroneck is being exhibited at the Mamaroneck Free Library.

This replica of the world home of the Girl Scouts and Girl Guides was made by James Stevens of Wagner Avenue, Mamaroneck.

GEN. TAYLOR INJURED IN PLANE BAIL-OUT

By The Associated Press

BERLIN — Brig. Gen. Telford Taylor was injured today when he and seven other Americans parachuted from a C-47 over Berlin.

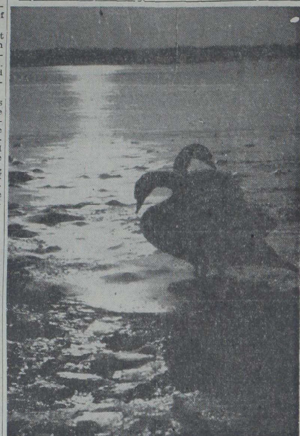
Taylor, chief U. S. prosecutor of war crimes in Germany, was brought to an Army hospital suffering from a wrenched back and a slight hip injury.

The plane developed engine trouble and all the passengers bailed out. The pilot and co-pilot landed uninjured at the RAF's Gatow Airport, in the British zone of the city.

U. S. Army Hospital authorities said all the remaining passengers were safe, but that Mrs. Taylor, who was flying with the General, had suffered a leg injury. A sergeant also was reported being treated in a Russian zone hospital.

Taylor landed in the middle of a street in Pankow, Russian-occupied territory in the north-east section of Berlin. He was brought to the Army hospital by a German doctor.

Some of the other passengers reported they had been picked up by Russian soldiers and taken to Russian Headquarters.



SILHOUETTED SWANS—This photo, looking toward Orienta Point, Mamaroneck, was taken by Andrew Karabet of Rye Road, Rye. Several other pictures of Winter scenes photographed by Mr. Karabet are now being exhibited at the Mamaroneck Free Library.

Sammy Squirrel Loses Tail In Scuffle With Town Police

All of Larchmont's animal kingdom is talking about Sammy Squirrel's tail.

Sammy got in a tiff with the Town Police Department Tuesday and finally got away, but not without losing his bushy tail.

Joseph L. Greene of 70 North Chatsworth Avenue, Larchmont, reported to headquarters shortly before 9 A. M. Tuesday that there was a squirrel in his sun porch.

Mr. Greene was sitting in his living room when suddenly Sammy raced out of the fire place into the sun porch. That was enough for Mr. Greene, who called police.

Officers James Mancusi and Eugene DeVeau, armed with a mop and a broom, were detailed to get Sammy out of the house. Swishing around the sun porch, they forced Sammy to move, but he scampered to the upstairs bedrooms. The officers chased Sammy downstairs again, back into the fire place, and up the chimney from whence he came.

To make sure that he was out of the chimney, the officers built a small paper fire. But Sammy apparently unable to find his way out the top, came down again, his bushy tail neatly singed to a crew cut, and took refuge under the living room sofa.

By this time, Sammy was pretty much provoked and although the front door had been open since the start of the chase, he didn't take the hint.

Officer Mauncusi said that as he poked at Sammy under the sofa, the squirrel started to growl like a dog. They finally routed him from under the sofa and started him toward the front door. Once he realized that the door was open for him, Sammy was out and gone quicker than you can say Mamaroneck.

Mothers in the animal kingdom today are pointing to Sammy's tail and warning their children: "Let that be a lesson to you!"

MANDEVILLE ASKS GOLF LINKS CURB

Supervisor Would Limit Two County Courses to Residents Only

Town Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville, is amplifying his endorsement of a resolution passed Monday by the County Board of Supervisors which would restrict the use of two of the four County-owned golf courses to county residents, said today, "We have one of the most beautiful golf courses at our back door and yet most of the Westchester residents can't get on it".

The supervisor was referring to Saxon Woods Golf Course, one of the four owned by the County. The other three are Mohansic, Sprain Lake and Maple Moor.

He reiterated that "the people of Westchester pay for these courses and they are rightfully entitled to enjoy them".

"A lot of residents like to play golf," he said, "but not at daybreak, which is the only time left when they can get on the course".

The resolution was introduced by Supervisor Joseph G. Saile of White Plains, who pointed out that the courses are becoming more and more crowded each year and public complaints are rising in volume and tone.

Supervisor Mandeville also stated that the cost of belonging to a club today is far too expensive for a person with an average income who likes to play golf. Under the present conditions, he pointed out, a person must wait hours to get on one of the county courses and then wait to play through. Many who ordinarily would enjoy playing golf are deprived from doing so because of the overcrowded courses, he added.

German Reds Announce Reich Government Plan

By The Associated Press

BERLIN—German Communists announced today their intention of replacing the four-power Allied Control Council with a "German Government." The council has been functioning by wartime agreement among President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Stalin and Winston Churchill.

Herman Matern, Berlin leader of the Communist-controlled Socialist Unity (SED) Party, told a Soviet-led "People's Congress" that a constitution for a German republic must be worked out "very quickly."

PSC APPEARS DUE TO GRANT 10 P.C. RAIL FARE BOOST

Askwith, Spokesman For Commuters, Assails New Haven Plea

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK.—Indication that the Public Service Commission is considering granting the New Haven Railroad a temporary 10 per cent increase in intra-state commutation fares was given yesterday by Commission Chairman Milo R. Maltbie.

The intimation drew prompt protests from representatives of Westchester communities and the announcement that a petition is being prepared by Westchester residents urging the commission to lower the commutation fares by 10 per cent.

Mayor Stanley W. Church of New Rochelle and Assistant Corporation Counsel William L. Moran, of New Rochelle, "strenuously objected" to the indicated increase.

Mayor Church charged that present rates were too high.

Cites N. Y. Central Case

Maltbie spoke at a continued hearing on a petition by the railroad for a 25 per cent average increase in its monthly intrastate commutation rates. He recalled that the commission recently granted a 10 per cent interim rise to other state lines including the

(Turn to Page 15, Please)

3 CHURCHES PLAN PALM SERVICES

Presbyterians Dedicate Book Of Memory to Those Who Served

Special Palm Sunday services have been scheduled for three Larchmont churches.

The services at the Larchmont Avenue Church will be marked by the dedication of the Book of Memory and tribute to the men and women who served in the armed forces.

The dedication will take place during the 11 A. M. service. The book will be a permanent record of the honor roll and contains the names and pictures of the men of the parish who gave their lives. One page has a picture of the Larchmont Honor Roll and is dedicated to all the men and women of Larchmont who served. Another page lists all the contributors to the Great West Window which was dedicated to the memory of those who served.

Following the dedication of the book, representatives of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps will carry the book to the rear of the church, where it will be kept.

At 4 P. M., a special Communion service will be held with the reception of 53 young people in the Confirmation class.

Blessed palms will be distributed at all masses at St. Augustine's Church. The palms will be blessed before the 7 o'clock mass. Other masses will be at 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12. A special selection of music appropriate to Palm Sunday will be played at the 11 o'clock mass. Evening devotions will be held at 5 P. M.

The Rev. Francis J. H. Coffin will deliver a Palm Sunday sermon, "Christ's Entry Into Jerusalem", at the 11 o'clock service at St. John's Episcopal Church. An evening prayer service will be held at 4 P. M.

10 DIE, 4 ESCAPE IN B-29 CRASH

By The Associated Press

TAMPA, Fla.—Ten men were killed and four injured early today when a B-29 from the Spokane, Wash., Airbase crashed and burned on landing at MacDill Field here.

The four survivors were admitted to the base hospital. Their condition was described as "good."

The bomber was coming in for a landing in a dense fog when it hit the edge of the runway at the southwest corner of the field.

The big craft hit the ground, bounced once and then crashed and burned. Wreckage was scattered over a wide area.

Fog was rolling in from the bay and hugging the ground about 150 feet thick. Apparently it was impossible to pick out the runway quickly.

The plane had stopped at Maxwell Field (Montgomery, Ala.) and was arriving at Tampa from that base. It was attached to the 92d Bomb Squadron at Spokane. The crash occurred at 2:32 A. M.

Shutdown is Hinted In Fur Coat Industry

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK.—Complete shutdown in the industry here is threatened by directors of the Associated Fur Coat and Trimming Manufacturers, Inc., because of a labor dispute.

The board of directors, which announced yesterday it will urge the 750-member companies to close down because of the dispute,

REDS DRAFT FIGHT AGAINST U. N. PROBE

By The Associated Press

LAKE SUCCESS—Russia seemed grimly determined today to fight on against a United Nations inquiry into the Communist grab of Czecho-Slovakia. A decisive East-West clash over Soviet expansion in Europe is in prospect.

The U. N. Security Council voted yesterday, over strenuous Soviet objections, to hear all that can be turned up on the Czecho-Slovak crisis.

The decision was taken against a backdrop of bitter name-calling by Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko. Applause for speakers answering Gromyko's thrusts echoed three times in the packed, usually staid Council chamber. The Council set next Monday for the start of debate on the case, filed last Friday by the government of Chile against Russia.

MORE THAN 1,000 BOOKS have been collected to date by Mamaroneck Junior High School students in cooperation with the local "Books for Peace" collection for American Zone residents of Germany. Pictured above, sorting and packing at the Mamaroneck Free Library, are, left to right, John Goodkind, Tom De Alleaume, Elizabeth Nordwall, Rosemary Nowak and David Meadow. Another active student assistant in the work is Merle J. Bruskin. Mrs. George Field and Mrs. Harry Bruskin, co-chairmen of community affairs for Larchmont and Mamaroneck, respectively, under the Parent Teacher Association, are in charge of the student collection.—Staff Photo

Derby Day Aides Appointed As Lions Prepare For Event

Every member of the Mamaroneck Lions Club as well as Lions from Larchmont, Rye and Harrison, will have an assignment in the 1948 Mamaroneck Soap Box Derby, cosponsored by Luby Chevrolet Corp and The Daily Times and conducted by the Mamaroneck Lions.

Although the classic isn't scheduled until July 10 and supplies have not yet arrived for the opening of entries, the Lions are ready to go, according to Howard C. Smith, chairman of the Derby. All committees necessary for the organization and running of the race were named at Tuesday's Lions Club meeting at Blue Haven Inn and work will start as soon as entries can be opened.

In setting up the Derby organization, Smith closely followed the plans of former Mamaroneck Derbies thus assuring that boys from Mamaroneck and the surrounding communities will enjoy a well-run race. Arthur Dunn, Jr., will assist Smith in the general management of the race with Fred T. Wilson as treasurer and Kirby Davidson of the co-sponsoring Luby Chevrolet Co. in charge of entries.

The general steering committee is composed of past Derby Chairmen William H. Johnson, the Rev. Theodore O. Posselt, Jr., Fred T. Wilson, Leo Heithaus and William Thrasher plus Charles Schmidt of the Larchmont Lions Club and Joseph Capperella of the Harrison Lions. The Rye Lion who will serve on the committee has not been named as yet.

Jack Egemeier will have charge of the all-important inspection committee which will inspect cars during construction and conduct the final examination just a few days prior to the race. Stewart Halsey, John Robinson, Carl Strauch, Albert Mueller, Brevoort Smith, Ernest Kastning, Erwin Meyer, Jonathan Welsh and Mervin H. Connor will also act on the committee.

Village Manager William H.

(Turn to Page 15, Please)

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR CORNELL

Private funeral services were held yesterday afternoon for the late Charles E. Cornell, prominent Mamaroneck real estate broker and former president of the Union Savings Bank of Mamaroneck, at the Silleck and Keech Funeral Home. Interment followed in the Rural Cemetery, White Plains.

Mr. Cornell died Monday afternoon in his Heathcote Hills Apartment home following a brief illness. Born Nov. 24, 1882, he was 65 years old when he died, instead of 75, as erroneously reported in Tuesday's Daily Times.

He was one of the oldest active real estate brokers in Mamaroneck, having been in business here for the last 27 years. He served as president of the Union Savings Bank from March, 1941, until his resignation on Dec. 31, 1946.

Surviving are his wife, the former Emily Trier of New York City, whom he married in 1911; a daughter, Miss Jeanne M. Cornell, and a sister, Mrs. Henry Knapp of New York City.

60 ATTEND FIREMEN'S ST. PATRICK'S DINNER

More than 60 members and guests attended the annual St. Patrick's Day dinner of Engine Company No. 1 of the Larchmont Fire Department last night in the American Legion Clubhouse, Flint Park.

The traditional Irish dish of corned beef and cabbage was served under the direction of John Hynes. Rem Winant, Engine Company captain, was master of ceremonies. Following the dinner, the group sang Irish melodies. Among the guests were Chief F. M. Taylor and his deputies.

North Country Premiers Meet for World Talks

By The Associated Press

STOCKHOLM—The Premiers of Sweden, Norway and Denmark met today for confidential discussion of world conditions.

Well informed sources said the talks "certainly will touch upon all vital topics including the momentous declaration made by President Truman, the Brussels Pact, the Marshall Plan, defense policy and neutrality."

DRAFT ESSENTIAL, FORRESTAL SAYS

Defense Secretary Tells Senate Unit Larger Strength Is Goal

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—Secretary of Defense Forrestal indicated today that the armed forces want to add more than 350,000 men to their strength, but did not say how many more. He said a draft is the only way to get them.

Forrestal was before the Senate Armed Services Committee supporting President Truman's plea for a revival of the draft and for Universal Military Training.

To Ask Strength Increase

He told the Senators he will approve recommendations for increases in the authorized strength of the Army, Navy and Air Forces, but would not make public the figures.

The "authorized strength" of each service is a "ceiling" Congress has put on the number of men it can have. The present "ceiling" for Army, Air Force, Navy and Marines adds up to 1,732,000 men. Actually they have 1,392,000 men.

UMT Gains Senate Support

Enough votes to send a Universal Military Training bill to the Senate lined up today in the chamber's Armed Services Committee.

But prospects for a UMT bill

(Turn to Page 15, Please)

SENATE TAX CUT BILL UP FOR DEBATE TODAY

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON— Confident Senate Republicans rolled out their $4,800,000,000 income tax-cutting bill for debate today.

They predicted easy passage. They said President Truman's plea for greater military power to protect Western Europe from Russia will have little or no effect on the tax reduction vote.

On that forecast they were joined by Senator George, Ga., ranking Democratic member of the Senate Finance Committee.

Rep. Doughton, N. C., top Democrat on the House Ways and Means Committee, commented that if the President's program is adopted, "we are going to have to take another look at the tax bill."

Senator Sparkman, D., Ala., said he believes some Senate members may line up against any tax cut as a result of the President's foreign policy message.

Clementis is Expected To Get Masaryk's Post

By The Associated Press

PRAGUE—Czechoslovak government sources said today a successor to the late Foreign Minister Jan Masaryk will be named "within a matter of hours."

A Government spokesman said: "The matter has been arranged."

There seemed to be general agreement the post, made vacant when Masyark fell to his death from a Czernin Palace window March 10, will not be filled by Vlado Clementis. Clementis, a Communist, was Masaryk's chief assistant.

Speculation in informed quarters was that Zdenek Fierlinger, Social Democrat leader who persuaded his party to cooperate with the Communists, would receive the appointment.

Butter Up 5 Cents

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK — The wholesale price of top grade butter leaped ahead five cents a pound today for the second successive day. The advance brought the wholesale price of Grade AA butter to 88½ cents, 10 cents above Tuesday's price. Grade A, at 87 cents, was up a similar amount. Grades B and C, which rose 5½ cents each yesterday, advanced another 5 today.

MANPOWER UNIT PLANS OUTLINED

After watching President Truman deliver his appeal for a draft law and U.M.T. over television at yesterday's luncheon meeting in the Pal-Mar Restaurant, the Larchmont Lions heard Major Fred De Angelis, Army recruiting officer, describe proposed plans for a military manpower committee in all U. S. communities to get public reaction to armed forces questions and to stimulate recruiting.

Major De Angelis, representing Westchester and Putnam County recruiting offices, said that under the plan, each community would have a manpower committee composed of representatives of civic and veterans' organizations and individual leaders.

Recruiting is falling below expectations, the major reported. The Army now has a strength of 1,300,000, he said, below the minimum requirement. At least 3,000 recruits per month are needed.

Other guests included T/Sgt. James Kehoe of the New Rochelle recruiting office, Dan Buckey of Mamaroneck, Dr. Harry Weiner of Larchmont, and Joseph Carbone of Pelham

NOW IS THE TIME!

Now is the time to sell your bicycle . . . in the Spring . . . when the snow has left the ground and the season is idea for bicycling, you can get a good high cash price for your bicycle or other sports equipment. Call and place a low cost ad under "Miscellaneous for Sale" today. One of our competent ad takers will be glad to help you write an ad for best results. With bicycles and other sports equipment going as briskly as they are, you'll make a handsome profit by selling your bike through the want ads. Start your ad today! Simply phone Mamaroneck 9-2100.

Combing The Town

The Daily Times

The Weather
Tonight occasional rain and fog, low in middle 40s. Tomorrow showers in early morning followed by partial clearing and warmer, high near 60. High tides today at 6:30 P. M.; tomorrow at 6:59 A. M. and 7:57 P. M.

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS MAMARONECK, N. Y., FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1948 MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

GOP Senators Study Draft Registration With Calls Delayed

Back in Circulation

Although Spring won't be here officially until 11:57 A. M. tomorrow, it's already here as far as Barry Holt's two Eastern box turtles are concerned.

Barry, 11-year-old Murray Avenue School pupil who lives at 292 Murray Avenue, Larchmont, has been waiting patiently for his turtles to come out of hibernation. They've been buried underneath a pile of straw in a case he built for them ever since winter set in.

Thursday, the turtles were up and around, lazily stretching their limbs in the warm sun.

Housing Conferees

Rep. Ralph A. Gamble of Larchmont yesterday was named with six other House conferees in Washington to serve with Chairman Jesse P. Wolcott at a meeting with a Senate Committee Monday to attempt to reconciliate differences before the March 31 expiration date of the temporary month's extension of rent control.

Mr. Gamble has been serving as chairman of the joint committee appointed last year to investigate housing problems.

Flip of a Coin

Parliamentary procedure went out of the window last night during the election of a nucleus committee at the meeting of the Committee for the Selection of School Board Nominees when a tie developed among committeemen from the Village of Mamaroneck.

It was settled in an expedient manner—the flip of a coin. Chairman Caldwell Buck pointed out that it didn't matter much, as the loser would undoubtedly be appointed by the nucleus committee to serve on the full committee.

CLEMENTIS NAMED TO MASARYK POST

Communist, Secretary Of State, to Fill Both Posts, Prague Says

By The Associated Press

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia —The Prague Radio announced today that Vlado Clementis, a Communist, has been appointed Foreign Minister of Czechoslovakia.

Clementis, who had been the No. 2 man in the Foreign Ministry, succeeds Jan Masaryk, who died in a plunge from his apartment in the Foreign Office Building March 10.

The new Foreign Minister, a Slovak, had been Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and had been Masaryk's chief assistant for several years. He is a lawyer, 46 years old.

The Prague Radio broadcast said the offices of Foreign Minister and Secretary of State are being combined and that Clementis will fill both posts.

The appointment was made public just four weeks after the start of a Cabinet crisis which resulted in complete Communist Control of the government. It came three weeks after President Eduard Benes swore in the new Cabinet, of which Masaryk was a member.

Though for many years an energetic worker for Communist causes, Clementis has many associations with Western nations. He speaks English and French fluently.

In 1935 he was a Communist Deputy representing a Slovak District in the Prague Parliament. Upon occupation of the country by the Germans he fled to Poland and Russia and ultimately reached France. There the Daladier Government interned him.

After France fell he went to England. From there for several years he broadcast news of world events to his homeland. For a time he was a journalist in France and England.

The appointment does not change the composition of the Communist - dominated Cabinet. As Secretary of State Clementis previously had Cabinet rank. Masaryk was affiliated with no party.

BRUSH FIRE NIPPED

Columbia Hose Company of the Mamaroneck Fire Department responded to an alarm at 3:30 P. M. yesterday to extinguish a brush fire at Keeler Avenue and East Boston Post Road. Chief Michael Orsino was in charge. No damage was reported.

THEIR TRAINING CAN HELP YOU!

Our want ad takers are glad to lend their experience to your needs. They want to see that your want ad will bring maximum results. Their training in writing thousands of ads can help you and we're glad to extend this service to our readers . . . that's why they continue to use your want ads year in and year out . . . because want ads bring results. So if you have anything to sell (a baby carriage, piano, radio, living room furniture, hobby equipment, gas stove, clothing, golf clubs) just call Mamaroneck 9-2100, your want ad result number.

BOSTON POST ROAD 6 TIMES BRIGHTER WITH NEW LIGHTS

600 Watt Bulbs Installed To Reduce Hazards of Night Driving

The entire Boston Post Road between the City of Rye line and the Town of Mamaroneck line at Richbell Road will be six times lighter tonight, Village Manager William H. Johnson reported today.

Mr. Johnson said that crews have been replacing the 1,000 lumens (100 watt) bulbs with 6,000 lumens (600 watt) bulbs. They had installed the new lamps as far as the Central School by last night and are expected to complete the job to the Richbell Road boundary this afternoon. The light will be spread from curb to curb, Mr. Johnson said.

The new lighting is the first step in a program designed to create better driving conditions on the main thoroughfares in the village, Mr. Johnson said. Halstead Avenue lights will soon be equipped with 4,000 lumens (400 watt) lamps, he said; and plans have also been included to install the same power in lamps on Mamaroneck Avenue from the Washingtonville triangle to Barry Avenue.

The former four-foot brackets or arms have been replaced by eight-foot brackets on the poles, the manager reported.

The village entered into a new contract with the Westchester Lighting Company last year whereby the village purchases the fixtures and pays the energy charges, and the lighting company installs the equipment.

MME. JOLIOT-CURIE RELEASED BY U. S.

Attorney General Frees French Woman, Seized On Airport Arrival

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—Attorney General Tom Clark today authorized the release of Mme. Irene Joliot-Curie, the French scientist, who had been detained by Immigration Officials at Ellis Island.

Mme. Joliot-Curie was taken into custody and removed to the island shortly after her arrival late yesterday in New York from Paris.

Waiting at LaGuardia airport to greet her were officers of the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee, which has been listed by Clark as a subversive organization.

A committee spokesman said she had come to this country "to acquaint the American people with the immediate needs of the Spanish Republicans in exile."

The order for Mme. Joliot-Curie's release followed earlier indications from the Justice Department that she would be detained until it could be determined whether her entry would be "prejudicial to the best interests of the United States."

She was released on her own recognizance (without bond) for 15 days. This is the exact period of her proposed visit to the United States which was authorized in a State Department 15-day visitor's visa issued at Paris.

3 Residents Fined $7 For Illegal Parking

Three Larchmont residents paid a total of $7 in fines last night for parking violations in Larchmont Police Court. Judge John R. Cahill presided.

Stanley Whitman of 7 Parkway, Larchmont, was fined $3 for parking in front of a fire hydrant. He also was summoned for driving without an operator's licence, but the charge was dismissed when he produced it in court.

Fined $2 each for parking in a restricted area were Carl L. Hirschman of 58 Chatsworth Avenue, Larchmont, and Harris L. Korel of 50 Larchmont Avenue, Larchmont.

For operating a vehicle with expired license plates, Mrs. Helen H. Reddy of Norwalk, Conn., received a suspended sentence.

Probe Limit Set

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO—President Truman's fact-finding board in the nationwide meat strike set a time limit of five more days for presentation of evidence by representatives of packers and the striking CIO union. The board will hold daily joint meetings with the packers and union leaders until next Wednesday noon.

—Staff Photo

OPENING THE CIRCUIT which gives the 52d Fighter Winger, Air National Guard, direct connections between its headquarters in the State Armory, White Plains, and A Squadron in Syracuse, Lt. Col. G. H. Wenn, acting commanding officer, is shown as he put in the first call last night.

CHURCHES READY FOR PALM SUNDAY

All Congregations Mark Sacred Festival With Special Programs

Distribution of palms and appropriate music will feature Palm Sunday services this year at Mamaroneck churches.

At St. Thomas' Episcopal Church, services in observance of Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem will be held, beginning with the celebration of Holy Communion at 8 A. M., with the gospel account of the Crucifixion read by the celebrant at the altar. At 11 A. M. Palm Sunday processionals will be held, with each member of the choir carrying a palm strip. Special music and a sermon appropriate for the day by the Rev. Arnold A. Fenton will be included. Following all services, including the 9:30 A. M. Church School service, palm crosses will be distributed.

The Rev. Theodore O. Posselt, Jr., will preach on "The Royal Christ" at palm services at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church. Included in the music will be the choir anthem, "The Palms" by Faure.

At the Mamaroneck Methodist Church, Palm Sunday music will feature the 11 A. M. service. The Rev. Burton H. Throckmorton, Jr., will deliver a sermon on "Is It Easy or Hard?"

Palms will be distributed at all masses from 7 A. M. to noon at Holy Trinity and St. Vito's Roman Catholic Churches. There will be a solemn blessing of the palms at 6:30 A. M. at each church.

TRAIN CURTAILMENT HELD SLIGHT HERE

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Relatively slight curtailment in overall service for the New York metropolitan area was forecast today as railroad officials revised schedules in accordance with a Government order for a 25 per cent cut in coal-burning passenger train operations.

Most of the local lines use electric or Diesel electric engines and will not be affected by the order which becomes effective at midnight Sunday.

The New Haven Railroad said only 30 per cent of its passenger mileage is steam operated and the order will affect only 25 per cent of that portion.

Flanders Asks U. N. Air U. S.-Russ Disputes

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON.—Senator Flanders proposed today that differences between Russia and the United States be laid before the United Nations.

He introduced legislation which would direct the President to take their disputes before the U.N. Assembly.

The Assembly would be asked to consider the actions of the United States and the Western Nations and those of Russia and her satellites and "the effects of these actions on the maintenance of world peace and the principles of the charter of the United Nations."

Drizzle Is Winter's Goodbye; Spring Due Here Tomorrow

The toughest Winter in the memory of oldtimers is being sent into the past by a constant drizzle today as Mamaroneck awaits the Vernal Equinox and the official arrival of Spring exactly at 11:57 A. M. tomorrow. It was a Winter with the most snow, the heaviest fall, and the coldest day on record.

