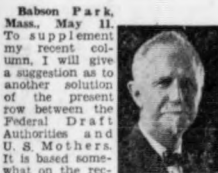


Babson Discusses

Military Training



Babson Park, Mass. May 11. To supplement my recent column, I will give a suggestion as to another solution of the present row between the Federal Draft Authorities and U. S. Mothers.

LONG-RANGE VIEW I have always held that most privately-endowed colleges must adopt some form of accelerated education which will train students to work instead of play.

MY OWN EXPERIENCE During World War II the Navy took over Babson Institute and there trained 3,000 men in Purchasing, Accounting and Economics.

TOUGH TRAINING MAKES MEN But you say: "We can't educate our boys for war." Of course not. Yet, no graduate of Annapolis or West Point need remain in the Navy or Army more than three or four years, respectively, after graduation.

led Annapolis or West Point. Another question--if the Government had 100 such colleges, could discipline and standards be kept as high? They perhaps could be, under joint civilian and military control.

MILITARY COLLEGES PRAISED Probably it would be a mistake to make such a shift-over all at once; but the Navy, Army and Air Force could take over a few of the poorly-endowed colleges and try it out--during both war and peace.

The Conant Plan of having all boys drop school work entirely 18 years of age and go into mass military training for two years is wrong. Some boys might make good students after returning, but I doubt if the Plan would make better men. On the other hand, the present haphazard system we now use seems impracticable if we are to have a "cold war" for ten years more.

Petitions ... (Continued from Page One) justice of the peace, four councilmen and members of the election board are to be nominated.

Blanches ... (Continued from Page One) Company, Plymouth Meeting. The celebrants' thirteen grandchildren include Mary, John, Elizabeth, Anne and Lawrence Whalen; Mary and Jean Blanche; and Sister Francis Josephine, the former Josephine Palacio, Mercedes, Joan, Lawrence and Rena Palacio.

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(Continued from Page One) ver, Esq., an attorney for the Valley Forge Cement Company, relative to the repairs being made to the West Conshohocken plant in an effort to eliminate the dust nuisance, was ordered received and filed for future consideration.

ORDINANCE READ An ordinance governing installation of oil burners and oil burning equipment providing penalty for violations of the ordinance, passed first and second reading. The ordinance will bring all adjoining communities under a joint code, it was explained by Mr. Piero, a member of the committee.

George S. Wood, building contractor, a member of the Montgomery County Fire Police, entered a complaint regarding the manner in which heating units are being installed in a building operation here, explaining he is giving warning for the county group. Borough Inspector Clarence Cooper took vigorous exception to Mr. Wood's complaint and explained that every precaution against fire is being taken by the building contractor.

REPORTS Burgess Williams submitted his report as follows: Fines from parking meter violations, \$193; fines "no parking" violations, \$40; total, \$233. On motion of Mr. Rowland, the report was laid on the table for future consideration.

Mother's Day ...

(Continued from Page One) Members of the Sunday School will present a program. HOLINESS CHRISTIAN Rev. Harold B. Hess, pastor of the Holiness Christian Church, West Conshohocken, will pay special tribute to mothers in a sermon at the morning service on Sunday at 11. Special music will be sung by the choir.

GULPH CHRISTIAN Mothers Day will be marked in the Gulph Christian Church at the morning service on Sunday with the presentation of a carnation to every mother attending. The carnations will be provided and presented by the Young People of the church. It was planned to have the women of the church take charge of the service Sunday morning as an observance of Mother's day, but this service has been postponed until May 20 when the pastor, Rev. William A. McKee, will be in Philadelphia attending the annual state conference of the Congregational Christian Churches. Mrs. McKee will occupy the pulpit and deliver the sermon on that date.

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Advertisement for Mother's Day Cake and Heart Cake. Includes images of cakes and a woman. Text: "STARTS WITH JANE PARKER... A&P'S VALUE PARADE THIS WEEK. Mother's Day Cake each 99c. Heart Cake each \$1.15. White Bread, Sugared Donuts, Potato Chips, Lady Fingers. Freshly Killed Broilers or FRYERS \$45. Cellophane Wrapped, Tendered Smoked PICNICS \$49. Embury Midget Liverwurst \$49c, Armour's Sliced Bacon \$49c, Rib End Pork Chops \$55c, Cross Cut of Beef \$61.00, Fresh Pork Shoulders \$50c, Smoked Boneless Butts \$87c, Legs and Rumps of Veal \$75c, Stewing Chickens \$56c, Rib Veal Chops \$99c, Tender Lamb Liver \$61c, Baked Loaf \$17c, Sliced Cheese \$15c. SHAD \$15, Fresh Carolina Bluefish \$39c, Fresh Fillet of Flounder \$69c, Fresh Large Size Porgies \$19c. FLORIDA NEW WHITE POTATOES U. S. NO. 1 GRADE \$45. 10 POUND BAG \$45. JERSEY FRESH ASPARAGUS \$49. Fresh Tomatoes \$20c, New Cabbage \$5c, Pascal Celery \$19c, Fresh Spinach \$19c, Regalo Cole Slaw \$15c, Regalo Salad Mix \$19c. FINE FROZEN FOODS Cauliflower \$27c, Frozen Peas \$43c, Snow Crop Grape Juice \$21c, Orange Juice \$35c, Brock's Potatoes \$20c. Sunnybrook All-White Large FRESH EGGS \$75. Large Eggs \$73c, Large Eggs \$67c. Cheddar Cheese \$55c, Breakstone's Butter \$45c, Kraft's Cheese \$35c, Mel-o-bit Cheese \$99c, Swiss Gruyere \$35c, Ched-o-bit \$89c. La Choy Chinese Dinner \$50, Dash Dog Food \$16c. ALL prices shown here including those of items not subject to ceiling guaranteed Thurs., May 10th, through Wed., May 11th.

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Advertisement for Block's GABARDINE suits. Text: "Make Your Next Suit A GABARDINE that speaks softly... smoothly... eloquently!". Includes image of a man in a suit.

