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July 4th Picnic Held In Colonial Gardens Section

One of the most successful and enjoyed July Fourth picnics was held by the Colonial Gardens Association on Tuesday on the community's private picnic grounds at Tower drive. Chairman of the affair was Joseph L. Focht of 228 Battisford Avenue, assisted by Michael J. Mohr, Fred C. Glasier, Dr. Walter Oelschneiger, Albert J. O'Neill, Edward W. Bresce, Woodruff Lane and Ernest Ulrich. Full cooperation was also given by the association's officers: Sigmund Oars, president; John Focher, vice president; Joseph Martin, treasurer and Charles' Safety secretary.

Practically every family in the Colonial Gardens community was present. Bingo games were enjoyed by the women with prizes given to the winners. Games were conducted by the Misses Elsie and Eleanor Martin. The children participated in a full afternoon of games in the form of races, watermelon eating and others. These games were in charge of Ernest Ulrich and Albert O'Neill. Prizes were also given the winners of the children's games. The men of the community engaged in horseshoe matches. Some of these matches were played on the new courts designed and laid out by Edward Bresce and Albert O'Neill.

The customary highlight of the picnic, which is usually reserved for the early evening and night, in the form of a camp fire and song festival, was enjoyed by all the participating residents, and climaxed the picnic.

The next picnic will be held over the Labor Day weekend and it is hoped will prove to be as successful as the affair just concluded.

Edward Metz Is Recovering From Wounds in Italy

Private First Class Edward A. Metz, 23 years old, has recovered from shrapnel wounds in the forehead suffered in Italy, according to a letter received by his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Agar of 657 Mountain avenue.

Pvt. Metz "wrote the Agars he was 'ashamed' to say he'd been wounded. He also said his infantry unit had gone 'quite a distance since Anzio' and that they went through Rome so quickly he didn't see much of the city. In his latest letter, he told his foster parents that he has been resting and will soon be back in action again with his unit."

Motz graduated from Wharton High School and was in his third year at Temple University when he enlisted. He entered the Army in November, 1942 and went overseas in February, 1943. He participated in the African invasion and Anzio. He has two brothers in the service, Pfc. Alexander in Hawaii and Naval Aviation Cadet John, at Pre-Flight School, Monmouth, Ill. The latter two are graduates of Regional High School.

Robert Swanson Commissioned As 2nd Lieutenant

Robert E. Swanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Swanson of 446 Morris Avenue graduated on Saturday, July 1 at San Angelo Army Air Field, AAF Training Command Bombardier School, with the rank of 2nd Lieutenant, Army Air Corps.

San Angelo Army Air Field is training Aviation Cadets to be bombardiers and dead-reckoning navigators. The 16-weeks' course is designed to turn out twin-seat fighters who will soon take their places in the battle against the Axis.

Lieut. Swanson graduated from Regional High, class of '41 and entered the service in February, 1943. Since entering he has been stationed at Miami Beach, Fla., Pennsylvania State Teachers' College, Maxwell Field, Ala., and then to San Angelo where he recently graduated. He arrived home on Monday evening on a 16-day furlough.

Lieut. Swanson has three brothers in the service, 1st Lieutenant Edward and Technical Sergeant Arthur, both overseas, and Hospital Apprentice 2/C Gordon, U.S. Naval Reserve, stationed at the Naval Training Station, Sampson, N.Y.

Sgt. John Shea Is Improving

Sergeant John Shea of 198 Linden Avenue is improving at England General Hospital, Atlantic City. Sgt. Shea was wounded in February, with his anti-aircraft unit in action at the Anzio beachhead in Italy.

Sgt. Shea, injured in the arm by shell fragment, has praise for the medical care he has received throughout the balance of the summer.

Sgt. Donald Cain Home, Located In Pacific Area

After 13 months in the South Pacific, Staff-Sergeant Donald Cain has been home on a nine day furlough visiting his mother, Mrs. Catherine Cain of 16 Bryant Avenue. Sgt. Cain returned on Saturday to the England General Hospital, Atlantic City, where he is stationed for a rest.

Sgt. Cain entered the service in May, 1941 and was employed by the B. E. Goodrich Co. of New York, prior to that time.

Open house was held for Sgt. Cain on Thursday evening, June 23, the day of his arrival home. Eighteen guests were present.

Overlook Is Made Penicillin Depot For Civilian Use

Overlook Hospital has been designated as a depot hospital by the Civilian Penicillin Distribution Unit of the War Production Board in Chicago, Superintendent Howard G. Turner announced this week.

The hospital will receive 10 million Oxford units of penicillin each month which will treat on an average of fifteen to twenty patients. If, however, the quota proves to be inadequate and additional material is justified, more penicillin will be made available for sum-

Youth Hurt As Car Overturns

Harold Manners, 17 years old, of Scotch Plains, sustained injuries last Friday at 1:25 A.M. when the car in which he was a passenger left the road and overturned in Batusfield way near Shupps road. He was taken to Overlook Hospital for treatment of a concussion and bruises about the face.

The driver, Warren Thompson, 17, of Scotch Plains, escaped injury. Police reported that the car had been totally wrecked.

APPOINTED

Carl Z. Alexander, son of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard M. of 285 Mountain Avenue and graduated from Regional High School in 1942. He went through recruit training at the Naval Training Station, Newport, R. I.

Private Raymond Treller arrived home on Tuesday of last week from Fort McPherson, Ala., on a ten day furlough. Before entering the service, Pte. Treller resided with his wife at 165 South Springfield Avenue. Upon the completion of his furlough, he expects to be stationed at Fort Meade, Md.

Home on a seven day leave recently was Yeoman Third Class Elizabeth Jean de Crescenzo, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard de Crescenzo of 120 Morris Avenue, Petty Officer de Crescenzo recently graduated from the Naval Training School on the Iowa State Teachers' College campus, Cedar Falls, Iowa.

The graduate was selected for her specialty training on the basis of her "shoot training" aptitude tests and past civilian experience. The completed course of study included shorthand, typing, Naval correspondence, records and forms, and current events.

Further experience in her active duty billet with the continental units of the United States will entitle her to even higher advancement. Petty Officer de Crescenzo is a graduate of Regional High School, class of '41.

Playfield Opens With 275 Taking Part First Day

The Springfield playground of the Union County Park Commission opened on Monday under the direction of Sam Lewis of Meisel Avenue and Miss Genevieve Butler of Union. Mr. Lewis estimated that approximately 275 attended and participated on the first day, the majority of whom are under twelve since most of the older boys and girls are working this summer.

