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LIONS HEAR TALK ON BLIND WORK

Rev. R. C. Kanne Speaks On Educating Sightless Children

The Rev. Raymond C. Kanne, field director of the Royer-Greaves School for the Blind of King of Prussia, Pa., spoke at the luncheon meeting of the Lions' Club at the Village Inn last Friday afternoon.

President Charles H. Hall conducted the meeting. Nineteen members and six visitors, including, W. H. M. Lions, Frank H. Buckner, Frank Windfield, N. R. Judson, Robert Evans, Frank Young, and Mr. Kanne, were present.

Mr. Kanne, who is almost blind, spoke of the work conducted by the Royer-Greaves, which is the only school of its kind in the United States since it teaches blind children who are subnormal in their mental facilities and corrects them of their faults. Many experts on the country have said their efforts to change subnormal blind children would be in vain, but many children of the school have been taught in such a way that their faults are as keen as some of the other normal blind children.

The club voted to donate \$15 for space in the monthly magazine, published by the school.

Secretary Palmer was authorized to send a message of thanks to the Austin Nichols Company, of New York City, who donated a case of twenty-four bottles of jam, which were sold to members of the club several weeks ago, the proceeds of which were turned over to the Christmas Relief Fund. The fund is now over the hundred dollar mark.

Secretary Palmer read the financial report and spoke of the banquet held in the Newark Elks dining room December 5, when a celebration of the chartering of Roseville Lions was held, at which he represented the local club.

It was also voted upon and approved that the club send a message of thanks to Miss Florence Graulder, nurse of the Springfield Public School, who has cooperated with the charity committee consisting of Mrs. E. J. Tichon, chairman, John W. W. and Dr. Watson B. Smith, during the past year.

P. O. S. TO HOLD NOMINATIONS TUES

Washington Camp 209, Patriotic Order, Sons of America, will hold its bi-monthly business meeting in the Municipal Building Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Second nomination of officers will be held. Nominations were made at the last meeting, but for the benefit of those who were not present, the additional nominations may be presented.

The participants, Charles M. Finch, Tom J. Smith, the Monahan family and A. D. Nichols, of Union, together with several other members, will also on trip to Philadelphia and attend the monthly meeting of the P. O. S. in County, Pa. President Newcomb, who is the representative of the P. O. S. in the field.

BUS VS. CAR

A collision between a Public Service bus, driven by Ralph Grace, of 59 Summit avenue, Chatham, and a sedan, driven by Thomas Conley, of 11 Meckanic avenue, and Main street, Sunday afternoon, resulted in very slight damage to both machines.

Both cars were turning into Morris avenue from Main street and sidwiped each other.

COURT SUSTAINS SPINNING'S VERDICT

County Judge Stein Upholds Drunken Driver Decision

The decision of France Recorder Everett L. Spinning who fined John H. George, of 80 Washington street, Newark, on a charge of drunken driving on Morris avenue July 25, was upheld by County Judge Stein in Common Pleas Court Monday morning.

George was fined \$200 and his license revoked for two years in police court July 30, after he had been declared unfit to operate an automobile by Dr. Edward G. MacPherson, of Millburn. George pressed a stop signal and was caught after it had been given by William J. Thompson.

In upholding the conviction, Judge Stein declared he would permit the fine and license suspension to stand, although he had the power to double it if he thought the appeal unjustified.

"In cases where the appeal is made for the purpose of delay only," Judge Stein said, "and I find the lower court has not erred in its determination of the case, it will be my policy to double the fine. In this case, however, I feel that the appeal is justified, and I will impose the same penalty that was imposed in the lower court."

FIFTY AT LUNCHEON OF LADIES' AID

About fifty persons were present at the covered luncheon held in the lecture room of the Methodist Church, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, Wednesday, Mrs. Marie Diercks was in charge, assisted by Mrs. Arthur Kendall, Mrs. Robert D. Freyer, Mrs. Clarence B. Meeker, Mrs. A. Lewis Grand, Mrs. Harold Barth, and Mrs. Maudie Day.

Recreation of officers followed the business meeting held after the luncheon. Mrs. Elmer Skelly was re-elected president, Mrs. Charles Stern, first vice-president, Mrs. William Silvers, second vice-president, Mrs. Manning Day, secretary, and Mrs. Arthur Kendall, treasurer.

After the meeting, an interesting program, arranged for by Mrs. Manning Day, was given. Miss Evelyn Day rendered a piano solo. Mrs. Mark Brady read several humorous articles, and a sketch, "Head's Butte and Esplanade," presented by Miss Alice Proffers, Howard Day, Mr. Harry Green, and Miss Juhanita.

Dr. W. W. Chastain, in charge of the Church of Epiphany, Church, was the speaker at the luncheon. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the Village Inn, Monday evening.

Who's Who In Springfield



Township committeeman Charles S. Quinzel in addition to his many civic and political positions, is also an active volunteer fireman of the above picture well known.

Mr. Quinzel dates back his residence here to a historical year, 1888, the year of the "Great Blizzard." He has been on the Township Committee since 1923, although his term will expire at the end of this year.

He is chairman of the committee on grounds and buildings, and on garbage disposal and public utilities.

Before serving on the Township Committee, Mr. Quinzel was on the Board of Education from 1909 to 1923. He is president of the Board of Health and is acting treasurer of both the Executive Firemen's Association of the Volunteer Firemen's Association.

The fraternal organizations of which he is a member are Jr. O. U. A. M., F. and A. M., Continental Lodge of Millburn, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, and charter member of P. O. S. A. He has been a trustee of the Central Presbyterian Church of Newark for the past fourteen years.

Mr. Quinzel is in the painting, decorating and paperhanging business and has his office in Bloomfield.

CHRISTMAS RELIEF WORK IS PLANNED

Plans for Christmas relief work were completed at the regular monthly meeting of the Springfield-Millburn Society, held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Palmer Brill, of Ketch street.

The card party for the benefit of the society, held last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Lindberry, of 50 Whittingham terrace, Millburn, proved to be very successful. Mrs. Raymond Barron and Mrs. Franklin M. Marshall were in charge.

The society wishes to thank the many local residents and school children who so generously helped to make Thanksgiving a happy day for the little babies at the Arthur Home and Kindergarten for Old Ladies, in Summit, by either giving food and clothing or donations. The society sent twelve \$3.00 home a truckload of food and clothing.

ASSASSIN AT MEETING

Donald H. Meek, a member of the local branch of the A. O. U. W., was shot at the home of Mrs. J. J. Smith, of the Union County Jail, at a meeting held Monday evening.

MEISEL ON HUNTING TRIP

Peter H. Meisel, who resigned last week as director of the Union County Board of Freeholders, to assume next April the position of county purchasing agent, is away on a hunting trip to Cambridge, Maryland. Mr. Meisel, who makes a hunting trip to the South every winter, is accompanied by Jacob E. Bauer, State Highway Engineer.

AIR MARKERS WILL BE PAINTED HERE

Large Letters To Be Laid On Hugo Mayer's Roof

By Jan. 30, Springfield's road project, many local residents will be surprised to learn that air plane markers, to guide pilots in the air, will be painted on the roof of the Morris Avenue Motor Car Company's building. Mrs. Belle Smith, proprietress, who has been personally interested in town for several years to have air plane markers placed on the roof of the building, has been successful in negotiating several local business men to act on the project. Last week a notice placed in the Sun from the Daniel Guggenheim Fund for the Promotion of Aeronautics, addressed to Mrs. Smith, attracted the eye of many readers and before long several persons connected to be connected in some way or other with the idea, so that Springfield, although it may be small, should be noticed from the air.