Southern sections of Westchester received nearly five feet of snow between Dec. 23 and March 11, while a total of eight feet—96 inches—fell at Croton Falls. The heaviest single fall ever recorded was the 28 to 30 inches which fell on Dec. 26 during the "Big Storm." The coldest temperature ever experienced in Westchester came on Jan. 19 when it was 34 below zero at Shrub Oak, 22 below in Armonk.

The rain today is being brought by a coastal storm, and the Weather Bureau issued a small-craft warning of southeast-to-south winds early this morning. Rain and fog are on the program for tonight with a low reading in the middle 40s, and showers in the early morning tomorrow will be followed by partial clearing and warmer temperatures with a high near 60. The bureau, in a long range forecast, says Sunday will likely be fair and mild.

Tomorrow at 11:57 A. M., the axis of the earth, normally tilted away from the perpendicular to the orbit, will be at exactly right angles to the direction of the sun, and at that moment the day and night will be equal in length the world over. The hours of daylight will grow progressively longer each day as the Northern Hemisphere tilts more and more toward the sun, until the Summer Solstice, June 21, when the maximum tilt of 23 degrees and 27 minutes will be reached.

The record snowfall of the waning Winter is regarded by Public Works' officials as insurance against a Summer drought. Reservoirs are at record levels for this time of the year, and many of them will overflow in the Spring.

AUGUSTINE J. GIRONDA

GIRONDA NAMED MAJOR IN GUARD

Resident to Be Assigned to Air Unit at Armory In White Plains

Augustine J. Gironda of 1417 Stonybrook Avenue, Mamaroneck, has been nominated for a commission as major in the New York Air National Guard and will be assigned as a group communications officer of the 152nd Aircraft Control and Warning Group of the 52nd Fighter Wing with headquarters at the State Armory, White Plains.

During World War II, Major Gironda was communicating officer of the 471st Bomb Group (Heavy) and 47th Bomb Group (Light). He also served as radio and radar officer in charge of all communications equipment maintenance on Okinawa.

Major Gironda's experience in communications dates back to 1920, and includes four years of naval service, 12 years with the Merchant Marine, and four years with the Civil Aeronautics Authority.

The purpose of the Air National Guard is "to provide sufficient organizations so trained and equipped as to enable them to function efficiently at existing strength in the protection of life and property and the preservation of peace, order and public safety."

Men between the ages of 17 and 55 are eligible for enlistment for a three-year period. For those between 17 and 35, no prior service is required. From 35 to 55 only men with previous service are eligible.

Drills are held twice a week for which pay amounts to one day's base pay for each two hour drill performed, plus 50 percent for personnel on flying status.

In the Air National Guard there is opportunity for extending professional education and experience through training courses in aircraft maintenance, engineering, radio, radar, gunnery, bombing and other subjects.

Any Mamaroneck or Larchmont man interested in learning communications or radar or seeking additional information concerning the Air National Guard may contact Major Gironda at his home home address, telephone Mamaroneck 9-0178, or see him at the State Armory, White Plains, on Monday or Thursday evenings.

COSTA RICA REVOLT SEEN SPREADING

By The Associated Press

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica—Gen. Rene Picado Michaliski, Security (War) Minister, says Costa Rica's political revolt is building into a Central American war.

Picado answered "yes" when newsmen asked him last night if the week-old rebellion by forces under Jose Figueres is going to involve all of Central America.

Four other countries already are said to be involved in Costa Rica's political quarrel.

Guatemala has been accused by Costa Rica of sending arms across the border to insurgent forces.

(Guatemala's foreign ministry instructed its San Jose envoy last night to require Costa Rica to prove the charge, or withdraw it.)

Nicaragua has sent planes and officers to aid the government, and government forces have charged that some Nicaraguans are helping Figueres.

The government has sent Dr. Luis Anderson to Honduras to appeal for arms. Anderson, Costa Rican delegate to the Rio conference, also will seek economic aid.

At least three pilots from the Dominican Republic have arrived from Ciudad Trujillo to fly two LASCA planes commandeered from a Pan American subsidiary Wednesday by the government.

Want Palestine Peace

By The Associated Press

LAKE SUCCESS — The Big Powers today recommended that the United Nations Security Council take immediate steps to restore peace in Palestine. No mention was made as to how this should be done.

2 SCHOOL BOARD DESIGNEES GAIN PUBLIC SUPPORT

Mrs. James and Brady Win Endorsement As 75 Attend Meeting

Mrs. Raworth H. James and Walter F. Brady, choice of the Committee for the Selection of School Board Nominees for nomination as trustees on the Mamaroneck Board of Education, were endorsed last night by more than 75 voters at a meeting sponsored by the committee in the Senior High School.

Nine residents, three from each community of the Town, were elected to serve on the nucleus committee which will appoint others to serve on the full committee of 24 next year.

The large turnout was attributed to anticipated opposition which failed to develop. The lack of opposition was virtually the only topic which drew any discussion from the floor, causing some speakers to question the purpose of the meeting and whether the recommendations of the committee were truly representative of the cross sections of the Town.

Following a vote of approval on the committee's designation of Mrs. James and Mr. Brady, Julian S. Colyer of 39 Mayhew Avenue, Larchmont, started the discussion by asking: "Just what do we vote on?"

Chairman Caldwell Buck, who had previously explained the functions of the committee and reviewed its history, replied that the purpose of the meeting was merely to get the voters' approval of the committee's action.

"That's a good point, however," Chairman Buck said in agreeing with Mr. Colyer, inasmuch as the nucleus of the committee is elected by the voters to appoint other committee members and the whole committee selects nominees for trustees.

Mrs. Richard Turner of 1617 Urban Street, Mamaroneck, said she felt that the committee was so well organized that "it's too peaceful. We ought to have a little fight." She urged that all the meetings of the committee be kept open rather than the preliminary closed meetings which are held early each year. "We should have more competition," she added.

Mrs. John Goldsmith of 91 Carleton Avenue, Larchmont, a member of the committee, said that "the very fact that it (the committee) functions smoothly creates suspicion in the world of today."

Mrs. L. M. Ilgenfritz of 1011 Greasen Point Road, Mamaroneck, another member of the committee, explained how the committee and sub-committee function and strive to the canvass widest possible opinion from the residents as to their choice for a trustee.

Richard I. Land, last year's chairman of the committee, said that "the practical consideration of the school committee has only one interest. That is to get the best available timber on the school board."

Mr. Land also showed how it would be possible for him to go

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

PORT CHESTER SENDS MINTER BACK TO JAIL

Gilbert Ray Minter, exposition promoter, who completed his 15-day sentence in County Jail today for collecting money in Mamaroneck with intent to deceive, was sentenced to serve another 30 days by Judge Herbert G. Bitz of Port Chester on the same charge.

Minter was arrested here two weeks ago by Mamaroneck police on information uncovered by Arthur Dunn, Jr., secretary of the Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce, which revealed that Minter was wanted in Maryland and Delaware. Minter had approached the Chamber of Commerce to induce it to sponsor a proposed "First Annual Merchants and Manufacturers Exposition," here in April.

Upon completion of his latest sentence, Minter faces warrants for his arrest from Easton, Maryland and Bridgeville, Del.

—Wm. Russ Studio

MRS. RAWORTH H. JAMES

EDUCATION STUDY GROUP LAUNCHED

Mrs. Livesey, Barry Avenue P.T.A. President, Heads Rye Neck Unit

Mrs. Herbert B. Livesey, Jr., of 522 Walnut Street, Mamaroneck, president of the Barry Avenue School Parent-Teacher's Association, last night was appointed chairman of a sub-committee of the recently formed Citizens Committee in Rye Neck to study the educational needs of the community in the light of the anticipated large increase in school enrollment. The appointment was made by Lewis H. Donaldson, chairman of the Citizens Committee.

The purpose of the sub-committee is "to determine the broad objectives of education for the community in light of the anticipated population changes, broad national trends and current proposals for education. The result should be an educational charter for the community."

Mrs. Livesey has been president of the Barry Avenue P.T.A. for three years. She served as second vice president and chairman of the ways and means committee before becoming president, and was a members of the Murray Avenue P.T.A. for three years while a resident of Larchmont.

She worked on the Mamaroneck Ration Board for two years, and was a member of the Lams, entertainment group of the American Red Cross during the war years. She is a member of the Mamaroneck League of Women Voters and the Mamaroneck Methodist Church.

CLARKSON REPRESENTS CIVIC UNIT AT HEARING

Lewis M. Clarkson was appointed last night at a meeting of the Larchmont Gardens Civic Association in the Weaver Street Firehouse to represent the association at the Public Service Commission hearings on the petition of the Westchester Lighting Company to increase its gas rates.

The association, through its secretary and many individual members, has expressed concern in letters to the PSC over the proposed increase, since the increases proposed could reach a maximum of 70 per cent over the current rates.

President George Schuler reported that the action of the Lighting Company is considered of such consequence that he appointed Mr. Clarkson to represent the association at the hearings.

Refreshments were served following the meeting. E. J. Kerrigan of 40 Revere Road, Larchmont was a guest.

Soft Coal Operators Ask Lewis End Strike

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON.—Soft coal operators today appealed to John L. Lewis to end the mine shut-down and offered to negotiate on his demand for miners' pensions.

Producers, who account for three-fourths of the nation's soft coa loutput, in a letter to Lewis, charged that the mine shut-down violated their work agreement with Lewis' United Mine Workers. Nevertheless, they did not threaten to take any legal action against Lewis or the union.

Vandenberg and Taft Weigh Proposal To Alert Men

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON. — Senate Republican leaders seemed near agreement today on a plan to register—but delay drafting—the nation's young men for military service.

The wait-and-see proposal under study by Senators Vandenberg and Taft would call for speedy passage of laws to revive Selective Service in the face of stepped up Communist pressure in Europe. Selectees would be chosen and put on notice.

But Congress would not push the button for inductions unless or until: (1) Voluntary enlistments continued to lag or (2) the world situation grew so grave as to call for partial or full mobilization of a citizen army.

Aim Enlistment Spur

The prime object of such a law would be to spur immediate enlistments of those subject to call thus filling vacant ranks in line with President Truman's plea for strengthened armed forces.

This Republican answer to Mr Truman's request for Universal Military Training and a limited revival of Selective Service is known to have the enthusiastic backing of Vandenberg. He is the Senate's presiding officer and heads its Foreign Relations Committee.

Taft told a reporter he is inclined to support the plan but has not made up his mind finally.

Meanwhile, an informal poll of the House Armed Services Committee showed today that group probably would approve an outright draft revival at once. Fifteen out of 33 members said they favor such a step and only four listed themselves as definitely opposed.

However, House Republican leaders have made clear that full hearings will be held on the subject before any action is taken.

Discussing the wait-and-see draft plan, Taft said he still doubts that a large army is needed. He has vigorously opposed UMT. He has suggested that the best preparedness lies in building the world's biggest airforce.

May Boost Air Force Funds

And it is likely that increased funds for the air arm will be voted by the GOP-controlled Congress, whatever action it takes on UMT and the draft.

Vandenberg is known to have sounded out Senate GOP members on the hold-in-reserve plan and to have received mostly favorable responses. He would not comment publicly.

But members said he told them Congress would be able to give Mr. Truman an almost immediate answer to his request for more powerful military backing of the American role as chief protector of free nations everywhere.

Vandenberg cited the psychological advantages of acting quickly these members said, adding that he mentioned the possibility of long-drawn hearings on UMT and a full application of selective service.

ings could go ahead until Congress gets all the information it wants and is ready to make up its mind, he was quoted as saying.

The compromise plan seemed to have made most headway in the Senate. But it also was being talked up in the House.

Jewish Settlements Cut Off by Arabs

By The Associated Press

JERUSALEM—Arab demolition squads today severed the East-West highway into strategically important Beisan Valley southeast of Haifa, an official announcement said.

The demolition squad blew up three bridges, destroying the last link between Jews in the Haifa area and beleaguered settlements in the Beisan Valley. Hhe announcement said the highway now is impassable. Some Arab strategists look on the Beisan Valley as an attack route to the plains of Esdraelon (Armageddon), and the Jewish-held seacoast.

Butter Prices Drop

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Wholesale butter dropped 5 to 6 cents a pound here today after advancing 10 cents or more on Wednesday and Thursday. The top grade of butter sold in the New York Mercantile Exchange at 83 cents a pound and Grade "A" at 81½ cents.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

High temperature near 70. Clear tonight and mild, lowest in upper 40s. Fair and continued mild tomorrow. High tides today at 7:57 P. M. Tomorrow at 8:28 A. M. and 9:13 P. M.

Big 3 Powers Propose Trieste Return To Italy

U. S., Britain and France Urge Major Peace Treaty Revision

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — United States, Britain and France today proposed the return of the Territory of Trieste to Italy through a major revision of the Italian Peace Treaty.

The proposal was made on behalf of the American Government to the Russian and Italian Embassies here at 10 A. M., Eastern Standard Time. Trieste is an important port city and ship building center on the Adriatic Sea between Italy and Yugoslavia.

Under the Italian Peace Treaty, Trieste was established as a free territory under the protection of the United Nations.

Independent Plan Fails

Today's joint announcement of the Western Powers said this plan for an independent Trieste is not working out very well.

It said Yugoslavia already has virtually incorporated that area of the territory occupied by Yugoslav troops.

The proposal to "place the "Free Territory of Trieste once more under Italian sovereignty" apparently is a major move by the western powers in Italian political strategy. The Italian are to hold a national election April 18 with a Communist bid for power the big issue.

The Western Powers' decision to propose return of Trieste to Italy was attributed to two main causes:

1. "Discussions in the Security Council have already shown that agreements on the selection of a Governor (for Trieste) is impossible." The peace treaty pro-

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

Combing The Town

Addresses Appraisers

The Village of Mamaroneck was used as a typical country-type suburban community as the basis of an address yesterday by Peter C. Doern, Jr., Mamaroneck real estate broker, before 1,250 persons attending the 8th annual conference of the New York State Society of Real Estate Appraisers at the Commodore Hotel in New York City.

Mr. Doern spoke on the "Expansion Attic House, Its Impact on the Market" which he said was becoming "a very prevalent type of house". He stated that in Mamaroneck 25 per cent of the new homes being constructed are of this type. He added that if the popularity of the expansion attic house continues to increase, it will tend to depreciate the older type conventional houses slightly more than the ordinary depreciation.

Many bankers, brokers and appraisers from Larchmont and Mamaroneck were present.

Finishes Maneuvers

Pfc. Arthur B. Hoag, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Hoag of 5 Shadow Lane, Larchmont, has completed maneuvers with the Marines and Navy in the Cuba area. He returned to U. S. shores yesterday. He expects to receive an Easter leave from Camp Lejeune, N. C.

A Marine for the last year and a half, Pfc. Hoag was an outstanding swimmer on the Camp Lejeune team before going on maneuvers.

In Radio School

Seamon 2/c Robert Manning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alwyn Manning of 629 North Barry Avenue, Mamaroneck, has entered aviation radio school at the Norfolk Naval Training Station.

Upon completion of 16 weeks' training, he will return to his ship, the U. S. S. Siboney, a light aircraft carrier, for duty as a radio operator. He enlisted last October and received his boot training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center, Ill.

Back in School

John Kavanagh, son of Mrs. Dorothy Williams of 5 Huguenot Drive, Larchmont, is back in Mamaroneck High School after receiving his discharge from the Army at Fort Lawton, Seattle, Wash.

He entered the service at the close of his junior year and served 16 months, 13 of them in Japan with the First Cavalry Division in the Tokyo-Yokohama area.

Discharge Nears

Pfc. Knight Washburn, son of Mayor-elect and Mrs. Walter B. C. Washburn of 27 Wendt Avenue, Larchmont, expects to receive his discharge from the Army at Fort Bragg, N. C., next Tuesday.

He enlisted in September, 1946, for an 18-month period and was stationed in Italy for more than a year. He hopes to enter Middlebury College in the Fall.

Chutist's Brother

Brig. Gen. Telford Taylor, chief American war-crimes prosecutor at Nuernberg, who bailed out of an Army transport plane over Berlin Thursday with his wife and seven other occupants, is the brother of Irving Taylor of 437 Melbourne Avenue, Mamaroneck.

Mrs. Irving Taylor told The Daily Times that she knew nothing about the incident except what she had read in the papers, which reported that Gen. Taylor wrenched his back and his wife suffered cuts and bruises.

Car Crash on Parkway Hurts Bronxville Man

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Joseph Carter, 53, of 48 Birchbrook Road, Bronxville, suffered fractures of the right arm and right leg at 1:45 A. M. today in an automobile accident on Henry Hudson Parkway.

A car in which he was riding mounted a traffic island on the parkway at 119th Street and crashed into a concrete abutment, police reported. The driver of the automobile, Percy Stratton of 120 Cabrini Boulevard, escaped injury, police said. Carter was taken to Bellevue Hospital.

A GOOD IDEA!

If it's help you want . . . experienced or inexperienced . . . full or part time . . . if you want a selection to choose from . . . . then follow the successful procedure of the smartest firms in town. You see, smart employers know that picking new employes is one of the most important parts of their business. They don't allow anyone to do that for them So they place their ads where they'll do the most good . . . in our help wanted columns. In that way they're assured of getting a good number of applicants. If you want a goodly number of good applicants you'll find that it's a good idea to call Mamaroneck 9-2100—your want ad result number.

SOAP BOX DERBY ENTRIES TO OPEN MONDAY MORNING

Boys 11 to 15 Eligible To Enter Annual Speed Classic In July

On your mark, boys!

Entries for the 1948 Daily Times Soap Box Derby, co-sponsored by the Luby Chevrolet Co., will open at 9 o'clock Monday morning, and all boys 11 to 15 years of age, inclusive, are eligible to enter.

The Derby, as a racing event, is a barrel of fun, but more than that, it is a challenge to every boy to design and build the fastest racing car and drive it down the hill ahead of the rest.

Entries are easy to file. They may be made at the offices of The Daily Times during business hours and between 9 and 10 at night, or they may be submitted at the Luby Chevrolet Co., 1879 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont, between 9 A. M. and 5 P. M.

Entrants must have a parent or guardian accompany them when they make application for the Derby, and when the entry is completed the boy will receive his rule book as well as an Official Driver's License, on which he will be required to note all details concerning his racer.

Studying the rules and understanding them will be the first task facing every youngster in the race. After that he can start sawing wood, drilling holes and driving nails.

The rules, however, are the first step and no boy can start to build his Derby speedster without them. They've been radically changed from last year's regulations and every youngster planning to race in the big event on July 10 should get his copy before he starts building.

The Winner of The Daily Times All American Soap Box Derby will receive many prizes donated by local merchants, The Daily Times and the Chevrolet Motor Division. The grand prize locally is the handsome N. Dreystadt Trophy, the gift of Chevrolet.

More important, however, is the trip to the national championship races at Akron, Ohio, on Aug. 15. It's an all-expense trip which will be financed by The Daily Times and the winner is assured of the time of his life.

At the championship race he will compete against 149 other champions from towns and cities all over the United States, Canada and Alaska. The grand award will be a four-year college scholarship, the second prize a Chevrolet auto, plus plenty of other prizes which will go to the winners of the first four places.

—Staff Photo

LARCHMONT'S NEW FIRE AND POLICE CARS are shown above lined up in front of the Municipal Building. Fire Chief F. M. Taylor (left) stands in front of his new chief's car, while, left to right, in front of the new police cars are Police Chief William J. Keresey, Officer Walter Verdick, Sr., Sgt. Harry Madden, Det. Sgt. Thomas J. Boyle, and Officer George Stewart.

400 HEAR LA ROE IN CHURCH PLEA

Presbyterian Moderator Cites Need For Action In Chaotic World

NEW ROCHELLE — "We must place Christ first everywhere in order to bring order from the chaos in the world today and to lead the world from darkness into light," Wilbur La Roe, Jr., Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, emphasized in his talk last night at the men's dinner in First Presbyterian Church.

More than 400 men from Presbyterian churches throughout Westchester heard Mr. La Roe stress that "people all over the world are looking to the Stars and Stripes as a symbol of human dignity, but behind and above that symbol must rise the Cross as the solution to the ills of a suffering world.".

Mr. La Roe declared that the "church is the only solution to the mess in the world today and that Christian principles must prevail. Much of the work in the church, he continued, "must be done by the laymen who should relieve ministers of the more exacting duties." He cited his own church as an example, where laymen have taken over the entire fund campaign and other administrative affairs.

The Moderator explained that everywhere he has gone in this country and its possessions he has found "a real love of the Presbyterian Church, a love of its goals, of its democracy and of its fellowship. I have been deeply impressed with the quality of the Presbyterian clergy, but more with the laity. Everywhere I have found represented in the church a good cross-section of community leaders."

Mr. La Roe read a statement he had prepared concerning the church and totalitarianism stressing that "the conflict between these two cannot be settled by compromise because individual freedom and human dignity are at stake, and they cannot be compromised. No government has the right to call itself Christian if it is the master of the people.

"The United States Foreign policy should be to renounce totalitarianism and to push peaceful settlement of world problems.

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

Piano, Stamps—Even Cleaning House Among Local Hobbies

EDITOR'S NOTE—This is the 19th in a Saturday series of interviews with citizens. Suggested topics from readers are invited. Today's question is: "What is your hobby?"

Mrs. John Smirge, 711 Waverly Avenue, Mamaroneck: "My hobby is bowling. You've heard of my husband; he bowled 676 the other night and is leading the men's singles tournament. Well, I got interested in bowling just by watching him and now I'm bowling in two ladies' leagues, the Larchmont Bowlettes and the Larchmont Rec. It's a wonderful sport."

Joseph Humphrey, 640 North Barry Avenue, Mamaroneck: "My hobby is athletics—officiating at baseball, football and basketball games. I played for a number of years but now am getting too old for active participation, so am doing the next best thing."

Frank Gallo, 112 Spruce Street, Mamaroneck: "Baseball is my hobby, but I also enjoy all outdoor sports. I like baseball because it is an all-American sport. The Yankees are my favorite team."

Mrs. Nicholas Soriano, 1110 Franklin Avenue, Mamaroneck: "Cleaning nine rooms and looking after my two children all day long is my hobby."

Mrs. Virginia Gilmore, 534 Third Street, Mamaroneck: "My hobby is playing the piano to enjoy myself and entertain others. I started playing the piano when I was quite young and have been playing it for the last 30 years. I find the older I get the more interested I become in the piano."

Harold Saunders, 312 Jefferson Avenue, Mamaroneck: "Racing pigeons. My family has been in the pet business in New York for years and naturally I couldn't help getting interested in pets. I get a tremendous kick out of my pigeons and am looking forward to another season of racing."

William J. Kuhn, 1414 Henry Avenue, Mamaroneck: "Fishing is my favorite hobby. It takes your mind off your work for awhile, keeps you out in the fresh air and healthful sun, and lets you really relax. I also enjoy swimming and watching baseball games."

Edward W. Julier, 446 Beach Avenue, Mamaroneck: "I like to fish and hunt. Why? Well, for one thing it gets you out in the fresh air where it's peaceful and quiet. It's wonderful for your nerves."

Mrs. C. A. Latimer, 628 Wood Street, Mamaroneck: "I guess working for the church is one of my hobbies, if you can call it that. I also like to knit and crochet and do anything with by hands. And I have a general col-

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

TAX CUT FORCES GET NEW SUPPORT

Senators Morse and Langer, Democrats to Vote For GOP Proposals

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—Senate Republicans gained new recruits today in their drive to cut income taxes $4,800,000,000.

Announcement by Senator Morse, R., Ore., that he intends to vote for the bill left little doubt the Republicans would line up solidly for it. And more Democrats pledged their support when the showdown comes Monday.

The Senate agreed last night to vote on any remaining amendments and the bill itself starting at 5 P. M. Monday.

This agreement was reached after Republican leaders had spent nearly seven hours successfully fighting off a series of Democratic proposals to amend the bill.

Morse's decision was considered significant. He was one of the two Republicans who last year voted against the second GOP tax cut bill which President Truman vetoed. And he also voted to sustain the veto.

However, the Oregon lawmaker told the Senate yesterday that he now favors a reduction since it seems to be "the predominant will of the American people."

Senator Langer, R., N. D., who joined Morse's vote last year, also has indicated that he plans to vote for the $4,800,000,000 measure.

BOYS ADMIT ENTERING CARS AT TRAIN DEPOT

Two 15-year-old Mamaroneck boys, when questioned by police last night, admitted entering cars at the parking space at the west-bound railroad station earlier in the evening.

No police action was taken against the youths, but their parents were informed of the incident.

Both boys had been seen by Lieut. Herman Pauls playing around the parking space during the evening. When Miss Ruth Lemonmeyer of 1418 Arlington Street, Mamaroneck, reported that her father's car had been entered and the glove compartment ransacked, Lieut. Pauls questioned the boys at their homes.

Miss Lemonmeyer said she had parked the car on the upper ramp of the west-bound station at 7 P. M. and upon returning at 9:35 P. M. found that the car, which she had locked, had been entered and the glove compartment searched. She told police that nothing was missing.

Board Will Present School Budget April 6

The Mamaroneck Board of Education held an adjourned meeting last night in the Senior High School and completed preparation of the tentative budget for the coming year.

The budget will be presented at the meeting on April 6, to which representatives of civic and social organizations and all interested citizens have been invited.

Reich Unification Up

By The Associated Press

BERLIN — The United States, Britain and France were reported today to have discussed plans for speeding unification of Germany. Military Governors for the three nations held a special conference yesterday.

AN INFORMAL MOMENT—At the Presbyterian men's dinner last night at First Presbyterian Church, New Rochelle. Shown pictured left to right, are: the Rev. Dr. Floyd E. McGuire, pastor of the Larchmont Avenue Presbyterian Church, Larchmont, and moderator of Westchester Presbytery; Wilber La Roe, Jr., moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian General Assembly of the United States, Frank Totten of Larchmont, chairman of the laymen's committee of the restoration fund of the United States. The Rev. Eben. Cobb Brink, pastor of the host church and head of the United Promotion Committee of Westchester Presbytery looks on.