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Advertisement for National Paint Center. Text: "YOU'LL BE PROUD OF YOUR 'Dutch Boy' PAINT JOB". Includes image of a painter and a Dutch Boy paint can. List of products and prices: HOUSE PAINT \$6.50, WONSOVER \$4.40, PORCH & FLOOR \$5.70, SASH & TRIM \$8.85, INTERIOR GLOSS ENAMEL \$1.80, SATIN EGGSHELL FINISH \$1.80, ENAMEL UNDERCOAT \$1.85, QUICK-DRYING ENAMEL \$1.25, PRIMER-SEALER \$4.55, SPARKLING-WHITE ENAMEL \$2.25. NATIONAL PAINT CENTER 8 E. SECOND AVENUE CONSHOHOCKEN PHONE CO 6-2812 FOR FAST, FREE DELIVERY

Advertisement for A&P SUPER MARKETS. Text: "Customers' Corner. Mother's Day has a special meaning for the men and women of A&P. Our business has been built during the past 92 years by the patronage of five generations of mothers. It has always been our job to give the mothers of America the best of food, value and service. If there's anything we can do to make your shopping easier, please let us know. Please write: CUSTOMER RELATIONS DEPT. A&P Food Stores 490 Lexington Ave., New York 17, N.Y."

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Abram Lee, Old Resident, Dead At 104

Born Into Slavery, Local Man Had Been Under Nine Masters

Death last night claimed Conshohocken's oldest resident and the last known remaining slave of pre-Civil War days in a wide area. Abram Murray Lee, who married his 104th birthday anniversary last February 9, died at the Brooke Convalescent Home, 710 North 40th Street, Philadelphia, bringing to a close the long life, which included personal knowledge of a condition, now long buried in history, which brought on America's only civil war.

Posessed of remarkable vitality despite his long years, Abram Lee was rarely ill a day until he was stricken with gripe shortly after his last birthday anniversary. Removed to Montgomery Hospital, complications developed, but he appeared to be on the road to recovery.



ABRAM LEE

After a few weeks he was removed to the West Philadelphia convalescent home.

He never knew an hour of freedom until Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation gave him his liberty at the age of sixteen.

Offering one of the few first-hand accounts of Southern bondage available in late years, Abram Lee told a lucid and comprehensive story of Southern bondage.

Equipped with a keen intellect and remarkable memory, he drew a picture of slavery obtainable in few history books. Among its highlights were the fact that many of the popular Negro Spirituals sung today were originated as prayers at clandestine religious gatherings in Negro slave quarters.

Coming to Conshohocken, he became coachman to a year ago. "Squire" John Wood, U. S. Congressman, and was in the employ of the Wood family nearly thirty years.

In 1889 he brought his wife and twelve children to Conshohocken. Another child was born after his marriage.

Three married, he outlived his three wives and eight of his thirteen sons and daughters.

FOUNDED CHURCH One of the founders of the Baptist Church, Roxborough, and held the honorary title of "reverend," conferred upon him by the church in 1904.

He planted and tilled a garden in the rear yard of his home each summer until a year or two ago. Until his time, he was an excellent gardener.

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At 18th Anniversary Of Veterans

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Police Report Minor Crashes

Octogenarian Treated Here For Injuries

Two weeks ago, Andrew Kist, of 616 McKean Street, Phoenixville, was apprehended in Philadelphia for passing an amber light and fined \$13.50, according to the story he told Chief of Police Harry Sneed, Plymouth Township, Saturday afternoon.

When the amber light flashed as Kist reached the intersection of Ridge and Butler Pikes, Harmonville, while driving south on Ridge Pike, early Saturday afternoon, he recalled his Philadelphia experience.

Immediately behind Kist's car was the car of John Skutny, of Jonesville, Lebanon County. The new 1961 model had been delivered to the Jonesville motorist only the day before.

Skutny's car crashed into the halted Kist car, throwing Mrs. Skutny, riding in the front seat, and the truck, the property of the late F. D. McCallister, Sr., into the air.

OCTOGENARIAN HURT An 82-year-old Philadelphia woman sustained injuries requiring medical treatment in the crash of a sedan and truck yesterday afternoon at 3:45, on River Road, near Barron Hill Road, Springfield.

Mrs. W. D. Lewis, 5605 Cedar Avenue, West Philadelphia, the only one injured in the two-vehicle collision, was treated for a sprained wrist and shock by Dr. Sherrod Cooper, local physician.

Mrs. Lewis was one of four passengers in a car operated by Alfred C. Llewellyn, 21, of the same address, the truck, the property of D. F. McCallister & Sons, caterers, of 1811 Spring Garden Street, was operated by George Smith, 22, of 922 Jessup Street, Philadelphia.

Smith told Whitehurst Township police officers A. C. Wells and William Speers, Jr., that the brakes on the truck had been causing trouble since he drove east on River Road. As he made a turn he was unable to control the truck and missed the Llewellyn sedan.

Riding in the truck also were Mrs. C. L. Llewellyn, 45, and Joan Llewellyn, 17, of the Cedar Avenue address, and Miss Jane Burleigh, 18, of 1158 South 52d Street, Philadelphia.

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225 Attend VFW Banquet At Post Home Saturday

Two hundred and twenty-five members and guests attended the eighteenth anniversary banquet of the Conshohocken Post No. 1074, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Saturday night at the post home, Hector and Harry Streets.

Guest speaker for the event was Howard Weiss, of Jenkintown, commander of District 16, V. F. W. Earl Antrim, commander of the county council, also spoke. William J. McCloskey, commander, presided at the affair. A show with professional talent and dancing, followed the catered dinner.

William Blair, of Conshohocken, was chairman of the banquet committee. Assisting were Norman A. Rice, Albert Millhouse, menu; James Duff and Russell Burke, tickets; Harry Cunningham and William J. McCloskey, orchestra; James Wertz and Cornelius Flanagan, refreshments; and Volpe and Chinnair, a band.

Commander McCloskey chaired a special meeting scheduled for Thursday night, when the post will make preparations for Memorial Day services. They have engaged the band of Conshohocken for the group.

Youth Injured In Bike Mishap

Whitemarsh Police Conduct Investigation

A 10-year-old Norristown boy is in Montgomery Hospital with possible serious head injuries, as the result of a bicycle accident, which police are investigating for a possible unauthenticated "hit-and-run" angle.

The boy is Harold Douglas, of 222 Knox Street. The accident occurred about 10 p. m. in yesterday as Harold and a young companion rode their bicycles on North Lane, near the intersection of Hector Street, a short distance from the Lee Rubber and Tire Corporation mill Spring Mill.