Hugo Mayer, owner of the Morris Avenue Motor Car Company, furnished the use of his roof, and Arthur H. Lemmon, the surveyor and engineer, in the Brookside Building, gladly volunteered to lay out the letters and paint them. Each letter of the proposed marker will be twelve feet high and eight feet wide, and the thickness of each will be six feet. The color of the letters will be cream, and it is estimated that about two gallons of paint will be used. Due to the stormy weather, it will be about three weeks before the sign is completed.

From end to end, the length of the sign will be one hundred feet. The cost of the painting is one hundred and nine feet, thus complying with the regulation of the Guggenheim Fund, which has furnished Mr. Lemmon with the necessary three feet.

JR. O. U. A. M. WILL HOLD XMAS PARTY

Plans for a Christmas party for the benefit of the families of members of Battle Hill Council 120, Jr. O. U. A. M., were made at the bi-monthly business meeting of the council last Friday evening in the Municipal Building.

The party will be held evening of next week in the Municipal Building at 8:30 o'clock. A short business meeting will precede.

All members and their families are to be invited, and each child present will receive two or more gifts from Santa Claus. The entertainment committee, consisting of John H. Schuster, Otto M. Hepler, Harry C. Stewart, and Monique Marjory, which is in charge of the affair, held a special meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. J. Smith, last afternoon.

TRAFFIC SOLUTION DELAYED BY STATE

Highway Board to Unravel Knot After Finishing Routes 23-4

The State Highway Commission will consider remedying the heavy traffic conditions on Morris avenue after the completion of State Routes 22 and 4, the Township Committee was informed at its regular meeting last night in a letter from State Engineer Jacob E. Bauer.

Mr. Bauer wrote that the matter is not allied with the opening of these two new highways, which are expected to take some traffic off Morris avenue, but the State Highway Commission will again consider the question. The letter was filed and a copy of it will be forwarded to the Springfield Business and Professional Association.

A delegation of property owners was present, requesting that a sanitary sewer be laid in the Dutchman Lane section which is along South Springfield avenue and the contemplated State Route 29. Mrs. G. M. Duryell, 15 Boylston avenue, was spokesman for the group. She requested that the more signatures from affected property owners.

The Board of Freeholders wrote that they will discontinue work on the paving of Morris avenue from the Farmers Hotel to the Summit line until some future date, thus complying with the wishes of the Township Committee.

The Freeholders also wrote that Peter H. Meisel resigned from their board effective as of December 5. A successor will be appointed following advice from counsel as to the exact procedure to be followed.

A letter was received from Anthony A. Schaefer, Battle Hill avenue, requesting a pedler's license. He was asked to apply to the State board, which is the authorized body to grant such permits.

An ordinance was passed on first reading fixing the salary of the Township Clerk at \$2,000 a year. A hearing will be held at a special meeting on December 27. Township Attorney Charles W. Wolf reported that he could not find any statute authorizing the township to pass a law ordinance as required by the P. O. S. A. and suggested that the legislature was the proper body to be petitioned to pass a law on this matter.

The E. J. Flaherty Company, working on the sanitary sewer to be now replacing Summit, now a county road. When this work is finished, Mountain avenue will be placed.

The same firm is constructing an electric station (generating and pumping station) on Maric avenue.

Early next week sewer work is expected to begin on the north side of Morris avenue from Mountain avenue toward Summit. The workmen will delay tearing up Mountain avenue from Mountain avenue to Pioneer avenue for the benefit of the merchants who are dependent on their business.

Gabriel Larson was absent.

SPRINGFIELD TEAM WINS LEAGUE TILT

Yesterday the rest over the winter holiday did the local team some good when they emerged out of their long losing streak and defeated the Summit B team two games out of three in a Lackawanna League contest last Thursday night on the Woodruff Alley in Centre Street. The third game was to be played on the final score read at 7:35 p. m.

The Capital Club of the local five was defeated with an average of 185. The scores and team standing are as follows:

Table with columns for team names (Summit B, Springfield) and scores.

Table with columns for team names (Springfield) and scores.

Table with columns for team names (TEAM STANDING) and scores.

STOLEN CAR FOUND BEFORE ALARM SENT

Before the alarm for a stolen car had been sent over the county wire, local police recovered a machine belonging to an Irvington driver and stolen by four minors from Vanx, Hall and Union, late Monday evening.

A call was sent to local headquarters by a resident of Morris Avenue Monday evening that several boys had left a car parked on Morris Avenue near the Union Hall and Hall walked away this evening, Seven Bridge Road.

Patrolman Thompson, who was on duty at the time, discovered the car on Dec. 10. The boys were found on Seven Bridge Road and taken to the station. They found keys in the car and later later the car was found. One of the boys was found. One of the boys was found.

The youths were jailed in connection with the two stolen cars. It is known during Thanksgiving week but they denied any connection with that affair.

The Union police will hold the car and change them with recovery of an automobile.

GET THE BUY- AT HOME-HABIT

SCHEPPI-BRANTI

The engagement of Fannie Branti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Branti, of Mountain Avenue, to Adam Scheppi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Scheppi, of Park Avenue, Summit, was announced Sunday evening at a party held in the Branti home.

The event, which marked Miss Branti's twentieth birthday, was attended by more than 250 relatives and friends from New York City, Newark, Orange, Summit, Millburn and Springfield.

Decorations were pink and white and cream and blue. Miss Lucille Branti, sister of the bride-to-be, gave several piano selections and accompanied Frank Parenti, of Millburn, who sang some of his own compositions. Eliner Adams, of Morris Avenue, who plays over radio station WNJ, every Tuesday evening with Miss Branti and Mr. Parenti, entertained with several songs on his harmonica.

Frances Scheppi, five year old, a niece of the bride-to-be, gave a dancing exhibition. A large birthday cake, lit up with twenty candles, rested on the dining room table. As Mr. Branti announced the engagement of his daughter to Mr. Scheppi, confetti was thrown.

Miss Branti received many gifts. No date for the wedding has been selected as yet.

TURKEY SHOOT TOMORROW

A turkey shoot for the members of the police department will be held tomorrow afternoon and Monday afternoon in the Old Quarry. It will be a handicap affair, and the handicaps will be determined by the results of the turkey shoot held several weeks ago, when William J. Thomp was first, Albert A. Sorg was second and Harold D. Searles was third.

The distances will range from 30 yards for the scratch contestant to 25 yards for the highest handicapped one.

Three turkeys will be awarded and the requirements will be the best average of five shots within twenty seconds.

POET'S CORNER

Children sixteen years of age and under are invited to send in poems to this column; address your envelopes to the Springfield SUN and mark Poet's Column in the lower left-hand corner.

ROUTINE

Work, work, work, Morning, noon and night, Manager, officer, clerk, Housemaid, husband and wife.

Some of us work for pleasure, Some of us work for fun, And some of us work Only to get the job done.

Drilling, plunging, crying, On to that work we go, It must be done, It must as we all know.

So, working through the hours, Until the twilight's call, Then, laying down, without a frown,

The work. The answer has, we go to Homestead hall,

Then the work is done, Around we gather to the fire, Laughter and songs we have now, As we listen to each heart's desire.

BERNICE KANTOR (12)

POLICE HEAR LECTURE

Chief Ruyon and several members of the local police department went to Maplewood Tuesday afternoon and heard a lecture given by J. Burnhart, of Newark, on "Murder and Homicide." This is one of a series of talks sponsored by the Police Chiefs' Association of New Jersey.

Arthur H. Lennox Registered Engineer and Surveyor

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tomobile to sell, etc., try the Classified Adlets and get results.