—Staff Photo

ROTARIANS HEAR DEBATE ON UMT

Rev. E. C. Eisea Opposes Plan; Col. Lentz Says We Need It

A discussion on University Military Training and the proposed draft highlighted yesterday's meeting of the Larchmont Rotary Club.

Col. Bernard Lentz of Larchmont, formerly commanding officer at Fort Slocum, but now retired, gave the professional soldier's viewpoint and was followed by the Rev. Elmer C. Eisea of New Rochelle, who opposed UMT and a draft.

Walter Ludwig, teacher at the Mamaroneck High School, also refuted Col. Lentz with arguments against such training. The discussions were summed up by Rotarian Pat McGuire.

Two new members were inducted into the club, bringing the total membership to 50, highest in the history of the club. Inducted were Lloyd R. Harris, banker, and G. Norman Blair, architect, by Past President Gilbert Merrell.

Guests included Rotarians Francis W. Collins of Ridgefield, Conn.; G. Freeman Tibbetts of Stamford, Conn.; Stanley Lehigh, Sylvan Schwartzreich, Mel Goldman of Mamaroneck; Jim Gardiner, Mike Harbolick, John Thomas, Bob Goodwin, Howard Hogenauer of Port Chester; Richard Eustace and Frank Di Angelo.

The speaker next week will be Jack K. Pelsenfeld of New York, who will give an illustrated talk on "The Romance of Pearls."

Spring Erases Winter At Last

Flowers and other plants could almost be heard coming up out of the ground today as Spring officially arrived in a nearly perfect setting with clear blue skies, a shimmering sun, and mercury readings in the low 60s.

"Spring fever" is already sweeping in waves, and just to make things more pleasant, the Weather Bureau says the warm spell will continue and it will be "fair and continued mild" tomorrow.

Oldtimers say there may be more snow before May Day, but the "backyard gardeners" believe the worst Winter in memory is really over. The proof, they say, is that daffodil spikes gained an inch in the last few days, Oriental poppies are putting out lettuce-green leaves, and the red heads of peony shoots are up. Even pussy willow is making its appearance at nearby lakes. Only the forsythia is delayed, because the buds started to open in the February mild spell and then froze up again.

The sun's date with Spring — the Vernal Equinox—occurred at 11:57 A. M. today to bring to an official end a Winter which brought the most snow, the greatest single fall, and the lowest temperatures on record. March, however, has been lacking its customary winds to dry the ground, and yesterday's showers added to the wetness. The storm reached gale force last night in some sections of Westchester, but ended by 5 A. M.

New Haven Cuts Trains But None of Commuters

By The Associated Press

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad announced today the elimination of 47 passenger trains in compliance with an Office of Defense Transportation order curtailing the use of steam passenger locomotives. The announcement said that because of extensive electrification and dieselization of its equipment, commuting service in the New York area is not affected.

$6.2 BILLION AID HURDLES FIRST TESTS IN HOUSE

Foreign Affairs Unit Votes 15-0 to Approve Its Wrap-Up Program

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—A $6,205,000,000 bill to help Europe and China hold the line against Communism sailed successfully past its first House deadline today.

It includes a European recovery program, more military help for Turkey and Greece, and both military and economic aid for China.

And the drive is on for swifter action from here on. Congressional and Administration leaders want final action on foreign aid as early as possible before the April 18 Italian elections—in which ERP might be one of the most potent weapons against the communists.

Douglas to Testify

For an up-to-the-minute report on conditions in Europe, the House Foreign Affairs Committee called Lewis Douglas, Ambassador to Britain, into a closed door session.

The committee approved its single package foreign aid bill late yesterday, 15 to 0. That was a day ahead of the deadline Republican leaders had set for committee action.

Debate on the floor is scheduled to start Tuesday. And passage the following week—the target date is March 31—is about as certain as anything can be in Congress.

Then it will be up to Senate and House to get together on one or several foreign aid bills.

What the Foreign Affairs Committee approved in one measure is this:

1. For a program to help lift Western Europe back to her feet economically, $5,300,000,000 for the first year, including $20,000,000 for Trieste.

2. For a similar program of economic aid to China, $420,000,000.

3. For military aid to Greece and Turkey, an additional $275,000,000, as requested by the Administration.

4. For military aid to China on the same basis as for the Mediterranean countries, $150,000,000.

The Administration had asked for $570,000,000 for economic help for China. The committee approved the total, but decided $150,000,000 of it should be for military purposes.

Committee Democrats complained about (1) the one-bundle bill and (2) the speedy handling of the programs for China, Greece and Turkey. But in the end, they voted for the single measure.

In amount, purpose and operating machinery, the House version of the European recovery program is almost the same as that passed last week by the Senate. Differences are largely in detail.

But the Senate program covered only Europe. Senators are figuring on going ahead next week with separate bills for Greece and Turkey and for China.

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee approved a $275,000,000 Greek-Turkish military aid bill yesterday, 13 to 0. It met today to consider aid for China.

U. S. NEWSMAN BEATEN BY COSTA RICAN TROOPS

By The Associated Press

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica—Jules DuBois, correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, was pummeled and arrested by Costa Rican troops yesterday and detained by government authorities for 70 minutes.

Only yesterday DuBois was released from house arrest by Gen. Rene Picado Michalski, minister of public order. He had been confined since Sunday, when the Public Security Ministry accused him of sending out "alarming" stories about Costa Rica's revolution.

DuBois attempted to photograph troops sacking a butcher shop. Six Mariachis (rural troops) attacked him, striking him with their rifle butts. They smashed his camera.

DuBois was taken to Treasury Headquarters, where he was questioned by government agents. Then he was taken to the Presidential palace.

"While I was at the Presidencia I saw Communist troops," Dubois said.

LEWIS TO ATTEND U. S. COAL PARLEY

UMW Chief Accepts to Meet With Ching and Owners On Ending Strike

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—John L. Lewis today accepted a government invitation to meet with coal operators Monday in an attempt to settle the current coal strike.

Lewis, however, said in accepting the invitation from Mediation Director Cyrus S. Ching, that:

"It is preposterous to assume that any progress will be made at your Monday meeting, as these men (the soft coal operators) merely carry out the instructions of their principals."

Before receiving Ching's telegraphed invitation Lewis had another from the mine owners. But they said in their letter that if he wanted to discuss the pension demands with them he had to send the 350,000 idle miners back to digging coal first.

Effects of the walkouts which began last Monday were spreading over the country, forcing shutdowns in the steel industry and curtailment of railroad passenger services. Thousands of workers were being laid off as a result.

Ching told reporters, "I will do everything I can to get coal mining resumed."

And Charles O'Neill, who acted as spokesman for the operators, said, "We are trying to find out what this is about—why we are on strike."

Sheila's Cottage, 50 to 1, Takes Grand National

By The Associated Press

AINTREE, England—Sheila's Cottage won the 102d running of the Grand National Steeplechase today.

First of the Dandies, a leader through most of the race, was second.

Cromwell, owned and ridden by Lord Mildway, was third.

Silver Fame, the 8-1 betting favorite owned by Lord Bicester, fell the first time around at Becher's Brook, the treacherous water jump and hedge.

Sheila's Cottage, a 50 to 1 shot owned by J. Proctor, won by a length over first of the dandies.

Happy Home was fourth and Platypus was fifth.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., MONDAY, MARCH 22, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENT

The Weather

This afternoon partly cloud tonight fair, low in upper 40s. T morrow increasing cloudiness wi light rain toward evening, high upper 50s. High tides today 10:11 P. M.; tomorrow at 10: A. M. and 11:02 P. M.

Combing The Town

Anniversary Cake

Ten years ago last Friday the Larchmont Postoffice was dedicated. One of those present at the ceremonies was Mrs. James E. Curtis of 6 Shore Drive, Larchmont, who represented The Larch Tree, Larchmont Woman's Club publication.

Friday, Mrs. Curtis appeared at the Postoffice and presented a large birthday cake to Postmaster Frank Egger. The cake was adorned with one candle, flowers, and appropriate greetings. Mrs. Curtis also took along plates and forks and the postmen pitched in for a feast.

"Not only was it a very nice and large cake," Mr. Egger said, "but it was good, too."

Weather Pilot

Lieut. (j.g.) William C. Lewis, husband of Mrs. Helen Almeras Lewis of 38 Concord Avenue, Larchmont, is stationed at Atlantic City, N. J. as a pilot of heavy aircraft, assigned to Squadron VPHL No. 3.

The squadron follows hurricanes and other storms to collect weather data.

Lieut. Lewis, a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy, has served with submarine and amphibious forces in the Pacific.

'Hamlet' Next

Shakespeare's "Hamlet" will be the topic at the 13th meeting of Section I of the Great Books Discussion Group Wednesday night at the Mamaroeck Free Library. Miss Marguerite V. Moody and Miss Edna Stephens will lead the discussion.

Section 2, under the leadership of George Garfunkel, will meet Thursday night to discuss Locke's "Of Civil Government."

These semi-monthly meetings began last October and will continue until the end of May.

Recovering

Seamen 2/c Raymond and Arthur Dahlgren, sons of Mrs. Adeline Wisniowski of 216 Jensen Avenue, Mamaroneck, are patients in Naval hospitals.

Raymond is in the Philadelphia Naval Hospital, while Arthur is recuperating at St. Albans Naval Hospital, Jamaica, L. I.

COMMITTEE VOTES $55 MILLION FUND

'Stop-Gap' Cash For Austria, France and Italy Ok'd By House Group

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON. — The House Appropriations Committee recommended today an immediate grant of $55,000,000 to tide over Austria, France and Italy until pending long-range foreign aid legislation becomes law.

The amount was included in an emergency money bill which also carries $500,000,000 for tax refund and $125,000 for relief among Indians.

The $55,000,000 aid allotment was exactly the amount requested by President Truman several weeks ago and supplements $522,000,000 appropriated late last year for Winter emergency relief.

The committee said the original $522,000,000 will be exhausted by March 23 and there will be no other funds with which to run the aid program until an European recovery bill is enacted.

Urge China Grant

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Senate Foreign Relations Committee today recommended $463,000,000 for aid to China. Of this amount, $100,000,000 could be used for military supplies. The money would be for 12 months.

Rotary Sends Briggin To Brazil Convention

Samuel S. Briggin of 36 Beech Tree Drive, Larchmont, has been appointed assistant sergeant at arms for the 39th annual convention of Rotary International, the Chicago office of the service club organization announced today. Mr. Briggin will sail May 3 on the Liner Nieuw Amsterdam for Rio De Janeiro, Brazil, where the convention will be held May 16 to 20.

CONTACT!

If you are looking for good sales personnel, your chances of contacting them through a sign in your window is pretty slim. However, you can contact the "top" in sales men through the want ads, easily. Just insert your need under the appropriate help classification. Tell them about their chances in your job, then you will get the kind of help, you want . . . the kind that will make your store a better place to shop in. Your contact to the best employes is started when you contact us to place your ad at Mamaroneck 9-2100.

FLORADORA CUB SCOUTS of Den Five, Pack Two, Larchmont, are pictured above at the Chatsworth Avenue School where they received first prize Friday night at the Pack's stunt program. *Left to right, they are* Neil Miller, Thomas Winward, Eric Lipman, Warren Smith, John Day and Thomas Demorest. Their act featured a song and dance routine. *Story* on Page 3.

L. W. V. SUPPORTS LIBRARY REQUEST

Board of Directors Backs 84 Per Cent Increase In Budget

The board of directors of the League of Women Voters of Mamaroneck has gone on record as endorsing its 1948 budget request of the Mamaroneck Free Library trustees. The approval, in the form of a letter to Mayor B. J. Santoro and the Board of Trustees, was signed by Mrs. C. G. Cook, secretary of the Mamaroneck League.

The Library trustees last week requested a budget appropriation of $24,212, an increase of 84 per cent over last year, to finance increased costs of operation, remodeling and redecoration.

In approving the budget request, the board of directors of the League wrote that it feels the library is "an educational institution second only to the public schools in importance to the community." The letter follows:

"The board of directors of the League of Women Voters of Mamaroneck wishes to go on record as approving the proposed budget for 1948 of the Mamaroneck Free Library. We therefore urge you to appropriate in the Village Budget for 1948 the sum of $24,212 for the library.

"We feel that the proposed library budget represents a minimum for operating the library as an educational institution second only to the public schools in importance to the community.

"The Village appropriation for the library for 1947 was only $0.88 per capita; the proposed budget would raise that figure to about $1.86 per capita (1940 census figures) which is still lower than the appropriation of neighboring communities. When it is considered that an increase of about $10,000 is sought from the Village to finance (1) increased costs of operation, (2) redecorating interior, (3) remodeling to supply a reference room for high school students (for whom there is no provision at present), (4) increases in salaries of library personnel, which salaries at present are very inadequate, (5) increased cost of books, it is apparent that the Library Board is very moderate in its request.

"The League of Women Voters regards as a civic responsibility the active interest of its members in the appropriation of public monies. We therefore commend to you for your wholehearted support the 1948 budget of the Mamaroneck Free Library as presented by the library trustees."

$5 STOLEN FROM GAS STATION CASH DRAWER

A burglar broke into Jack's Service Center, 540 West Boston Post Road, Mamaroneck, sometime Saturday night and stole $5 in silver, police reported.

The theft was discovered at 10:30 A. M. yesterday by Jack Radom of The Bronx, owner of the service station, about an hour after he had opened. When he went to the cash drawer to get some change, he found the money gone.

Det. Sgt. William O'Neill reported that the burglar had entered through a side window which had been smashed. Radom told police nothing else was missing.

Legion Post To Send Student To Boys' State At Colgate

Dr. Harry B. Werner of 47 Fernwood Road, Larchmont, has been appointed chairman of the Empire Boys' State Committee of Larchmont Post 347, American Legion, it was announced today by Commander William Blumgold.

The committee will select the most representative boy in his junior year at Mamaroneck High School to represent the Larchmont post at the Empire Boys' State to be held at Colgate University, Hamilton, N. Y., June 27-July 3.

Empire Boys' State is a project of the New York State Department, American Legion. It is a course in state government embodying the principles of Americanism, history and civics.

For the second time since its inception, Empire Boys' State will be held at Colgate University. Last year Westchester County sent the largest delegation in the state.

This year, arrangements have been made to accommodate 900 boys. Westchester is expected to send 42. Last year, John C. Lightfoot, Mamaroneck junior and football star, was chosen to represent the Larchmont post on a basis of scholastic and leadership abilities.

Also serving on the committee are Past-Chairman Russell P. Askue and Joseph C. McLain, principal of Mamaroneck High School.

CUSTOMERS SCORE GAS BOOST PLEA

Pelham Resident, Larchmont Veterans Heard By PSC on Rates

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Customers of the Westchester Lighting Company appeared today at the Public Service Commission offices at 233 Broadway to protest against a company petition for higher gas rates.

Consumer testimony was started by Robert L. Smith, of 1059 Grant Ave., Pelham Manor. Smith who built his six-room home in 1937, testified that his latest bill for heating was $66.30 for the period from Dec. 18 to Feb. 19. Under questioning by Emanuel Schwartz, attorney for the Town of Pelham, Smith estimated he would be charged $111.82 for heating gas for the same period under a proposed increases in rates.

In addition to Smith, representatives of the Elkan Park Association of Larchmont, headed by the association president, Andrew Wilson 3rd, also were on hand to protest. The association includes 50 veterans who built their homes in the Larchmont community and occupied them last October.According to Alman J. Taranton, one of the group, the new home owners will face gas rate increases for home heating estimated at between 50 and 60 per cent if the increase is approved.

The company petitioned for an increase covering its 157,000 customers last Summer and subsequently increased the amount sought to $3,952,984 per year.

WOMAN SUES POLICE FOR RETURN OF CAR

WHITE PLAINS—Charging that her automobile was held by police as an allegedly stolen car and held since last Aug. 29, Rose White asked in Supreme Court Friday for an order compelling Mamaroneck Village police to release the car to her.

Henry P. Rubin, attorney for the plaintiff, told Justice Frank H. Coyne, who reserved decision, that the State Motor Vehicle Commission has informed him it will not oppose the suit and he pointed out that no appearance was made by Mamaroneck authorities.

The plaintiff said she purchased the car for $1,000 from a man named Cesaro on July 29, 1947. One month later, she alleges, Chief Arthur W. Martensen informed her he had received an alarm from the New York City police listing the car as stolen. She said Chief Martensen took the car and refused to return it, necessitating her bringing suit.

Yanks To Stay In Berlin—Clay

By The Associated Press

BERLIN. — Despite Russia's boycott of four-power government machinery for Germany, the United States Occupation Chief said today the Americans intend to stay in Berlin.

"We are in Berlin by agreement, just as the Russians are in Saxony and Thuringia (territory conquered by American troops) by agreement," said Gen. Lucius D. Clay, U. S. Military Governor. "We intend to stay."

The Russians' boycott, which followed their walkout on a meeting of the Allied Control Council Saturday, spread paralysis today through the whole control authority.

In quick succession, acting as chairmen for this month, they canceled meetings of four-power committees which had been scheduled for today. They merely said they were too busy to attend.

Next month, chairmanships in all groups rotate to the Americans and they can call meetings.

From the frontier between the Soviet and Amerizan Zones of Germany, meanwhile, came reports that Soviet guards had been posted at intervals of 100 yards along the border to prevent non-Communists fleeing a new roundup in the Soviet Zone.

Czech Workers Give Day's Labor to Relief

By The Associated Press

PRAGUE—More than 4,000,000 Czechs worked for nothing yesterday, the government announced today.

They worked in the nation's factories and mines and on building projects. Their gratis labor was the first of a series of government "Victory Shifts."

The money they would have earned will go to an international children's relief fund and to the guerrila cause in Greece.

The government did not say how it will be split.

The Czech Parliament worked yesterday too.

It voted to confiscate land holdings in excess of 125 acres. Landless peasants will get a chance to acquire this excess land at favorable terms.

THIRD LARCHMONT HOME RANSACKED; JEWELRY STOLEN

Burglar Passes Up $250 In Cash; Rings, Watch and Brooch Gone

A burglar passed up $250 in cash and an additional $600 in Travelers checks sometime Saturday night when he broke into the home of Walter Burke, 38 Woodbine Avenue, Larchmont, and stole two rings, a watch and a brooch of undetermined value, Larchmont police reported today.

Chief William J. Kersey said that the theft was discovered at 1:30 A. M. yesterday when Mr. and Mrs. Burke returned home and found two dresser drawers on the bedroom floor. They had left home at 5 P. M. Saturday.

Entry was made through a pantry window, investigating officer Benjamin Hopkins reported. A description of the jewelry and its estimated value is expected later today.

In another drawer, untouched were a wallet containing four new $50 bills and $600 worth of travelers checks, and another wallet containing about $40. In addition $12 in a pocket of a pair of pants lying on a chair was overlooked by the theif.

Chief Keresey believes that the burglar was in the house shortly after one o'clock and was scared away when the fire whistle sounded at 1:10 A. M.

This was the fourth home entered in this area since the first of the month. The other three entries, two of which were in Larchmont, were identical in that the burglar broke into each home by breaking a pane of glass in the front door, reaching in and unlocking the door.

FLOODS THREATEN IN FIVE STATES

Tornado, Rain and Ice Jams Spur Rising Rivers In East and Midwest

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO — Heavy rains spread floods today over lowland areas of south central New York and northeastern Pennsylvania, driving hundreds of persons from their homes.

A downpour of 2.76 inches at Cleveland, Ohio, flooded thousands of homes in that city, disrupted transportation and power service, and did $100,000 damage at Cleveland's zoo where many animals perished.

CHICAGO.—Floods and threats of floods harassed many towns and rural lowland dwellers in the Midwest and East today.

Drenching rains pouring into streams already swollen by melting snow and ice caused overflows in Iowa, Pennsylvania, Vermont and New York.

An emergency crew recruited in Quincy, Ill., was sandbagging levees in an effort to prevent the Mississippi from overflowing 6,000 acres of rich wheatland.

While other communities still staggered from devastating tornadoes of last week, another twister hit the Tinker Air Force Base at Oklahoma City Saturday night, causing damage estimated at more than $15,000,000 to aircraft alone.

At least five Northwestern Pennsylvania communities were struck by flash floods following a three-inch rainfall yesterday. Mill Creek overflowed into some sections of the Meadville business district and some families evacuated their homes in Titusville.

An ice jam in East Creek sent five feet of water into a residential section of Rutland, Vt., causing an estimated $75,000 damage. Some lowland residents along the Susquehanna River near Binghamton, N. Y., were forced to evacuate their homes, and the Black River had overflowed at Lowville, N. Y.

Coal Action Due

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Court action to end the soft coal shutdown was promised by Federal officials today unless John L. Lewis sends his United Mine Workers back to the pits voluntarily to end the week-old pension "vacation," or a meeting of miners and coal operators called by Conciliation Director Cyrus S. Ching this afternoon produces some progress toward a settlement. Neither of these possibilities was regarded as likely.

GRASS FIRE PUT OUT

The Town of Mamaroneck Fire Department was called out at 9:20 P. M. Saturday to extinguish a brush fire at Post Road and Deane Place. No damage was reported. Recall was at 9:35 P. M.

'War Is Not Remote', Eaton Says In Plea To Rush Europe Aid

'ANCHORS AWEIGH' is the theme today along the waterfront here as boat owners make ready for another season. Hundreds of boats are soon expected to appear in local harbors. Henry Pedersen is shown above removing a tarpaulin from a cabin cruiser. —Staff Photo by Tip Bliss

Tito Complains Over Proposal To Restore Trieste To Italy

By The Associated Press

BELGRADE — The Yugoslav government protested "vigorously" to the Western powers today against the way they proposed the restoration of Trieste to Italy—but Yugoslavia did not reject the proposal itself.

Premier Marshal Tito's government complained the United States, Britain and France had taken no note "of the need of agreement on the part of the most directly affected allied state—Yugoslavia."

It said the Western powers' approach will not strengthen the cause of peace in southern Europe. The note was delivered to Ambassadors of the three countries.

'U. S. of Europe' Seen By Italian Leader

By The Associated Press

ROME — Premier Alcide De Gasperi conferred for three hours today with French Foreign Minister George Bidault and said afterward: "We are going, I think, toward a United States of Europe."

Bidault announced Saturday the United States, Great Britain and France propose to give Trieste, now international territory, back to Italy. He met the Italian leader at tiny Crea, in the Piedmont region about 50 miles from Turin.

De Gasperi told a news conference the Bidault announcement was a thing "bigger than we are, bigger than Italy and France, bigger than the Italian elections." The proposal was expected to influence the Italian elections April 18. The Communists, bidding for power, were said by Italian sources to be annoyed because the Western Powers had beaten Moscow to the punch on the Trieste issue.

De Gasperi said Bidault's utterance on Trieste is one of the things that can guarantee peace.

FORUM WILL DISCUSS CIVIL RIGHTS APRIL 2

The next forum of the Mamaroneck Branch, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, will be held Friday, April 2, at 8:30 P. M. in the Mamaroneck Avenue School Auditorium. The topic will be, "The Legal Fight for Equal Rights—Recent Events in Washington, Albany and Mamaroneck."

Qualified speakers will be secured to discuss recent legislative activities and court decisions affecting civil liberties and the rights of minorities at the federal and state levels. A prominent local resident will discuss the present status and current problems of minority groups in Mamaroneck. Sammy Heyward, New York City guitarist and folk song singer, will entertain.

The committee in charge includes Miss Lillian Seeley, chairman; Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Morrell, Mrs. Clayton Rawson, Miss Mary Wilkins, Robert Copeland, Mrs. Joseph Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Obrig, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Hoeber.

WIFE SLAYER HUNT SPURRED IN COUNTY

By The Associated Press

HARTFORD, Conn.—Police centered their search for John Corey, 43, in New York State today following the recovery of the automobile in which his wife was slain.

Col. Edward J. Hickey, State Police Commissioner, announced that "the murder car" had been located yesterday in White Plains, N. Y. Corey, an ex-convict for whom a "wanted for murder" alarm has been broadcast, has not been found, but the hunt is continuing, "especially in New York State," the commissioner said.

Corey's wife, Louise, 38, mother of five children, was found unconscious late Friday night on a lonely road in East Canaan. She died a few hours later of bullet wounds in the head.

Col. Hickey said that Corey, released from State Prison within the past two weeks, had gone to Danbury, where his wife had been living recently. He lived apart from his wife, the commissioner said, but last Friday called at her home and invited her and her daughter, Sharon, 2½ years old, for an automobile ride.

The child, born while Corey was serving a prison term imposed in 1935, was found unharmed in Torrington, abandoned in a parked car there.

Hickey said that Corey apparently had fled to White Plains after shooting his wife and dumping her body out on the lonely road.

"White Plains police located the murder car on a street near the railroad station and turned the car over to Connecticut State Police," the commissioner reported last night.

"Preliminary investigation indicates that the front seat has a quantity of bloodstains. A bullet hole was found on the inside right hand side of the car between the front and rear doors.

"The car had been parked on the street in White Plains since early Saturday morning."

CHIMNEY CATCHES FIRE

The Hook and Ladder Company of the Mamaroneck Fire Department, under the direction of Second Assistant Chief Harry Primrose, responded to an alarm at 10:05. A. M Saturday when Mrs. Gina Karell of 524 Jefferson Avenue reported her chimney on fire. No damage was reported.

House Committee Urge To Speed Marshall Plan to Floor

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—Chairma Eaton, R., N. J., of the House Fo eign Affairs Committee said tod the possibility of a Third Wo War "is not very remote."

Eaton was asking the Ho Rules Committee to send to House floor quickly legislation $6,205,000,000 worth of econo and military aid to Western E ope, China, Greece and Turkey

A little earlier, the Foreign fairs Committee had formally ported the bill. It said in a rep to the House that "the very s vival of the United States" is stake in the present program stop Communism and help Eur recover economically.

The way the House operates, rules committee has the job deciding when a bill is to be c sidered in the House.

See Passage In Week

Even before the Rules Comm tee session, there was an infor understanding that the big eign aid bill would come up morrow. Leaders predicted p age by next week.

Eaton told the Rules Commi members the world is coming cross-roads. He said he did know whether the decision as which road it will take will made through armed conf "but the possibility is not v remote."

He said:

"Sooner, or later, slavery freedom will stand face to in this world for a decision of will rule."