Whitemarsh police headquarters were notified of the accident at midnight last night, when George Douglas, 926 West Lafayette Street, Norristown, grandfather of the injured boy, brought it to their attention and asked that police obtain further information.

The boy's companion was Robert Smith, 10, of West Main Street, Norristown. The boys were reportedly riding on the sidewalk when they saw the boy lying on the side of the road. The motorist left after leaving the boy lying on the sidewalk.

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World War I, 60th Infantry Picture Taken To Fort Dix

A photograph of the 60th Infantry Regiment that fought as part of the Fifth Division in World War I, has been presented to the present 60th Infantry Regiment now stationed at Fort Dix, N. J., by Ezekiel Kirkpatrick, a member of the Conshohocken Police Department. Officer Kirkpatrick took the picture to Fort Dix last week. Col. James H. Cash, commanding officer at the New Jersey camp, was not present at the time, and the photograph was presented to the next officer in command.

Officer Kirkpatrick expressed a personal appreciation for your support, Willie Beatty, Sr., was arrested yesterday at 365 East Hector Street, Germantown, and Officer Zadroga and placed in the county jail at Norristown for a further hearing before Magistrate Ruggiero.

Hospital Notes
Mrs. Frank Swing, 233 East Tenth Avenue, has returned from Montgomery Hospital, where she was a surgical patient.

Salvation Army Drive Solicitations Being Made

The 1951 Salvation Army Drive for funds in Conshohocken and vicinity is well under way and returns thus far are "generous and the response is most gratifying," according to a report made this morning by William T. Ardell, 300 Fayette Street, general chairman of the campaign here.

CHS Selects May Queen

Crown Constance Golas At "May Sway" Friday

A pleasantly dramatic touch was added to the "May Sway" annual dance of the sophomore class of Conshohocken High School Friday night, when choice of the school's May Queen for 1961, was revealed following a custom of several years.

All other officers were elected as follows: vice-president, Rev. Berwin Hainley, Reading; secretary, Miss Jessie Jones, Sunday school superintendent of the West Conshohocken Church; treasurer, Mrs. Helen Cooper, Coatesville.

Greetings were extended by Rev. Frances Amand, of Keymar, Md., who has just returned after three years as a missionary to Jamaica and Rev. The Miller, pastor of the Birdsboro Church, who with Mrs. Miller and their two-year-old son, Paul, will leave in a few days for Jamaica, where they will work as missionaries. Greetings were read from Rev. Walter Schaeffer, of Reading, presiding elder of the local Christian Church.

COMMITTEE NAMED President Kehler appointed the following standing committees: Statistical committee, Miss Kathryn White, Mt. Carmel, Leverage White, and Mrs. Helen Cooper, Coatesville, ways and means committee, Miss Elaine Bortner, Hanover; Miss Verna Doris Nayler, Hockens, Md., and Miss Ethel Bitter, Carlisle.

The following awards were presented: To Miss Pearl Shiner, president of the host group, to Miss Kathryn White, of Mt. Carmel, together with the banner, for the group having the largest increase in membership during the year; to Miss Mary Deibus, of Seymour, Md., for the group coming the greatest distance; and to Mrs. Emma Englehart, of Seiyfert, Pa., for the group having the largest number present at the convention. Twenty-seven persons were present from Seiyfert.

Rev. Berwin Hainley, pastor of the Allentown Church, was the principal speaker at the afternoon session. Rev. Elma Miller, wife of Rev. Jap Miller, pastor of the Birdsboro Church, was the featured speaker at the evening service, addressing the group on missionary work. Motion pictures of Jamaica were shown by Rev. Walter Kehler, who spent some time there, as narrator.

Vocal and instrumental music were features of each of the three services. An exhibit of the missionary activities of the young people was on display. This included clothing, scrapbooks and various toys made for shipment to Jamaica.

Holds, Md., was elected as the principal speaker at the next year, the date is Saturday, May 3. Dinner and supper were served the visitors in the social room of the church by the ladies of the church.

Fire Damages Roof Of Home

The roof of the home of Dr. Stewart McCracken, of Narcessa Road, Cold Point, was damaged to an estimated extent of \$250 when it caught fire Sunday afternoon.

Harmonville Fire Company, working under the direction of Chief Donald Tarbuton, quickly got the fire under control with booster tanks, preventing any other damage to the three-story stone dwelling. Plymouth and Barron Hill fire companies responded, but were not required to get into action.

An oil burner which failed to work properly, sending out a gas, smoke and carbon, is believed to have caused the wood shingle roof to become overheated and ignite.

No. 2 Firemen To Meet

The May meeting of Conshohocken Fire Company No. 2 will be held this evening in the house home, Ninth Avenue and Harry Street, Daniel Garvey, president, will preside.

First Holy Communions include Nancy Verrone, Roseann DiGregorio, Louise Nicolai, Mary Louise Cameron, Eileen Lepora, Pauline Cicchetti, Madeline Cicchetti, Carol Petrolotti, Bernadette Cardamone, Phyllis D'Orazio, Mary DeSantis, Roseann DiGregorio, Judith DiGiulio, Judith Celli, Jeanne DiVito, Loreta Vitrocolonne, Joan Pasquon.

Philip Radick, Anthony Zinni, John Turallini, James DiDonato, Norman Meyer, Robert Storti, Dominic D'Orazio, Lawrence DiBonaventura, Louis Lelli, Joseph Romano, John Laudo.

Veterans Plan Memorial Day Observance

Service May 27; Visits To Cemeteries Of Community May 30

The two-day observance of Memorial Day by the six military organizations of Conshohocken will be marked by the annual Sunday evening religious service to be held this year in the Conshohocken Methodist Church, Sixth Avenue and Fayette Street, Sunday evening, May 27, at 7:30, followed by services at each of the nine cemeteries and two memorial plots to be visited on Memorial Day, May 30.

The participating organizations are John F. DeHaven Post No. 129 American Legion; Joseph Wagner Post No. 772 American Legion; Conshohocken Post No. 1074, Veterans of Foreign Wars; Andrew Lannutti Post No. 18, Italian-American World War Veterans; Walter Zurkowski Post No. 1, Polish-American Veterans; and Conshohocken Detachment, Marine Corps League.