FURNISHED ROOM TO LET Two furnished rooms to let. Inquire J. W. Stewart, 289 Morris Avenue.

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A ready guide to business interests in this vicinity. Consult this directory

AUTOMOBILES CHEVROLET Fleetwood Chevrolet Co., 163 Morris Avenue, Millburn 1180.

AUTO REPAIR AND WRECKER SERVICE Springfield Garage, Morris & Mountain Avenues, Millburn 181.

BANK First National Bank of Springfield, Brookside Building, Millburn 500.

DAIRY Wat Nong Dairy, G. W. Parsell, Jr., Prop., Grade A Dairy Products, Millburn 1061.

EATING PLACES Gibson's Diner Good Eats—Courteous Service, Never Closed, Morris and Mountain Aves.

FURRIER Edward Ponton, 262 Morris Avenue, Millburn 12-4V.

GARAGE Brookside Garage (open all night), Morris Ave. at Baltusrol Way, Millburn 632.

HARDWARE Huff Hardware Co. Inc., 269 Morris Avenue, Millburn 243.

LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR Clarence W. Gillis, Landscape Contractor and Tree Expert, Millburn 1898.

PAINTER A. E. James, 135 Tooker Ave., Millburn 1280.

PLUMBER Harry C. Anderson, 140 Mountain Ave., Millburn 1896.

REAL ESTATE Mrs. G. M. Duttweiler, 15 Rose Ave., Millburn 1504.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE SPECIALISTS Henry J. Dassing & Co., 613 Morris Avenue, Millb. 9.

TAXI CAB Springfield Cab, 161 Morris Ave., Millburn 683 or 1146, Millburn 13-J after midnight.

TIRE REPAIR Springfield Tire Repair Shop, New and Used Tires, Tubes and Tubes Vulcanized. All work guaranteed, Millburn 798.

Advertisement for living Christmas trees from North Jersey Nurseries, 313 Main St., Millburn, N. J.

Advertisement for Springfield Battery and Electric Store, 245 Morris Avenue, Millburn 1053, Springfield, N. J.

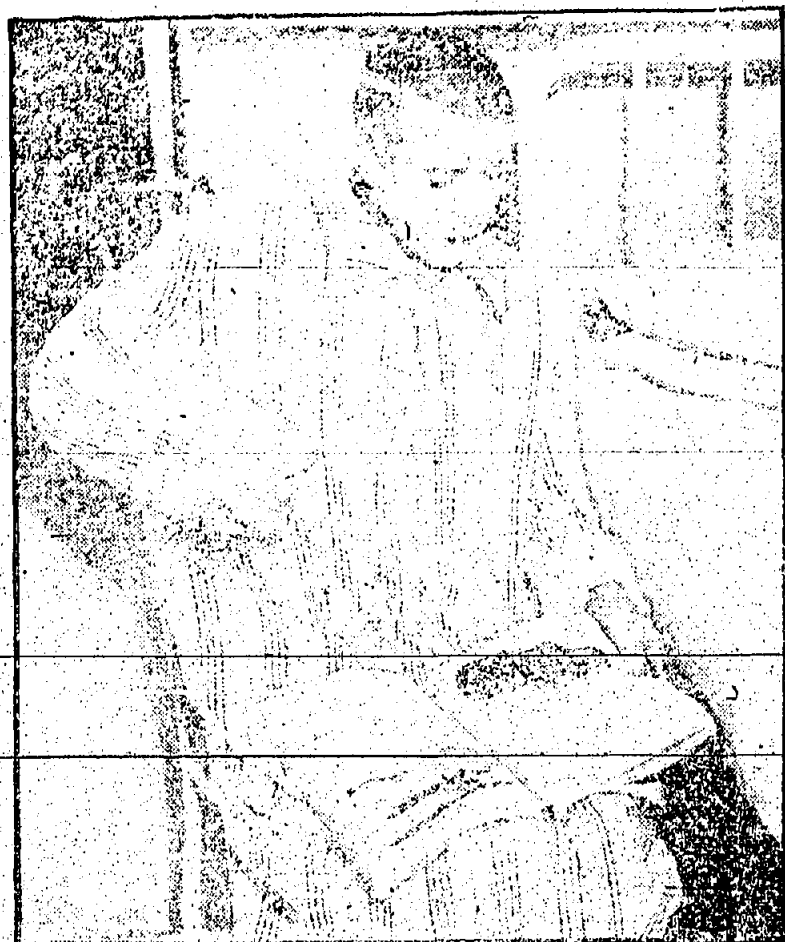
Large advertisement for Flying Eagle Motor Coach Service to New York, Somerset Bus Company.

'Are We Worried? You Bet We Are NOT!'

Will She Fly Again?



ARE WE WORRIED?—It faces mean anything the straggly expression on Gene Tabor's in the above picture. Betty Gardner, showed only serene, smiling confidence as the camera clicked. The photograph was taken as the former flight champ and his bride returned to their native shores. (New York Graphic photo)



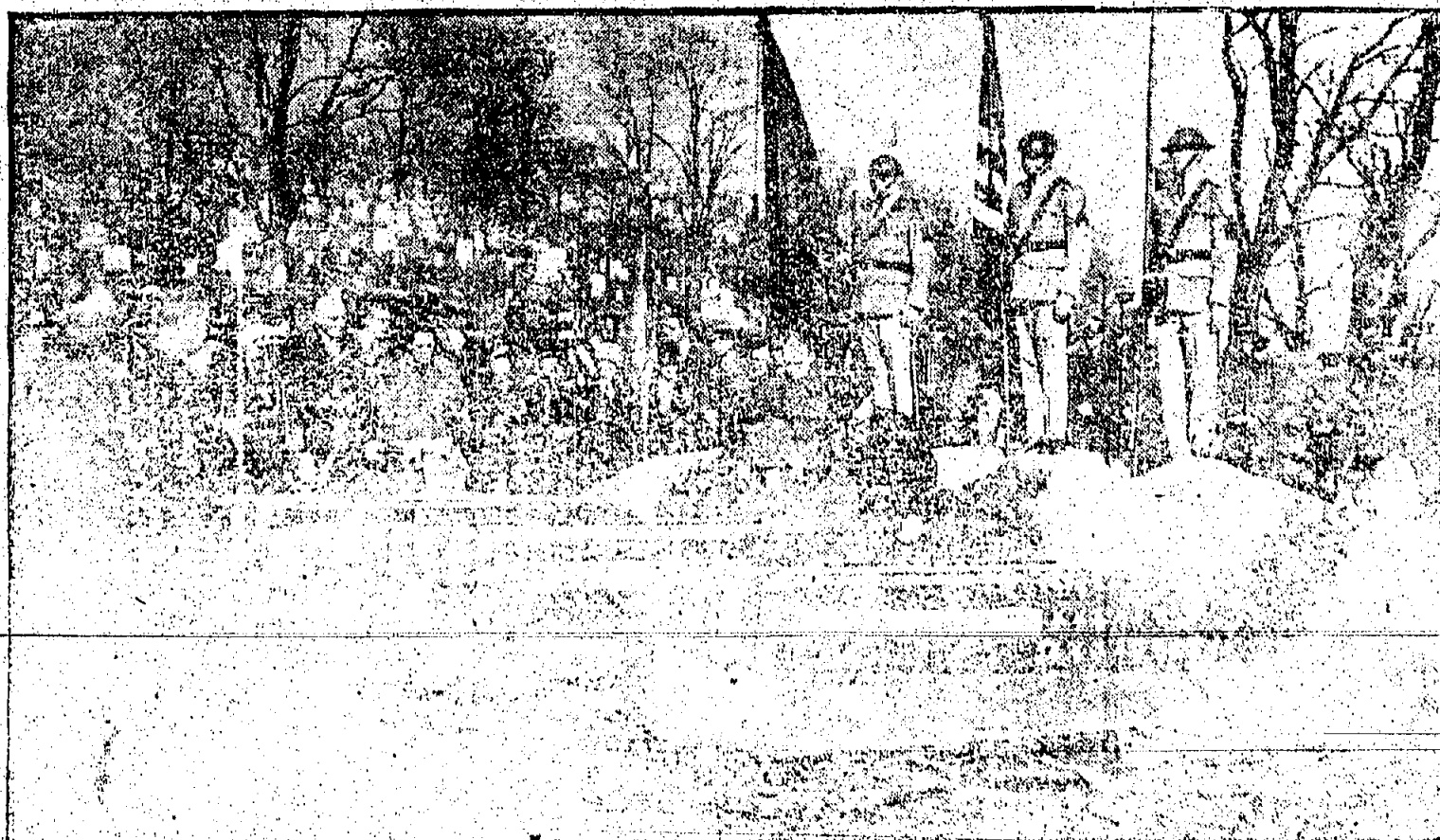
SPILL A PATIENT at New York Hospital for Ruptured and Crimped, Vola Geney, aviator, is recovering from injuries received when plane in which she was flying to endurance record crashed at Roosevelt Field. Her co-pilot, Jack Asheroff, was killed.