The grounds open at 10 A.M. each day and remain open until dark. Each morning Miss Butler directs handicraft from the beginning until 12 A.M., and contests are featured each day at 2:30 P.M. The Park Commission awards medals to anyone who during the course of the summer achieves a cumulative score of 200 points. The winner of the contest gets 20 points toward the total; the runner-up is awarded 15 points, and the third place carries 10 points. Everyone who enters a contest is awarded 5 points.

On the fourth, a sand modeling contest was held for children under twelve, in which Clifford Smith took first place. Robert Smith placed second and Patsy and Jean Selander tied for third. In a senior group of boys and girls over twelve, Bill Selander and Herbert Penyon were first and Richard Schroeder and Clifford DeBergis second.

The following contests are scheduled for this week: Today, foul shooting; Monday, horseshoe doubles; Tuesday, checker contest; Wednesday, a doll show; Thursday, washers, pitching contest.

Mrs. Mildred Ritton, nature director of Union County, will visit the playground, today and every Friday throughout the summer. She will bring with her specimens which have been collected in Union County, including frogs, raccoons, snakes, and other interesting animals and reptiles.

Facilities have been provided for horseshoe pitching for both adults and children under 16; paddles, tennis, volleyball, swinging, sliding, basketball, tether ball, and other sports and activities.

Chairman of the picnic was Mrs. Arthur Lamb. Those in charge of the games were: Mrs. Dean Widmer, Miss Flora Day, Mrs. Vance Pierson, James Campbell and Robert Poppendieck, all department heads of the Sunday school.

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SWAB TIME WITH THE COAST GUARD



It's swim-down time aboard this Coast Guard assault transport somewhere in the Pacific. Standing by with the necessary gear are Coast Guardsmen Daniel McClellan, seaman first class (left) of Detroit, Mich., and Harry Dunn, seaman first class, of 187 Milltown road, town. Coast Guardsmen are serving all over the globe, landing 'em from the French invasion coast to Tokyo's backyard.

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Picnic Held Of Sunday School

The Presbyterians Sunday School held their annual picnic on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at the Regional High School park playground. The picnic was a great success and was attended by 150 persons.

Games and contests were held and refreshments were served by the Sunday School.

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MEN IN SERVICE

Carl L. Mehl, 18, who joined the Navy in September, 1943, has been selected for duty aboard an LSM (landing ship, medium), newest vessel in the Navy's swift-striking invasion fleet. Now rated as seaman first class at the Amphibious Training Base in Little Creek, Va., Mehl has been assigned for service as Radioman in an LSM crew.

The seagoing landing ship on which he will serve is the most advanced type in the Navy's amphibious armada now plying the Atlantic and Pacific battle zones. Details of the LSM are still unpublicized, but the vessel is designed to split-assault troops and equipment onto enemy-held beaches under the protective barrage of heavy warships and attack planes.

Seaman Mehl resides with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard M. of 285 Mountain Avenue and graduated from Regional High School in 1942. He went through recruit training at the Naval Training Station at Sampson, N.Y., to Iowa State College for further training.

Joseph Morris of 24 Brook street, left on Thursday of last week for Parris Island, S. C., to begin his basic training with the Marines. Prior to entering the Armed Forces, Mr. Morris was employed by the Connor's Products of Newark and resided in the care of his own physician at his request.

Smith is said to have told police that he must have fallen asleep at the wheel, therefore losing control of the car.

James Gullo of 18 Lincoln Avenue, East Cranford, owner of the truck was brought for arraignment Monday before Recorder William Winckler on a technical charge of causing death by automobile.

It will take about 800 pods, on the average, to fill a big bag.

Milkweed scouts may not get rich, but they will be able to buy some extra-wash savings stamps if they want to put the money to good use. It will take the less from about two bags of pods to make a life saving jacket, and two bags gathered by a milkweed scout may save the life of a fighting man.

"We received the news of the invasion of Europe with much happiness. It's taken a long time to make started, but we all believe this is the beginning of the end for the Axis. I know a good many of my friends are flying over there, so they should make it pretty tough on the Luftwaffe."

"In closing, I want to extend my thanks and congratulations to the SUN and also the town of Springfield for the wonderful job being done at home. Keep up the good work."

GOT HIGH MARKS

State all real estate taxes and assessments for the year 1943 are subject to sale after July 1, 1944. Since 1934 we have postponed our tax sale until the following spring.

This year, however, it is our intention to hold the sale for 1943 taxes early in December, in accordance with the law. This means that the advertising will start about November 1, 1944.

"As you are delinquent for 1943, we are advising you of this fact at this time, so that you may be able to make arrangements to pay before November 1. Any account unpaid at that time will be advertised, and not paid by date of sale will be sold. Under the law there can be no exceptions to this course of action.

"May we ask your sincere cooperation so that we will not be required to perform this very unpleasant duty?"

Teen Inn Held Dance July 4

"Teen Inn" sponsored a July 4th dance on Tuesday evening, to which they invited all the townspeople. The dance, which was a success, was attended by about 150 persons. Plans had been made for a block-dance to be held in front of the Legion hall, but due to the weather, the dance was held inside the hall.

In charge of the affair was Joan Keith of Lewin and Bill Beatty of Mountainside.

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"Milkweed Scouts" To Be Looking For Kapok Substitute

The "Milkweed Scouts" this summer will include Boy-and-Girl Scouts, and practically all the other clubs and organizations for youngsters of school and high school age in the populous northeast part of the nation, it was announced today by K. W. Iversen, assistant county agricultural agent.

Whenever there is a hike, or a picnic, a trip to a swimming hole or a journey to a farm to help a farmer on the food front, it is expected that youthful eyes will be kept peeled to "spot" milkweed plants that will be ripe for picking about the time school starts in the fall.

Milkweed pods are needed as a substitute for kapok. Kapok, the U. S. Department of Agriculture explains, is the material that has proved most useful for filling life jackets that will keep sailors or soldiers afloat if their ship is shot out from under them in the war. Kapok comes from the East Indies and the Japs have cut off the supply. Floss from milkweed is the next best thing, and the children of the county are being asked to hunt milkweed pods when they are ripe enough—but not until they are ripe enough.