REV. BRASHER TO SPEAK The services in the Methodist Church will be arranged by the pastor, James H. Erwin, who will deliver the special address. The musical portion of the service will be presented by the Methodist Choir. The evening service at all of the churches will be dispensed with in order that members of the congregations may attend the Memorial service.

The members of military organizations and ladies' auxiliaries will assemble at their respective headquarters and march in a body to the church where a section of the auditorium will be reserved for them. Tribute will be paid the soldier who died in World War I.

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM The members of the various posts will assemble at their headquarters Wednesday morning, May 30, and attend the Memorial service at the cemetery where a joint service will be held at 9:15.

At the conclusion of this service the various posts will divide into two groups, John F. DeHaven Post No. 129, and Joseph Wagner Post No. 772, American Legion, and Conshohocken Post No. 1074, Veterans of Foreign Wars, headed by a band, will visit Plymouth Meeting Friends Burial Grounds, Cold Point, Barron Hill, and St. Benedict's Cemetery, where they will conduct the regular services. On their return (Continued on Page Six)

Blanches Mark Anniversary

Golden Wedding Date Observed Yesterday

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence N. Blanche, 239 Spring Mill Avenue, was marked with a catered dinner for fifty-five members of their immediate family at their home at 12:30 yesterday, followed by an open house reception for their wide circle of friends later in the afternoon.

Recipients of dozens of golden-rod bouquets and numerous gifts and congratulatory messages from relatives and friends during the entire day, the couple was felicitated by each of their three children and grandchildren. A telephone call enabled them to talk with their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. John Walek, and their children, Mary, Jane, John, Elizabeth, Anne and Lawrence, of Altadena, California. Another telephone call came from Mrs. Georgia Jackson, the former Blanche Palacio, a granddaughter, and from Sister Margaret deSales, of Philadelphia, niece of the celebrants, highlighted the function.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murray, of Chestnut Hill, whose lifelong friendship dated back to their childhood days of both couples in Ireland, and who also marked their fiftieth anniversary just two weeks ago, were present at the celebration. The daughter of St. Matthew's Church extended congratulations to her couple at the reception.

Mr. Blanche is a former Town Commissioner. Both are long-time members of St. Matthew's Parish.

West Side School May Day Program Set For Thursday

The annual May Day festivities of the West Conshohocken Elementary School will be held Thursday afternoon at 1:30, in the school auditorium, open to the parents and friends of the pupils.

The program is under the direction of Mrs. Mildred K. Rice, principal, with the following teachers directing in their respective grades: Grade one, Mrs. Sara Kelly; grade two, Mrs. Anna Swimer; grade three, Mrs. Mildred K. Rice; grade four, Mrs. Georgia Jackson; grade five, Mrs. Thora Cole; grade six, Miss Mildred Lawless.

Following will be the order of program: The professional, the Queen and her court, followed by the crowning of the Queen of May, Elsie McCurdy Dance, "Holiday in Holland," grade one and two, Rhythmic Drill, "Play Ball," grade three; dance, "May Day Joy," grade three girls; dance, "Ballroom Dance," grade four; march and drill, "Lights Out March," grade five; games and stunts, grade six; recessional.

The following are the Queens of Court: Queen, Shirley Roper; crowners, Elsie McCurdy, Etanadina, Martha Bodnar, Helen Culp; crown bearer, Betty Altopied; flower girl, Diana DeBuro; train bearers, Beverly Best, Barbara Ruth, Joanne Garret. "Holiday in Holland" waltz, Charlotte Bodnar, Kathleen Carpenter, Dorothy Davis, Sarah

Candidates Circulate Petition For Offices

A number of candidates for offices in Conshohocken and West Conshohocken are circulating petitions to have their names placed on the ballot for Primary Election on Tuesday, July 24.

Anthony Travaglini, who is a candidate for the vacant seat on the first ward by the resignation of Philip Gravinese, is expected to be a candidate for the full term of office. Mr. Travaglini's term expires at the end of this year.

Charles Miller, who is serving the unexpired term of President of the Township, Frank Wagner, is expected to be a candidate for a full four-year term. Mr. Miller, while non-committal, is expected to have petitions circulated by his friends.

Charles Grohowski, who is completing his first four-year term as a third ward councilman, will be a candidate to succeed himself. Petitions for his removal, to be presented to the township board, will be a candidate for one of the two council seats in the fourth ward.

Walter Stelzke, who has repre-

Named To Committee

Samuel W. DeMedio, of Conshohocken, Neil L. Conner, of Lansdale, and Mrs. Sterling A. Woodin, of Pennsburg, were elected to complete a six-year term as members of the Montgomery County District Committee of the Health and Welfare Council, Inc., a Red Feather Service, at the delegates' meeting at Ursinus College last Thursday. The Council's program of coordination and improved services in the fields of health, child care, family service, recreation, and services to older people is guided by this committee.

Whitemarsh Township Curtain Callers Delight Audiences In Comedy Play

Appreciative audiences witnessed the initial effort of the Whitemarsh Curtain Callers, sponsored by the Whitemarsh Park and Recreation Board, in their presentation of James Montgomery's comedy "Nothing But The Truth" on Friday and Saturday evenings, in the Barren Hill School Auditorium.

The dilemma suffered by Robert Bennett, played by Michael Laputka, Jr., who made a bet to tell the truth for 24 hours to double \$10,000 charity money for his sweetheart, Gwendolyn Ralston, played by Mrs. Castello, kept the audience in continual laughter. Abetting plot were E. M. Ralston, played by John Thompson; Dick Donnelly, played by Vincent Scarpello and Clarence Van Dusen, played by Edward Humphrey.

Others taking part in well portrayed parts were: Mrs. E. M. Ralston, played by Helen Mattie; Ethel Clark by Esther Bloomsburg; Bishop Dogan, by Howard Majer; Mabel, by Marjorie Rau; Sabel, by Vincent Scarpello; and Mrs. J. Flamm. The clock which played an important part in the timing of events was turned by Mrs. Emily Lee.

Mrs. John Wildemore, Jr. directed the production and was assisted by Miss Sarah Staley, as prompter. Donald Kozintz was in charge of properties; Mrs. Datz, of tickets; John Thompson, of make-up; Helen Austermeile and Ellen Michalmore, of the program.