Composer Weds Radio Star



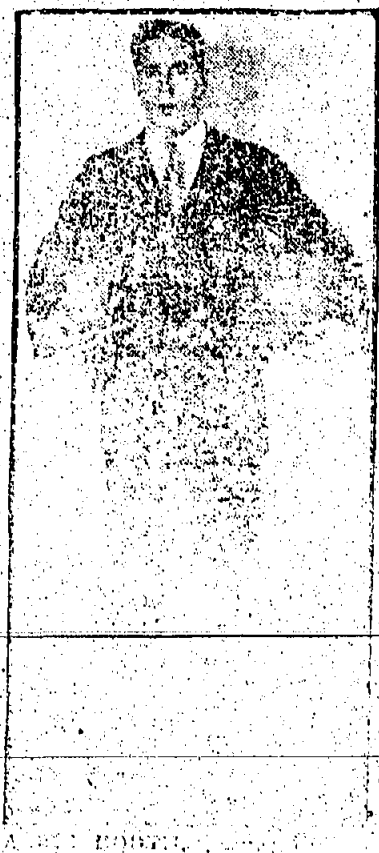
ROVANCE, which started in radio field of a dancing studio, where they met, resulted in marriage of Peter de Rose, composer, to May Singli Breen, well known ukulele expert. Connie (left) is on honeymoon trip at present time. (New York Graphic photo)

World War Soldier Dead Buried in Arlington



SOLDIER DEAD—Funeral services were held at Arlington Cemetery for three World War heroes of the A. E. F. who died at Foch, France, Russia. Their bodies were recently brought back home. Capt. Harvey Miller, commander of 3000th Central Postal Directory, is shown placing medals on Regimental standard.

Big Little Man



Big Little Man—The man in the above photograph is the 'Big Little Man' mentioned in the caption. He is a well-known figure in the community.

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STATISTICS OF SPRINGFIELD

Population 1929 (estimated)	4,000
Assessed valuation, 1929	\$4,746,339
Tax rate, 1929	\$4.04
Form of government	Township
Bank Resources	\$1,000,000.00

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

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

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

ACTION

The word of supreme importance in our speech is action. The man who rises from the level, who changes the face of the globe, who influences and commands, who gets others to follow his lead, is the one who does things. In a crowd of dilettantes and theoreticians, the doer appears compact of real substance, while the others seem vague shadows. There is something solid, tangible and vital to action. We can touch it, feel it, sense it and are stirred by it, while the finest meditating leaves us where we started. The universe presents to our contemplation a picture of unceasing action. Life itself is constant action, moulded from it, fed from it, and ceasing to be life when action ceases. In all the range of diverse personalities with which the world is filled, the person who does things elbows past the rest, and leads the van.

Human action is not alone physical. It is not limited to muscle. There is action of the brain. In fact, unless physical action is co-ordinated with brain action, it becomes elemental, like the motion of the wind, or the movements of the tides, and is not a part of conscious living.

Action can be of the mind, the body, and both. It is difficult to draw the line between the body and mind, they seem intertwined. There is a form of bodily effort which is indeterminate and lackadaisical, and there is likewise a form of mental exertion which is no more than hazy drifting. Only that form of effort is entitled to the dignity of action which takes clear shape, and moves to a distant objective.

Dreams, visions, theories and plans which remain in that form are like streams that end in a morass and lose themselves there. They must be translated into concrete, understandable shape to have force.

Action can take myriad shapes. It appears to us in countless forms. He who feels the stir of expressive energy within himself, need not lack for an outlet. There is the field of affairs, of study, invention, painting, art, science, and the not less important opportunity of humble, but indispensable tasks.

Every thought that is moulded to clear and definite shape, so that it is communicable to another person; every blend of sound that furnishes melody to another's hearing; each speech or movement or deliberated action that is part of a structure of usefulness furnishes the means whereby the creative nature of man is released in service.

We live in a world of relationship. We serve and are served. We live in a world in which everything we think, everything we plan, everything we do, must be measured in terms of availability and need by other persons. All this is measurable into the single word, action. Ours is a hard world for the millers, the chatters, the dreamers, who never get beyond dreaming. It is a world constituted for doers, not by doers, and it has its kindly, cardinal compensations for the dreamer who has done nothing.

Rambling Around SPRINGFIELD

At this stage of civilization, we hear talk about a care-free age, of a wild life, where no one is interested in his brother man, where it is considered foolish to help a friend in distress. This is not intended as a serious lecture, but somehow or other, it is difficult to leave out in these columns a mention of the good-will, the charity giving and all told, the feelings of local residents, who at this time of the year are planning to help the poor and needy of Springfield. Mention has often been made of charitable deeds of the organizations in town, but now it might be a bit more impressive to write a word of what all the clubs, lodges and fraternities are doing. The Lions' Club, the Sunshine Society, the three churches, the First Presbyterian, the Methodist Episcopal and the St. James Catholic, not to forget the St. Stephen's Episcopal Church of Millburn, which numbers among its congregation not a few localites—and we could go along the line, mentioning every one who is interested to see that his brother man should enjoy the Yuletide season as he himself might. Springfield may not be as populous as Newark, or Elizabeth, or any big city nearby, but the spirit of spreading cheer and sunshine is still in vogue.

The burglar alarm of the First National Bank was ringing.

From nowhere, emerged two members of the police department, with their hands on their revolvers, ready for action.

"What's the trouble?" called out one to the cashier, Louis J. Wiman.

"Nothing, boss; I stepped on the alarm by mistake. I'm sorry," was the reply.

Just a little example of the efficiency of the local force, in being alert and on the job. However, one must remember the story of "Wolf, wolf!" It's better to be sure than sorry.

Last week a remark was made of a local confectioner, whose line it was to get a new pipe, since the one he was using then was bulging with pipe—to keep its parts together. The article caught his attention and he thought of a new one. But still he would friction tape about the pipe. What's the mystery?

Springfield is now on the way. An airplane marker will be fauted on the roof of Hugo Mayer's garage at Morris avenue, Mead avenue and Seven Bridge road, within the next few weeks. Credit is due Mrs. Belle Smith, postmistress, who was an ardent supporter of the plan and who interested several local business men to have the guide made. A certificate of appreciation, signed by the famous "Lone Eagle," Charles A. Lindbergh, will be awarded to the persons who helped put through the project.