Milkweeds grow wild. They are a weed. The chief stands of this plant are along road sides, and fence rows, in orchards, fields and pastures. By scouting for milkweeds during the summer months, the pods later, this information should be sent to the County Agricultural Extension Office, Room 703, Court House, Elizabeth, so that arrangements may be made with land owners and road departments to let the plants remain until the pods are ripe enough and thus prevent destruction during the summer months.

With Scouts out all summer, it ought to be possible to make nearly a clean sweep of the country when the pods are ripe enough to gather in early September. There will be an organized campaign, the details of which will be announced later in the summer. Arrangements will be made for collecting and shipping the pods. The collecting agency will furnish open mesh bags for gathering the pods and will tell the collectors how to take care of the pods and get them dried.

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It has been the custom since 1934 to hold tax sales in the spring as under the State law, delinquent assessments are due after July 1 of the year following. In a letter sent out this week to all constituents, Mr. Huff wrote:

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From William J. Reardon, U.S.N.R., son of Mrs. W. W. Dusenberry of 159 Tooker Avenue comes the following letter: "I wish to inform you of my change in address. I have been transferred to the Naval Training School at

Social

MISS MARY McDONOUGH, Social Reporter

Summit Girl Is Engaged To Pvt. Otto Hoffer, Jr.



SYLVIA SCHAFER

Ensign Engaged To June Bunnell

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Bunnell of 925 Roosevelt avenue, Union, announce the engagement of their daughter, Julie B. Acquaviva to Private Otto J. Hoffer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Hoffer of Evergreen avenue, at a party on Sunday. The engagement party, which took place in the Hoffer home, was attended by 75 guests.

Miss Acquaviva is a graduate of St. Teresa's School, Summit, and attended Summit High School. Pvt. Hoffer is a graduate of the local grammar schools. He recently has been transferred from Camp Blanding, Fla., to Fort George G. Meade, Md.

Miss Bunnell is a senior at Bucknell University, where she is majoring in sociology. Ensign Richards, a graduate of Lehigh University, is completing an advanced course at Princeton University.

Mr. Bunnell is president and treasurer of the Bunnell Brothers Real Estate and Insurance Agency, of town.

Girl Scouts Held Party Recently in Watchung

Thirteen Girl Scouts of Troop No. 3 went on a swimming and picnic party recently at Watchung, under the supervision of Mrs. Leo Andrews, troop leader, and Mrs. Wilbert Layng. Girls attending the party were: Dorothy Lee Andrews, Ann Beardsell, Patry Brill, Josephine and Angelina De Blasi, Marguerite Huber, Mary Ann Huber, Janet Layng, Evelyn Mohr, Joan Schander, Louise Kudelik, Ruth Fisher and Vivian Fisher.

Picnic Held Tuesday

Mrs. A. E. Miller of the Four Leaf Clover Farm, 135 Seven Bridge road, was hostess at a picnic party on the Fourth. Fifty members of the Paper Mill Playhouse, Millburn, were present. Among the guests were: Elizabeth Houston, Clarence Nordstrom, Jay Vello, Bill Acorn, Victor Miller, Jack Randall, Billy Worth, Gil Johnson, Linda Mason, Irene Jordan, and Major Herbert Dawley. Mrs. Miller is employed in the office at the Playhouse.

Christening Held

Christening ceremonies were held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in St. James' Church for Edward Richard Franzese, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Franzese of 19 Morris, avenue.

Godmother was Mrs. Frank De Luca of the Bronx, N. Y., aunt of the child and godfather was Daniel Piano of the Bronx, uncle of the child.

Electric Irons should be available around September, the War Production Board says.

Over 10,000 Hallmark greeting cards in stock for any occasion at the Springfield Sun Stationery and Gift Shop, 239 Morris Ave., Ade.

Union Packing Co.

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Waste nothing—use everything—and shop here for the best wartime meat and poultry values:

FRESH KILLED Roasting NEARBY CHICKENS (Pound) 45c

PRIME RIBS OF BEEF (7 inch cut) 35c • Grade AA.....lb. 33c

Prime Chuck ROAST (Round Points) (Bone In) 30c Grade A. lb. 28c

TENDERED SMOKED SKINNED HAMS Round Half.....lb. 34c Shank Half.....lb. 33c

SMOKED TONGUE (Short Cut)lb. 39c

SLICED BACON (Grade A)1/2 lb. package 19c

Porterhouse STEAKS (Round Points) 53c Grade A. lb. 49c

FRESH LAMB LIVER (Sliced)lb. 31c

NEHAMA Fresh Creamery BUTTER (Pint or Roll)lb. 49c

Rubber Points 12

266 MORRIS AVENUE

PERSONALS

Mrs. Catherine Rose of Waterbury, Conn., is guest this week at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Belliveau of 349 Morris avenue. Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Belliveau will leave this weekend for Maine, where they will vacation for two weeks.

Audrey Dawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dawkins of 38 Colonial terrace is vacationing in St. Louis, Mo., with her grandparents at Maplewood.

Fire Chief and Mrs. Charles Pintova of 57 Mountain avenue had as guests over the holiday week-end Mrs. E. Alston and children, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pinkava and son of town and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Murray and son of Roselle Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Andrews and children, Dorothy Lee, Bob, Ann and Chris of 450 Molson avenue left on Friday for Old Mystic, Conn., where they will vacation for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Taylor and daughter, Nancy of Scranton, Pa., have been recent week-end guests at the home of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Reutisha of 30 Park lane.

The Marion Avenue Sewing Group met on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Herbert Schoch of 62 Marion avenue. The group meets each week to sew for the Red Cross.

James M. Duguid of 20 Molson avenue recently attended a convention of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers at St. Louis, Mo.

The Misses Joyce Smith, Helen Duguid and Claire Smith, all local girls, are working as ward helpers at Overlook Hospital, Summit, during the summer. The girls are students at Regional High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grimmer and daughters, Mrs. Francis Mackenzie and Miss Gladys Grimmer of 25 Springfield avenue spent the July Fourth holiday at Cook Lake, Denville.

Mrs. William Ahlgren of 25 Rose avenue was hostess recently at a luncheon in honor of her niece, Mrs. Paul Grant and baby daughter of Bridgeport, Conn. Other guests were Mrs. J. P. Vogel of town, and Mrs. Ralph Coffey and Mrs. George Campbell of Summit.

Carol Poppendieck has been a recent guest at home of her grandmother, Mrs. William Poppendieck of Hanover. Carol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Poppendieck of 27 Warner avenue, visited with her grandmother for a week.