At the close of the show on Saturday evening, Mrs. Wildemore thanked the audience and the cast for their cooperation. Everyone was invited to join the group for meetings held on the last Monday of each month at the Barren Hill Fire House.

Mrs. and Mrs. John Wildemore entertained some members of the cast at a party following the Saturday night performance at their home. Those who were invited included Mrs. Ralph Bloomsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Laputka, Jr., Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Rau, Miss Maxine Vancey, Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Humphrey, Miss Sarah Staley and guests, Corp. and Mrs. Kulp, of Collegeville.

SIGHTSEEING TRIP
The sixth grade pupils of Spring Mill School went sightseeing in Philadelphia on Tuesday. The student body visited Independence Hall, the Betsy Ross House, the grave of Benjamin Franklin, and the Bulletin Building. After lunch they toured the Franklin Institute. They were accompanied by their teacher, Miss Margaret Drennan, and two mothers, Mrs. William John and Mrs. Edward Debus. Those who went on the trip were Jimmy Thompson, Sandra Atkinson, Barbara Batcheider, Patty Borasch, John Clark, Mae Cressman, Debby Debus, Katherine Drennan, Jimmy Hill, Sandra Heller, Jimmy Hill, Billy John, Veronica Kronhler, Harry Laskey, Ronnie Laugh, Carol Palmatier, Frank Pratico, George Quigg, Frank Vayton, Billy Watson, Judy Weber, and Warren White.

The Civic Organization of Conshohocken will hold its May meeting tonight at 8:30. Refreshments will be served.

The Auxiliary Police of Whitemarsh Township will meet tonight at the Barren Hill Fire House, Germantown Pike and Church Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Datz, 622 South Warner Road, Country Acres, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burcker of Oreland on Sunday. As dinner at Cedarbrook Country Club, there was a surprise party in honor of Mrs. Raymond Datz, Sr., observing Mother's Day. Raymond Datz, Sr. and several friends attended the dinner.

AIR GROUPS TO MEET
A joint fair and executive committee meeting of the Barren Hill School Parent Teachers Association will be held tonight at 8, at the home of George Krammer, chairman of the Barren Hill School Air, at Mathers Mill Road, Whitemarsh Hill.

The Business and Professional Women's Club of Whitemarsh and Springfield Township, which was organized recently, will hold its first meeting on Tuesday, May 15.

Death Notice
MARKLAND-In Swedeland, on May 13, WILLIAM W. SR., husband of Katie Haines Markland, in his 70th year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the service from the Boyd Funeral Home, 718 Swede Street, Norristown, Thursday, May 17, at 2 p. m. Interment, Valley Forge Gardens. Friends may call Wednesday evening, 7 to 9.

In Memoriam
GRIFF-ALFRED In loving memory of my dear husband, who passed away May 13, 1950. He was a smiling and pleasant face. He was a kind and loving father. He had a kindly word for each, and died beloved by all. I hope to meet him, one day, I know not when, and find in the better land, ever to part again. Sincerely, Sadie missed by wife.

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West Side

Mrs. Alan J. Cox and her infant son, Alan Jr., returned to their home at 673 East Marshall Street, Norristown, yesterday from Montgomery Hospital, where the child was born May 7. Mrs. Cox, the former Miss Frances Milto of Norristown, is the widow of Alan J. Cox, 21, who succumbed last Christmas to injuries sustained in the collision of an automobile accident near Trooper. Mrs. Cox was injured in the collision.

Mrs. Stanley Gleba and family have removed from 182 Moorhead Avenue to 226 Moorhead Avenue, the home formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Zaleski. The Glebas' former home, newly-erected a year ago, was razed because of the Schuylkill Expressway extension of the Turnpike.

Mr. and Mrs. William Speaker, of Upper Ford Street, motored to Philadelphia, Pa., Sunday to visit their son, William, an ensign in the Navy stationed there for boat training.

MOTHER'S DAY EVENT
A number of persons prominent in the sports world, speakers at the annual Mother's Day Community Breakfast of St. Gertrude's Holy Name Society following the 8 o'clock mass, including the Rev. John J. Orl, were instrumental in their attendance.

Present also were the newly-elected officers of the Society: Francis McHugh, president; Francis Wyrembeck, first vice-president; Harry Hein, second vice-president; Edward McQuinn, secretary, and John Ryan, Jr., treasurer. Rev. Father Kenny, of St. Gertrude's Church, is spiritual adviser. The next meeting will be held at 7 at the next regular meeting on Monday, June 4.

Joseph Pillausk, president of the Society of St. Edward's, Edgemoor, chairman of the committee arranging the breakfast, introduced the speakers. A catered breakfast was served.

Firemen To Meet
The Fourth District Firemen's Association will hold its May meeting Wednesday night at the headquarters of the Fort Washington Fire Company. Housing of a new piece of apparatus for that company will be a feature. Barren Hill, Harmonville, Spring Mill and Lincolnville, Fire Companies, are among the ten companies enrolled in the association, primarily for chiefs but open to all volunteer firemen. Elias Swain, Harmonville, is president of the district.

UPPER MERION
Florence Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Williams, DeHaven Street, Rebel Hill, reigned as May Queen of 1951 at annual Country Acres event last week at Upper Merion High School. Selected as the king was Joseph Doiga, of Swedeland.

Members of the King's Court were Francis Murphy, Fred LeRoy, Joseph Dudas, George Mastrotrea, Frank Toth, LeRoy Keahn, and Dan Stanley.

The King and Queen crowning highlighted the annual May and Gold Olympic Day program. Miss Joanne Dunagan and Miss Doris Cunningham, teachers, had charge of the May Day pageant. Student assistants were Patsy Buddy and Janet Knapp.

Crown bearers for the May Court were Gail Smith and David Angstadt. The pageant cast included Jane Howland, toy maker; Margaret Estock, messenger, and Marie Murphy, Diane Burchill, Margaret McComb, Jane Bussard, Joyce Blumber and Mary Gadenas.

Soldiers: Pat Branca, Barbara Harris, Margie Andreyko, Concetta Mastrotrea, Betsy Sedor, Barbara Burchill, Mary Bess Bickhart and Lee Thomas.