In Greece and Turkey, he ad "we certainly are facing a ch lenge from which it is imp sible for us to retreat."

Rep. Cox, D., Ga., asked whet Eaton's committee has any surance that countries getting assistance "will do something resist force with force."

"The predominant sentiment my committee," Eaton replied, that all this aid is essenti military aid against an even attempt to conquer the worl

In its report the Foreign fairs Committee recommen speedy action.

The Committee said the gram "is necessary to prevent United States from being fronted with a world so un anced and hostile as to pre almost unsuperable burdens to people of the United States in future. . . ."

The same considerations w

(Turn to Page 3. Please

COMMITTEES CHOSEN FOR LARCHMONT CHE

Platt K. Wiggins, presiden of the Larchmont Commu Chest, Inc., announced today names of the chairmen and m bers of the various committee the organization.

The executive committee composed of Mr. Wiggins George W. Sheldon, first president; Anthony A. Russo, ond vice-president; Milton Freudenheim, treasurer; John Sharbough, secretary; G. A Wharry, Edward P. Folley Paul P. Atwood.

Mr. Atwood was named c man of the personnel comm assisted by Mr. Folley and H. H. Rhoades.

Other committee chairmen Mr. Wharry, committee on erican Red Cross; Walter Reich, Boy Scouts; Mrs. Fran White, Girl Scouts; Mrs. Ar J. Mannix, Larchmont Aid; Bert C. McCulloch, Larchm Visiting Nurse Association; Folley, budget committee; Mr Clarke Babcock, Camp Fire G

Also Hunter Holding, Y.M.C Salvation Army; Mr. Wharry, Rochelle Hospital; Mrs. Ge Sheldon, SPCC and Grassl Hospital; Harold D. Watson, c mittee on by-laws; Anthony Russo, committee on records; Mrs. White, publicity commit

Auto Catches Fire; $50 Damage Repor

A fire of undetermined o caused $50 damage to a car urday night as the vehicle being serviced at the Prefe Motor Ways Garage, Boston Road, Larchmont.

Firemen used 50 gallons water to put out the blaze. Ow of the vehicle was not identi The alarm was turned in at P. M. Recall was at 6:50 P. I

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS MAMARONECK, N. Y., TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1948 MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

This afternoon rain. Tonight occasional rain, lowest in middle 40s. Tomorrow clearing and becoming warmer, highest near 60. High tides today at 11:02 P. M.; tomorrow at 11:27 A. M. and 11:48 P. M.

Combing The Town

Easter Concert

Contrasting interpretations of the "Hallelujah Chorus," from Handel's "Messiah," were demonstrated last night by Bruce E. Angell of Mamaroneck at an Easter concert of recorded music at the Mamaroneck Free Library.

Presenting the 10-inch recording by the St. Mary the Virgin Choir, with Ernest White as organist and conductor, and the Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra's 12-inch interpretation, Mr. Angell pointed out the variance in tempo and emphasis, due to length of recording time, and said that "both show good musicianship."

Feature presentation of the program was Bach's Cantata No. 78, "Jesus, Thou My Wearied Spirit," performed by the Bach Choir of Bethlehem. Mr. Angell demonstrated the use of the organ and various stops including the 64 inch stop, by means of four recordings of Easter hymns by Mr. White. Easter music from the "Messiah" was included.

Lesson in Discipline!

There ought to have been a few red faces in last night's audience at the Mamaroneck Junior High School during the closing program of the Fifth Community Institute.

A panel of fathers was discussing points raised in a talk by Dr. Franklin Keller, and Leroy Lewis was holding forth on the importance of discipline in setting high standards of behavior for children.

Just then Dr. Edward Storey, who was presiding, stepped to the front of the platform and regretfully interrupted the proceedings to call attention to the fact that smoking is not permitted in the school auditorium and to ask those in the audience to kindly desist.

"That's what I mean" cried Mr. Lewis. "These parents know better than to smoke here. How can we expect our kids to be disciplined when their parents aren't!"

His outburst was greeted with applause. Needless to say, there was no more smoking.

Emotional Climate

How's the emotional climate in YOUR household?

According to Dr. Franklin Keller, it should be "warm enough to produce love but not lassitude; cold enough to be stimulating, but not to freeze."

Addressing the evening session of yesterday's Community Institute, Dr. Keller spoke on "How Do You Score As a Father?" preceding a panel by the fathers with Dr. Forest Long as moderator.

Burden of his talk was a plea for a return to a true moral standard of behavior. As a background against which fathers might "score" themselves, the speaker asked them to consider carefully whether their children "do what you tell them to do, or do what you do."

It's an important difference, he pointed out. And that emotional climate is important too.

Commendation

Det. Jeremiah Geary of the Mamaroneck Police Department has been commended by the County Grand Jury and Chief Assistant District Attorney Fred E. Weeks, Jr., for his work in leading to the arrest of Henry Cirondo of Mamaroneck, for thefts of automobiles here.

The commendation is contained in a letter from Mr. Weeks to Mayor B. J. Santoro. The Mayor said that it is not often that the Grand Jury sees fit to send letters of this kind, and that Det. Geary "did a fine piece of work in solving this crime". Chief Arthur W. Martensen also complimented the detective for his efforts.

Jet Talk

Robert B. Hanford Jr., of 8 Summit Avenue, Larchmont, a first lieutenant in the Air Corps Reserve, is a member of the 33rd Reconnaissance Squadron (Reserve Unit) which heard a talk on the operation and maintenance of jet propulsion engines by E. C. Goldworth, field research engineer for Republic Aviation Corporation, at a meeting of the unit last night at the Stamford High School.

It was the fourth meeting of the unit based at Stamford under the command of Lt. Col. C. E. Arndall of that city. The squadron drew its initial mission as a unit when two groups of pilots operated out of Westchester Airport on the weekend of March 8 and 9.

QUANTITY—AS WELL AS QUALITY!

If you want emcient help, place your notice where the most people as well as the best qualified people will see it—in the help wanted column of The Daily Times. Men and women who want a job, look there every night. That gives you quality as well as quantity. The names of the firms which have successfully used our help wanted columns, read like the cuite business list of the community. So follow the lead of successful local business men—use the help wanted columns for fast successful results. To place your ad simply phone **Mamaroneck 6-5100.**

FATHERS SCORED BEFORE 500 AT FIFTH INSTITUTE

Your Rating As a Parent Subject of Closing Evening Session

Fathers in general, and Larchmont and Mamaroneck fathers in particular, went on the carpet last night, with no holds barred, as the Fifth Community Institute came to a lively close at Mamaroneck Junior High School, with a panel on "How Do You Score as a Father?", the answer to which is probably the subject of a good many family discussions in Larchmont and Mamaroneck today.

More than 500 parents, educators and other interested persons spent the day and evening, or part of both, at the school, participating in afternoon round tables, hearing guest speakers, examining displays and exhibits correlated with the 1948 Institute theme of "Know Your Child" and generally exposing themselves to a program of home and school cooperation and understanding.

Climax of the all-day event, sponsored jointly by the Board of Education, the Teachers Association and the Parent-Teacher Council, was the evening panel of six fathers, following a down-to-earth talk by Dr. Franklin J. Keller who "emphasized the obvious" rather than "elucidated on the obscure."

The obvious boiled down to an analysis of the basic fundamentals: morality, standards of behavior, principles of decent living and concepts of discipline and responsibility.

The morality which fathers try to inculcate in their children can be no better than the morality the fathers practise in their homes and in their businesses, Dr. Keller stressed, emphasizing that intellectually accepted standards are meaningless unless they are also embraced emotionally.

Standards must be set by each individual, he noted, and once a parent is convinced of their rightness, the child must be made to live up to them, "or he is lost." Children learn by doing, he said, the fundamental law of living and the basis of education, and as a corollary, situations must either develop naturally or be created in order to teach them by doing and in order to teach responsibility, especially, he went on.

Dr. Keller spoke of the child's needs for security, love and personal success, the need for a healthy emotional and social "family climate" in which attitudes and convictions are more important than words, the recognition and realization of individual personality differences among children in a family, and the im-

(Turn to Page 7, Please)

3 PATROLMEN GIVEN PERMANENT POSITIONS

The permanent appointment of Temporary Patrolman John J. Giacomo, Norman Van Tassel and Leroy Pritchard, effective April 1, was authorized last night by the Mamaroneck Village Board upon the recommendation of Police Chief Arthur W. Martensen.

Probationary rating of the three men by the County Personnel Office in White Plains was Di Giacomo, 81 per cent; Van Tassel, 80 per cent; and Pritchard, 79 per cent, all "satisfactory."

A REUNION in the Mamaroneck Junior High School gymnasium opened the evening program of the Fifth Community Institute last night, with refreshments and a social hour preceding a talk and a panel for fathers. Pictured above, looking over some of the exhibits correlated with the Institute theme, "Know Your Child", are the heads of the three sponsoring organizations: left to right, Charles W. Pease, president of the Board of Education; Mrs. Edward F. Helwig, president of the Parent Teacher Council, and Dr. Edward J. Storey, president of the Teachers Association. More than 500 parents, educators, school administrators and out-of-town guests participated in the all-day institute program. Luther Nelson and R. W. Gingrich were co-chairmen.

—Staff Photo

Truman Lets Soviet Hold Area Freed By U. S., Dewey Claims

Westchester Advised To Expand Planning; Bronx Terminal Urged

(HERREWITH is the first of a series of five articles on the general topic "what Westchester Wants," prepared by the chairman of the Westchester Department of Planning for this and affiliated Westchester Newspapers.)

By GUSTAVUS T. KIRBY

The golden days of William L. Ward have gone and the nassing of the years since the demise of that great leader have brought forth little of progress in Westchester—many plans, many projects, but few material accomplishments. The universal lamentations of executives and political leaders to suggestions toward accomplishments is generally:

"We can't afford it. The tax rate is high enough as it is. We must practice economy and not be spenders."

All true, but it seems to be forgotten that Westchester County has grown out of the age of country villages and into the era of great, growing, and wealthy municipalities.

"It isn't so much what you pay that counts as what you get for what you pay."

Nothing is more indicative of this than the howl that went up when the Bronx River Parkway was first projected. It did cost millions, but it brought to the County many fold the amount which was spent.

Westchester, during the past few decades, has buried its talents in the ground, and money buried brings forth no crop.

What New York City and other great cities of the United States have done and are doing, Westchester County can do.

What Nassau County and other Counties have done and are doing, Westchester can do.

What the cities of the Pacific Coast have done and are doing, Westchester can do.

Why hesitate? The iron must be struck while it is hot, and the time now as never before is opportune.

Let's examine a few projects that other communities have that Westchester should have and not only should have but even have, with intelligent cooperation and coordination between State, County and municipal agencies, and skillful, farseeing, understandable planning. The County should not be a wasteful, non-productive spendthrift, but it should have a policy of progressive spending of that which will bring forth many fold a return for today and tomorrow. Let us, therefore, look at some of the things which Westchester should have and can have.

New York City has its own problems; racial, commercial, industrial, residential, and, probably most important of all, transit—both rapid in the subways, and slow, oh so slow, on the streets—all interwoven with the automobile and the parking thereof.

Westchester, at times, is happy in the thought that many of the New York City problems are not also County problems.

Westchester generally rests content in the solution of New

(Turn to Page 5, Please)

Governor Calls for 'Hard Boiled' Program to Halt Communism

By The Associated Press

ALBANY — Governor Dewey charged today the Truman Administration has "deliberately allowed" Soviet Russia to hold territory which U. S. Armies had freed.

He urged "a hard-boiled" program of aid to halt Communist expansion through internal penetration.

Dewey said President Truman's speech to Congress last week "was a good statement as far as it went." He added that "there was not a full and frank disclosure of the extent of the international situation which affects our interests."

The Governor, a leading contender for the Republican Presidential nomination, said also at a news conference:

"The Administration has failed to recognize the nature of this

(Turn to Page 3 Please)

BOARD URGES $3 PER CAPITA AID

Says Villages In County Average Less Than $1 Under Moore Plan

The Mamaroneck Village Board last night adopted a resolution putting it on record as favoring $3 per capita in state aid under the Moore plan for all villages in Westchester County "to place the villages in Westchester County on a par with other villages in New York State."

The resolution approves the recent action of the Westchester County Village Officials Association in urging an amendment to the law to give county villages equality. Mamaroneck Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansonne, secretary of the W.C.V.O.A., drew up the resolution, a copy of which has been sent to all village and town boards in Westchester for action.

Villages in Westchester receive an average of less than $1 per capita under the state aid law passed in 1946, according to the resolution, where as in all counties outside Westchester, villages receive $3 per capita.

Trustee John Withee said tribute to Mayor B. J. Santoro, president of the W.C.V.O.A., and Mr. Sansonne for the fine work they have done on this problem.

TWO YOUTHS INJURED AS BIKE BREAKS DOWN

Two Mamaroneck boys were injured yesterday when the bicycle on which they were riding broke down and they were thrown to the pavement, Mamaroneck police reported.

They are six-year-old Raymond Neufeld of 510 Munroe Avenue and John Perrone, 11, of 144 Fenimore Road. Raymond suffered a cut on the inside upper lip and an abrasion of the face, while John received a slight cut over the left eyebrow and an abrasion of the right hand, police said. They were taken by police to the offices of Dr. Emil Verrilli for treatment.

BOY RUNS INTO AUTO BUT ESCAPES INJURY

Hardy Edwards, 4½-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Edwards of 6 West Avenue, Larchmont, escaped injury yesterday when he ran in front of a bus on Larchmont Avenue and into the side of a passing car.

Officers Walter Verdick, Sr., and Walter Verdick, Jr., took the boy home. He was examined by the family physician, who reported he found no injuries.

According to the Larchmont police report, the boy alighted from a Mamaroneck bus at 9:03 A. M. in front of St. Augustine's School and ran in front of the bus into the right rear fender of the car. He was knocked to the pavement. The car, proceeding south on Larchmont Avenue, was driven by Thomas S. McFeleue of New Rochelle.

Derby Off To An Early Start As Six Boys Enter First Day

Soap Boxers began to go to work last night!

Six boys, representing Mamaroneck, Larchmont, Harrison and Rye filed their entries yesterday, the first day applications were received. Today they are busily studying the rule book, planning their racers and getting ready to build for the big race on July 10 at Mamaroneck's own Derby Downs.

It took a pair of champs to eliminate the two Soap Boy veterans who registered yesterday as the first was Richard Koch, Jr., who went all the way to the Class A semi-finals in the 1947 classic before he bowed to Ronald Bizzard, the Class A champ.

Entrant No. 2 was from Greenhaven, Rye, as youthful Bruce Perlo, 11 years of age and a student at Daniel Warren School, signed the blank, got his book and went to work.

Johnny Bonazzo of Fayette Street was No. 3 and Bonazzo threatens to go far this year. In 1947 he copped two heats and then was nipped by champion Walter Reithaus in a close semi-final race. Bonazzo is still young enough to race in Class B and the boys will have lots of fun trying to catch him as he scoots down the Derby course.

A Larchmont boy got his name on the list when Donald C. Martin of 35 Briarcliff Road, filed at the Luby Chevrolet Co., 1070 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont, which with The Daily Times, is co-sponsoring the big affair. Martin will race in class B.

Louis Hanson of 167 Highview Street, an 11-year-old student at Mamaroneck Avenue School, was the next entry.

The final application of the day came from Joe Scoli, the first Harrison boy to get into the race. Scoli will be 13 years of age before race day and will compete in Class A.

Entries for the 1948 classic are being received every day during business hours at the Luby Chevrolet Co. in Larchmont and during business hours as well as between 9 and 10 P. M. at the offices of The Daily Times.

Easter Vacation Begins Tomorrow, Ends April 5

"It's good-bye books" for the time being for students in the Mamaroneck and Rye Neck School Districts.

Easter vacation starts tomorrow at the close of school. Classes will resume Monday, April 5.

HOME FIRE KILLS MOTHER, 3 GIRLS

Greenwich Father and Two Sons Escape In Blaze— 4 Are Asphyxiated

GREENWICH, Conn. — Mrs. Mamie A. Wiggins, 39, and three of her five children were asphyxiated this morning in a fire which swept through their one-story frame bungalow at 11 Melrose Avenue in the Chickahominy Section.

Firemen found Mrs. Wiggins' body in a bedroom with those of her daughters, Myrna, 11 Barbara, 10, and Clara, 6. She had started to telephone an alarm when overcome. Rescue squads worked for more than an hour in an effort to revive them.

Samuel R. Wiggins, 47, father of the family, and his sons Richard, 13, and Samuel, 12, escaped, although the elder Wiggins was severely burned during his efforts to fight the fire and rescue his family.

Wiggins told police he arose at 4.30 A. M. to prepare to go to work in a Bridgeport plant, and lighted a two-burner oil stove in the living room.

When he returned about 10 minutes later, he smelled smoke and saw the living room stove ablaze. He started to drag the burning stove toward the front door. Its tank dropped off spreading the fire through the room. The flames ignited oil spilled from the other tank in the kitchen.

POLICEMEN examine the oil stove that started the fire which cost the lives of a Greenwich mother and her three children today. —Staff Photo

DUMP HELD PERIL TO PALMER AVE.

Residents See Danger to Health In Protest to Village Board

Four residents of the area surrounding the Village dump at Rockland and Palmer Avenues last night urged the Village Board to halt dumping and burning of combustible material there because of what they termed a health and safety hazard.

Original spokesman for the group was Philip H. Holden of 144 Hammon Drive, who said that the life and health of his family and other families are being jeopardized by the elected officials of the Village. He scored the officials for "countenancing" the use of the dump.

"It is a terrible sight to see," said Mr. Holden, "and it certainly does not give a good impression of this so-called friendly village."

He also told the board that "in my opinion the Village is violating the law in maintaining an incinerator in a residential area", after being informed by Corporation Counsel Anthony Sansonne that a court decreed that the Town of Greenburgh could not build an incinerator in a residential area.

Mr. Holden said he has seen flames reaching 20 to 30 feet in the air on the dump site and that "this thing has gone on for 2½ to 3 years."

Malcolm V. Clark of 51 Revere

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

BOY HELD FOR LOOTING GAS STATION OF $2.50

Robert Slater, 20, of 112 Rockland Avenue, Mamaroneck, was arrested yesterday morning by Det. Sgt. William O'Neill of the Mamaroneck Police Department for breaking into Jack's Service Center, 940 West Boston Post Road, saturday night and stealing $2.50 in silver.

Taken to headquarters, Slater admitted the theft according to police and was charged with unlawful entry. He was released in $100 bail to appear tomorrow morning before Acting Judge Hunter Meighan in Mamaroneck Police Court. Under the charge, Slater is liable to a maximum fine of $500 or one year in jail or both.

Sgt. O'Neill reported that Slater was taken into custody following reports that he had been seen in the vicinity of the gas station.

Cars Badly Smashed On Boston Post Road

Two cars were badly damaged when one ran into the rear of the other on the Post Road at Beach Avenue Saturday afternoon, Larchmont police reported today.

A car driven by Lewis Scott of New Rochelle had stopped for the traffic light when it was struck in the rear by another car driven by James Stark of Darien, Conn. No one was injured, but the rear end of the Scott car and the front end of Stark's car were badly damaged, police said. Stark's car had to be towed away, police added.

Hospital Organizes 2nd Phase Of $2,000,000 Building Drive

The second year's solicitation of New Rochelle Hospital's $2,000,000 three year building fund campaign will open Monday, April 26, it was announced at a meeting of the Board of Governors of the hospital last night.

Plans for the drive were discussed by A. R. Williams, campaign director, in a report to the board in which it was disclosed that $721,944 has been contributed to date in the three-year program.

Earl C. Sams will be general chairman of the campaign, Mr. Williams announced, with Lewis P. Welle, Samuel P. McDonald and Victor L. Gussberg as associate chairmen.

Other members of the campaign committee will be Dr. George C. Adie, George B. Brown, Leo D. Fitzgerald, Charles H. Griffin, William T. Haebler, James T. Heenehan, Clarence L. Law, William Clifton Lawton, Joseph C. Rovensky, Mrs. R. P. Schaefer, William Spencer Snyder, John W. Stahr, and Ernest H. Watson.

The solicitation will start with a dinner April 26 and there will be report meetings May 3, 10 and 17. Neighborhood canvasses are being organized in New Rochelle and Larchmont. An enlarged list of prospects will be covered in Pelham.

Mr. Williams said the campaign seeks to add at least $300,000 this Spring to bring the total over a million by the end of the fiscal year June 30.

The report showed 1,892 New Rochellesans have contributed $317,711 to date, 345 Larchmonters $98,761, 237 Pelhamites $80,603. Forty-eight members of the board have given $136,640, 116 doctors $85,810, 67 business firms, $59,694 and one foundation $500.

Stolen Vehicle Found In Local Churchyard

Patrolman William Paonessa of the Mamaroneck police recovered a stolen automobile Sunday afternoon in St. Thomas's church yard.

The car, owned by Joseph P. Barone, Jr., of Tuckahoe, was stolen sometime between 10:30 and 11:30 P. M. Saturday from the Boston Post Road in front of Max and Katies restaurant, the owner reported to police.

BLAZE QUELLED

A brush fire on Palmer Avenue near the Larchmont Village line brought out the Town Fire Department at 5:10 P. M. yesterday. Firemen used 100 feet of one and a half inch hose to put out the blaze. Recall was at 9:36 P. M.

ST. THOMAS'S PLANS HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Holy Week, a period of devotional intensity in all Episcopal churches, will be observed at St. Thomas's with special services.

The last of the mid-week Lenten services will be held Wednesday at 8:15 P. M. Instead of the customary address, there will be a short Holy Week meditation.

On Maundy Thursday at 10 A. M., the Celebration of the Holy Communion, when it is traditional for many of the parish to make their communion, will be held.

On Good Friday, in commemoration of Christ's Crucifixion, a three-hour Passion Service will be held, beginning at noon and ending at 3 P. M. Seven short addresses on Christ's last words from the cross, meditations, periods of silence, and hymns will feature the service. During these three hours, it is permissible for people to enter and leave the church. Throughout Good Friday, the altar will be stripped of all adornments except the Cross, which is veiled.

At 9:15 P. M. Friday, devotional will be held and the choir, under the direction of Charles E. Hall, A.A.G.O., organist and choirmaster, will present "Olivet to Calvary" by Maunder, a Good Friday sacred cantata that defines Jesus' suffering and sacrifice. Soloists will be Mrs. Edgar Gedney, soprano; Harold Beahm and Ralph Spuehler, tenors; Harold Kurtz, bass and John Corfield, baritone.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Clearing, temperature in middle 50s. Tonight fair, cool, lowest near 40. Tomorrow mostly sunny, high in the low 50s. High tides today at 11:48 P. M.; tomorrow at 12:15 P. M.

Zion Battles Rage In 3 Cities Hinting British Lose Grip

Combing The Town

Delius to Speak

Town Counsel John L. Delius ill explain town government at he "School for Politics" sponored by the Larchmont Demoatic Club Thursday, April 1, at P. M. in the Weaver Street rehouse. The public is invited.

Mr. Delius, a resident of 14 tonyside Drive, Larchmont, is ow in his 15th year as corporaon counsel for the Town of Maaroneck.

He is a graduate of the Brookn Polytechnic Preparatory chool and Yale University, where e received his B. A. degree in 913. He attended New York Law chool, passed his bar examinaon in January, 1916, and was aditted to the bar the same year rior to his graduation. A resint of Larchmont since 1928, Mr. elius is a member of the Westester County Bar Association, ew York State Bar Association, merican Bar Association, and archmont Post 347 of the Amerin Legion.

Begins Basic

Pvt. Oscar Raymond, son of r. and Mrs. Oscar Raymond of 8 Grand Street, Mamaroneck, as arrived at the 9th Infantry ivision, Fort Dix, N. J., for a 3 weeks' course in Army basic aining.

Prior to entering the Army last eb. 27, Pvt. Raymond attended amaroneck High School, where e was a member of the football am. A resident of Mamaroneck nce last April, Pvt. Raymond nd his family moved here from ollis, L. I.

Just Made It

Mamaroneck commuters and sidents in the vicinity of Maaroneck Avenue and the railroad ridge early yesterday morning peculated as to whether a huge rane would pass under the bridge. The crane was about half way nder when it appeared that the -foot clearance would not be hough. The driver got out and zed up the situation for several oments. He somehow managed lower the crane another inch two and it barely scraped rough.

California Bound

Seaman 1/c George W. Kohloff Mamaroneck is on the high as in the Pacific headed for alifornia. His ship, the destroyer S.S. Furse, was laid up for reairs for several weeks in Japan. he ship was damaged by a heavy orm in the Southwest Pacific. The Furse was in drydock bout four hours' ride from Tokyo, George was able to see someing of the country while the hip was laid up.

Serves on Sub

Seamon 1/c Thomas Hill, son Mr. and Mrs. Aksent Hill of 26 Third Street, Mamaroneck, is ow serving aboard the U.S.S. hopper, a submarine. He is atached to the U. S. Submarine orce, Pacific Fleet, based at Mare sland, Calif.

A former student at Bellows High School, he expects to be ome on leave in about six onths.

Prize Winner

A striking photograph of the ye Presbyterian Church on the oston Post Road taken by Peter . Lindemann of 6 Devon Road, archmont, won first prize in a ontest held last week by the Rye amera Club, of which Mr. Lindeann is a member.

Mr. Lindemann's photo, 16 by 0 inches, won over 50 other prints ntered by members. Albert B. orr of Maple Hill Drive, Larchont, was judge.

Promoted

Irving N. Steiner of Larchmont as recently promoted to corporal t Lowry Field, Denver, Colo., here he is attending turret chool. He expects to complete he course April 5.

A graduate of Mamaroneck igh School, he is the son of Mr. nd Mrs. David Steiner of 35 Forst Park Avenue.

Garbage Crew 'Sick'

By The Associated Press

BUFFALO—A backlog of garage and ashes lined streets today s about 250 city workers on a sickness campaign" counted what ity officials called a strike. The IO United Public Workers started their self-termed "sickness ampaign" yesterday. They want $2 a day pay boost. They avrage about $35 a week take-home ay.