WHERE TO BUY THE "SUN"

The SPRINGFIELD SUN is on sale at the following news stands: B. Shack, Morris avenue and Mountain avenue; Deirano's, 216 Morris avenue; Majorino's, 161 Morris avenue; and the Teddy Shoppe, 19 Morris avenue.

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

CHURCH AFFAIRS AND SERVICES

METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Rev. Wm. I. Reed, pastor.
Sunday School service, 9.45 a. m.
Morning service, 11 a. m.
Mission study class, 5 p. m.
Epworth League Service 6 p. m.
Epworth League meeting at 7 p. m.

A large congregation attended the evening services Sunday, in which an open forum was conducted. Questions asked by members were answered by the pastor.

About \$52 in proceeds were realized from the food sale held Saturday afternoon in the vacant store, next to the post-office, under the auspices of the Sunday school. Mrs. Clarence B. Meeker, Mrs. William Reger and Miss Alice Bell were in charge. Home-made cakes, biscuits, breads, salads, pies, and preserved fruits were on sale.

The regular monthly meeting of the Official Board was held in the lecture room Monday evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society met in the lecture room Wednesday afternoon. A Christmas party followed.

The union prayer service was held last night in the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Reed spoke.

Several members of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society went to Newark yesterday and attended the district meeting of the society, in the Y. W. C. A. building. Sessions were held at 10 a. m. and at 2 p. m. The society will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. B. Meeker, of Morris avenue, at 2 p. m.

The Junior Epworth League will meet tomorrow afternoon in the lecture room.

The regular business meeting of the Epworth League will be held Tuesday evening in the lecture room. A Christmas party will follow the meeting, and games will be played. Miss Alice Reed, with several assistants will make the arrangements. The members are rehearsing once a week for the play, "Fickle Fortune," which the league will present January 15.

A Christmas party for the beginners of the Sunday School between the ages of 2 and 6 will be held next Saturday afternoon, December 21. The mothers of the members are also invited.

The Sunday School party for all the members, except the beginners will be held Thursday evening. In connection with the party, a pageant, with sixty members in the cast will be presented. The name of the pageant will be "In David's Little City."

"In David's Day" will lead this week's Epworth League service and the title will be "Preparing the Topic."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. George A. Liggett, pastor.

Sunday school service 9.45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor meeting 7.45 p. m. in the chapel.

Mrs. Charles Phillhower, of Westfield, president of the Women's Presbyterian Missionary Society of Union County spoke at the evening service held last Sunday. Mrs. Phillhower told of the missionary work being done in this country among Indians in the West.

The subject of the Christian Endeavor Society was "What Is Back of Our Christian Giving." Miss Flora Day will be in charge of this week's program.

Thirteen members of the society went to Union Tuesday evening and attended a rally of the Union County Christian Endeavor Society in the Connecticut Farms Presbyterian Church. Plans were discussed at the rally for this year's work. A social followed. All the officers of the local society were present.

The mid-week prayer service was held in the church last night. William I. Reed, pastor of the Methodist Church, spoke.

ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC

Rev. Thomas B. Larkin, rector.
Masses Sunday morning at 7.30, 9.30 and 11 o'clock.

Sunday school service following 9.30 mass.

Holy Day masses at 6.15 a. m. and 8 a. m.

The Dramatic Society met in the Lions' Club rooms in the Brookside Building last night. Plans for a banquet for the members who took part in the revue, "Let's Make Whoopee," will be made.

Returns were also made and it is expected that about \$700 clear profit will be realized.

ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL (Protestant) Millburn

Rev. Hugh W. Dickinson, rector.

Holy Communion, 8 a. m.
Church School and Bible Class at 9.45 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon by the rector, 11 a. m.

Vesper service, with musical score and address by the rector, 5 p. m. Assisted by Bayard Stone, tenor; Miss Lee Fildell, soprano; and Edwin Livingstone, organist.

Thirteen members of the Junior Guild went to New York City Tuesday afternoon, and attended a theatre matinee. Instead of holding their regular monthly meeting for December, the guild decided to have a Christmas party in the form of a one-day trip to New York.

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"MARIANNE" PLAYING AT STRAND THEATER

Herb Brown and Arthur Freed, who wrote the song hits from "Broadway Melody" and the "Singing in the Rain" number from "The Hollywood Revue," add a new hit to their record in "Marianne," Marion Davies' first talking feature which is at the Roth-Strand at Summit on Friday and Saturday.

The new Brown-Freed number is "Blondy" and was written especially with Miss Davies in mind for this picture. The noted composers also wrote "Tommy Atkins on Parade" for Miss Davies' number in "The Hollywood Revue."

Robert Z. Leonard directed the new musical talkie with Lawrence Gray, Cliff (Ukelele Ike) Edwards, Benny Rubin, Robert Edeson and others of note in supporting roles.

Harry Langdon in his first all-talking comedy, "Hotter Than Hot," is the principal short subject offering at the Strand, Summit, next week, Friday and Saturday.



DOROTHY SEBASTIAN

favorable screen players as Helene Costello, Rex Lease, Claire McDowell, Emmett King, George Periolat and Ernest Hilliard, it stands to reason that the picture itself is out of the ordinary, else the producer would not be so exacting in his desire to make each characterization a thing apart by lining up such a group of superior artists. We refer to "When Dreams Come True," the latest Trium Carr Production, made for Rayart release, which is scheduled as the Matinee Special this Saturday at the Roth-Strand Theatre. It was directed by Duke Worne, which means Drama with a great big capital letter.

Roland Young, famous New York stage actor, hero of "Budies" and other Broadway shows, makes his picture debut in the midst of a highly interesting Ben Hecht's "The Unholy Night," which Lionel Barrymore directed and which comes to the Strand Summit on Monday and Tuesday next, as an all-talking production. It is a vivid thriller with a notable cast that includes Dorothy Sebastian, Ervyn C. Torrence, Nanette Albrecht, Richard Tucker, Clark Fleming, Boris Karloff, Paul Moran, George Cooper, Thelma Striano, Gene Barry, Lionel Barrymore, Solon, John Cook and a host of others of note.

The plot, an immensely popular one, unfolds a group of young officers in a dark, sinister, and mysterious plot, planned by a natural enemy. A mysterious scene provides a clue to the proper situation of the plot. The scene is a play on the Ben Hecht's "Unholy Night" and "The Unholy Night" is a play on "The Unholy Night."

tion contains such a number of The supplementary and contrast talking and sound films to be screened next Monday and Tuesday at the Strand Theatre, Summit, includes the two part comedy, "The Family Reunion," the yodivil film "Every Morning," featuring Gertrude Lawrence and the current issue of the Pathe Sound and Talking News-reel.

Russell Birdwell, who directed "Masquerade," all talking picture coming next Wednesday and Thursday to the Strand Summit Theatre, spent his boyhood in Mexico City and early conceived the ambition of becoming a bull-fighter. "Instead," he laughs, "I started to work for newspapers and battled with typewriters." As a newspaper man and feature writer he has circled the globe and flown more than 80,000 miles in airplanes.

Wednesday and Thursday's short subjects at the Strand Summit includes Herbert and Bard in the



DOROTHY SEBASTIAN and ERNEST TORRENCE in "THE UNHOLY NIGHT"

comedy sketch, "Mind Your Business," Al Herman and his orchestra in "Me Too," and the Vitrol film featuring Beatrix Lilley.

Friday night, next week, at nine o'clock will take place on the stage of the Roth-Strand Theatre, the grand drawing for the Grayhar Screen Grid Radio being given away absolutely free through the courtesy of the Bradley Radio Service, Inc., of Summit.