Mary Keil was "Raggedy Ann" and Jane Arnold was "Raggedy Andy." Other members of the cast: Gail Wallick and Patsy McDermott, Spanish dolls; Joan Bear, "Jack in the Box"; Shirley Miller, Gail Herzog and Jean Woodside, Hawaiian dolls; Joan Knasiak and Peggy Florig, ballerinas; Joan Spore, Monica Desnoine, and Joan Zielski, pages, and Jean Emel, Eleanor Strauser, Mary Corona, Barbara Derfler, Charlotte Farchy, Joan Keck, and Mary Leskoven, dolls.

Paragant staff included Joy Swartley, Joan Byus, Leona Bengen and Mildred Mitchell, costumes; Leona Bengen, Helen Duden, Doris Romig and Mildred Mitchell, make-up; Donald Lilke, Frank Rossi and Nancy McNeil, electrical equipment; Billie Sipple, Betty Ramsey, Mary Maum, Mildred Richardson, Jean Woodside and Rose Kontra, decorations; and Betty Ramsey, Marion Mastrotrea, Gail Wallick, Wanda Wiszelski and Pat McDermott, programs.

Scouts attending the monthly event were Stephen Homa, Charles Martin, Charles M. Kane and M. J. ...

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Firemen Oppose State Senate Bill

Opposition to Senate Bill 245, prohibiting volunteer firemen's Relief Associations from using state funds for insurance and directing their use for pension or death benefits only, was registered at the semi-annual meeting of the Keystone State Fire Chiefs' Association, held Saturday afternoon and evening at the Flourtown Fire House. One hundred fire chiefs from eastern Pennsylvania and thirty guests attended.

Following their afternoon session, the fire chiefs visited the Eastern Regional Laboratory of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Wyndmoor. They inspected the fire-fighting equipment of Springfield Township, the Barren Hill Fire Company Rescue Squad and the Second Alarmers Association of Willow Grove. The twelve pieces of apparatus were brought to the Flourtown Fire House for the inspection.

E. A. Robb, of Morton, chief of fire protection at E. I. DuPont de Nemours Company, Wilmington, presided. A banquet was held at 6:30. Walter C. Smith, president of the Flourtown company, was chairman.

Baptist Motocade Visits Church

Fifty-two persons occupying ten cars, joined in the first motocade of the season of the First Baptist Church, yesterday afternoon. Objective of the ride was Central Schweldefeld Church, at Worcester.

The group left the church at 2:15, returning at 4:30. Launched last year, the motocade is a fund-raising device for church members desiring it.

The next motocade is set for June 3, when the group will visit the Baptist Home, Roosevelt Boulevard and Pennypack Creek Road, Philadelphia. The local church will send a service and the choir of the church will sing.

Yesterday's motocade exceeded in attendance, any held last year.

Club Meets Tonight

The Conshohocken-Villanova Club plans adoption of by-laws at a meeting tonight at 8 in the K. of C. headquarters in the Warrell Building, Second Avenue and Payette Street. The club is open to all local students and former students at Villanova College. William Conley will preside.

Accepts Position

Mrs. Dom Ruggiero, 339 West Elm Street, has accepted a clerical position in the local office of the Western Union Telegraph Company, with whom she was previously associated for some time. Gregory Cardamone, 335 West Elm Street, has been transferred from the local office to the Norristown office.

Divorce Suits

Suit for divorce has been filed at the Court House by Oren W. Hunt, Conshohocken, against Inez Jeffers Hunt, Port Crane, N. Y.

Window Washing

A simple way to wash the windows is as follows: Dip a chamois skin into hot water and wring quite dry; rub this over the window quickly, wait several minutes, and then wipe the window dry with a clean, dry chamois skin.

CROSSWORD By A. C. Gordon

Crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-47 and 48-62.

- ACROSS
1-Referring to the pursuit of knowledge
2-To digest literature
3-Musical group
4-To coagulate
5-One's items of value
6-Satirical
7-To place
8-The group supposed to repose in a man, to accept
9-Religion
10-Prefix denoting
11-Religious
12-Male title of respect
13-Public transportation
14-In medicine, every other day
15-Came into contact with
16-Belonging to
17-Measure of area
18-Self
19-Portentous
20-Archaic "the"
21-Exclamation of decision
22-The main part of an article of the heart
23-Roman 993
24-Newspaper announcements
25-A tick
26-Greeting
27-Male singers
28-Ardor
29-Roman emperor
30-Religious number and admiration
31-To look in Scotland
32-A bookkeeping entry
33-Level
34-The rest of a predatory bird
35-Chemical symbol for lodeston
36-Girl's name
37-Brief letters (abbr.)
38-Ancient Greek god of war
39-Referring to writings
40-To furnish with
41-Anything desired
42-Necessity show
43-Musical note
44-Former Russian ruler
45-Kind of wine
46-Feline
47-Watery expanse
48-Thoroughfare
49-Plaster
50-American "corn state"
51-Promous
52-Picker
53-Chemical symbol for sodium
54-Male title of respect
55-Level
56-Melodious sounds
57-Break suddenly
58-Commonly used by phone, and you need only dial to pick up your hook.
59-Animal covering
60-Chemical symbol for calcium
61-Male title of respect
62-Level
63-Melodious sounds
64-Break suddenly
65-Commonly used by phone, and you need only dial to pick up your hook.
66-Ancient Greek god of war
67-Greek letter

Slippery Table
If the white enamel kitchen table is too slippery to attach a metal grinder, place a small wad of paper between the grinder and the table, tightening the screws on the paper instead of the table. It will be secure and safe.

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2. Although Generals Robert E. Lee and U. S. Grant fought against each other in the American Civil War, in what war did they both fight on the same side?
3. What percentage of Americans catch cold at least once a year?
4. How many square feet are there in an acre?
5. Who was the first woman elected to sit in Congress?
6. What American cities bear the following nicknames: (a) Windy City; (b) Smoky City; (c) City of Churches; (d) Crescent City; (e) Mound City?
7. What fraction of the total population of the earth is Christian?
8. What is the approximate length of the average male of writing pencil?
9. Who first stated the law of gravity?
10. What does "amulical" mean?
11. About how many years has "The Star Spangled Banner" been the national anthem of the United States?
12. In which battle of the American Civil War were the most men lost?
13. Which are the four largest cities in Alaska?
14. What is a rhombus?
15. What is regarded as the greatest collection of narrative poems in English literature?
16. What is the fundamenal standard of length in the U. S.?
17. What is a levirate marriage?
18. Of what country is Caledonia the poetical name?
19. What city, in the Bible, had its walls broken down by the blowing of trumpets?
20. For what class of prize fighters is there no weight limit?