A TREMENDOUS AUDIENCE

Every one of this newspaper's readers is a potential reader of your want ad. They constitute a tremendous audience . . . one that's bound to make your want ad successful . . . because they're local people who know values. So if you're going to sell your golf clubs, fur coat, bike, house or your automobile, let the want ads of this newspaper be your salesman. He'll gain immediate entrance into every home on our subscription list. And it's easy to run an ad too! Just pick up your telephone and call Mamaroneck 9-2100—one of our competent ad takers will be glad to assist you write a resultful economical want ad!

LARCHMONT TOPS RED CROSS GOAL BY OVER $2,000

Total Soars to $14,853; Additional Gifts to Swell 1948 Fund

Larchmont has surpassed its quota in the 1948 Red Cross campaign by more than $2,000, it was announced today by Joseph F. Gagliardi, campaign manager.

Contributions totaling $14,853.80 had been reecived by this morning, Mr. Gagliardi said, putting the drive $2,338 over its goal of $12,515.

The campaign, which opened March 1, had a quota 12½ percent above the 1947 goal.

Mr. Gagliardi called upon residents who had not yet responded to the appeal, which was entirely by mail, to do so at once so that the fund may be further increased.

"While I am gratified that Larchmont has met its obligation," he said, "I feel that many members of our community have not yet responded.

"Let me urge all persons who have delayed mailing their contribution to do so now so that we may present a total comparable to former years.

"Campaign headquarters at 132 Larchmont Avenue with Mrs. Frederick E. Liptrott in charge, will be open through March daily from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. to receive donations.

"I want to thank Mrs. R. T. Maston, Jr., chairman of the Larchmont Branch; Munn Brewer, campaign manager; William H. Dolan, treasurer; A. L. Morris, A. M. Georger and all members of the Board for their cooperation and support. Also Mrs. John G. van Stantvoordt, chairman of staff assistance, and her corps of workers, Mrs. Frederic G. Barnet, chairman of public information; Mrs. Theodore V. Bennett, press chairman; Norman Klein, Frank Monahan, general foreman of public works, all of whom contributed to the drive's success. I especially wish to thank The Daily Times and The Larchmont Times for the generous space allotted us for publicizing our campaign."

YUGOSLAVS HEDGE ON GORIZIA SWAP

Foreign Ministry Regrets 'Assumption' Exchange Demand Is Made

By The Associated Press

ROME—Yugoslavia backed out today from an offer to trade Trieste for the Italian City of Gorizia.

The Yugoslav Foreign Ministry voiced regret over the "apparent assumption abroad" that Yugoslavia would insist on obtaining Gorizia in exchange for Trieste.

At the same time, a Ministry spokesman hinted that Yugoslavia might consider some other swap for the great Adriatic port now in free territory partially occupied by Yugoslavia.

The Yugoslav spokesman said last night Foreign Minister Stanoje Simic did not intend to advance any specific proposal when he told newsmen Monday that Yugoslavia is ready to seek a compromise on Trieste through mutual efforts.

The spokesman said the fact that Simic mentioned the talks of 1946 when Yugoslavia proposed the Trieste-Gorizia swap and declared Yugoslavia is prepared again to go so far in those talks was misunderstood.

Tension over Trieste was reflected last night with the disclosure that the border between the British-American and Yugoslav zones had been reinforced by fresh detachments of British Military Police.

In Milan, police used tear gas last night as Communists and pro-government sympathizers clashed for the third straight day. A number of persons were hurt, most of them slightly.

American B-29 bombers are expected to make "Army Day" flights over Italy April 6, a diplomatic source said today.

Italy holds national elections April 18. Communism is the prime issue.

In Rome, attendance at political rallies fell sharply. One observer said the people were "tired of speeches."

The nationwide shutdown of newspapers continued, due to a strike of the Communist-dominated Typographer's Union. Sound trucks toured the streets of the capital broadcasting news reports.

SIGNING UP — Dick Koch, first entry in the 1948 Mamaroneck Soap Box classic, signs his name to the application registering him in the big race. Five other boys wait their turn to get into the race. Left to right, front row, they are Don Martin, first Larchmont entry; Lou Hanson and John Bonazzo. In the rear row are Bailey Livesey and Bruce Perlo. Three boys got into the scramble for the big Derby prizes yesterday, when Livesey, Charles Newbury of 1310 Henry Avenue, and Raymond Haviland of 1116 Jensen Avenue filed applications. Their entries ran the total to nine for the first two days in which registrations have been received.

SCHOOLS TO SEE DERBY MOVIES

Official Sound Film Shown At Assembly; Rye to Open Entries Soon

The official Soap Box Derby sound film, picturing all the fun of building a racer as well as all the glamour and excitement of racing both in a local race and in the national finals at Arkon, Ohio, was shown this morning at a Mamaroneck Avenue School assembly and will be exhibited in schools in Rye, Mamaroneck, Harrison and Larchmont within the next two weeks.

Howard Smith, chairman of the 1948 classic, has scheduled the film for the Rye Lions Club tomorrow noon and for the Mamaroneck Lions Club on April 6. Entries will be opened in Rye immediately after the showing when Rye Leos are expected to designate a place where applications may be made.

Following the school vacation which will end April 5 the pictures will be shown at the two grade schools in Rye, at a special assembly of junior high school students at Rye High School, at the Harrison Avenue School in Harrison, at the Daniel Warren School and at the Mamaroneck Junior High School. Mr. Smith is attempting to make arrangements for its showing at the Larchmont and Harrison Lions Clubs as well as at other schools in Mamaroneck and Larchmont.

The film is available within the next two weeks to any organization which can supply a 16-mm. sound projector and a qualified operator. Application for the film may be made to Howard C. Smith at the offices of The Daily Times.

RESENTENCE GIVEN FOR LIQUOR THEFT

WHITE PLAINS—Samuel Davis, 52, was sentenced on June 18 last to serve from 2½ to five years in Sing Sing Prison for stealing 25 cases of Scotch whiskey from Larchmont Lodge, Larchmont, where he had been employed. Today he was again sentenced to a similar term for the same crime.

The resentence, by County Judge Elbert T. Gallagher was necessary under a ruling by State Attorney General Nathan Goldstein upholding a contention of the Department of Corrections that Davis, as a second felony offender, should have received a minimum of at least five years when sentenced last June on his plea of guilty to grand larceny second degree.

Accordingly, Chief Assistant District Attorney Frederick E. Weeks, Jr., moved today to have the original sentence vacated, and that Davis be allowed to change his plea to plead guilty to attempted grand larceny second degree. Under this plea he could be sentenced to the term originally imposed.

Judge Gallagher granted the applications and imposed the suggested sentence, stating he felt the action commensurate with justice in the case.

Legion Urged To Hold May Day Demonstration Against Reds

A patriotic demonstration to display the anti-Communist feeling of the post and community, to be held on May 1, traditional May Day of the Communists, was proposed last night at a meeting of Mamaroneck Post 90, American Legion.

The demonstration was suggested by Warren Fryer, who reported that he heard other local organizations were considering similar demonstrations. The matter was referred to the executive committee for further consideration.

Plans for the 18th waste paper collection to be held Sunday, April 4, were also discussed.

Robert Hutchinson was appointed to organize a post quartet to compete in the Mamaroneck Lions Club contest. A blood donors group is also being organized to aid the Red Cross.

The post has been invited by the Mamaroneck American Legion Auxiliary to attend a showing of a motion picture of the County Convention last Summer in Larchmont at 9 P. M. Monday, April 12, in the Legion Hall. The public is also invited.

William Dahlgren of 325 Mamaroneck Avenue, Mamaroneck, was sworn in as a new member. A "get well" letter from the membership will be sent to Lloyd Rice, who is convalescing at United Hospital.

McGEOUGH AGAIN NAMED BY A.O.H.

Resident Serves Another Term As Vice President Of County Group

Francis P. McGeough of 506 Prospect Avenue, Mamaroneck, was reelected vice president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of Westchester County at the county convention Sunday in Port Chester.

Thomas J. Gronberg of 116 Elm Street, Mamaroneck, was also reelected treasurer. Their term of office is two years.

Seven other Mamaroneck residents, Edward F. O'Reilly, James Murray, William F. O'Connor, James Slattery, William Cotter, Joseph Meagher and Michael O'Connor received their initiatory degree.

The AOH county convention, composed of divisions from Mamaroneck, Yonkers, Port Chester, Tarrytown and Mount Kisco, meets every three months. The next meeting will be held in St. Joseph's Hall, Yonkers, Sunday, June 6.

Mamaroneck Division No. 7, headed by Thomas O'Reilly, meets the last Wednesday of every month, while the Ladies' Auxiliary of the division holds its meetings the last Tuesday of every month.

Irish dancing classes, sponsored by the local Hibernians, are open to all interested. Classes for children are held Wednesday afternoons at the Holy Trinity School Hall and for adults at 8 P. M. each Wednesday in the basement of Holy Trinity School.

One of the purposes of the Ancient Order of Hibernians is to foster the ideals and cultivate the history and traditions of the Irish race throughout the world. Its membership is confined exclusively to those of Irish blood or descent who are citizens of the United States or who have declared their intentions to become citizens, and to citizens of Canada or of any other democratic form of government of the Western Hemisphere.

Wanamaker's County Store Plan Revived

YONKERS.—Practical assurance came today that the once-blocked erection of a $9,000,000 modern shopping center on Central Park Avenue in Yonkers —including the first John Wanamaker suburban store— will be consummated after all.

The project concerns the 55-acre site on Central Park Avenue adjoining the Cross-County Parkway which was originally desired by a New York City syndicate headed by the Bethlehem Engineering Company for the shopping center and Wanamaker store. In the county auction on Jan. 30, however, the firm, represented by C. Van Ness Wood, Yonkers realtor, was outbid by Leonard Marx, Scarsdale and New York investor, who bid in the property at $276,001.

At noon today, it was announced by Marx and Wood, the property was transferred from Marx to the Midhattan Operating Company, said to be a subsidiary of the Bethlehem company.

Expelled by Reds

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Francis Franklin, an instructor in the Jefferson School of Social Science, has been expelled from the Communist Party for "seeking to split the organization," The Daily Worker announced today.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETS

The Town Council will meet at 8 P. M. today in the Weaver Street Firehouse.

You Too Can Garden For Freedom With Advice By Newspaper, Radio

It's digging time again—and time to prepare for what Secretary of State George C. Marshall and other top Government officials describe as "gardening for freedom."

To make it easier for readers to "garden for freedom," at a time when feeding the world is a major problem, closely involved with world peace, this newspaper will inaugurate a 1948 series of gardening articles next Tuesday, prepared by experts at the Boyce Thompson Institute for Plant Research in Yonkers.

A preview discussion, emphasizing the vast scope of the problem which American freedom gardens may help solve, will be found in this issue—the text of a broadcast over WFAS this afternoon by Dr. William Crocker, institute director.

Transit And Aviation Boards Seen Needed By Westchester

(THIS is the second in a series of five articles on the general topic "What Westchester Wants," prepared by the chairman of the Westchester County Department of Planning for this and affiliated County newspapers.)

By GUSTAVUS T. KIRBY

The transit solution is one not merely of location and lines: It is fundamentally one of operation. Most certainly Westchester needs and should have a Transit Commission, including a coordination of City and other Municipal Transit Commissions.

Air travel from municipality to municipality in the County will never supersede ground transit by bus and automobile, but in the County there must and will be a series of wisely located and properly maintained minor airports for commercial, industrial and passenger service, most of them feeding the County Airport for ocean and transcontinental service.

Here, as with ground transit, there should be a County Aviation Commission to coordinate with Federal and State agencies, prevent air and ground hazards and unify the County's air opportunities.

The transit problems of the County are many and complex. They involve railroads, buses, automobiles, including taxis, and airplanes. The County is not and never has been equipped to handle the traffic occasioned by a growing population which, each year, is less inclined to stay home.

No longer does the butcher or the produce man with his wagon come to your door. No longer is one content to stay at home and play checkers or indulge in charades or go to a church fes-

(Turn to Page 7, Please)

DRAFT TO EXEMPT HUSBANDS, VETS

Age Limit, 19 to 27, Suggested In Measures For Selective Service

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON.—Plans to exempt husbands, veterans and men over 27 from any peacetime draft gained fresh backing in Congress today.

While Capitol Hill waited for military chiefs to blueprint the nation's defense machinery, two lawmakers spoke out for keeping manpower demands within narrow limits.

Chairman Gurney, R., S. D., of the Senate Armed Services Committee, told a reporter he expects any plan to revive Selective Service to leave out "all real veterans of the last war as well as all married men."

And Rep. Wadsworth, R., N. Y., who wrote the World War II draft law, said he thinks the age span should be 19 to 26 or 27. He also suggested exempting veterans.

Wadsworth said Chairman Andrews, R., N. Y., of the House Armed Services Committee, has asked him to help draw up new draft legislation.

Meanwhile it was learned that the Senate Committee turned down a proposal calling for registration of men up to 45 years old.

The South Dakotan, who has said he expects 10 of the group's 13 members to support both UMT and the temporary draft, told a reporter he hopes the committee will recommend them "simultaneously."

As part of the preparedness program, Russell J. Hopley, the nation's new Civilian Defense Director, urged states and communities to form "catastrophe organizations" ready to spring into action in the event of attack.

Hopley told reporters he hopes to have the voluntary civilian defense setup organized on a nationwide basis by next Fall.

A supporter of Henry A. Wallace for President today refused direct answers to Senators' questions as to whether he is a present or former member of the Young Communist League.

The witness, Seymour Linfield of New York City, later was allowed to read his prepared statement opposing both a draft and universal military training.

He appeared before the Senate Armed Services Committee as "veterans director of the National Wallace-for-President Committee representing the Progressive Citizens of America."

Chairman Gurney and Senators Baldwin, R., Conn., and Saltonstall, R., Mass., tried for more than a half hour to obtain a "yes or no" answer from Linfield to this question: "Were you or are you a member of the Young Communists League?"

TAX BILL PASSES HOUSE 289-66

4.8 Billion Cut Program Sent To President By Overwhelming Vote

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The House passed today the $4,800,000,000 tax-slashing bill, sending it to President Truman.

The vote was 289 to 66. This is 52 votes more than the two-thirds which would be needed to override a veto.

In the voting, 84 Democrats joined 205 Republicans in support of the measure. Opposing were 64 Democrats and the two American-Labor Party members, Marcantonio and Isaacson.

The measure cuts taxes for all the 52,000,000 income taxpayers and drops 7,400,000 low income persons from the tax rolls.

Mr. Truman is expected to veto the bill quickly, perhaps with a message citing needs for more billions for military preparedness in the drive to stop Communism.

The question then will be whether the bill's backers in Congress can put it into law over his veto. It takes a two-thirds vote in both Senate and House to do that.

That test may come some time next week.

With large numbers of Democrats deserting the President on the issue, Speaker Martin and Senator Taft confidently predicted a veto will be overridden with votes to spare.

Republican leaders called the House into session an hour earlier than usual to speed the bill along to the White House.

The debate already was raging. Before the gavel fell to open the session, Rep. Gore, D., Tenn., issued a statement saying President Truman soon will ask $3,000,000,000 to $5,000,000,000 for military purposes, including building a huge air force.

If this is voted, together with a tax cut, the result will be to "sink in deeper into debt," he said.

Rep. Leo Allen, R., Ill., fired back with another statement. He said Congress can cut taxes and vote money for defense both if it "does not succumb to all the squandering whims of the New Deal bureaucracy supported by the greatest propaganda in the history of the world."

One Administration lieutenant on Capitol Hill said the President will not take advantage of the full ten days to draft his veto. This official said the White House will be heard from by Monday, or Tuesday at the latest.

TWO TRUCKS COLLIDE ON BOSTON POST ROAD

A hit-and-run truck carrying a load of paper, struck another truck early this morning on Post Road, near Fenimore Road,, Mamaroneck police reported.

Officer Charles Hanna reported that a truck driven by Wallace E. Weed of Manchester, N. H., traveling west on the Post Road, was sideswiped by the hit-and-run truck traveling in the opposite direction at 4:20 A. M. The accident occurred when the latter drove on the left side of the road to pass another truck. A large amount of paper fell off the hit-and-run truck and littered the road. The left door, mirror and corner post on the trailer of Weed's truck were damaged.

Withdrawals Seen Cutting Efficiency to Avert Chaos in Mideast

By The Associated Press

JERUSALEM — British security forces, thinned by gradual withdrawal of troops, appear today to be losing their fight to prevent chaos in Palestine. Many observers said the situation deteriorated even in the past 24 hours. Three principal cities—Jerusalem, Haifa and Tel Aviv—are virtually battlegrounds.

Sheik Hassan Bey Salameh, the man assigned by the Arabs to conquer all-Jewish Tel Aviv, has declared he is ready to do it as soon as the British leave. He has headquarters in all-Arab Jaffa, neighboring Tel Aviv.

Arab irregulars attacked a fortress-like Jewish stronghold six miles north of Jerusalem today, and 11 Jews were known to have been slain.

British troops moved out of barracks here toward the Jewish settlement of Neve Yacoov, where Army sources said about 700 Arabs are attacking. British artillery units were alerted for duty.

Two armored cars en route to relieve Neve Yacoov have been immobilized by Arab fire, Palestine police reported.

Neve Yacoov is the only Jewish

(Turn to Page 3 Please)

STUDENTS FAVOR ADOPTION OF UMT

Forum Club From Bellows Conducts Debate At Lions Meeting

The subject of Universal Military Training was discussed yesterday at the Mamaroneck Lions Club meeting in the Blue Haven Inn by members of the Bellows High School Forum Club, with the majority of the speakers favoring its adoption. The club is under the direction of Robert Zimmerman and James Bernard, high school history teachers.

Bob Knight acted as discussion leader of the round-table forum, composed of Dick Hill, Bill Falk, George Hood, Barry Loughran and Bob McBrian.

Those favoring UMT pointed out that the basic training will clear the way for technical training necessary when the type of war which any future conflict would produce becomes known. Such mobilization of our youth, they argued, would show all nations that we are strong and mean to continue strong. One panel member stated that "if Russia hears we have UMT, they'll think twice" before going forward with some plan of aggression.

None of the members of the panel looked with any favor upon the efforts of some religious and community groups to bar smoking or drinking during training. One speaker stated that, unless the Army has control, the boys will be demoralized.

The argument that higher pay for the regular Army would result in more enlistments brought forth the comment that "it isn't a matter of pay. Many would not go in at any price, but would have to under UMT and would learn something."

Those opposing UMT argued that the same amount of money put behind the United Nations would produce by peaceful means results just as beneficial as would result from the establishment of UMT. It was argued that the regular Army, plus those who would be put into service by other methods, would have sufficient

(Turn to Page 3 Please)

U. S. Mail Burns Up

By The Associated Press

BERLIN—Fire of undetermined origin swept through a U. S. railway mail car on the Bremerhaven-Berlin train today as it was traversing the Russian Occupation Zone. Approximately four tons of American mail were destroyed.

SMOKE FILLS CELLAR

Mrs. Wallace Becker of 615 Munroe Avenue, Mamaroneck, reported at 11:30 A. M. yesterday that there was a large amount of smoke in the cellar but she was unable to locate its origin. Fire Chief Michael Orsino found the smoke was due to a short circuit in a washing machine.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Tonight, fair and cold, lowest near 30. Tomorrow increasing cloudiness, rain at night. High tides today at 10:15 P. M.; tomorrow at 12:26 A. M. and 12:57 P. M.

Combing The Town

Cantata Night

A new Wurlitzer electric organ, lent for two weeks to the Mamaroneck Methodist Church for demonstration purposes, will provide the accompaniment at 8:15 P. M. today for the sacred cantata, "The Seven Last Words of Christ", to be sung by the Senior Choir and Girls' Choral under the direction of J. Ellsworth Olsen.

A guest organist, provided by the Wurlitzer company, will play the prelude, offertory and postlude. Mrs. C. R. Johnson, church organist, will accompany the cantata.

The organ, which will also be used at the Easter service, has been installed in the front of the church opposite the Junior Choir loft. The Senior Choir will be seated in the front side pews instead of in the rear balcony loft where the regular organ is situated.

A set of chimes has also been installed for demonstration purposes.

Big Demand

Requests have been received from near and far by the Mamaroneck Free Library for copies of the library's anniversary booklet, "The Story of a Dream", prepared by Town Historian William C. Pilcher for the 25th anniversary of the founding of the library last November.

Copies have been sent to public libraries in Washington, D. C., Chicago, Moorestown, N. J., East Orange, N. J., Duquesne, Pa., Savannah, Ga., Sioux City, Ia., Munhall, Pa.

Residents who have not yet received a copy of the booklet may obtain one at the main desk.

Interested?

Easter Sunday falls on March 21 . . . in the year 2,013, if anyone expects to be interested by that time.

Discussing the technique for establishing Easter in a talk before members of the Mamaroneck Woman's Club yesterday, the Rev. Arnold A. Penton of St. Thomas's Church, who said the proper term is "Easter Day," explained that it is celebrated on the first Sunday after the full moon which occurs on or next after March 21. Thus it can occur as early as March 22 or as late as April 25.

At Medics' School

Pfc. James Haupt, Jr., 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander J. Haupt of 20 Alden Road, Larchmont, is attending a four-week aviation medical school at Randolph Field, Texas, and expects to be assigned soon to medical duty with the Air Forces.

He completed his basic training at Lackland Field, San Antonio, Texas, about two months ago and was home on furlough before beginning his present course. He is a former student at Mamaroneck High School and enlisted last October.

Cherry Painter

Cpl. Robert Beebe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beebe of 443 Beach Avenue, Mamaroneck, has reported to Cherry Point, N. C., after spending a two-month furlough at home.

Prior to his furlough, Cpl. Beebe was stationed at Honolulu.

His brother, Sgt. Thomas R. Beebe, expects to leave the Chinese Army Air Base on Hokkaido island, Japan, within a month and return to the U. S. for his discharge.

TAX CUT PROGRAM SEEN IN DANGER

Democrats Who Voted For Bill May Switch Due to Defense Needs

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Reports that President Truman soon will propose new billions for defense prompted vote-switching talk today among Democrats who cast previous ballots for tax cutting.

Republican leaders insisted, however, that not enough shifts will occur to uproot Mr. Truman's virtually certain veto of their $4,000,000,000 tax reduction bill. That measure completed its first trip through Congress yesterday.

The House rolled up a thumping 289 to 67 tally—51 votes more than the two-thirds majority needed to override a Presidential rejection.

A LUCRATIVE MARKET TO TOP

The mass of people reading the want ads represents thousands and thousands of dollars. You can tap this lucrative market by inserting your want ad under the proper heading . . . "Miscellaneous for Sale" . . . "Business Service" . . . "Homes for Sale" . . . or any of the other classifications covering your needs. The cost is surprisingly low. And since your ad is delivered to thousands and thousands of home it's almost bound to be read by the "right party." Get in touch with one of our co-operative ad takers. She'll be glad to help. Just call Mamaroneck 9-2100.

RISE IN WATER RATE APPROVED BY TOWN BOARD

Retirement Fund Will Get Revenue; Hike Averages 45 Cents Quarterly

The Town Council last night approved water rate increases to raise approximately $14,000 to be used to start an employes' retirement fund and to meet increases in cost of materials and wages.

The increases, which will become effective when approved by other member municipalities of the Westchester Joint Water Works, affect 6,146 customers in the Town of Mamaroneck and Harrison.

The new rates will allow consumers a smaller amount of water at the minimum rates and raise service charges of large users. The increase for the majority of the consumers, 4,741, amounts to 45 cents more per quarter than at present.

The cost of installation of new meters was also raised from $4.50 to $6 and an additional charge of $6 will be made to take out meters for which there is no charge at present.

Consumers with ⅝ inch meters, with the exception of those who use less than 800 cubic feet of water per quarter, will pay an additional charge per quarter of $.45 with ¾ inch meters, $.50; with 1-inch meters, $1.00; with 1½-inch meters, $2.00; with two-inch meters, $4.38; with three-inch meters, $8.13; with four inch meters, $12.50; with six-inch meters, $38.75; and with eight-inch meters, $36.25. The additional revenues will amount to $13,964.36.

CHURCHES OPEN FOR GOOD FRIDAY

Special Services Planned To Commemorate Christ's Death

Churches in Mamaroneck and Larchmont will commemorate the Crucifixion of Christ with special Good Friday services tomorrow.

In Mamaroneck a three-hour Passion Service will be held at St. Thomas' Episcopal Church from noon to 3 P. M. Seven short addresses on Christ's last words from the Cross, meditations, periods of silence, and hymns will feature the service. During the service it is permissable for worshippers to enter and leave the church. Throughout the day the altar will be stripped of all adornments except the Cross, which will be veiled. At 8:15 P. M. devotions will be held and the choir will present "Olivet to Calvary," by Maunder, a sacred cantata that defines Jesus' suffering and sacrifice. Soloists will be Mrs. Edgar Gedney, soprano; Harold Beahm and Ralph Spuehler, tenors; Harold Kurts, bass, and John Corfield, baritone.

At St. Vito's Catholic Church a Mass of the Pre-Sanctified will be held at 8 A. M., and Stations of the Cross devotion will be held at 7:45 P. M., followed by a sermon.

Holy Trinity Church will hold a Mass of the Pre-Sanctified at 9 A. M. At 3 and 8 P. M. Stations of the Cross devotions will be held.

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church will hold a communion service at 8:15 P. M. The Rev. Theodore O. Possell, Jr., pastor, will preach on "The Seven Words From the Cross."

Mamaroneck churches partici-

(Turn to Page 15, Please)

Ward Death Trial Ends With Jury Deadlock

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK — The second trial of two physicians on manslaughter charges in the death of 22-year-old Jane Ward after an alleged abortion ended at 2:45 A. M. today when the deadlocked all-male jury was dismissed.

No date was set immediately for a retrial of Dr. Paul Singer, 43, and Dr. Oswald Glasberg, 49.

The jury deliberated nine hours and ten minutes.

British Reject Soviet Protest on Germany

By The Associated Press

LONDON — Britain rejected today Russia's protest against the United States-British-French negotiations for rebuilding Western Germany's economy.

A firm note to the Soviet government said Great Britain wished "entirely to repudiate the accusations" made by Russia that the negotiations violated the Potsdam agreement.