Mr. William Bradley, the head of the Bradley Radio Service, is celebrating the second anniversary of that organization's business, and considers this the most satisfactory way of sharing that company's success with others.

In the drawing of the coupons, a slight change will be made, instead of the seventh number drawn being the first opportunity to win the radio, this time it will be the thirteenth ticket. Should any of the holders of the first twelve tickets drawn desire to purchase a radio before January 1st, Mr. Bradley will give them a special discount upon presentation of those tickets.

Coupons are distributed free to all purchasers of admission tickets at the Roth-Strand box office. And you must be present on next Friday night to win.

The all-talking, singing, dancing musical revue, "Words and Music" with Louis Moran, Tom Patricia and David Perry is the Roth-Strand's first picture Friday and Saturday of next week. This is a brilliant, musical comedy along the lines of "Good News" and "The Unholy Night" and "The Unholy Night" is a play on "The Unholy Night."

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ACCIDENT ON SEVEN BRIDGES ROAD

Machines, driven by Daniel C. Colesworthy, Jr., of 542 Saint Marks avenue, Westfield, and John Eicheney, of 294 South Nineteenth street, Newark, collided on Seven Bridges road, near Bower's farm, Sunday afternoon.

Both cars were going in the direction of Newark when they struck each other. Colesworthy's car was slightly damaged and left on its own power. The headlights, fender and radiator of the Newark machine were broken. Both drivers reported the accident to headquarters.

D. OF A. TO INITIATE

Thirteen new members will be initiated tonight at the bi-monthly meeting of the Pride of Battle Hill Council No. 17, Daughters of America, to be held in the Municipal Building at 7.30 p. m.

State Councillor Mrs. Sadie Ludlow of Jersey City and her staff, and National Councillor Mrs. Sarah Johnson, of Newark, and her staff.

ASSESSORS TO MEET

The Board of Tax Assessors, composed of Frank E. Meisel, Alfred W. Warner and Elmer Stieley, will meet in the Municipal Building today from 2 to 5 in the afternoon; tomorrow from 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon and from 7.30 to 9 o'clock in the evening.

Taxpayers may present their claims at the meeting and also inquire as to what assessments have been made against them.

FIRE ALARMS

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

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:: Boy Scout Notes ::

Raymond Pierson, Willard Day, William White, Warren Boss and Robert Briggs, of the local troop 66, Boy Scouts of America, will be awarded merits and certificates tonight at the Court of Honor, to be held in the Second Presbyterian Church, in East Jersey street, Elizabeth. All the members of the troop, numbering twenty-six, will be present, accompanied by Scoutmaster Grenville Day and Assistant Scoutmasters Harry C. Venn, Jr., and Edward Hoagland. They will appear in full regalia, with uniforms, and all their flags.

William White will be awarded the Star badge, received after a scout has attained five merit badges. Willard Day will be awarded merit badges in pathfinding and woodwork; Raymond Pierson will be awarded merit badges in carpentry, firemanship, handicraft, woodwork, pathfinding and personal health; Robert Briggs, in poultry keeping and firemanship; and Warren Boss, the first-class scout's certificate.

Seven members spent the weekend at the troop camp in Brookside, seven miles north of Morristown, in charge of Scoutmaster Day and Assistant Scoutmasters Venn and Hoagland. Those in the group included Lawrence Selander, Warren Boss, Willard Day, Kenneth Hoagland, Martin Pazio, Frank W. Woodruff, and John Schmidt.

The next meeting of the troop will be held Friday evening, December 20, in the James Caldwell School.

CARS BADLY DAMAGED

Two machines were badly damaged as a result of a collision on Morris avenue and Main street early Saturday afternoon when an automobile, driven by John Cindale, of 306 Springfield avenue, Summit, going west on Morris avenue towards Union, was struck by a car, driven by Mrs. Myra H. Smith, of 174 Mountain avenue, Summit, going in the opposite direction. Mrs. Smith's vehicle hit a bump on the slippery pavement, it caused it to slide, and she could not avoid striking the other car.

The whole left side of Cindale's car was damaged, and the axle and springs broken. It was towed to Summit, with the headlights, fenders, bumpers, and radiator damaged.

TO SERVE ON JURY

Alvin H. Boss and Henry Guenzel were drawn to serve on the sixth panel of petit jurors by Sheriff Emmons and Jury Commissioner Leonard O'Brien before County Judge Stein in the Courthouse Monday morning. This is the last panel to be chosen during this term of the county courts and the members will sit from December 16 until the end of the term.