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Our Wildflowers Are Worth Preserving

At this midpoint of May, we are nearing the end of the "second act" of the annual three-act pageant of Spring. Year by year, through uncounted centuries, species after species of wildflower has staged its annual "show."

Bloodroot and hepatica have yielded to violet and May apple. Those are destined soon to be pushed off the "stage" by trailing arbutus, Quaker ladies, and trillium. Dogwood and wild strawberry blossoms, as well as the drifts of spring beauty and anemone, have already reached the climax of their white profusion.

Yes, the pageant has been presented each year for many centuries. But it is up to us, the spectators, to say whether it shall continue or shall be a smaller and poorer display each future Spring. To the casual observer and particularly to one driving along rural byways, it is true, the number of each of these flowers seems limitless.

But many others are growing steadily scarcer — even disappearing altogether. For that condition, a large share of the blame must be placed on the automobile. Its rapid transportation makes the haunts of wildflowers readily accessible to millions. Sad to say, those millions include some persons who in ignorance or thoughtlessness pick wayside flowers for a few brief hours or even minutes of enjoyment — without thought for the enjoyment of others who follow them.

There is a law on the statute books of Pennsylvania which forbids the picking of wild flowers and the breaking and destruction of shrubs and trees. It applies not only to private property but to wayside plants as well. But, like any man-made law, it does not enforce itself; it is effective only to the extent that you and I approve its purpose and support its enforcement.

Many once-common flowers are growing rarer each year. Among them are the trailing arbutus and the trillium which we have already mentioned. The same fate has overtaken the lady's slipper and the dainty wintergreen flower. Again, of the shrubs and trees which lend beauty to the Spring landscape scarcely one escapes serious (often fatal) damage from the thoughtless breaking of its branches.

As you drive along country roads this Spring, remember that the flowers and shrubs and trees which you are enjoying really belong to you and to the other ten million citizens of our Commonwealth. Remember that they have the same right as you have to enjoy these natural beauties, and that your thoughtless act may deprive them forever of just that much of our common heritage.

The heritage is one handed down from generation to generation (though not always impaired), since the day when William Penn wrote to London, after seeing the floral wealth of the new colony:

"The woods are adorned with lovely flowers (unexcelled) for color, greatness, figure, and variety. I have seen the gardens of London best stored with that sort of beauty, but I think they may be improved by our woods."

Let it be said of this generation that it passed on the heritage undiminished; that it enjoyed to the full the "interest" of bloom and foliage, and that it left intact the "principal" of tree and shrub and plant and root which form so large a part of the scenic beauty of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Shoemaker Tells Further Of Her Work In Kolar, India

Dr. Esther Shoemaker, former local resident, who returned to her post as superintendent of the Ellen Thoburn Cowen Memorial Hospital in Kolar, India, last December, after a year-and-a-half furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Harold Shoemaker, Norristown, tells further of her work, in letters just received by The Recorder this week.

This time last year I was at the Methodist Hospital in Philadelphia in the day times and visiting many of our W.S.C.S. groups in the evening. I very much appreciated that time and often in our work here I refer to the experiences there. I feel so sorry not to be able to write to individuals there and in other places when I think of you so often.

We have had our difficulties also such as one woman who died four days after we removed a huge tumor. The day's work after such an experience is not particularly comfortable, but we try to learn what we can from it.

When we are not in the hospital it is the vacation season. I hope to go on mine April 10 to 30. I am taking Sundramma and her two children, Saroja and a little Summe, to Nandi Droog, a little summer resort 40 miles from here.

David has just finished his first year college. He is almost the same age as my nephew Gordon, who has just finished his first year at Bates College.

We are busily looking for a doctor to take her place as well as for a male doctor to serve on the staff. With 20-25 men patients we need a male doctor very badly in order that we might give our male patients the best care.

I know you will be praying with us that these staff needs will be met. One of our greatest needs is for a business manager. Our present business manager goes to England on May 15 and we are eagerly looking for someone to undertake this responsible work.

Wesleyan Service Guilders should be able to find someone who is business trained, a college graduate and eager to do missionary work in India. We shall expect some help from you folks and now must close with much love to each of you and a word of "thank you" to Elizabeth Lamm who sends this letter on.

BRAIN TWISTERS

By DON DOUGLAS (Answers to last Friday's Questions) THE "S" GAME: 1. Kill and snare. 2. Even and seven. 3. Able and skill. 4. In and sink. 5. Mile and snare. 6. Fox and spot.

ENDLESS PROVERBS: 1. To him who waits. 2. The thief of time. 3. Pudding is in the eating. 4. Skin and bone. 5. Soothe the savage breast. 6. Loves company.

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Abraham Lee - - -

(Continued from Page One) tive walk daily, and made his own household purchases. On his hundredth birthday, four years ago, he was the central figure at a special observance held in St. Paul's Baptist Church...

At the observance, the centennial song was sung and delivered an inspiring address. Even on his last birthday, February 9, he joined enthusiastically in the usual family celebration arranged in his honor.

With no formal education, Abraham Lee's early thirst for knowledge made some headway despite enervating, when the daughter of one of his masters taught him as a child how to write his name and a few simple words.

Teaching himself to read, he read his Bible every day, and attributed his longevity to that mental exercise and the physical exercise of his daily stroll.

Eighty-two descendants are survived by eighty-two descendants. Included are three sons and two daughters, thirty-nine grandchildren, twenty-one great grandchildren and seventeen great-great grandchildren.

His sons, in addition to Rev. Mr. Lee, who heads the Montgomery County Rent Control Board and has long been prominent in civic activities of the county and community, are James F. of Norristown, and Edward H. of Philadelphia, a retired "red car" patrolman who served forty years on the Philadelphia police force.

Funeral services for Mr. Lee will be held Friday afternoon at 2 in Galilee Baptist Church, Roxborough. Friends may call at St. Paul's Baptist Church, Thursday evening. Interment will be in Gulf Cemetery.

Wm. F. Markland, Sr.