Mr. Edwin Anderson of Flanders returned home from Overlook Hospital, Summit on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Anderson was confined to the hospital for ten days, having undergone an appendectomy. She is the former Edith Reeve, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reeve of the Flanders avenue address.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prince of Point Pleasant had as holiday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burkhardt and family and Mrs. Christian Schmidt of 170 Linden avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tuthill of 68 Warner avenue entertained on July Fourth at a family picnic. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tuthill and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Soderstrom of East Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Flick of Short Hills avenue, accompanied by Priscilla and Mrs. Robert Halnes of Elizabeth, attended dinner and the performance of "Oklahoma" in New York on Saturday evening. The party was in celebration of the fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Halnes and the birthday of Mrs. Flick.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hattersley of 152 Molson avenue are having as house guest their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harold Hattersley of Virginia. Mrs. Hattersley's husband, Stan Sergeant Hattersley, is expected home on furlough soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hansen and daughter, Ruth, of 35 Colonial terrace, and Miss Roberta Lancaster of Alvin terrace spent Sunday at Cliffwood Beach.

Mrs. A. Samuel Robinson of Millburn, formerly of town, was hostess to her bridge club on Wednesday evening of last week. Those attending from town included: Mrs. Robert Dussler, Mrs. Joseph Polizotto, Mrs. Harold Thompson, Mrs. Felix Cyre, Mrs. Jack Weinsheimer, Mrs. Edward Feig, Mrs. Clifford Zimmerman and Mrs. Charles Hopkins.

William B. Downing of Bradenton, Fla., is spending the summer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fleming of 34 Battle Hill Avenue. Mr. Downing is an uncle of Mrs. Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ahlgren of 25 Rose avenue, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Snedeker of Summit spent the holiday weekend at Ashbury Park.

Miss Audrey Tuthill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Tuthill of 68 Warner avenue has been vacationing for two weeks at Cranberry Lake.

Pet. and Mrs. Arthur H. Chisholm and baby of Camp Blanding, Fla., have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chisholm of 82 Keeler street. Pet. Chisholm is the son and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Chisholm of 273 Morris avenue.

Joseph and Dennis Bebe, have been confined to their home for the past three weeks due to ill health. Joseph and Dennis are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bebe of 15 Park lane. The boys are expected to be out on Sunday.

Mr. E. H. Adams of 23 Salter street was hostess to her bridge club last evening. Guests attending were: Mrs. Andrew Domard and Mrs. Shirley Reynolds of Bellville, Mrs. Lillian Shields of Arlington, Mrs. Ray Blischoff, Mrs. Herbert Blischoff, Mrs. James Bernard, Mrs. Joseph Samuelson and Mrs. William Phillips of Maplewood.

After a week's vacation at Breton Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Nenninger and daughters, Joyce and Avril, have returned to their home at 23 Bryant avenue.

Miss Irma Holly of Norwalk, Conn., arrived in town on Sunday to spend a week at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Rempp of 75 Colgate road. Mr. and Mrs. Rempp and Miss Holly spent the Fourth at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Compton of Little Britain, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Coon Jr. of 6 Short Hills avenue returned home on Sunday, after spending last week at Lake Hopatcong.

Mr. and Mrs. William Corby and son, Reginald of 38 Bryant avenue, accompanied by Mrs. Stella Szablekowska, have returned home after spending three days at Orwana Lodge, Pocono.

Roy Waldeck of 25 Park lane has left town on a five-day business trip to Buffalo. Mrs. Waldeck and daughter, Mary Anne have recently returned from Ocean Grove, where they vacationed for five days.

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Jimmie Funcheon, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Funcheon of Warren avenue, was guest of honor on Monday at a party honoring his fourth birthday. Guests at the party, which was held from 3 to 5 p.m., were Jimmie's sisters, Betsy and Joan Funcheon, Billy Charles, Trudy Poppendieck, Harriet Mul-

inge, Mrs. William Courtney, Mrs. George Davis and daughter, Diane, Miss H. C. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis and Miss Lydia DeCimos, of East Orange and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pearson of town.

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PERSONALS

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Curney and son, Richard, of 20 Margin Avenue, are vacationing for a week in Maine.

Joseph Steiner of Newark, brother of Mrs. W. Albrecht, of 147 South Maple Avenue, recently placed second in auditions for singing for 75 Westinghouse employees of Newark. Mr. Steiner sang on Saturday over WJZ.

MacCormick will leave on Monday for Camp Columbus, Culver Lake, Mac, son of Mrs. Theodosia Coburn of 230 Morris Avenue, will remain there for the season.

Miss Jean Jeakens of 265 Morris Avenue has been vacationing for ten days with friends at Asbury Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Cusack, formerly of 105 Short Hills Avenue moved Saturday to their new home at Cohasset, Mass.

Spending the holiday weekend with friends at Carmel, N.Y., was Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowe of 63 Colfax road.

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Mrs. Walter W. Hahn and chil-

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Mr. and Mrs. Horace Forsyth of 270 Mountain Avenue are vacationing at Bay Head.

Mrs. Frank Jakobson of 262 Mountain Avenue has returned home after spending the past two weeks in Chicago, with her husband, T. S. J. Frank Jakobson. The Jakobsons also visited friends and relatives in Columbus, Ohio. T. S. Jakobson is stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill.

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REGIONAL HIGH

Joseph F. Miraglia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Rigler of 5 Prescott Run, Clark Township, received his silver wings as a flight officer upon graduation recently from the Army Air Forces Advanced Flying School, George Field, Ill. Flight Officer Miraglia entered pilot training last August and attended flying schools at Orangeburg, S.C., and Shaw Field, S.C., before going to George Field. Before entering the service, Miraglia attended Regional High School, where he was a member of the 1943 graduating class.

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L. L. Russo graduated on June 10 at Selman Field, Fla., and received his commission and wings. He was home recently on a 14-day furlough.

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MRS. ROBERT VANING, Reporter
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School's Grounds Scene of July 4 Celebration Here

MOUNTAINSIDE — In Police Court last Thursday night, the following forfeited fines were held to appear on charges of speeding:

Frederick Englehardt, Jersey City, \$8; Frank Dien Jr., Dunellen, \$10; Henry Jellman, Union, \$10; Wilma Schmitz, Houston, Tex., \$10; and Joseph Scarpitti, Newark, \$8.