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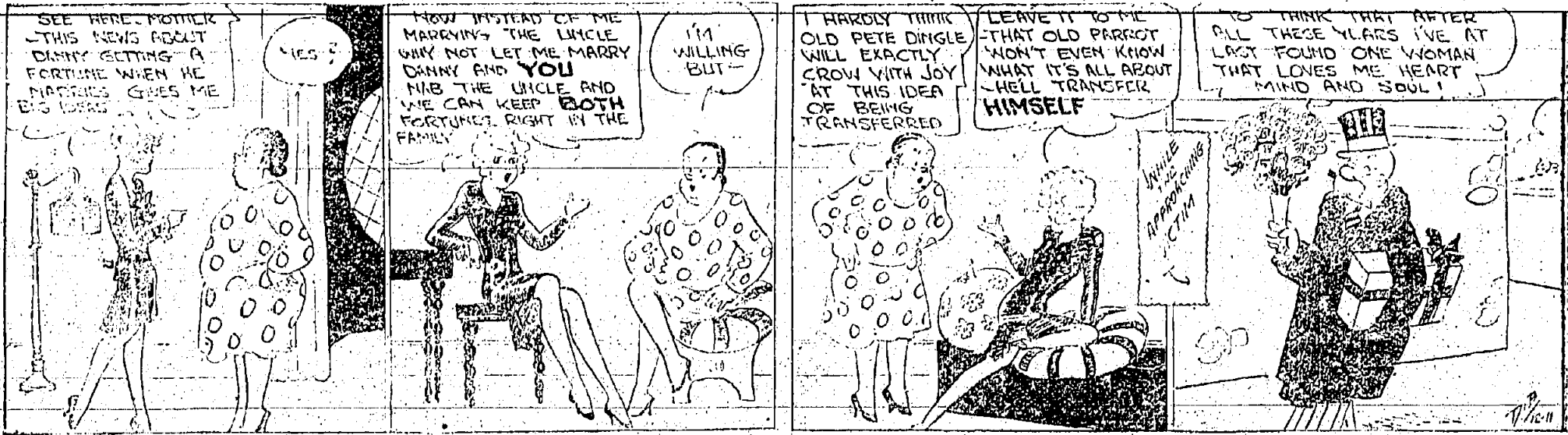
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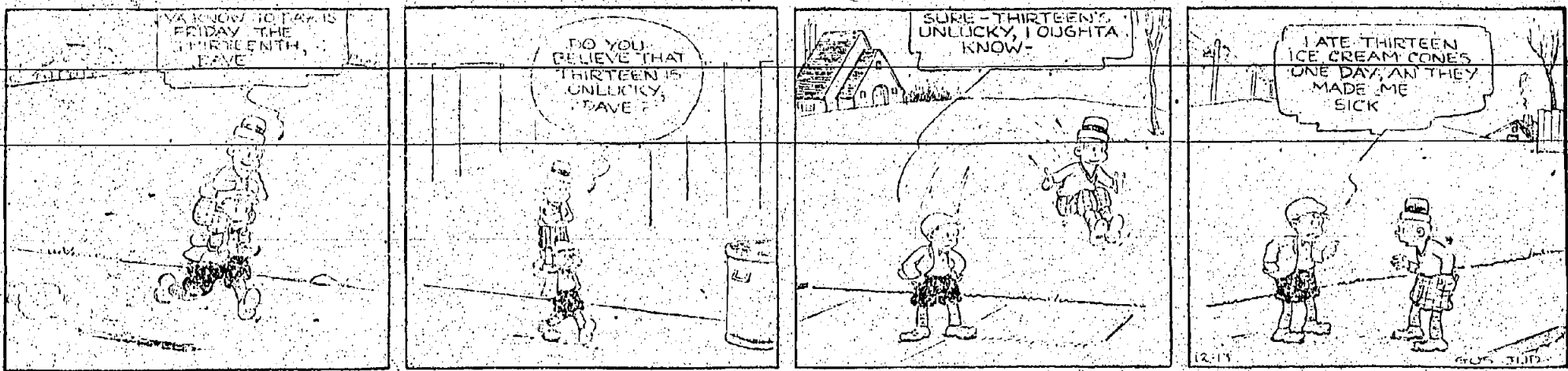
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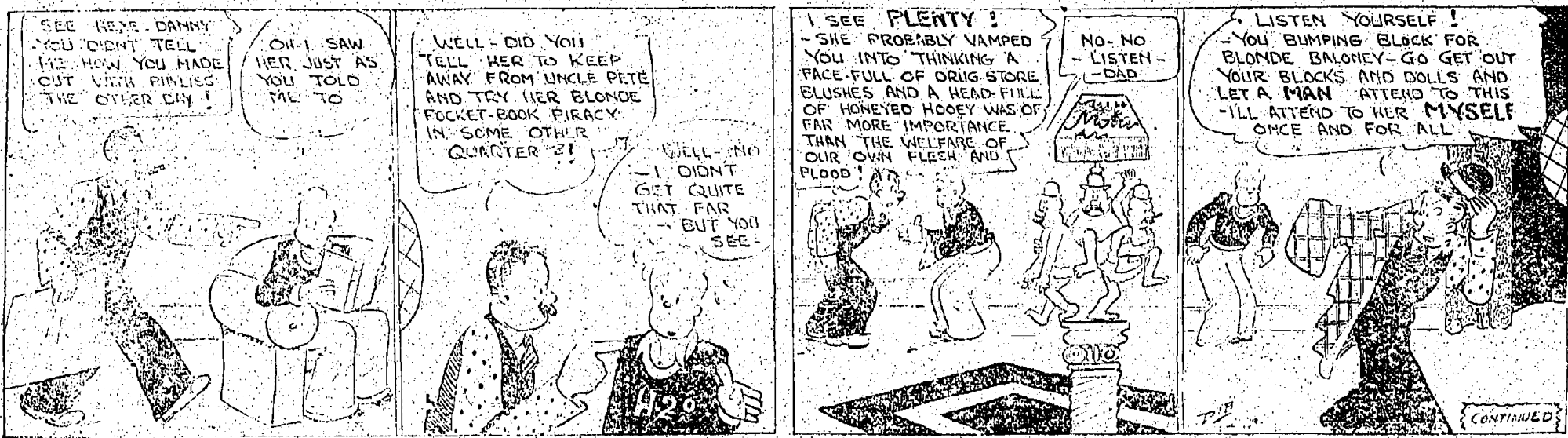
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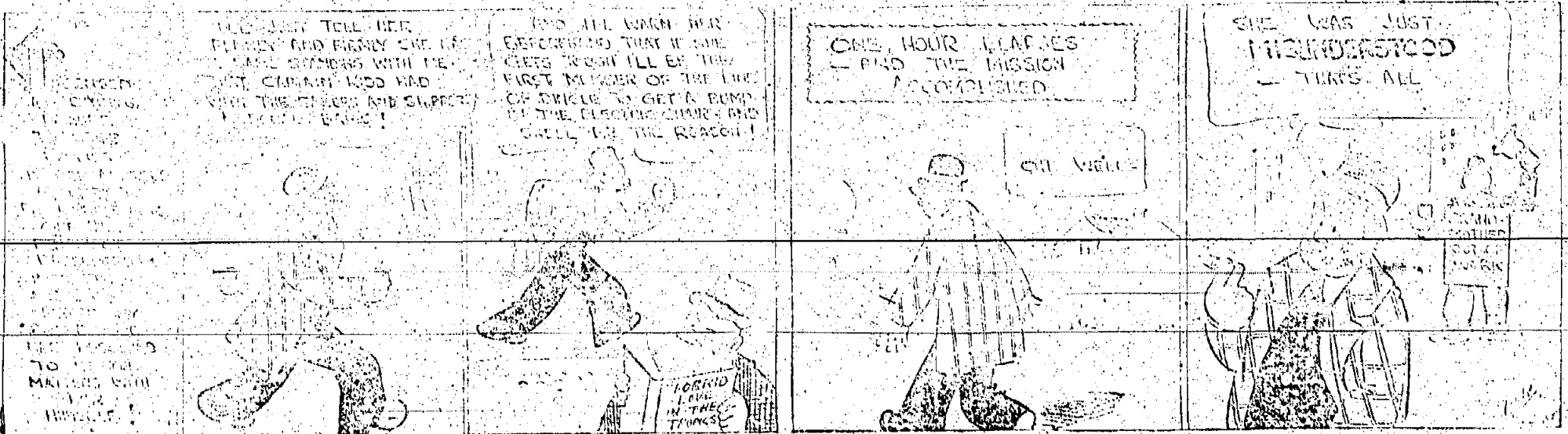
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Kisses of Understanding

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BLAME YOUR WINTER ILLS ON YOURSELF FOR OVEREATING AND NOT EXERCISING



LA TE fall and winter. The "season of sickness." Just around the corner lurk colds, pneumonia, influenza. Devitalizing diseases that sap strength, impair efficiency, cause numerous deaths.

Annually "epidemics" occur. Poor and rich fall into their traps. Nobody profits but doctors and undertakers. A sad time all around. And, if not sad, at least uncomfortable, with everything from snuffly noses to physical breakdowns to think about. *All useless. All totally unnecessary.*

Those who suffer from the ills of fall and winter are those who fail to take care of themselves during fall and winter.

TAKING care of one's self is easy in the spring and summer, when everything is lovely outdoors; when enchantment lures to wood and fields; to parks and ocean beaches—anywhere and everywhere away from the stifling confines of four walls.

As a result, in that season sickness drops, death rates fall off; health and happiness and efficiency increase. Not because there is any particular merit in spring or summer, but because people instinctively take proper care of themselves physically in spring and summer.

But pure air is no power in summer than it is in winter. There is no more oxygen in it. It has no greater powers to revitalize muscles and blood streams.

Because of fancied discomforts, there is a tendency on the part of too many otherwise sensible folks to neglect fresh air in the colder months. It's much easier to sit by a piping radiator than it is to venture into the nippy, snappy outdoors.

Man is naturally a creature of the outdoors. Civilized man has to a large extent attempted to reverse the course of nature by spending a majority of his time indoors. This has weakened him. Made him a prey to deadly maladies.

ANOTHER devitalizing winter habit is that of overeating. It has well been said that many a man has dug his grave with his teeth.

The truth of this old saying is forgotten by thousands who gorge themselves with all the fine foods modern man has at his disposal. Fine foods, far beyond one's needs. Fine foods,

which, instead of building up strength, clog the system with waste products that are the very root and foundation of diseases.

Because of this internal filth, common colds and the more pernicious forms of respiratory troubles develop.