GAILY COLORED EASTER baskets were distributed to the children at Irvington House, Irvington, at a party given given there yesterday by the Masonic Grand Lodge Fraternity Rheumatic Fever Fund, which is now conducting a campaign to raise funds to fight that disease. Pictured, left to right, are Sam Galgano of Tarrytown, Clarance Glass, campaign chairman; Frank M. Totton of Larchmont, deputy grand master, and vice president of the Chase National Bank; Barry Sullivan of Yonkers and Clarence Knapp of Peekskill.

TOWN TO SPEND $16,938 TO PAVE

3 Building Developments, 2 By Carnoy Company, Will Benefit

The Town Council last night agreed to spend a total of $16,938 for paving roads in three developments to encourage building. This expenditure it was pointed out, in the long run will be paid back to the Town in taxes and will also spread the base of the tax.

Two of the developments are being undertaken by the Carnoy Construction Company. The Town agreed to pay not more than $9,538 to pave 300 feet of Lafayette Road, where two houses are already under construction. Mr. Carnoy also intends to build three homes at Dunham and York Roads, to sell at about $35,000 each. The Town agreed to spend not more than $2,400 to pave 610 feet of roadway there when construction begins.

The Council also formally approved spending $12,000 to pave a roadway to be constructed on the old Murdoch Estate off Griffen Avenue, which is being developed by the Berne Construction Company. The Council had previously indicated that it would be willing to pave the roadway.

COMMITTEE SEES DISASTER MOVIE

Red Cross Group Reports On Preparedness For Any Emergency

A movie entitled "When Disaster Strikes" was witnessed by members of the Red Cross Disaster Committee at a meeting held last night in the Mamaroneck Municipal Building with Chairman Everett T. Houghton presiding.

The film, shown by Benjamin Morrell, president of the local N.A.A.C.P. Branch, described the part a disaster unit must play in the event of fire, flood, train or plane wrecks, hurricanes, earthquakes and other catastrophies.

Mrs. E. B. Ingraham, municipal coordinator, received reports from committee units on their preparations for any emergency.

Dr. E. M. Marsland, medical aid chairman, reported that Orchard Hospital is making plans for aid in an emergency, while Charles Silleck, shelter chairman, said that churches, schools and clubs are available as temporary shelters. Pire Chief Michael Orsino said that the firehouses could also be used as shelters.

Mrs. S. Richmond Barton, canteen chairman, reported that several all-night diners and restaurants have promised food immediately upon call.

Police Chief Arthur W. Martensen and Lieut. Herman Pauls described the coordination of the Red Cross disaster units with the departments of the village.

A trial incident will be held soon at which all disaster units will be called into service.

SPEAKS TO DENTISTS

Dr. Morton Heide of Larchmont spoke on "Aids in Orthodontic Diagnosis for the General Practitioner" at the March meeting of the First District Dental Society held last week at the Hotel Pennsylvania. Dr. Heide has offices at 133 Larchmont Avenue.

Kirby Suggests Right Location Of Business, Churches, Schools

THIS is the third in a series of five articles on the general topic "What Westchester Wants," prepared by the chairman of the Westchester County Department of Planning for this and affiliated newspapers.)

By GUSTAVUS T. KIRBY

With reference to the maps accompanying this article, New York City should improve its transit possibilities with many more subways, possibly some of them not even subways but depressed roads, open to the light and air, and carrying modern trains with modern means of locomotive power.

These additional roads would cross the eastern river and either loop through the Bronx or Westchester to other tunnels, would have a central station or stations at or near the upper end of the loop, where would come, some to remain, and some to pass on into Manhattan, railroad trains and buses and automobiles from Westchester County and points beyond.

In the county there will be additional North and South arteries, both throughways and local; there will be East and West arteries, both throughways and local. There will be airports with adequate roads to and from the same.

And as to these airports and air travel, it must be remembered that air transportation is in but a formative stage.

Thus, whereas, today, an airport needs a surrounding controlled territory of approximately two miles in width, it may well be that in the future, planes can leave and approach at a much greater angle and accelerate and diminish their speed much more quickly than at present. It must be remembered that it is within the memory of practically all but a child, when Glen Curtis flew down the Hudson

(Turn to Page 3 Please)

RECREATION PLAN UP FOR FALL VOTE

Town Council Acts to Put Issue Before Voters In Referendum

Whether to expand recreation in the Town of Mamaroneck and how much should be spent for it will be put up to voters next fall, it was decided last night at the meeting of the Town Council.

A delegation from the Larchmont-Mamaroneck Parent Teacher Council, headed by Mrs. Edward P. Heiwig, president, and Charles Warren, director of Summer recreation, appeared at the meeting to learn what action the Town Council intends to take on the recommendations made in the report of the Joint Committee on Recreation.

Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville suggested that "we put it on the ballot next Fall and let the people decide whether they want it and for how much."

Councilman Edward Watson, who represented the Town Council on the recreation committee, said that not a great deal of recreation is needed, but that something is needed for the 20 - 30 age group.

The main problem, he said, is supervision, while the next problem is facilities. He said the recreation problem could be solved by creating a recreation commission and designating the school board as such.

Supervisor Mandeville said he had attended some of the first meetings of the recreation committee. "Frankly speaking," he said, "there wasn't anything I got out of the organization meeting. The only thing was to build a great recreation program which was suggested by people brought in from the outside which would only create a greater burden on the taxpayers." He pointed out that the "outsiders" who said the Town needed a large recreation program had no concrete suggestions or plans to offer, and that such a program was badly defeated.

Mrs. Helwig said that the strik-

(Turn to Page 15, Please)

Daylight Saving Hooey, Truman Tells Reporters

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—President Truman said today he would be for daylight saving on a nation-wide basis. But he said it only causes confusion if some cities adopt it and the rest of the country doesn't.

The matter came up at his news conference when a reporter asked if he had considered daylight saving as a fuel conserving measure during the coal strike. Mr. Truman said he had not.

Top Army Leaders Plead For Drafting Of Youths 19 To 25

50 Protest to Town Council Against Avon Road Building

More than 50 residents of the Larchmont Ridge section of the Town appeared at the meeting of the Town Council last night to protest the development of property on Avon Road which they termed "detrimental to the best interests of the surrounding property owners."

Following the discussion, the group decided to petition the Town Council to revise the zoning and building codes to thwart any further development in that area not in keeping with the type of homes there.

Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville said that Cornelius Van Buren, developer of the property, and Bernard Lancia, the builder, were scheduled to appear before the council last night to request that the Town pay the cost of paving a road which they intend to build through the property. Neither, however, appeared.

A permit has been issued to Mr. Lancia for the construction of a ranch type house on Avon Road at an estimated cost of $18,000.

Town Counsel John Dellus reported that he had investigated the deed restrictions of the property in that area and found that over the years they had been modified to the extent that it appeared all restrictions had been abolished.

He added that the ranch-type dwelling, which is now under construction, meets the minimum requirements of the zoning and building codes and there is no way it can be stopped.

To prevent further construction of this type of dwelling, he said, the Town Council has the power to change the zoning and building codes "within limits." "It's not so much the zoning code that needs to be changed as the building code," Mr. Delius added.

Some of the modified restrictions allowed for the construction

(Turn to Page 15, Please)

PRESIDENT URGES PALESTINE TRUCE

Truman Proposes Parley Of Arabs and Jews to Halt Bloodshed

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Truman proposed today that the United Nations call Arab and Jewish leaders into a truce parley to halt bloodshed in Palestine.

He said Warren Austin, American delegate to the UN, will put the proposal before the UN Security Council.

The President told a news conference the United States reversed its original stand for partition of Palestine because partition could not be enforced without American troops.

Austin, American delegate to the UN, announced the reversal last Friday. He proposed a temporary United Nations trusteeship over Palestine.

Mr. Truman said the United States proposed the trusteeship to provide a government "to keep the peace."

He read to reporters a prepared statement saying a truce must be reached between the Arabs and the Jews "if we are to avert tragedy in Palestine."

Therefore, he said, he has instructed Austin to call responsible representatives of the Arabs and Jews to a U. N. Council table to seek such a truce. Unless something is done, he declared, "open warfare is just over the horizon."

He said that the United States would be prepared to back a United Nations trusteeship, but

Year Sentence Given For Unlawful Entry

WHITE PLAINS — Clayton Moshier, 36, of 31 Columbus Place, New Rochelle, was sentenced yesterday by County Judge Elbert T. Gallagher to serve one year in Westchester Penitentiary.

Moshier was sentenced on his plea of guilty to a charge of unlawful entry, after having been indicted for attempted burglary third degree. He was alleged to have been found attempting to enter the Rochelle Tavern at 659 Main Street, New Rochelle, on last July 7.

KIWANIANS SET APRIL CONCERT

Vlachos - Wei Piano Team Featured at Junior H. S. on 24th

A concert featuring George, Madeline and Sophie Vlachos-Wei of Mamaroneck, nationally famous piano trio, will be held by the Mamaroneck Kiwanis Club Thursday, April 24, at the Junior High School auditorium, it was announced by President Linden Morehouse at last night's club *meeting in the Elks'* clubhouse.

Proceeds from the concert will be used by the Kiwanis Club to further its work with boys and girls in the community.

Roger H. Harper, an attorney residing at the Hawthorne Gardens Apartments, was inducted as a member by Past President Walter Littlefield.

A "Ladies Night" will be held late next month, John McDonald, chairman of the program committee, announced.

The following were appointed to committees for the concert: Domenick Santomenna, chairman; William Brady and Philip Moore, general steering committee; John Fearon, chairman, Thomas Sweatt and Al Hatch, theater arrangements; Walter Ficke, chairman, John Percy and Harold Barlow, programs; Arthur Martensen, chairman, Ed Wright, Steve Luisi and Dr. Phillip J. O'Reilly, advance ticket sales; Victor Tavolo, chairman, and John McDonald, radio announcements; Clem Zucks, chairman, Rex Keech and Pete Smith, ushering; Elicio Del Guercio, chairman, Louis Deverich and Joseph Acampora, Jr., publicity, and Walter Littlefield, chairman, Ed Wright, John Fearon and Al Reid, finance and door ticket sales.

PORK, BEEF, VEAL PRICES DROP SHARPLY IN N. Y

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Wholesale prices for dressed pork, beef and veal were sharply lower here today despite hte continuing strike of packinghouse workers.

At the same time, wholesale butter prices climbed three cents a pound for top grades.

Fresh pork loins have dropped as much as $6 a hundredweight in the past two days. Lamb, on the other hand, has held firm at $47 to $52 a hundredweight.

U. S. Department of Agriculture analysts said New York City's supply of pork, beef and veal "far exceeds the demand" with retailer coolers well stocked as the result of heavy pre-strike purchases.

Attlee Cites War Threat In Purge of Communists

By The Associated Press

LONDON—Prime Minister Atlee said today a possibility of war justified Britain's purge of Communists from security posts in the government.

"I might be accused of many things but I cannot be accused of ever trusting the Communist Party," Attlee told the House of Commons. He spoke in reply to a speech by Communist member Willie Gallacher.

"There are secrets of defense," the Prime Minister said. "As long as there is a possibility of war, we must have defenses and those secrets must be preserved."

2 SEEK POLICE SERGEANT POST

Millheiser and DeVeau On New Town List As Disabled Vets

Town Police Chief Paul A. Yerick reported today that a new certified list, bearing the names of Officers Philip Millheiser and Eugene DeVeau, for appointment to the position of sergeant, has been received from the County Personnel Office.

Both are listed as disabled veterans, indicating that Patrolman DeVeau's appeal for reinstatement was granted. Officer Millheiser is first on the list with a score of 92.511, while Officer DeVeau was rated 92.269. The appointing body, the Board of Police Commissioners, however, may appoint either man to fill the vacancy, according to Civil Servcie laws.

The Board of Police Commissioners will meet tonight and an appointment may be made at that time.

HOUSE STEPPING UP DEBATE ON AID BILL

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The House stepped up by the pace of its debate today on the $6,205,000,000 foreign aid bill. There were signs of a fight ahead over how far this country should go in telling Western Europe which goods it must not ship to Russia.

Former President Herbert Hoover edged into the dispute from the sidelines. He endorsed the European Recovery Program, the backbone of the House bill, as "a major dam against Russian aggression."

Immediate Armed Service Expansion Proposed To Congress

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The nation's top military leaders asked Congress today for an imediate expansion of the armed services and the drafting of men 19 to 25 years of age.

Secretary of Defense Forrestal grimly outlined the recent turn of world events in urging steps to make United States military might match that of Communist Russia.

As Forrestal spoke before the Senate Armed Services Committee, President Truman announced he is preparing to give the Congress a revised defense program.

Mr. Truman told his news conference he can't estimate yet how many additional billions of dollars the program will cost. Estimates from the Defense Department have not yet reached him, he said.

Forrestal said the odds still favor peace and the free nations of the world.

But he asked Congress to approve immediately:

1. An increase in the present authorized strength of Army, Navy, Marine and Air Force manpower by 349,500 officers and men.

2. Another $3,000,000,000 in cash and contract authority for the armed services to cover this expansion. This presumably would be in addition to $11,000,000,000 already in the budget.

3. Drafting by Selective Service of men from 19 to 25 years inclusive. He said this would provide 1,355,000 men but added that only about 220,000 probably would be taken. He estimated 500,000 probably would volunteer.

4. A permanent system of universal military training which would become fully effective within three years. Forrestal said this would provide some 850,000 men each year with basic training.

Forrestal said some of the defails of the expanded armed service program must be presented later behind closed doors.

"Because of the world situation as it exists today, there is certain detailed information which we cannot safely disclose in open session," Forrestal said.

The current strength of the armed services is *1,302,000.*

No Veterans

Forrestal indicated in his testimony before the Senate Armed Services Committee that war veterans will not be included in the draft plans.

He said the 19-25 year age group includes a "total of 2,600,000 male non-veterans."

Exemptions, deferments would reduce that number to 1,325,000 the Secretary said. He did not immediately explain the basis for exemptions and deferments but Senators have said they would exclude married men.

Forrestal said the 349,500 increase in the regular armed forces would be divided this way:

"The Army, by 240,000, from 542,000 to 782,000;

"The Navy by 63,000, from 397,000 to 460,000;

"The Marine Corps, by 11,000, from 81,000 to 92,000;

"The Air Force by 35,500, from 364,500 to 400,000."

This would require an additional $9,000,000,000 outlay, he said, which soon will be asked of Congress.

Biggest items in this were listed as: $719,000,000 for aircraft procurement, research and development for the air force and naval aviation, about $760,000,000 for military personnel costs.

He said the costs of UMT already are covered in the budget and include an appropriation of $500,000,000.

Wherry Asks Army Rule A-Bomb; Royall Says 'No'

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—Senator Wherry, R., Neb., introduced today a bill to return control of atomic energy to the Army.

The bill would abolish the Civilian Atomic Energy Commission. The Secretary of the Army, instead, would hold overall authority to direct atomic energy matters.

Wherry submitted the proposal about the same time Secretary of the Army Royall was telling the Senate Armed Services Committee he was not in favor of a change.

"I am averse to changing organizations that are working well," Royall said. "The Atomic Energy Commission and the representatives of the Military are working splendidly together. We need not suggest a change."

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS — MAMARONECK, N. Y., FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 1948 — MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Tonight cloudy, followed by showers. Tomorrow, showers in the morning, partial clearing in afternoon, turning cooler at night. High tides today at 12:57 P. M.; tomorrow at 1:10 A. M. and 1:40 P. M.

TRUMAN PUTS CONTROLS ON ALL AIRPLANE EXPORTS

Combing The Town

In 18th Year

Chairman Harry Freides of the Matzoh Fund of the Hebrew Institute of Mamaroneck, now serving in his 18th year as head of this relief campaign, has set a goal of $3,000 to be sent overseas to buy matzohs and other Passover supplies for the Jewish survivors of Europe.

Donations may be sent or brought to the Synagogue office or to Mr. Freides at 357 Mamaroneck Avenue.

Award for Ace

Tom Walsh, star Bellows basketball player, was presented a gold basketball at Wednesday's assembly by Howard C. Smith, sports editor of The Daily Times, on behalf of the Westchester County Publishers, Inc., for winning a place on the Class C all-tourney first team.

The Panthers ace was outstanding in the tourney, in which the Bellows quintet lost in the semi-finals. Walsh led his team in scoring during the season.

Re-Elected

Roger S. Lynch of 1815 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont, was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Yale Association of Class Secretaries Wednesday night at the 46th annual dinner at the New York Yale Club.

Also-elected were Kenneth Ward of Rye, president, and Maury Hanson and Gould B. Martin of New York City, vice presidents.

TAX RECOVERIES HIGH IN TOWN

95.92 P. C. of Cancelled Levies Recovered By In Rem Sales

An analysis of properties foreclosed by the Town of Mamaroneck under In Rem procedings shows that 95.92 per cent of the town taxes cancelled have been recovered in the sale of the properties, Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville reported Wednesday night at the meeting of the Town Council.

Seventy-nine parcels have been sold for $82,482.34, or 47.91 per cent of the assessed valuation of $172,140. The Town taxes cancelled amount to $85,991.94.

Of the seventy-nine parcels sold, four were in the Village of Larchmont, eight in the Village of Mamaroneck and 67 in the unincorporated area.

The percentage of the sales price of the four parcels in Larchmont to the Town taxes cancelled was highest of the three communities, amounting to 361.12 per cent. In Mamaroneck, 153.96 per cent of the Town taxes were recovered, and in the unincorporated area 82.36. per cent.

The next public auction of In Rem properties will be held Monday, April 19, at the Weaver Street Firehouse. All offers must be made on or before 5 P. M. April 19 at the office of the supervisor on East Boston Post Road, Mamaroneck.

GIRL RUNS INTO CAR BUT ESCAPES INJURY

A five-year-old Mamaroneck girl, Carol DuPont, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor J. DuPont of 1125 Keeler Avenue, escaped injury yesterday noon when she ran into the side of a moving automobile at Keeler Avenue and Florence Street.

She was taken by Mamaroneck police to the offices of Dr. M. E. Marsland, who examined her and found no injuries.

According to the police report, Carol ran into the right side of a car driven by Harold Baldwin of 1221 Harrison Avenue, Mamaroneck, which was proceeding east at about 15 miles per hour.

K. C. Cardinal Farley Assembly Meets Here

The Cardinal Farley General Assembly of the Knights of Columbus will meet Tuesday evening in the Knights of Columbus Council Chambers, Playhouse Building, Mamaroneck, Scribe Edward J. Brown announced today.

It was also announced that the Cardinal Farley Honor Guard will meet Friday, April 2, at the Salesian Institute, New Rochelle, and also the following five Fridays.

YOU WILL THRILL TO THE PROFITS!

You'll be pleasantly surprised when you note the outstanding values which stud our want ad columns every night of the week. Furniture . . . homes . . . automobiles . . . you'll find money saving values every night in the Want Ad Section and you will thrill too, to the profit you'll acquire when you sell your used furniture, or fur coat. It's a simple inexpensive process. Let our want ad takers help you write your ad. Just call Mamaroneck 9-2100 today—cash action will start immediately.

COUNTY STUDIES PLAN TO REVIVE DEFENSE SET-UP

Authorities Await Orders To Prepare Civilian Units For Action

Westchester authorities are beginning to think about a revival of the Civilian Defense set-up as a result of statements in Washington.

The Federal Civilian Defense Director, Russell J. Hopley, said Wednesday he was urging states and communities to form "catastrophe organizations ready to spring into action in the event of attack." Hopley said he hoped to have voluntary Civilian Defense organized on a nation-wide basis by Fall.

Referring to Navy reports yesterday of foreign submarines off our shores, one County official said: "It begins to sound like 1939."

A survey of civilian readiness today showed the Fire Chiefs' Emergency Plan intact and functioning; State Police feeling "it will not take us long" to coordinate police forces of the county; Red Cross disaster directors expecting word from Washington as a result of Federal activity; a radar screen installed at Westchester County Airport where it was said a first step would be mobilization of aircraft spotters; Medical Corps Reserve officers planning to attend a meeting in New York April 6 on "the problem of medical emergencies in the New York metropolitan area."

County Executive Herbert C. Gerlach was the last civilian defense director for the county. Much of the clean-up work of the World War 2 set-up was delegated to Public Works Commissioner James C. Harding. Mr. Gerlach said today he had not received

(Turn to Page 9 please)

BRITISH ACT TO END RAIDS BY ARABS

Troops Move Against Bands Attacking Jewish Convoys —16 Jews Slain

By The Associated Press

JERUSALEM — British troops moved into the Bab El Wad area today in an attempt to halt Arab attacks on Jewish convoys between Jerusalem and Tel Aviv. The slain in an attack Wednesday. Previous reports had indicated 12 were killed.

Police and troops headed for Shefat village, where an Arab roadblock was reported barring the road between Jerusalem and Neve Jacoov, six miles to the north. The area has been under Arab attack for a week.

An explosion was heard in Neve Yacoov this morning.

Arabs attacked a Lydda airport convoy near Ramle and police returned the fire.

Arabs, Jews Stick to Old Claims Over Palestine

By The Associated Press

JERUSALEM—"All this talk in America does not seem to be getting us anywhere."

That was the reaction of a Jerusalem man-in-the-street to President Truman's plea yesterday for an Arab-Jewish truce in Palestine.

Holy Land Arabs and Jews with official connections stuck to their old claims: For the Arabs, a unified independent Palestine, in which Arabs would be the majority; for the Jews, a partitioned Palestine giving them a state of their own.

"We want a democratic Arab government with all Palestinians—that includes Jews—given an equal right to vote . . ." said an Arab lawyer linked with the Palestine Arab Higher Committee, whose leaders were in Beirut, Lebanon. "We must fight until partition and Zionism are dead."

Arabs outnumber Jews about two to one in this country.

"We did not attack and we are not interested in continuing the civil war, but there can be no truce until we are assured of the realization of our rights which were recognized by the U. N.," said a spokesman for the Jewish Agency.

By those rights he meant the recommendations of partition voted last Nov. 29 by the United Nations General Assembly.

FINED $10

Mrs. Erwin Last of 16 Oak Avenue, Larchmont, was fined $10 last night by Judge John R. Cahill in Larchmont Police Court for permitting her dog to run at large.

SOVIIET DEALS BARED—How B-24 airplane engines, purchased as surplus property, were shipped to Russia and Poland in 1947 was revealed in Washington by Leroy Luckey (above) Dallas, Tex., dealer. Testifying before a House expenditures subcommittee, Luckey said 30 engines went to Russia and 16 to Poland upon direction of the Alpine Corporation, Washington, D. C. Some 1,400 were bought, he said, from the War Assets Administration at an average price of $214 and sold for sums as high as $2,500. —International

81 P. C. Of Bellows Students Favor UMT, Survey Reveals

The F. E. Bellows High School is 81.69% in favor of Universal Military Training, according to a poll taken by one of the senior social studies classes taught by Robert Zimmerman.

Other results of the poll showed that 80.09% of the student body favors aid to China, 83.25% is behind the Marshall Plan, and 62.40% favors opposing the next aggressive Russian move with military force.

A breakdown of the results, by classes, shows that enthusiasm for UMT decreases in the upper classes. The senior class is only 56% behind the plan, while 95.32% of the seventh grade favors training.

In the senior class, however, 36 members or 72% of the class favor opposing the next aggressive Soviet move with armed force.

The results were as follows:

Senior Class

56% for U.M.T.—44% against.
70% for Aid to China—30% against.
90% for the Marshall Plan—10% against.
72% for opposing Russia—28% against.

Junior Class

66.24% for U.M.T. — 33.76% against.
71.22% for Aid to China—28.78% against.
74.12% for the Marshall Plan—25.88% against.
49.28% for opposing Russia—49.39% against—1.33% undecided.

Sophomore Class

89.76% for U.M.T. — 11.24% against.
92.65% for aid to China—7.35% against.
86.42% for the Marshall Plan — 13.58% against.
63.97% for opposing Russia — 29.37% against, 6.66% undecided.

Freshman Class

90.83% for U.M.T. — 9.17% against.
79.33% for aid to China—20.67% against.
73.33% for Marshall Plan — 26.67% against.
75.33% for opposing Russia — 23.01 against—1.66% undecided.

Eighth Grade

92% for U.M.T. — 8% against.
84.5% for aid to China — 15.5% against.
86.5% for Marshall Plan—13.5% against.
53% for opposing Russia—47% against.

Seventh Grade

95.325% for U.M.T. — 4.675% against.
82.82% for aid to China — 17.18% against.
89.13% for Marshall Plan — 10.87% against.
60.83% for opposing Russia — 39.17% against.

SGT. EUGENE DE VEAU

DE VEAU NAMED POLICE SERGEANT

Disabled Vet Appointed At Salary of $3,840; Served 12 Years

The Board of Police Commissioners last night appointed Patrolman Eugene DeVeau as sergeant in the Town Police Department, effective April 1, at an annual salary of $3,840.

Sgt. DeVeau, a disabled veteran of World War II, was first appointed to the department in 1936. He left Nov. 23, 1942, to enter the Army. As a corporal, he served with the 12th and 15th Army Air Forces in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations. After three years of service, he returned to the Town Police Department in November, 1945.

Born in New Rochelle, the son of the late Samuel DeVeau and Mrs. Mary DeVeau of the Chatsworth Gardens Apartments, he has resided in Larchmont for the last 32 years. Sgt. DeVeau attended St. Augustine's Parochial School and was graduated from Iona School in 1926.

Sgt. DeVeau went to work with his late father, who was in the building and construction business, in 1926. Mr. DeVeau died in 1934.

In 1938, while a member of the Police Department, Sgt. DeVeau was cited by the Board of Police Commissioners for an arrest.

In 1946, he married the former Mary Dennedy of Massachusetts. They reside at the Chatsworth Gardens Apartments, Larchmont.

FENDER DAMAGED

The right rear fender of a car owned by Otto Sarianz of Harrison was damaged Wednesday afternoon on Jefferson Avenue when another car backed into it, Mamaroneck police reported today. Sarianz's car was struck by an auto driven by Carmine Savoia of 418 Jefferson Avenue, Mamaroneck. Police reported Sarianz had parked his car in the road in front of Savoia's driveway.