The following were fined \$1 for passing stop streets \$3 each: Gerald Braxton, Westfield; Elsa Petersen, Summit; Richard McDowell, West Caldwell; George Garaventa, Jersey City; Franz Kahler, 817 South Ave., Plainfield, and Charles Butler, Newark; Alexander Palma of Newark was fined \$5 for having improper plates and \$5 for passing a traffic signal.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

"Happy Birthday" greetings are extended this month by THE SUN to the following residents of Mountainside:

JULY:

8—E. Royce Zeitzer
10—Miss Daisy Herder
—Edward Menerth, Jr.
—Richard Kapke
11—Miss Hazel Heckel
Mrs. Robert McCollum
Alice Ann Mundy
Mrs. Ferdinand Wagner
14—Robert Von Borstel
15—Mrs. Paul J. Harrington
16—William T. Williams
17—Mrs. Charles Horrick
18—Ernest Bauer, Jr.
20—Miss Mildred Weber
Charles Curson
21—Robert J. Vining, Jr.
22—Edward J. Honecker, Jr.
Steven Toti
23—Miss Ellen Loei
James Herrelk
—Bernard Herrelk
—Miss Eleanor Nolle
Frederick Nolle
25—Welles Pullen
26—Don Maxwell, Jr.
27—Robert Laing
28—Mrs. Robert Laing
Mrs. Carolina Fritz
30—Mrs. Edmund Frey
31—Mrs. Robert Davidson

AUGUST:

1—Mrs. Howard Beyers
2—Herman Lindeman
—Charles LaRocca
3—Christian Fritz
Ernest Honecker
Patrick Boyton
4—Miss Susanna E. Trautman
5—Dr. May Stomber Unnn
6—Mrs. Henry Weber
7—John J. Hecket

DEEDS

The Township of Springfield to Mr. and Mrs. Werner Petry, lot 100 feet deep in rear of lots 9A and 9B, block 68, official tax loop, Springfield.

Rihart Development Company to Commonwealth Water Company, property in the northerly side-line of Morrison road, intersected by the northwesterly line of lands of Andrew Wilson.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Patmore, property in the northwesterly side-line of Central avenue, 302 feet from State Highway No. 29, Mountainside.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee S. Rigby to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mcclusky, property in the southwesterly side of Profitt avenue, 100 feet from Morris avenue, Springfield.

Amher Headley to Samuel Sutphen, lots 210 and 211, may of Springfield Manor, Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Demling, property which borders on the northerly side-line of land of Horning Scott, 310 feet from the southerly side-line of Mountain avenue, Springfield.

Purple Heart Is Awarded to Gil Pittenger

MOUNTAINSIDE—Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pittenger of Central avenue received a letter from their son, Cpl. Harry Pittenger, who is recovering from wounds received in France, saying he was awarded the Order of the Purple Heart. The letter was dated June 22. Pittenger is in a hospital in England. He also mentioned in the letter that he had the privilege of shaking hands with Joe Louis, heavyweight champion, who had visited the hospital.

Library Open During Summer

MOUNTAINSIDE—During the summer the library will be open. However, during July it will only be open in the afternoon from 2 to 4. The evening hours are as usual.

Service Notes

MOUNTAINSIDE—Cpl. Harry Behlert returned to Camp Maxey, Texas on Monday where he is with the Engineers. He spent a 16-day furlough with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Metzger of Central avenue. Cpl. Behlert entered service in February 1943.

Coast Guardsman Charles Doyle, chief gunner's mate, mans an anti-aircraft gun aboard a Coast Guard assault transport which is in the South Pacific. He has served 33 months on the North Atlantic patrol and 9 months on Atlantic convoy duty. Coast Guardsman Doyle also participated in the Marshall Islands' invasion. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Doyle of Mountain avenue.

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Volunteers Built Fire Truck Given To Borough

MOUNTAINSIDE — The result of six months' voluntary labor by members of the fire department in building their own hose and ladder apparatus was unfurled to borough residents Tuesday at the July Fourth celebration on the school grounds as Chief Herman Honecker, on behalf of the firemen, presented the truck to Mayor John Moxon, who accepted it from the department as a gift to the community.

Beginning December 5, the firemen took the used Ford chassis for use of tools, welding and shop; Tony Young of Somerset Bus Co., for painting; Jack McFee and Frank McGuire and Frank Reinhard, for seats; Gene Young, car heater; and Ted Van Houten, for motor work.

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Several garages were used from time to time, and for those who want statistics, the men worked 80 different days for a total of 865 hours, making up 107 full working days.

The apparatus is equipped with a four-cylinder, two-hubbers, 1,000 foot 2½-inch hose, 600 feet of 1½-inch hose, flashlight, generating system, pump, salvage covers, carbon dioxide extinguisher, in-

tinium pumps, ropes, gas tanks, asbestos gloves, life belt, pike poles, axes and hammers and miscellaneous tools.

With the acquisition of the new equipment, the department now boasts of two pieces of regular apparatus at one time for the first time in its history. Several years ago, a 600-gallon Mack triple combination booster, hose and pump wagon was purchased and the OCD gave Mountainside an auxiliary trailer pump.

The following members of the

AROUND THE BOROUGH

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Goodall of Sherwood parkway spent last week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ridge-way of Barnegat.

Councilman and Mrs. Theodore Mundy of Whippoorwill way were at Seaside Park last week on vacation. Their son, Fritz, rode his bicycle down on Thursday. His daughter, Alice Ann, spent last weekend with an aunt in Harrison New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis of Deer Path had as visitors and guests, Sgt. D. G. McLeod and Sgt. Kevin Wilson of the Royal Australian Air Force. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Welty of Deer path entertained them at an outdoor breakfast and Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson of Deep path at a picnic supper. Miss June Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Davis, was home from Montclair State Teachers College for the week-end.

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STATISTICS OF SPRINGFIELD

Population—1940, 4,669; assessed valuation—1941, \$6,477,235; tax rate—

1941, 45.67 (percentage—22.21); schools, 31; state and county, \$290.

Springfield was settled in the early 1700's and was incorporated in 1857.

The town has a little industry, except for farm nurseries and coordinated manufacturing for these 45 minutes from New York City on the Lackawanna R. R. with two stations at Millburn and Short Hills, less than a mile away; 7 miles to Elizabeth; 7½ miles to Newark; excellent bus connections to Newark, Elizabeth, Summit, and Plainfield.

The Raritan Valley Railroad with a freight station in the township affords service for business, commercial and industrial purposes. Springfield is the home of the famous "Acme" Grade A Beef.