Overheating and overeating, even in moderate degrees, lower the resistive mechanism of the human body. Result is that the outdoors "feels cold." Further result is that the average man piles clothing on clothing.

Woolen underwear, woolen shirt, woolen socks, woolen vest, woolen coat, woolen overcoat, woolen muffler—layer on layer of heavy fabric that keeps in heat—but too much of which also keeps in waste materials breathed out by the pores. Result: the skin literally smothers. Further ills develop.

THANKS to feminine common sense, women have broken away from the tradition of too many clothes. They have come back to the more primitive and more healthful custom of caring for their bodies by not overdressing them. When men are as wise as women they will also learn to shed a few layers of swaddling woolens that keep adult bodies forever in babyhood.

And if women of tomorrow are as wise as women of today they will resist to the death any foolish fandangles of style aimed to burden them once again with yards of encumbering fabrics.

OVEREATING and overheating produce sickness. Sickness produces a desire to get well. Short cuts are sought. Short cuts by way of pills, potions and similar silly notions.

There is no short cut to health except by proper living.

Quack nostrums are a short cut, to be sure, but the short cut they provide is not to health but to the cemetery.

Avoid the short cuts back to health by not getting away from health. Follow the lead of the wise health police constantly alert to keep you from attack by disease.

Get plenty of fresh air, *day and night*. Diet right. Sleep eight hours with windows open wide. Exercise to develop the splendid vigor latent in your body. And drink plenty of pure, clean water.

These are cardinal rules of right living. Follow them and you will find that winter will have no terrors for you.

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EVENTS OF THE WEEK

TODAY: Luncheon meeting, Springfield Lion Club, Villiamanti hall, 12-15 P. M.
TONIGHT: Initiation and meeting, Prince of Battle Hill Council, No. 17, Danforthers of America, Municipal Building, 7:30 P. M.
TOMORROW: Meeting and rehearsal, Junior Epworth League, lecture room, Methodist Church, 2:30 P. M.
SUNDAY: Meetings, Mission Study Class, Methodist Church, 5 P. M.
MONDAY: Court, and other items, Municipal Building, 8:30 P. M.
TUESDAY: Meeting, Board of Education, James Caldwell School, 8 P. M.

WEDNESDAY: Meeting, Springfield Volunteer Fire Company, firehouse, 8 P. M.
THURSDAY: Meeting, Foreign and Home Missionary Societies, home of Mrs. C. Meeker, Morris avenue, 8 P. M.
FRIDAY: Meeting, Board of Education, James Caldwell School, 8 P. M.

Remer avenue. Other members are Mr. and Mrs. John Berger, Mr. and Mrs. George Schme, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Behring, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Holmes.
The credit and loan departments of the Presbyterian Church will hold a Christmas party next Friday afternoon in the chapel. Mrs. Herbert Higgin and Miss Celia Lander are in charge.
Mrs. Alice Siskley, of Morris avenue, entertained friends at her home Monday evening.

B. & L. TO MEET: The Battle Hill Building and Loan Association will meet Monday evening in their headquarters at Pannell Bros. office, in the Brookside Building.
REALTY TRANSFERS: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Lyon to Lyons Holding Company property at the corner of Morris and Marion avenues, 1 tract in Morris avenue adjoining lands of Elmer Siskley, 1 tract in Westfield avenue 87.75 feet from Morris avenue, 1 tract in Morris avenue, 60 feet from Old Westfield avenue, 1 tract in Center street 150 feet from Morris avenue, 1 tract in Morris avenue adjoining property formerly of Theodore Siskley, 1 tract at the corner of Flame avenue and Hanna street, 1 tract at the corner of Mountain and Morris avenues, 50 feet.
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SPRINGFIELD SOCIALS

Robert S. Jewell, Nicholas C. Schmidt and Mr. Bunnell Taylor, John B. Bennett, of Millburn, left Sunday on a business trip to Hartford, N. C. The party will return Sunday evening.
The Young Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Ransom Randall, on Henshaw avenue.
Continental Chapter, O. E. S., will meet Wednesday evening in the Bank Building in Millburn. A Christmas party will follow.

Mrs. Paul Connor, of Short Hill, was hostess to members of the Short Hill Social Club Monday evening.
Mrs. Alexander E. Ferguson, of Severna avenue, had as her guest last week her mother, Mrs. Mary Channing, of Roseland.
The Board of Education will meet Tuesday evening in the James Caldwell School.
The card club which was organized last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conklin, of Remer avenue, has been named the Springfield Heights Card Club. The club will hold its next meeting on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter, of

FRIDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 20-AT NINE GRAND DRAWING GRAYBAR SCREEN GRID RADIO Courtesy Bradley Radio Service, Inc. Get Your Coupon Now
A decrease in building in Springfield is seen in the monthly report issued by Inspector William E. Donnan for the period from November 13 to December 10, when permits amounting to \$16,800, were given. The month previous to that showed the total valuation of buildings for the month to be \$12,950, or a decrease of \$1,150. The report is as follows:
Garage, \$300, to Mrs. L. Schmidt, 29 Rose ave.
Service station, \$3000, to Atlantic Refining Co., Morris ave.
Two family dwellings, \$7000, to W. Louis Morrison, Brook st.
Service station, \$1500, to J. Merritt, Mountain avenue and Florence ave.
Dwelling and garage, \$5000, to Frederick R. Morrison, Meisal ave.

ROTH-STRAND SUMMIT, N. J. Matinees Daily at 2:30, Saturday Only at 2:00 Two Shows Evenings at 7:00 and 9:00
Friday and Saturday, December 13 and 14 Marion Davies in "MARIANNE" HARRY LANGDON in "HOTTER THAN HOT"
Saturday Matinee Special at 2 P. M. "When Dreams Come True" with HELENE COSTELLO
Monday and Tuesday, December 16th and 17th ERNEST TORRENCE in "The Unholy Night"
Wednesday and Thursday, December 18th and 19th LEILA HYAMS in "Masquerade"
FRIDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 20-AT NINE GRAND DRAWING GRAYBAR SCREEN GRID RADIO Courtesy Bradley Radio Service, Inc. Get Your Coupon Now

Mrs. Harry Spencer, of Weiland street, entertained members of her bridge club at her home Wednesday evening. Those present included Mrs. A. E. Ferguson, Mrs. George W. McGrath, Mrs. Sarah McAdam, Mrs. James M. Duigan, Mrs. Ernest P. Swisher, Mr. R. L. Harmon, Mrs. Richard C. Homer, Mrs. Donald A. Leach, Mrs. W. Louis Morrison, Mrs. J. Edgar Morrison, and Mrs. Fred J. Weppier.
Mrs. Alexander E. Ferguson, of Severna avenue, will spend the week end at Nixley in the home of a friend, Mrs. Marie Spinning.
Morning Day, 124 of the Police Department, has been ill with a bad case of pneumonia, which improved.
A. M. Tomasko, of Morris avenue, was installed as finance officer at the meeting of City Epworth P. W. American Legion, last night in the hall. Robert T. Bunnell, who was appointed director of activities at the last election, was not present and will be installed at the next meeting. The Rev. Hugh W. Duggan, pastor of the St. Stephen Episcopal Church, of Millburn, who is known to many residents here, is captain of the post.
Mrs. Benjamin Woodruff is spending several months at Tom River.
Mrs. Wellington Smith entertained members of her Thursday Evening Bridge Club last night. Members present included Mrs. Douglas Warner, Mrs. Temple, Mrs. B. Harry Fox, Mrs. Joseph Tonkin of Springfield, Mrs. Jacob Merrill, Mrs. Joseph Collier, and Mrs. Robert J. O'Brien of Millburn.

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