FIREMEN BATTLE 15 BRUSH BLAZES

One Fire Results In $300 Damage to Garage On Prince Estate

Fifteen brush fires in Larchmont and Mamaroneck yesterday kept firemen busy. One resulted in $300 damage to a garage at the Prince estate on Old White Plains Road.

Town Fire Chief George Burton said a brush fire on the Prince estate was reported at 1:16 P. M. yesterday. Engine 3 responded and on arrival found that the blaze had set fire to one of a row of five garages. A call for additional help was sent in. Engine 2 and Truck 2 responded and firemen battled for an hour before putting out the blaze. Chief Burton said the fire had burned out the side of the garage and half the roof.

Town firemen were the busiest of the three departments, responding to nine of the 15 fires reported. No damage was reported as a result of the other fires. During the height of the Town Fire Department's activity yesterday when it had six pieces of apparatus out, it was necessary to call in a pumper from the Larchmont Fire Department to cover.

At the time that the fire on the Prince Estate was reported another alarm was received for a brush fire at Fenimore and Avon Roads to which the patrol wagon responded.

Both alarms came in just as Engine 3 had returned from putting out a brush fire on Hickory Grove Drive which was reported at 1 P. M.

No sooner had firemen returned from the fire at the Prince Estate than an alarm was received at 2:32 for a brush fire at the other end of Fenimore Road at Durham Road and the Patrol Wagon responded.

Engine 1 was sent out at 2:45 for a brush fire at Laurel Avenue and at 3 o'clock a call was received for additional help to put out the fire at Fenimore and Durham Roads and Engine 1 responded from the Laurel Avenue fire.

Another brush fire broke out at the Prince Estate but at the other end near the riding academy and Engine 3 responded.

At 6:40 P. M. firemen responded to Boston Post Road and Dillon Road where a truck had hit and knocked over a wooden horse around an excavation. A kerosene lamp on the horse exploded and set fire to the wood.

Town Firemen began their day of activity at 11:47 A. M. when a brush fire was reported on Dante Street.

Larchmont had only one brush fire which was at Kane and Chestnut Avenues. The alarm was received at 1:30 P. M.

Five brush fires were reported in Mamaroneck. Columbia Company responded to one in a vacant lot near 632 Oakhurst Road at 11:57 A. M.

At 2:11 P. M. Mamaro Company put out a brush fire at 374 Palmer Avenue. Fifteen minutes later another brush fire was reported on Taylor's Lane and Columbia Company responded.

The Halstead Manor Company was called out at 4:51 P. M. to put out a brush fire at the dead end of Fourth Street near the railroad tracks, and was called out again at 5:19 P. M. to put out a brush fire in the rear of the Daniel Warren School.

—International

BREAKS DOWN VIEWING EVIDENCE—Bursting into tears after viewing of the battered and bruised body of her two-year-old daughter, Mrs. Shirleen Kunin, 24, is comforted by her husband in Los Angeles, Calif., courtroom. Deputy Alto Riebridger stands at right. Mrs. Kunin, accused by police of murdering her youngster, claims child's death resulted from a fall.

Second Larchmont Exposition Set For 3 Days In October

The second annual exposition of the Larchmont Fair Trade Association has been tentatively scheduled for Oct. 5, 6 and 7, it was announced at yesterday's luncheon meeting of the association at the Pal-Mar Restaurant, attended by 26 members.

An informal get-together of members and friends will be held April 20 in the American Legion clubhouse in Flint Park, it was decided.

President Gilbert Merrell, a member of the Larchmont Parking Commission, reported that the commission will submit a report on its findings within the next two weeks. Vice President Harold Eisner is also a member of the commission.

Members who participated in the St. Patrick's Day special sale expressed great satisfaction with the results and said that the event was a big success.

It was decided that because of the varied types of business, the closing day during the summer months will be left up to the individual merchants.

The association took into consideration a suggestion that merchants dealing in the same line of merchandise appoint a chairman to represent each group at the meetings of the board of directors. This chairman would be appointed at the time of the annual election in June.

STOP RED GOODS, COLMER DEMANDS

Congressman Urges U. S. Ban Shipments to Russia And Satellites

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON. — A complete halt in United States shipments to Russia was demanded today by Rep. Colmer, D., Miss., who proposed that Congress write such a ban into the $6,205,000,000 Foreign Aid Bill now before the House.

He told reporters he will demand a showdown vote.

A member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, Colmer said that group turned down such an amendment while it was studying the bill. But he said he is going to keep right on punching for it.

"I want to see any shipments to Russia and to Russian satellites stopped—shipments of any goods," he said. "We are following the same pattern we followed before the last war when we shipped scrap iron and oil to Japan, up to the time of Pearl Harbor."

Rep. Vorys, R., Ohio, managing the bill on the floor, told reporters he thinks the House can wade through all amendments and pass the bill by Tuesday night. Then differences with the Senate will have to be adjusted.

Vorys himself is pumping for an amendment that would tack $220,000,000 onto the bill for economic aid to Japan, Korea and the Ryukyu Islands. That would hike the total to $6,425,000,000.

Hardesty to Attend Meeting of Engineers

Shortridge Hardesty, 12 Cambridge Court, Larchmont, will attend the Spring meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers, of which he is a national director, in Pittsburgh, April 7-9. He will also attend Board of Direction meetings starting April 5, preceding the Spring meeting.

Eight technical sessions are scheduled at the meeting in Hotel William Penn, in which more than 800 members of the 95-year-old society, oldest national engineering organization in the country, will discuss highways, waterways, air transport, city planning and other engineering subjects.

LARCHMONT WOMAN INJURED IN CRASH

Larchmont police reported today that Mrs. William Bush of the Larchmont Acres Apartments, Larchmont, was injured in an automobile accident at 6 P. M. yesterday on Palmer Avenue in front of the Colony Apartments, and was taken by ambulance to New Rochelle Hospital.

According to the report, police found Mrs. Bush sitting in her car, bleeding at the mouth and right knee. Police said Dr. Hugh McHugh of the Colony Apartments was already at the scene and had called for the ambulance. She was treated for laceration of the upper lip and abrasions of the right knee, police said.

The Bush car, police said, was on the left side of the road, where it had struck a car operated by Mrs. Genevieve Rudell of 1815 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont. The front ends of both cars were badly damaged, police added.

Resident Fined $10 On Speeding Charge

Mrs. Margaret Namacher of 17 Linden Street, Larchmont, was fined $10 this morning by Acting Judge Hunter Meighan in Mamaroneck Police Court for speeding.

Counter charges of third degree assault brought by Rudolph Pennacchia of 36 Temple Street, Harrison, and John F. D'Auria of Brooklyn, were withdrawn. Both men claimed that the other had attacked him during an argument yesterday afternoon on Arthur Street.

A similar charge against Joseph Brill of 115 New Street, Mamaroneck, brought by his wife, was also withdrawn this morning.

Judge Meighan dismissed another third degree assault charge against Frank Friagoa of New York City which had been brought by his wife.

Mrs. Anna A. Faiola of Harrison was fined $2 for parking in a restricted area.

LICENSE SYSTEM IS PROCLAIMED

President Sets April 15 Date For New Check On Foreign Shipments

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—President Truman today slapped tight controls on exports of airplanes and airplane parts, classing them with other war materials.

The White House made public a Presidential proclamation revising, effective April 15, the list of things which cannot be shipped from this country except under special license.

It designates as munitions such things as small arms and machine guns and fire control equipment and range finders as well as aircraft.

Congress members have been clamoring for tightened export controls since it was disclosed earlier this week that some airplane engines, sold by the government as war surplus, were eventually sent to Russia by private buyers.

High Command's Plans Draw Air Bloc Criticism

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Senate air power advocates insisted today the high command's own expansion program falls short of actual needs.

They declared that drafting men until a universal training program can be put into full operation is not enough to give this country the armed strength required to back up President Truman's halt-Russia policy.

Led by Senator Lodge, R., Mass., himself a World War II veteran, the determined backers of a mightier air force showed little alarm over testimony that Russian submarines have been seen "off our shores."

Nor did they take specific issue with plans to draft at least 200,000 men between the ages of 19 and 26 for two-year terms with eventual registration of all men up to 45 years of age.

But the half-dozen or more Senators gave every sign of an all-out fight to provide the Air Force with 70 combat groups.

The $3,448,000,000 preparedness program outlined by the nation's military leaders yesterday contemplates no addition to the 55 groups now planned.

But Lodge, who sat in as a guest of the Senate Armed Services Committee, noted in sharp questioning of the military chiefs that the original blueprint for this country's postwar Air Force contemplated 70 groups.

He demanded to know why this figure had been cut and particularly why it had not been restored

(Turn to Page 9 please)

F. B. I. AGENTS SEIZE BOGUS CHECK PASSER

Det. Sgt. Thomas J. Boyle reported yesterday that the Federal Bureau of Investigation has taken into custody Miss Pearl Wilson, who last Summer allegedly passed a bogus $50 check in a Larchmont store.

Sgt. Boyle said the FBI reported it had arrested Miss Wilson, also known by 10 other aliases, last February in Jacksonville, Fla.

Last Aug. 9, Miss Wilson purchased a dress and two slips totalling $21.91 in a Larchmont store and presented a $50 check in payment, for which she received change. She gave her address as 15 Wildwood Road, Scarsdale, police said, but she was not known there. Sgt. Boyle said the proprietor of the store has not indicated whether a complaint will be lodged against Miss Wilson.

17 Chickens Missing From Resident's Coop

Mrs. L. M. Ilgenfritz of 1011 Graecen Point Road, Mamaroneck, reported to police yesterday that 17 chickens were missing from her property.

Her son, Robert, 13, told Det. Sgt. William O'Neill and Det. Jerry Geary that during the night some animal had broken into the chicken coop and had killed and carried away the chickens.

The detectives found a hole in the wire fence and also noticed a number of dog and fox tracks around the coop.

Truman Tackles Peace Drive For Palestine On Wide Front

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—President Truman tackled the problem of peace in Palestine on a wide diplomatic front today.

Officials predicted that if American efforts to arrange an Arab-Jewish truce are not successful, the Holy Land will become an embattled "No-Man's Land" when the British give up their mandate there May 15.

Wholesale bloodshed—what Mr. Truman himself called open warfare—is foreseen at that time unless decisive action is taken beforehand along two lines.

These were laid down by the President in a statement yesterday. He called for (1) the creation of a United Nations' trusteeship to assume authority temporarily when the British leave, and (2) for a truce meanwhile to put an end to the killing.

Officials said that all the resources of diplomacy must be employed with the Jewish and Arab leaders directly, as well as with their representatives at the United Nations, to make the President's double-harness program effective.

Admittedly, these authorities said, prospects for success are not too bright.

Some of the President's advisers privately make plain that what the American government is now interested in, aside from getting peace in the Holy Land is any kind of long-range political settlement both Jews and Arabs may accept.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ★ MAMARONECK, N. Y., SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 1948 ★ MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

Combing The Town

Looking Ahead

The potential growth of Mamaroneck and its future development were discussed by Village Manager William H. Johnson, guest speaker at the Mamaroneck Rotary Club luncheon-meeting Thursday at the Blue Haven Inn.

In recent years, he said, all new equipment was purchased with current income, thereby avoiding any new bond issues which would increase the bonded indebtedness.

He also spoke of the improvements made in the harbor and water conditions, and of efforts made to eliminate pollution. He described the improvements in street lighting and explained what the Village is doing for the safety of drivers and pedestrians.

Mr. Johnson was introduced by Program Chairman Aaron Dinman. Guests included Roscoe Conklin and Morton Heide of the Larchmont Rotary Club.

Needed: $1,000

The Mamaroneck Methodist Church will get a bright new coat coat of white paint if the $1,000 needed to complete the paint fund is contributed at tomorrow's 11 A. M. service, the Rev. Asbury G. E. Stromberg said today. The church was last painted four years ago.

The Rev. Mr. Stromberg also announced that a new electric sign equipped with floodlights has been received and will be installed in the church yard soon.

Re-Enlists

Seaman 1/c Joseph Fraioli, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fraioli of 131 Elliotts Avenue, Mamaroneck, has re-enlisted in the Navy for two more years.

He is now stationed at Panama City, Fla., aboard the U.S.S. Goldfinch, an auxiliary minesweeper, and expects to come home in two or three weeks on a re-enlistment furlough. He has been in the Navy more than a year and a half.

Aboard U.S.S. Perry

Seaman 1/C George F. Huntley of Mamaroneck has been assigned to the destroyer U. S. S. Perry at Newport, R. I. He recently returned from six months in the Mediterranean area and six months in England aboard the destroyer U. S. S. Bordelon.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Huntley of 915 Stuart Avenue, he expects to receive his discharge from the Navy April 29 after two years of service.

LEWIS SNARLS UP COAL STRIKE QUIZ

UMW Leader Forces 72-Hour Delay by Failure to Appear at Session

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—John L. Lewis forced a 72-hour delay today in government efforts to bring the soft coal strike to a speedy end.

He brought President Truman's special inquiry board to a standstill by failing to appear at its first hearings yesterday.

The three fact finders finished hearing the operators' side of the miner pension dispute in less than two hours.

When the United Mine Workers' chief didn't show up, the board recessed until Monday. The high-browed Lewis was given until then to decide if he will appear voluntarily. Otherwise the board could force him to appear by getting a court order.

Lewis stated away, he informed the board, because "millions involved." But his absence threw a monkey-wrench into board plans to work steadily through the Easter weekend to speed a report to President Truman.

Norway 'Selling Out' To U. S., Moscow Told

By The Associated Press

MOSCOW. — The government newspaper Izvestia said today that Norwegian Government Rightists are "selling out Norway to the United States."

"The Marshall Plan holds nothing good for Norway except that it endangers her independence and is fraught with her complete subjugation to foreign imperialists," Izvestia said.

CORRECTION

In yesterday's Daily Times it was erroneously stated that the car which was struck by another car driven by Mrs. William Busch of the Larchmont Acres was operated by Mrs. Genevieve Rudell of 1815 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont. The Rudell vehicle was parked and unattended at the time of the accident.

DAWN SERVICES TO START EASTER OBSERVANCE HERE

Special Musical Programs Arranged for All Local Churches

Starting with dawn services and ending with evening festival programs, Mamaroneck and Larchmont churches tomorrow will hold an all-day observance of Easter. Elaborate musical programs in a setting of floral-bedecked churches will feature the annual commemoration of the resurrection of Christ.

At St. Thomas's Episcopal Church, there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 6:30 A. M., followed by a choral celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 A. M. with special music and processionals including "In The Morning" by Grieg, "This Is The Day" by Maunder, and "Hallelujah Chorus" by Handel. At 11 A. M., another choral celebration will be held, at which the Rev. Arnold A. Fenton, rector, will preach and special music and processionals will be presented, including "Christ Triumphant" by Von.

(Turn to Page 3 Please)

U. S. COURT ISSUES ORDER AGAINST ITU

NLRB Is Granted Injunction To Restrain Union From Labor Act Violations

By The Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS — Federal Judge Luther M. Swygert today issued a temporary injunction against the AFL International Typographical Union restraining it from violating the Taft-Hartley Law.

The injunction will remain in effect until the case against the ITU before the National Labor Relations Board is settled.

The court order names the ITU, its president, Woodruff Randolph, and other officers of the union.

They are restrained from authorizing or encouraging "subordinate local unions and members of . . . International Typographical Union . . . to engage in or to continue to engage in any strikes, slowdowns, walkouts or other disruptions of any kinds to the business operations of employers in the newspaper publishing industry" in maintaining contracts which violate the Taft-Hartley Law.

Gerhard Van Arkel, ITU counsel, said in Washington that the union "probably will appeal." He delayed a definite statement on this until the ITU lawyers could read the order and confer about it.

The suit against the Printers' Union was filed by the General

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

Austrian Parties Sign Pact to Block Reds

By The Associated Press

VIENNA — A political pact, binding Austria's two largest parties to unified action in case of a crisis, is expected to be signed soon. The pact will be designed to block any move for power by the minority Communist party.

Preliminary negotiations have taken place between the right wing Peoples Party and the Socialists. Final action was postponed until after the Easter holidays because of the absence of Vice Chancellor Adolf Schaerf, who attended the Socialist Congress in London.

Violence in Palestine Ends Undeclared Truce

By The Associated Press

JERUSALEM—The undeclared Good Friday truce ended here last night as mortar shells and gun fire echoed through Jerusalem.

Unoccupied Jewish houses were blown up by Arabs in the Sheikh and Jarrah quarters and sporadic sniping resumed throughout the city. No casualties have been reported so far.

Six Jews and four Arabs were reported killed yesterday in scattered violence throughout the Holy Land.

WITH EASTER APPROACHING, "Harvey", 12-pound rabbit owned by the Croll family of 27 Stuyvesant Avenue, Larchmont, is very much in the limelight these days. Here he's shown with Margery Croll, eight-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Croll, who is apparently prepared for the holiday with her basket of Easter eggs. —Staff Photo

FURTHER CLAMPS ON RUSSIA URGED

'War Potential' Exports Eyed By Congres- Probe Slated

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — An Administration clamp-down on exports of war goods to Russia failed today to stifle demands in Congress for extra padlocks.

Rep. Mundt, R., S.D., said he intends to go right ahead with an amendment to the $6,205,000,000 House Foreign Aid Bill which would give the director of the European Recovery Program veto power over "war potential" exports.

And Chairman Rizley, R., Okla., said his House Expenditures Subcommittee is going to dig deeper into the disposal of World War II surplus supplies to the Soviets.

Committee investigators, he told a reporter, are going to New York to check goods being loaded onto Russia-bound ships. He said they also will look into reports that speculators are selling export licenses.

Model Easter Bunny Feasts On Marshmallows And Violets

The Croll family of 27 Stuyvesant Avenue, Larchmont, is wondering just when "Harvey" is going to stop growing.

"Harvey" is a tremendous white rabbit now tipping the scales at more than 12 pounds and getting hungrier every day.

Mrs. C. Leslie Croll, who pinned the name on the rabbit, although her eight-year-old daughter, Margery, prefers "Stumpy," says she took over the animal two years ago this Easter after it had been passed around the neighborhood. Apparently the previous owners couldn't cope with "Harvey's" various antics, but the Crolls have finally gotten used to him.

The animal, a perfect model for the Easter Bunny, has a sweet tooth and is not at all fussy about what he eats.

At Christmas time, "Harvey" devoured the lower branches of the Crolls' Christmas tree, then did away with a wreath of evergreens, carrots and marshmallows especially created for him. A bouquet of violets on the coffee table is also a favorite food. Marshmallows run carrots a close race for his favor, with potato peelings not far behind, Mrs. Croll reports.

"Harvey's" favorite pastime is chasing dogs, especially the boxer across the street.

On special occasions, he's hitched to a leash with bells on it and taken for a stroll. Sometimes he rides in the back seat of the Crolls' car.

Not in the least bashful, he'll bound into the room and jump right into your lap for a little affection.

A seasoned veteran of pet shows at the Chatsworth Avenue School, "Harvey" likes his quarters, a 10-foot long wired pen in the backyard alongside the kitchen windows. If he's too cold he can get into the basement through a cut-out cellar window equipped with a canvas flap. A shute enables him to descend to the floor level.

"Harvey" is anxiously waiting for his pals, three turtles, to come out of their winter hibernation. They live in the pen with him.

The Crolls say he has left home several times, but apparently finds the going rough, especially in the food department, and always returns.

FLINN NOMINATED FOR ROTARY POST

Club To Elect New Head April 23; Members Hear Pearl Talk

Harry T. Flinn heads the slate of officers and directors presented by the nominating committee at yesterday's meeting of the Larchmont Rotary Club in the Larchmont Lodge.

Others named were Manuel Salasian, first vice president; Julius R. Levin, second vice president; Henry J. Dietz, treasurer; Kenneth G. Van Soiver, secretary; and Dr. Charles Weller and Joseph W. Smedick, directors. Further nominations may be made from the floor before the election Friday, April 23.

"The Romance of Pearls" was the title of a talk given by Jack K. Felsenfeld of New York City. Mr. Felsenfeld accompanied his talk with motion pictures of the pearl industry and also displayed several specimens of pearls.

The club unanimously passed

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

Fairs, Beaches, Camps Urged By Kirby To Boost County

This is the fifth and last in a series of articles on the general topic "What Westchester Wants," prepared by the chairman of the Westchester County Department of Planning for this and affiliated county newspapers.

By GUSTAVUS T. KIRBY

In my youth, year after year, I would ride a horse down from my then and now country home in Bedford to compete in the horse show at the County Fair at White Plains. It is interesting to note that these were the days before the Kensico Reservoir was built and that the road that I took was along the Bronx River by the Old Mill, one of the mill stones of which has been preserved and is now located on Route 22 just before you get to the bridge. The Danbury Fair still continues more successful than ever, and has stolen the thunder from Westchester; in fact, from all counties of New York this side of Poughkeepsie.

As a part of a week or fortnight's activities of competition, we might even revive the old Westchester County Fair, with its display of farm produce, farm animals, jellies and household goods, and, of course, its horse show.

Thus it is that I believe that not only has Westchester not lived up to its opportunities of the present but has been and is actually slipping, and instead of holding its head high and not being afraid to spend its millions for progress is pursuing a penny-wise and pound-foolish attitude of penurious petulance instead of a profitable glorification.

On reading these articles, one might get the idea that there is nothing worthwhile in Westchester County. The contrary is true: there is much that is worthwhile;

(Turn to Page 2, Please)

15½c Pay Rise Urged For Railway Workers

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—A Presidential Emergency Board recommended today that locomotive engineers, firemen and switchmen should get a wage raise of 15½ cents an hour, retroactive to last Nov. 1.

The Railway Labor Act requires the three Brotherhoods to keep working for 30 days. After April 26 they will be free to strike if they want to.

The board, headed by William M. Leiserson, made its report today to President Truman.

Besides the wages, the dispute involved 37 proposed changes in working rules.

The Brotherhoods had demanded a 30 per cent wage boost with a $3 per man daily minimum.

Bronx Bus Co. Files Extended Route Plea

Final application for operation of a bus route through New Rochelle between Pordham Road, the Bronx, and Mamaroneck, Larchmont, has been entered with the Public Service Commission by the Pordham Transit Company, Inc., Abraham Rukin, president, announced today. Consents for the operation of the line already have been granted by New Rochelle, Larchmont and Mamaroneck.

Mr. Rukin said the first public hearing on the application would be held in the near future. A route already is in operation from New Rochelle into the Bronx terminal.

U.S. Note Accuses Reds Jail Foes In Eastern Germany

Residents Offer Suggestions For Improvements In Schools

(Editor's Note—This is the 20th in a Saturday series of interviews with citizens. Suggested topics from readers are invited. Today's question is: "What improvements could be made in our schools?")

Mrs. Arthur Morris, Larchmont Acres, Larchmont: "Since I am a school teacher, my opinion reflects the viewpoint of the instructor, rather than that of the parent. I have felt for some time that there has been too much freedom given to the modern school child and the relaxation of discipline has resulted in a carelessness and lack of self control that is undesirable. The elementary school child does not yet have the stability to make decisions and I feel that soon the pendulum will swing back again, bringing a return to the method of firmer control in the classroom, while still maintaining a friendly relationship between teacher and pupil."

Mrs. John B. Forrest, 269 Murray Avenue, Larchmont: "We have two boys in the Murray Avenue School and find the educational system used here to be very satisfactory. The boys have always enjoyed their teachers and have found their work to be presented in an interesting way each successive year. I feel there is an important transition to be made when the pupil changes from the

(Turn to Page 3 Please)

Bulletin!

Sub Sighted Off Frisco By Clipper

By The Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO—An object which Capt. Jack Myers said was a submarine was sighted by the crew of an unound rann-American Clipper 60 miles southwest of San Francisco this morning, it was flying on the surface, he said, but submerged as the plane passed overhead.

Captain Myers said he could see no identifying marks on the craft.

Naval headquarters at San Francisco declined comment. It is known, however, that United States submarines move in and out of San Francisco harbor frequently.

In Washington Thursday, Secretary of the Navy Sullivan told the Senate Armed Services Committee that submarines "not belonging to any nation west of the Iron Curtain have been sighted off our shores" recently. A high Navy official, who declined to be identified, said submarines had been reported three times recently in the Pacific, once within 200 miles of San Francisco.)

THIRD MENTAL ESCAPEE ELUDES POLICE HUNT

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—The second of three mental patients who saved their way to freedom from Manhattan State Hospital yesterday was back in custody today. The third, described as argumentative but not dangerous, still is at large.

The three inmates escaped by cutting through the steel window bars of their ward in the Ward's Island institution. They fled up a ramp to the nearby Triboro Bridge after one of them bludgeoned a guard unconscious.

One of the trio, James Dolen, 35, was seized by police 45 minutes after the break. The second, John Harding, 43, was captured late yesterday as he sat on the porch of a relative's home in Orange, N. J.

Still at large was Evan Suchcrun, 27, alias Howard Alexander, of the Bronx.

RussiaThrowingEnemies Into Concentration Camps, Note Claims

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The United States has charged Russia with smashing political opponents in Eastern Germany by throwing them into concentration camps without trial.

In a sharp note to the Soviets last night, the State Department said Russian-backed political parties in the former enemy country are "the new bulwark for a totalitarian regime" and added:

"Concentration camps are being used anew for individuals unwilling to accept this totalitarianism." A diplomatic official, meanwhile, identified two of the camps as Buchenwald — where millions perished at Nazi hands during the war—and Oranienburg.

The American note was in answer to a Russian protest that the Western powers are splitting Germany—and Europe—in defiance of the Potsdam Agreement.

Flatly rejecting that charge—as Britain did Thursday—the United States referred to moves it has taken with the British and French to achieve the "pacification of Germany and the economic recovery of Europe," and added:

"It is not these steps which have led to the political cleavage of Europe as claimed by the Soviet Government, but rather the actions of the Soviet Government and a group of Eastern European states under Soviet influence."

'IKE' COOL TO BOOM BY ROOSEVELT KIN

Elliott, James Urge General Against Truman—Splits Family In Campaign

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower was being pushed into a new political corner today by anti-Truman Democrats who want him as their party's Presidential candidate.

The General, who froze a GOP Draft-Ike drive last January, is reported to have told friends in the last few days he is no more available for the Democratic nomination than he was for the Republican post.

head off a new movement that had all the signs of an organized drive.