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WHAT THE SUN ADVOCATES

- Sidewalks, wherever needed.
- Sc bus fare to Union Center.
- Extended local telephone scope to Newark—and Elizabeth.
- Federal Post Office building.
- An active Board of Trade to stimulate "Try Springfield First" in purchasing.
- Full-time position for the Township Clerk's office.
- Encouraging clean industry, to increase tax ratables.
- Extension of mail-delivery by local R. F. D. routes, to all portions of the township.

Picnics Popular In Park System.

A picnicking "well go" is the exclamation resounding in many a home these summer days and it is echoed in the offices of the Union County Park Commission, Warinanco Park, where a young woman is kept busy making reservations for family, church and other organization groups who want to be sure of a picturesque and practical setting for their outing.

A third more people picnicked in the parks last month than was the case in June, 1943. This fact is gleaned both from the attendance estimates of park police and from the actual number of picnic area reservations issued. Police

records show 42,078 picnickers last month throughout the park system, while the 1943 total for the corresponding month was 24,734. Reservation figures were 301 this June as compared to 217 last.

These war days the most popular of the thirty-seven reservable picnic spots, according to George T. Cron, acting superintendent of recreation, are those "closest to home." First choices include the three areas in Spinnings Woods, and Dippes Woods, all in Warinanco Park; The Bond, The Maple and The Quadrangle, all in Raritan River Park; and The Birches, The Hilltop and Locust Grove, all in Echo Lake Park.

A goodly percentage of the park picnickers, Cron said, use the picnic kits made available at no charge. A \$5 deposit, however, is required, pending the return of the volley ball, softball, checkers, horseshoes for pitching, the first aid kit, etc., after the fun is over.

Residents of Union County are privileged to make reservations for park picnic grounds as far as 90 days in advance.

Let's make this pledge with Phoebe Snow—that each will do his part to show The boys how free men can fight for what they know is just and right. No matter what our jobs may be, they all add up to Victory! For this we strive each day and night, along the Road of Democracy!



The Train Nobody Cheers

"EXTRA 1503" carries several hundred troops to-night. But there will be no cheers.

There'll be no rattling songs...no wise-cracks. Laughter at girls on station platforms...no eager, youthful faces crowding open windows.

The hand on "1503's" throttle will be extra gentle tonight. And a switchman, standing aside as she rolls by, will look long and reverently after the twinkling red tail lights.

The conductor will have no tickets to collect, no reservations to check. Silently, he will gaze down a dim-lit aisle where wounded men stir restlessly in their berths, while only a whitewashed, uniformed figure stands guard.

And the conductor's face will be grim and thoughtful. For in America, too, tonight, the Hospital Train is calling.

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night, Lackawanna trains are speeding men and munitions to and from the battle zones.

The men and women of this Lackawanna know what a tremendous task this is. They know how much more difficult that job has become since the great Battle of Liberation grows in intensity. They have been called upon to do the almost impossible—and they are doing it!

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TOWN and FARM in WARTIME

Prepared by OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION

RATION REMINDERS

MEATS, FATS: Restamps A8 through Z8 good indefinitely.

PROCESSED FOODS: Blue stamp A8 through Z8, and A5, good indefinitely.

SUGAR: Sugar stamps 30, 31 and 32 each good for five pounds indefinitely. Sugar stamp 40, good for five pounds of canning sugar through February, next year.

GASOLINE: A-10 coupons, good through August 8.

FUEL OIL: Period 4 and 5 coupons good through September 30. New Period 1 coupons for the 1944-45 heating year may be used now.

SHOES: Airplane stamps 1 and 2, good indefinitely.

Newly established ceiling prices for used passenger cars and certificates of transfer required on all completed sales may be obtained from local War Price and Rationing Boards or car dealers, the Office of Price Administration announces. Prices vary by three geographical zones. After July 10, any seller and the buyer of a used car must jointly fill out a transfer certificate giving the applicable maximum price, the actual selling price and other details of the sale. The purchaser then files the completed certificate with his local War Price and Rationing Board.

You can make scarce fuel go further next winter by preparing your home for winter now, be you owner or merely a leaseholder, the Federal Housing Administration says. An FHA Title 1 loan will enable you to borrow enough to pay for both materials and workmanship needed to insulate your home, to repair your heating plant, to install storm windows—up to as much as \$2,500. You can borrow enough for any overall of these things without down payment, without security and with three years in which to pay. FHA says. Get best prices on jobs you want done, then get your local dealer or contractor to tell you where you can get an FHA Title 1 loan to cover the entire bill.

The CWA has restored rationing to best cuts of lamb in order to get better distribution among consumers, and it has restored point values to certain types of cheese and canned asparagus, peas and tomatoes, which were rationed for two weeks because of large stocks on hand.

For the first time, public eating-and-drinking places will be covered by a national restaurant regulation July 31, when they must post their April 4-10, 1943 base-period menu prices for 40 basic items served, OPA announces.

However, a cup of coffee with sugar and cream may sell for no more than a nickel at any establishment that did not charge more than a nickel for it October 4-10, 1942.

The extra egg-buying of American housewives has made it possible to save the 25 million dozens of eggs that were in danger of spoiling a few weeks ago for lack of storage space. War Food Administrator Marvin Jones said.

Retail stores, newspapers and radio were of great help in calling attention to the problem, he said.

ROUND-UP

OPA announces that: Retail selling prices recently established on certain farm tractor tires include:

\$32.85 for 0-24 10-ply rear; \$35 for 7.50-10 8-ply front; and \$9.85 for 4.00-12 4-ply front. The stock of 30,000 new cars yet remaining in the U.S. July 1 was the equivalent of a three days' normal supply, and 7,000 have been allocated for July rationing. "T" gasoline coupons marked "2nd qr." issued as specializations and which do not expire until after June 30, may be exchanged for third quarter "T" coupons.

WPR says: Two-tone shoes with other than leather soles may be made beginning September 1.

Shortage of workers, and not material or machines, is holding up production of farm radio batteries, but production is expected to be improved by fall. Full responsi-



BY GEORGE S. BENSON

President, Hunting College,
Searcy, Arkansas

VICTORY MATERIAL

The United States is winning a war for humanity in 1944 as a direct result of what our pioneer ancestors did in 1776. This nation

has had 168 years of freedom. Its citizens—its fighters abroad and its workers at home—possess 168 years of experience at minding their own business and taking care of themselves under a system of free enterprise. It's a great asset.

I wish every child in America, at about the sixth grade, where serious study of synonyms and antonyms begins, could be impressed that liberty is the opposite of slavery—impressed so deeply that they couldn't forget. I am afraid words that mean freedom have grown poetical and abstract to all of us. To our colonial forefathers, don't forget, liberty meant escape from something strictly awful.

Pardonable pride

Bragging about ancestors never was a habit of mine but today,

along with millions of other citizens of the United States, I am glad my grandfather's great-grandfather was a free man. Do you wonder what he ever did for that did me any good? Just this: He taught my grandfather's grandfather to love liberty, and the idea gained strength until I picked it up from my dad.

Of course this freedom would have but little value if it were exclusive to the Bensons, but it's not. There were 16 young men, back in 1776, who could qualify as my grandfather's great-grandfather and they have a lot of posterity by now. Besides, they had all—but liberty-loving friends that year, comrades in arms, perhaps, who laid the foundation of the world's greatest nation.

Our Way is Best

Getting used to civil liberty

FROM GARDEN TO SHELF

SNAP BEANS FOR WINTER

By Mary W. Armstrong, County Home Demonstration Agent

Snap beans play a leading role

in our Victory Gardens. There's

a dramatic thrill, too, in canning

them at the peak of their tenderness

and in knowing that next winter

they will "open" and "play"

to a full house of hungry people!

Pick only young, crisp, firm pods

for canning, and gather them as

early in the morning as possible

after the dew has dried. Can the

beans within two to four hours

after picking. One-half bushel,

weighing 12 pounds, will fill about

eight quart jars.

Wash the snap beans in several

waters until every trace of sand

and grit is gone. Lift them out of

each water instead of pouring the

water off, so the dirt won't drain

back on them. Then remove stem

and blossom ends. Unless you want

to can the beans whole, place them

by handfuls on a bread board and

cut across them with a heavy,

sharp knife. Prepare only enough

for one canner load at a time.

When food stands around, the

chances of food spoilage are

greater.

Hot-packed Beans

Cover beans with boiling water

and boil them for five minutes.

This blanching helps to set the

color. Have jars clean and hot.

When you pack, take one jar from

the water at a time, using clean

cloths to protect your hands and to

takes time, perhaps at much inconvenience. Use jars off any cold surface. Use jar lifter if you are both after jars have been put in packing cut beans, pack whole beans while dagger lies on its side to cover the tops of your jars. Non-oil on a table. Add one level teaspoon each vegetables, such as beans of salt per quart, when the jars are two-thirds full and then complete filling. Pour the blanching water into the jar to within one-half inch of the top.

Run a cane knife down the sides of the jar to work out air bubbles. Wipe the jar rim clean so that no speck of food will prevent an airtight seal. Seal jars for processing according to the type of closures you are using.

Pint jars of snap beans are processed in a pressure cooker for 30 minutes at 10 pounds pressure.

Quart jars for 40 minutes at 10 pounds pressure. Be sure the gauge on your cooker has been tested—it can be done at your county home economic extension service office. Then follow the time chart accurately.

This processing may be done in a hot water bath for 120 minutes, counting from the time the water

COMING EVENTS

Post 228, American Legion, meeting, Legion Hall, 8 P.M.

July 27 (Thurs.) Springfield Business Men's Association, meeting, James Caldwell School, 8:15 P.M.

Weenie Roast On Tomorrow

Remember the weenie roast to be held tomorrow night by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church. Two groups will leave the church, one at 5 P.M., the other at 6. The roast, to which all local young people have been invited, will take place at the foot of the Millburn mountains.

In charge of the refreshments, John Sippell and John Bunnell, which will be furnished free, are Fred Schimacher, the church's new assistant minister, will supervise the group.

We feature the famous Hallmark greeting cards for all occasions, the latest and newest. In the service, Springfield SUN Stationery and Gift Shop, 239 Morris Avenue, Atv.

What's the Cost of a Wooden Cross?



Every white wooden

cross that marks the

grave of an American

fighting man is paid for in full—

with a gold star, a handful of

bitter-sweet memories... and an

empty heart at home.

It's tough to die alone, far

from your loved ones;

with the feel of the

metal that's biting out

your life—but some

fighting man is dying

that miserable death

right now, because our

country asks it of him.

When a Victory Volunteer

asks you to double your bond

buying during the Fifth War

Loan, think of the cost of a

wooden cross before you an-

swer—think of the price some

soldier—and his family—is pay-

ing at that very in-

stant. Then pledge

every dollar you can.

Because you have an

American heart—be-

cause it's your country

and your duty.

And Here Are 5 MORE Reasons for Buying EXTRA Bonds in the 5th

1. War Bonds are the best, the safest investment in the world.

2. War Bonds return you \$4 for every \$3 invested.

3. War Bonds help keep prices down.

4. War Bonds will help win the peace by increasing purchasing power after the war.

5. War Bonds mean education for your children, security for you, funds for retirement.

Back the Attack!

BUY MORE THAN BEFORE!



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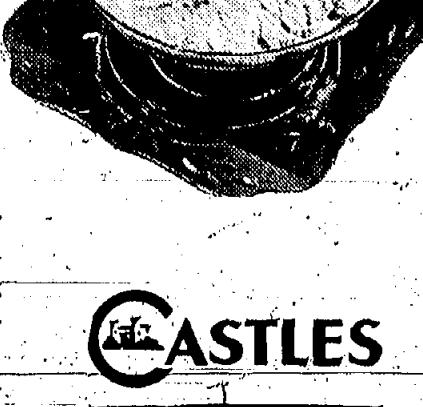
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Sealtest Quality
Will Always Be Tops



There can be no compromise with quality in our Sealtest Ice Cream. Unless it contains the finest available ingredients . . . unless it meets exacting Sealtest Quality standards in every respect . . . it cannot leave our plant. That's why Sealtest Ice Cream is so outstandingly pure, nourishing and taste appealing.

Fund in the Sealtest Village Store Program.
With Jack Haley, Thursday, 9:30 P.M., WEL

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Wartime Places New Emphasis Now On Need For Nurses

Those planning to enter the Overlook Hospital School of Nursing are being urged to do so as soon as possible since the number of regular students who can be accepted is limited. This does not apply to the Cadet Nurse Corps whose members may be transferred to other hospitals in the vicinity which are cooperating with the government in this project.

The war and its casualties have put a new emphasis on the profession of nursing and the need for nurses, according to Howard G. Turner, superintendent of Overlook, who also declared that here in our own community we have a finely equipped, rapidly-growing school of nursing.