If it isn't, Eisenhower's friends predict the retired Army Chief of Staff will make another statement.

The General didn't leave much room for doubt about his position in January. He said the "decision to remove myself completely from the political scene is definite and positive."

When he said he "could not accept" a nomination, he did not specify party, it was pointed out.

There are some indications that Eisenhower's views about the Democratic nomination may have been passed along to President Truman.

It was directly against the President that the latest converts to the Draft-Ike movement aimed their arrows. These came from two sons of the late President Roosevelt, Franklin D. Jr. and Elliott.

They both urged Eisenhower to become a candidate—and in doing so, apparently split the Roosevelt family.

In California son James, Democratic state chairman, had just smoothed over a threatened revolt against Mr. Truman on the Palestine issue. And in Phoenix, Mrs. Anna Boettinger, the late President's daughter, indicated her opposition to a military man heading the government.

Two Autos Damaged In Palmer Ave. Clash

Two cars were damaged when they collided at 11:45 P. M. yesterday at Palmer Avenue at Harrison Drive, Larchmont, Town police reported.

Mrs. Greta P. O'Ryan of 8 Shadow Lane, Larchmont, told police she was about to make a right turn from Palmer Avenue into Shadow Lane when her car was struck on the right side by another car driven by Earl L. Askew of New Rochelle. The right rear fender and body of the O'Ryan car were damaged as were the left front fender and body of the Askew car, police said.

DEWEY DECIDES ON WESTERN TRIP

Wisconsin, Nebraska Talks Planned In Bid For Two-State Backing

By The Associated Press

ALBANY — Gov. Thomas E. Dewey decided today to make a "gambling" personal appearance in Wisconsin and Nebraska to seek delegate support of his candidacy for the Republican Presidential nomination.

Dewey announced he would deliver two major speeches in Wisconsin next Thursday and Friday and two in Nebraska the following week.

He indicated he would continue attacking President Truman for what he termed the national administration's "backsliding and bungling approach to American foreign policy."

Until the Governor's itinerary is completed tonight, it will not be know definitely where he will speak in Wisconsin or where or when in Nebraska.

An aide said one of the Wisconsin addresses would be in Milwaukee. He intimated the Nebraska speeches would be in Lincoln and Omaha, probably on April 8 and 9. Between the Wisconsin and Nebraska visits Dewey will return to Albany.

In both states the Governor will campaign virtually on the eve of crucial Presidential Primary elections involving all avowed and two potential candidates for the nomination.

Wisconsin will ballot April 6, with 27 delegate votes at stake. Full slates pledged to Dewey, Gen. Douglas MacArthur and Harold E. Stassen are entered.

On April 13, Nebraska will elect 15 delegates to the GOP National Convention. The declared candidates—Dewey, MacArthur, Stassen, Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio and Gov. Earl Warren of California—and two prospective aspirants, Senator Arthur W. Vandenberg of Michigan and House Speaker Joseph W. Martin Jr., are on the ballot.

The State's Primary Law permits filing of names without permission of those designated.

The Weather

Tonight cloudy, followed by rain. Tomorrow rain ending by noon with partial clearing and cooler in the afternoon. High tides today at 1:40 P. M.; tomorrow at 1:31 A. M. and 2:23 P.M.

The Daily Times

ESTABLISHED OCT. 1, 1925 ★ MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS MAMARONECK, N. Y., TUESDAY, MARCH 30, 1948 MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATION ★ PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Weather

Partly cloudy, high in the middle 50s. Tonight fair, low in the middle 30s. Tomorrow increasing cloudiness, highest near 50. High tides today at 3:53 P. M.; tomorrow at 4:02 A. M. and 5 P. M.

Combing The Town

Wins Eagle Award

John J. Sack of Larchmont, above, a member of Boy Scout Troop Three and now a freshman at Harvard University, last night was presented with the Eagle Award, highest rank in scouting, at a special Court of Honor held at the home of Harold W. Sherman, Court of Honor chairman, 1 Vine Place, Larchmont.

Sack, who is home from college for the Easter holidays, was accompanied by his parents, G. Crawford Eadie, former scoutmaster of Troop Three, was also present. The new Eagle Scout, who was valedictorian of the Class of 1947 at Mamaroneck High School, is a member of the editorial staff of the Harvard Crimson.

At Bogota Parley

Jack S. Connolly of 17 Forest Park Avenue, Larchmont, is in Colombia, South America, attending the Bogota Conference as a special representative of the State Department. He will remain at the conference for two weeks.

Mr. Connolly is director of the newsreel division of the State Department. He was formerly European director of Fox Movietone News and general manager of Pathe News.

Near Yokohama

Pvt. Chester Felton of Mamaroneck is now stationed near Yokohama, Japan, with the 25th Tropical Lightning Division. He has been in Japan for the last several months.

The son of Mrs. Grace Felton of 633 Mamaroneck Avenue, he enlisted in May, 1946, for three years. He received his basic training at Fort McLellan, Ala., before going overseas.

HOUSE VOTE DUE TONIGHT ON ERP

Franco Spain Included In Aid Plan By Vote of 149 to 52

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The House voted 149 to 52 today to invite Franco Spain into the $6,205,000,000 foreign aid program.

The Foreign Affairs Committee had agreed to include Spain. But Rep. Vorys, R., Ohio, in charge of the aid bill, said the State Department is against it.

And whether the Senate will go along is another question.

In any event, Spain could get in on the program only if she agreed like other participating countries to join in a European Recovery Program of cooperation and self help.

Spain now is specifically named as eligible to qualify under the bill before the House. Eastern European nations are not.

The plan is open for Russia and her satellite nations to come in under the same terms as Spain, by agreeing to terms of the program.

Rep. Hand, R., N. J., immediately offered an amendment to limit the European program to the 16 nations which have signed up already to work together toward an economic comeback.

It would cancel out the section which now mentions Spain and would permit Russia and her satellites to come in if they agree to play ball.

Specific inclusion of Spain would have financial implications. The way the program is set up, the European program would be distributed among 16 nations.

Addition of Spain would require some research into Spanish needs

(Turn to Page 3 Please)

Sentencing Of Gironda Set This Afternoon

Sentencing of Henry "Foot and Half" Gironda of Mamaroneck on charges of second degree attempted grand larceny was put off for the third time yesterday in Manhattan General Sessions Court until April 2.

Gironda pleaded guilty to the charge earlier this month interrupting his trial, and is liable to a sentence of 2½ to 5 years.

He is also scheduled to be sentenced later today on a charge of petit larceny for unlawful possession of a dress sample.

Two more indictments of grand larceny for the alleged theft of two automobiles have been handed down against him by the Westchester County Grand Jury.

STOCK EXCHANGE PICKETS, POLICE CLASH ON STREET

38 Seized After Slugging Match As Seamen Join AFL Strike Line

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK.—Police and pickets battled toe to toe today on Wall Street, the heart of world finance, as violence flared in the New York Stock and Curb Exchange strikes.

The fighting was over six minutes after it began, but it was six minutes of fierce battling, in which men were knocked down, women screamed, and police were thrown to the sidewalk.

Thirty-eight persons, including two women, were carted away to the Old Slip Police Station for booking on disorderly conduct charges and two of them were treated for injuries. Police said most of the men were members of AFL Seamen's Unions who had joined the AFL Financial Employes on the picket line.

A detective's head was bleeding when he was picked up from the sidewalk in front of the Stock Exchange. He was sent to a hospital.

Riot squads of police, ambulances, mounted officers were rushed to the Exchange. Private phones in adjoining stores and omces were allocated to police use only.

Wall Street was roped off. Picket lines were reduced in size. Employes of the exchange were conveyed inside the building in groups of 50.

Mounted officers, responding to emergency calls, brought their horses in close formation at Broad and Wall Streets in preparation for any further disturbance.

Despite the trouble, trading opened promptly at 10 A. M.

Brokers said operations were smoother than yesterday, the first day of the strike.

They said 85 per cent of the clearings were taken care of by 1 o'clock last night and that things were normal today.

The telephone admission service inside the exchange was not functioning, but exchange officials described the operation as a "luxury" and of no importance.

Police guards conveyed food into the Stock Exchange. Strikers walked along the picket line serving coffee.

COMMITTEE OK'S NEW ATOM FUNDS

Alaskan Defense Grant Is Also Approved By House Members

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—New funds for atomic weapons and research for military road work in Alaska and for the world war with Russia were okayed today by the House Appropriations Committee.

It also approved new grants for relief work in Army-occupied countries and for veterans' administration personnel. The committee recommended a $332,407,782 bill to meet shortages in funds previously voted for various agencies for the year ending June 30. The bill is scheduled to come before the House for a vote tomorrow or Thursday.

The total is $66,311,478 below the amount President Truman had asked. Most of the cuts were in funds sought for the Maritime Commission, the Postoffice De-

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

2 Fire Departments Fight Boundary Blaze

A brush fire which started in Harrison spread into the Village of Mamaroneck yesterday afternoon and Columbia Company of the Mamaroneck Fire Department was called to put it out.

Harrison police reported to Mamaroneck police at 2:58 P. M. that the Harrison Fire Department was fighting a brush fire at Grove Avenue and the village line but that the fire had spread over the boundary into Mamaroneck.

Earlier in the day, Mamaro Company was called out to put out a brush fire at Orienta and Waverly Avenues.

The Town Fire Department responded to a brush fire at Durham and Penimore Roads at 2:15 P. M. Recall was at 3:30.

GOP MEETS FRIDAY

The Mamaroneck Village Republican Committee will meet Friday at 8:30 P. M. in the Knights of Columbus clubrooms, Playhouse Building. Secretary Robert Montgomery announced today.

PICKETS PARADE at Stock Exchange. Pickets march before the Broad Street side of the New York Stock Exchange after the United Financial Employes local 205 (AFL) went on strike against the Stock Exchange, the New York Curb Exchange and several member firms. This view looks north on Broad Street. At right is the office of Morgan and Co., and in background is statue of George Washington which stands before the Sub-Treasury building.

DR. BALL LEAVES $574,418 ESTATE

Howard University to Get $403,063 to Further Dental Education

The estate of the late Dr. Louise C. Ball of 733 Stuart Avenue, Mamaroneck, was appraised at $618,628 gross, and $574,418 net value, according to a report filed in New York yesterday by the State Tax Department.

The bulk of the estate, $572,413, goes to charity, which, according to her will, is "for the development of dental science and public health education to which I have devoted many years of my life."

Stocks and bonds totalled $414,-751 in addition to cash in 20 banks totalling more than $150,000, per property in Mamaroneck at 725 Stuart Avenue is appraised at $11,250; at 809 Stuart Avenue, $11,000, and at 823 Stuart Avenue, $10,000.

The residuary estate, which amounts to $403,063, together with all her dental apparatus, goes to Howard University in Washington, D. C., for its College of Dentistry to provide an annual income to establish the Louise C. Ball Fellowship in Dentistry. Dr. Ball made several bequests to dental schools and charitable institutions, among which were $10,000 to the Wartburg Orphans Farm School in Mount Vernon, and $50,000 to the Columbia University Dental School.

Dr. Ball, who in private life was Mrs. Louise C. Bundren, died May 21, 1949 at the age of 98. She was born in New York City the daughter of Robert J. Ball, a great-grandson of Dr. Stephen A. Ball, staff physician to George Washington.

For six generations the eldest son of the Ball family engaged in medicine or surgery and Dr. Ball, as a representative of the seventh generation, carried on in an associated field, oral surgery.

She was an early leader in the

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

Car Stops To Query Cop, 2 Others Crash Into It

WHITE PLAINS—A request for information from Patrolman Timothy Branigan made by John C. Gourlie of 1271 Boston Post Road, Rye, involved three cars in an accident at the Main Street traffic circle about 4:45 P. M. yesterday, police reported.

As Mr. Gourlie stopped, his car was hit from the rear by a car owned by Leo Dana, 257 Barnard Road, Larchmont, and driven by his son, Robert, of the same address. Then a car driven by George Remesen of 148 General Heath Avenue also struck the Gourlie car. All three cars were proceeding west on Main Street. They were damaged.

Greek Army, Guerrillas Battling In Mountains

By The Associated Press

ATHENS—Greek army troops were locked in battle today with a large force of guerrillas in the Crucis Mountains area about 42 miles north of Salonika military officials announced.

A dispatch from Salonica said Col. Temple G. Holland of Dallas, Texas, chief of the Joint U. S. Military Advisory Planning Group with the Greek Third Army Corps, and Gen. Theodore Grigoropoulos, Third Army commander, had gone to the area to observe operations.

Young Danish Student Thanks Community For Hospitality

Appreciation of the hospitality accorded him while he was here with other Scandinavian students recently is expressed by Ulrik Plesner in a letter to The Daily Times received today from his home in Charlottenlund, Denmark.

Ulrik was a guest at the homes of Jolly Woodbridge, 203 Rockingstone Avenue, Larchmont, and Donald Henigson, 217 Griffen Avenue, Scarsdale, and took part in the Herald Tribune Youth Forum March 6. He also attended classes at Mamaroneck High School.

Following is his letter in full:

"I would like to thank all the people who have been so extremely kind to me in Larchmont and Mamaroneck and whom I cannot thank individually as I do not know their addresses. The hospitality and cordiality which you showed me made my time a very happy one and I am quite sure that I will return one day in not too far a future; and through my students many Scandinavians besides our own circle have gotten a wonderful impression of America and have come to love it.

"I am completely convinced that in many ways you people in America are even better than us in Denmark (!!) and I am glad that I have had the chance to know such a happy and kind people; it has meant so much for me and I know that if only all young people could have the chance of traveling to faraway countries—as I have had the luck to—we would reach a much better world understanding and not just an impersonal picture of a country on a map.

"I certainly am grateful to you."

FORUM TO TREAT MINORITY RIGHTS

3 Speakers Will Discuss Civil Liberties Friday at NAACP Session

"The Legal Fight for Equal Rights," with the spotlight on Washington, Albany and Mamaroneck, will be the subject of the N.A.A.C.P. forum Friday at 8:30 P. M. at the Mamaroneck Avenue School auditorium.

Speakers will include Marian Perry, of the legal division, N.A.A.C.P., on the Washington scene; Theodore Leskes, of the committee for state educational legislation, on the Albany scene, and Benjamin Morrell, president of the Mamaroneck Branch, N.A.A.C.P., on the Mamaroneck scene. All three will discuss recent legislative activities and court decisions affecting civil liberties and the rights of minorities at the federal and state levels.

The committee in charge includes Miss Lillian Seeley, chairman; Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Morrell, Mrs. Clayton Rawson, Miss Mary Wilkins, Robert Copeland, Mrs. Joseph Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ohrig, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Hoeber.

Dies At Wheel Of Car

WHITE PLAINS—Alan L. Hatcourt, Peekskill, died at the wheel of his car when it crashed into a Mamaroneck Road about noon today, police reported. The car left the roadway and came to a stop on the lawn of the fire station at Mamaroneck and Prescott Roads. Police said they believe the man suffered a heart attack.

Sudden Gas Heating Boosts Draw Fire At PSC Hearing

By JOSEPH W. SHANNON

NEW YORK — Although the Westchester Lighting Company admittedly made more money in more than four years that its gas operations were being carried on at a loss, it has added more than 6,000 new house heating customers in that period, and now, with no notice to consumers except for newspaper publicity not originated by the utility, seeks to impose the "hardship" of up to 80 per cent increases, Public Service Commissioner George A. Arkwright pointed out yesterday.

In cross-examination of Nils T. Sellman of Scarsdale, vice president of the company, at the commission's hearing yesterday, Mr. Arkwright, John T. Ryan, special counsel for the commission, and representatives of Westchester communities brought out that while the company had sent letters to consumers and published advertisements when its original application was made, it had not pointed out the effect its petition would have on the bills of its customers, and that it had made no announcement to its consumers of the results to them if the current requests should be granted.

Mr. Sellman agreed that the only notice consumers have received has been through publication in this newspaper of analyses of the utilities requests showing the greatly higher costs which would result if they were allowed.

Cites Varied Increase Rates

While Mr. Sellman told Commissioner Arkwright that he felt the largest increase would be approximately 75 per cent, at another point in his testimony he estimated an 80 per cent increase. This came when he said the cost of heating a seven-room house would rise from a present $165 to $297. He said he felt the average increase would be from 60 to 65 per cent.

Under questioning by Mr. Ryan,

(Turn to Page 3, Please)

Court Edict Forces Lewis To Appear In Mine Strike Probe

Gamble To Support ERP Bill, He Informs Women Voters

WHITE PLAINS — Representative Ralph A. Gamule, Larchmont, 28th N. Y. District, will support the European Recovery Program bill in the House.

That is his pledge in a letter received by Mrs. Allen Wilber, vice president of the Westchester County League of Women Voters. Mrs. Wilber had written Congressman Gamble to get his views and received the following reply, with permission to make it public:

"I acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 19th. I expect to and will support and vote for the ERP bill, that should be a positive statement. I am willing to 'gamble' on it."

While Representative Gamble's answer pleased the League of Women Voters on ERP, he was under fire today from another quarter on housing. William E. Massee, real estate writer, in an article, "The Men Who Raise Your Rent" in the current issue of "48, The Magazine of The Year," declares Mr. Gamble's appointment as chairman of the Joint Congressional Committee investigating housing was the work of "housing lobbyists."

Such lobbyists of the real estate field, says Massee, brought about the Gamble appointment as chairman of the investigating committee, using a parliamentary maneuver to keep out of that chairmanship Senator Charles W. Tobey, New Hampshire, a supporter of the Taft-Kilender-Wagner bill.

Representative Gamble, as chairman of the Housing Probe Committee, has held lengthy public hearings in New York City, Chicago, Boston, San Antonio, Milwaukee, Seattle, San Francisco, Atlanta, Little Rock, Dallas, Miami, Jacksonville, Cincinnati, Baton Rouge, Chicago, New Orleans, Houston and Birmingham.

WALLACE SILENT ON TRUMAN BLAST

Third Party Presidential Candidate at Capital After 'Bid' to Go to Russia

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—Henry A. Wallace came back to the capital today, hard on the heels of President Truman's thinly veiled suggestion that he take his whole third party movement to Russia.

At the same time, Democratic Democrats refused to accept as final an official Army declaration that Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower is no more available to them than to the Republicans.

And on the other side of the political fence, reports bobbed up that Gov. Thomas E. Dewey and Senator Robert A. Taft have agreed to gang up against Harold E. Stassen's bid for Maine's 13 GOP convention votes.

Mr. Truman, who less than two weeks ago denounced Henry Wallace and his Communists," in a St. Patrick's Day speech, took another poke at his ousted Cabinet officer and presidential rival. The setting this time was a dinner meeting of Greek-Americans, the Order of Ahepa.

The President was introduced by Dean Alfange of New York who told the audience that Wallace and his followers ought to go to the Rocky Mountains "in the role of the Greek guerrillas." Then, Alfange continued, Premier Stalin might recognise the former Vice President as "the leader of the free government of the United States."

"The Dean has stolen my thunder," Mr. Truman said in his extemporaneous remarks. "I was going to tell you that the Greeks had a Henry Wallace. I was going to tell you that the Greeks had a statesman, an orator, a demagogue. x x x They had the greatest demagogue of all times, Alcibiades."

But, the Chief Executive continued, "if imitators of that ancient Greek conspirator want to go x x x liberties subverted, I suggest that they go not to the Rocky Mountains — that's fine country out there. He ought to go to the country he loves so well and help them against his own country if that's the way he feels."

ITALY PARTY CHIEFS ANXIOUS ON TRUCE

By The Associated Press

ROME — Italian party leaders, disturbed by two political killings in the Leftist North yesterday, arranged to meet tomorrow to seek remedies for a wave of violence which threatens their campaign truce.

Communist Umberto Terracchini, President of the Constituent Assembly, who arranged the truce in an effort to bar bloodshed in the campaign for the vaital April 18 election, called the meeting.

State-swinging unemployed, some 7,000 strong, marched through the streets of Milan today, demanding work and relief payments. Police stood by anxiously, because of yesterday's widespread outbursts, but there were no incidents of violence. The situation was tense as a result of the slaying of two Communists yesterday at Samoglia. 25 miles west of Milan, the Leftist stronghold of the north.

Butter Prices Up

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Butter went up 2½ cents a pound today on the wholesale market. Closing quotations on the New York Mercantile Exchange were Grade AA 91 cents, Grades A and B 89½ cents, and Grade C 89 cents.

PROCH RESIGNS FROM TOWN POST

Senior Engineering Aide To Join County Public Works Department

Edward Proch, senior engineering aide of the Town of Mamaroneck, has resigned, effective tomorrow, to take a position with the Westchester County Department of Public Works as a junior engineer.

A life-long resident of Mamaroneck, Mr. Proch first entered the employ of the Town in 1936. In 1942, he left to work with the U. S. Engineers in the War Department in the construction of Stewart Air Field at West Point.

In January, 1944, he entered the Army and served for two years. He was released in April, 1946, and returned to the Town offices. Prior to working for the Town, Mr. Proch was employed privately by A. J. Foote, town engineer, from 1929 to 1936.

METHODISTS SET FORUM ON CHINA

Dr. Winfield, Who Taught At Chinese University, To Speak Sunday

"Rebuilding China" will be the subject of a talk Sunday night by Dr. Gerald Winfield of 518 Walnut Street, Mamaroneck, before the second Sunday Forum of the Mamaroneck Methodist Church.

A well-known lecturer, teacher and authority on China, Dr. Winfield has just completed a book on that subject which will be published during the summer. He spent 13 years in China as a professor at Cheeloo University, returning to this country in December, 1945. He holds the post of director of American activities for United Service to China.

During the war, Dr. Winfield was with the O.W.I. and served as director of U. N. Picture News Service in Chunking, an organization sponsored jointly by the American O.W.I., the British Ministry of information and the Chinese Ministry of Information.

Prior to his work with the O.W.I., Dr. Winfield spent nine years as head of the biology department in the College of Science at Cheeloo University and as lecturer in parasitology and public health at Cheeloo's College of Medicine. He was also director of a joint program of research known as the Cheeloo and Yenching Universities Agricultural Sanitation Investigation, a program financed by the Rockefeller Foundation and concerned with seeking a new solution to China's sanitation problem.

A native of Texas, Dr. Winfield was graduated in 1928 from Southern Methodist University in Dallas, and received a doctor of science degree in hygiene from the Johns Hopkins University School of Hygiene and Public Health in 1932.

The address will follow a candlelight supper at 6:45 P. M. in the church parlors. Reservations must be made before Friday at the church office, Mamaroneck 9-4343.

The program will close the Forum series for this year. Stewart P. Park, chairman, will preside and A. E. Tuttle, program chairman, will introduce the speaker.

Reds Threaten To Cut Allied Railway Links

By The Associated Press

BERLIN—The Soviet High Command threatened today to restrict the rail and highway connections of the Western Allies in Berlin with their zones in Western Germany.

Lieut. Gen. G. S. Lukyanchenko, Soviet Chief-of-Staff, said that reconstruction and the development of a peacetime economy in the Soviet Zone of Germany had created "increased demands on the transport facilities of the Soviet Zone."

Coal Czar Bows to Court Order to Testify Before Board

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON—John L. Lewis today bowed to a Federal Court order and appeared before a presidential board inquiring into the soft coal strike.

Lewis, flanked by more than 20 aides, walked into the board's chamber at approximately ten minutes before the meeting was to begin at 2 P. M.

Federal Judge Edward M. Curran had given Lewis this choice: either to appear at the hearings, which Lewis had refused to do voluntarily, or face a possible heavy fine or jail terms for contempt of court.

Curran acted quickly after Lewis' attorney raised the question of adequate time to reply to the summons and challenged the constitutionality of the Taft-Hartley Act.

The order was served on Lewis at UMW Headquarters shortly after noon.

Lewis reached his office just before noon and Deputy Marshals arrived a bit later. One Marshal remained in Lewis' office for about 20 minutes. He did not make any announcement when he left.

Charles Ward, Chief Deputy Marshal, announced, however, that Lewis was "served personally" at 12:17 P. M.

Welley K. Hopkins, attorney for the Chief of the United Mine Workers, had argued barely 10 minutes when Curran ruled. Lewis did not appear personally to explain why he should not appear before the board of inquiry.

Curran told Hopkins the court had been lenient in granting Lewis an opportunity to "show cause." The Judge said that in his opinion he could have directed Lewis to appear before the board without the formality of today's hearing.

The order for Lewis to appear before the board this afternoon, Curran said, would have to be served on Lewis personally.

Lewis sent four lawyers to Curran's Court — Hopkins, Earl Houck, Harrison W. Combs and T. C. Townsend.

The attorneys piled into Lewis' big car and were driven by his chauffeur to the court 25 minutes before the deadline set by Federal Judge Richmond B. Keech for Lewis or his lawyers to "show cause" why he ignored the board's subpoena.

MRS. HARDY DIRECTS CANCER FUND DRIVE

"The April campaign of the Westchester Cancer Committee for funds from Larchmont will be directed this year by Mrs. William A. Hardy of 12 Pryor Lane, it was announced today by Carl H. Pforzheimer of Purchase, 1948 general campaign chairman for the county.

"Never before has the success of a drive meant so much," said Mrs. Hardy in accepting the local chairmanship. "Year after year cancer has claimed more and more citizens. In Westchester in 1947, 979 lives were lost to cancer—38 per cent of them were women, 48 per cent were men. We can hope to end this dreadful waste only by making funds available for research, service and education. Of the county quota of $120,000 Larchmont is asked to raise $6,600 —20 per cent more than last year."

With a quota of $5,500 in 1947, Larchmont went over the top with $5,655.

"Larchmont has a record to live up to," said Mrs. Hardy. "We cannot fail if everybody does his share."

Not Soviet Submarines, Says Red News Agency

By The Associated Press

LONDON—Tass, the official Soviet news agency, denied last night that submarines sighted off the United States were Russian. The agency's dispatch said such reports were an "absurd and grossly slanderous invention, calculated to deceive American public opinion."

John L. Sullivan, U. S. Secretary of the Navy, told a Senate committee last week submarines had been sighted off the American coast which did not belong to any nation "west of the Iron Curtain."

Tass said Sullivan "gave it to be understood that these submarines were Russian ones."