The training school of Overlook Hospital graduated its first class in 1930, and during the period of 1930-1936 about twenty-seven students became graduate nurses. But in the thirty-four years of its existence, the school's enrollment has increased until at present twenty students are graduated each year, and the total enrollment is sixty-nine. In less than fifteen years when there were thirty-three students (1929) the school has doubled in size.

As the nursing school has developed, the area from which its students have come has widened so that now twenty-five communities in New Jersey are represented in the lists of student addresses. In addition to Summit, Springfield, Chatham and Bernardsville send the greatest number of girls to Overlook.

The physical expansion alone, however, is not the only test of development: The Overlook Nursing School curriculum today offers its students the same type of training...that larger schools throughout the country provide.

The course is a three year one, and includes three periods of affiliation instead of the first one established in 1926 at the Jersey City Medical Center. While an undergraduate nurse still goes there for twelve weeks' work in pediatrics as a probationer she commences training with a sixteen week pre-clinical period at Newark University. For the courses in science taken during that time she receives college credit. Then before she is graduated, the Overlook Hospital student spends two months at the New Jersey State Hospital at Greystone Park doing psychiatric nursing.

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Each applicant must be at least 17½ years of age and a high school graduate. A personal interview is required of each applicant. This may be arranged by writing or phoning the director of nurses, Mrs. Florence Dressin. Participation in the Cadet Nurse Corps is optional and information on this may be obtained upon request.

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Hospital Home Front In Action



Overlook students in the Central Supply Room prepare for the day ahead. Surgical supplies for the entire hospital are sterilized and processed here.

This work, done under the direction of a graduate nurse, is an essential part of the basic training of each student.

Junior Engineering Program to Start At Jefferson High

The Rutgers University War Training Program announces the opening date and the names of instructors for its special tuition-free summer Junior Engineering Drawing program to be inaugurated next month at the Thomas Jefferson High School, Elizabeth.

The center is being opened at the request of local war industries anxious to obtain trained junior engineering draftsmen and junior engineers as replacements for essential workers being required by the armed services.

The school, provided under the auspices of the U. S. Office of Education, opened Monday morning, July 3 in Room 8 at the Thomas Jefferson High School. Classes are to meet from 8 in the morning until 4:30 p.m. Mondays through Fridays up to and including August 25.

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responsible for the engineering drafting instruction.

Recent high school graduates, including members of this year's class, who have had one year or more of mathematics and who wish to prepare for urgently needed junior engineering draftsmen replacements, may still apply.

Eighteen members of this and last year's high school classes have already applied for the training program.

The course covers the mathematics needed for engineering duties, training in the use of the slide rule and engineering handbooks, lettering, theory and application of projection drawing, sketching, working and assembly drawing.

At the end of the eight weeks' course, a Rutgers guidance director will assist the graduates in securing placements where they are most critically needed.

Elizabeth is one of eight centers where this tuition-free training

opportunity is being made available. The other centers include: Asbury Park, Atlantic City, Dover, New Brunswick, Paterson, Trenton and Woodbury.

Further details may be obtained from local high school principals or from the War Training Office, Rutgers University, New Brunswick.

In May, the Army Service Forces moved a record of almost four million measurement tons of Army cargo overseas. The peak tonnage moved in the last war was 829,000 measurement tons, in November, 1918.

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YOUR VICTORY GARDEN

THE COMPOST PILE

By FRED D. OSMAN,
Union County Agricultural Agent

Anyone who does much gardening should have a compost pile. This is one way to practice conservation of organic matter, one of the most important constituents of a garden soil. It is a way to maintain the organic matter after the same manner as Nature. By having a compost pile, we make our plants work for us and receive additional benefits, aside from the crop, from the fertilizer, lime, moisture and care we have expended in the garden.

A compost pile is simply a pile of plant refuse, properly treated, that will eventually yield a manure-like substance that may aid the garden in two ways. Such material for mulching the garden, and this may be dug in to improve the soil, after it has served its purpose as mulch. When the material when partly decayed, makes excellent material for mulching the garden, and this may be dug in to improve

Pile in Observe Places
The compost pile may be located in an out-of-the-way place. For instance, you may have a space about five or more feet

square in the back of the shrub border which will provide an excellent site. A pit about a foot deep is advisable but not necessary as the materials can be piled on top of the ground.

Any sort of waste plant material may be put on the pile. Right now there may be beans, bean vines, weeds, pulled out of the garden, vegetable waste from the kitchen, cornstalks. Fine twigs pruned from shrubs, leaves as they fall are also good material for the pile. I have seen excellent manure produced from packing excelsior.

In order to confine the material in a small compost pile, drive in stakes at what would be the corners of the pile. Midway between the corner stakes, on each side, wrap four strands of old clothesline, some similar fairly strong cordage, with a turn-around each stake, spaced about a foot apart. Into these lace heavy prunings from the shrubs or other brush making a sort of wattle fence.

How to Cause Decay

Pile the material in layers about six inches deep, tread down. Then put on a sprinkle of lime and of Victory Garden fertilizer to speed decay. Or if you are keeping poultry or rabbits, this is a good place to use some of the manure. It would be well also to spread on a thin layer of garden soil to supply the bacteria and other organisms of decay. There need be no mystique in connection with the com-

posting and management of a compost pile.

Build the pile up to a height of four to six feet, in successive layers if you wish, with a flat or slightly concave top so that water will not run off but will be held.

Keep the sides as nearly vertical as possible. It is necessary that the pile be kept moist. While turning the pile over, it is a good practice, it is not essential if the material is to be used for mulching as well as for digging in. When turning, be sure that the parts that were on the outside are mixed into the interior. Young plant material will rot down thoroughly in two to three months in summer. Decay is much slower in cold weather. Sawdust, twigs and similar materials may require six months or longer.

Since organic material is such an important part of a good garden soil we should save all we can.

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avenues. In Mountainside, at

Billy's, 1 Springfield road.

You'll find a complete selection of office supplies at the Springfield SUN Stationery Store, 239 Morris Avenue.—Adv.

The Weather—Believe It Or Not!

The rains came and a most welcome relief from the heat wave of

Thursday and Friday they proved to be. With the temperature at 110 in the sun and 90 in the shade, scattered showers on Friday evening were more than welcome to local residents who had borne the burdens and the heat of the day. Clearing at about eleven, the showers gave little relief but gave the illusion of coolness for a short time. Saturday, Sunday and Monday were a bit warm with showers late on Tuesday.

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