William F. Markland, Sr., 78, husband of Katie Haines Markland of Flint Hill Road, Swedeland, and for many years a resident of West Conshohocken, died yesterday afternoon at his home, after a brief illness.

Born in Germantown, son of the late Charles E. and Ella Meyer Markland, he was a retired state highway department worker. He was a member of the Primitive Methodist Church and of the Swedeland Fire Company.

Surviving in addition to his wife are these children: Mrs. Marie Beaufort, King of Prussia; William Markland, Jr., Swedeland; Charles E. of Philadelphia; Mrs. Kathryn Lightkeep, Swedeland; Mrs. Adelaide Miller, Hughes Park; Roxborough; Mrs. Markland, stationed at Ft. Jackson, S. C.; 18 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Four sons, John, Charles, George, Swedeland, and Leander, of King Manor, also survive.

The funeral will be held from a funeral home at 718 Swede Street, Norristown, Thursday afternoon at 2.

2 Interment will be in Valley Forge Garden.

Candidates - - -

(Continued from Page One) Kriebel are completing six-year terms as school directors in West Conshohocken and both have petitions in circulation for places on the primary ballot. Mr. Graham is seeking a third term. He has served as secretary of the board for several years. Mr. Kriebel was elected last term for his third successive year in the office.

Benjamin Franklin Graham, of Crawford Hill, is circulating a petition for a place on the Republican ticket at the primary election to succeed Joseph Ingram, who is retiring after twenty-eight years of service on Town Council. Friends of John Ryan, president of Town Council, who is completing thirty-two years of service, are circulating petitions in the second ward to have his name placed on the primary ballot for a ninth consecutive four-year term.

Allan Barr, who is completing the term of Albert Rhoads, resigned as a member of Town Council three years ago, has a petition ready for filing as a candidate for a full term.

West Side School - - -

(Continued from Page One) Wildman, Peter Palazzo, David Ledlar, Bill Daywalt, Jacob Smith, Richard Ferst, Mary Jane Ferst, Donald Reynolds.

"Ballon Dance," Robert Rhoads, David Speelhoeffer, Joyce Miller, Shirley Gertenitch, George Carpenter, Warren Marsh, Alice Jean Havener, Karen Murphy, Joseph Ferst, Donna Mae Blair, John Wallace, Judith Gryza, Emily Altman, Eva McCurdy, Patricia Bowe, David Bailey, Barbara DeHaven, Alan Rohm, Agnes Leifer.

March and drill: "Lights Out March," Lorraine Baker, Walter Campbell, June Ferst, Otis Guinness, Jean Jimmer, Josephine Leifer, Arthur Mescham, Elain McClure, Terry Ramsey, Martha Reimer, Carol Ann Rhoads, Marie Ruel, Mark Smith, Samuel Smith, Fred Wildman, Ruth Ann Williams, Lewis Wolf, James McKeon.

Games and stunts: leader, Allan Barr; members of teams, George Aman, Samuel Aman, Curtis Anderson, George Bailey, Robert Barr, Robert Campbell, Harry Carpenter, Robert Ferst, Dennis Fox, Robert Gertenitch, Bruce Johnson, Harry McClure, Jack Rapp, Calbert Rupp, James Smith, Warner Smith, Gerard Stingle, Willie Wallace.

Salvation Army - - -

(Continued from Page One) Miss Margaret Vandegrift is captain of the division soliciting the West avenues of the borough. Her aides are: Miss Gertrude Durkin, Miss Phyllis Carline, Miss Marilyn Law, Miss Jean Brandt, Mrs. William Pozar, Miss Lois Clark, Miss Barbara Clark, Miss Jerry McMonagle, Miss Dolores Borowski, Miss Maria Cosmi, Miss Marie Imbastro, Miss Helen Warburton, Mrs. Betty Tammaro, Miss Anne Cross, Miss Joyce Rutter, Miss Anna Bello, Miss Theresa

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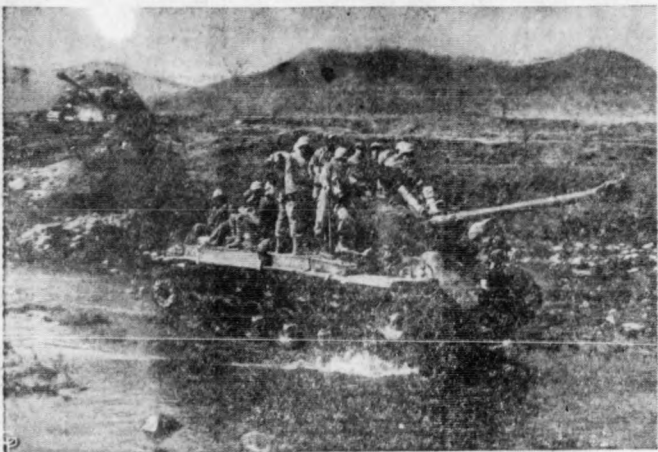
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SUNDAY

Table listing Sunday radio programs and their times.

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LEATH CHECKS MOVE NORTHWARD AS REDS FALL BACK



MOVING AHEAD TO NEW POSITIONS along the fighting front as Chinese Communist troops fall back, members of the First Marine Division hang on to their M-26 "taxies" as they cross a shallow stream near a forward area. U.N. forces continued to spar with Chinese and North Korean Communists as the enemy prepared to regroup battered forces in an attempt to renew his shattered spring offensive. (International)

AN OLD SOLDIER STEPS OUT IN HIS NEW SUIT



UNFAMILIAR-LOOKING IN MUFTI, General Douglas MacArthur and his wife (left) leave their New York hotel to witness a baseball game between the New York Giants and the Philadelphia Phillies. It was the first time that MacArthur had donned civilian clothes since 1940. At right, General MacArthur and actress Lorraine Day, wife of Giant Manager Leo Durocher, applaud a play made by their favorites. The General's wife is almost hidden between the two rooters as they lean forward to view action. (International)

U. S. ARMY ENLISTS D. P. RECRUITS



ACCEPTED into the U. S. Army at the enlistment center in Frankfurt, Germany, are three refugees from countries behind the Iron Curtain. The men, who are the first aliens ever accepted into the U. S. Army on foreign soil, are a Latvian, an Estonian and a Pole. They enlisted under the Army plan to take in 2,500 non-Atlantic Pact aliens. (International)

Warns Russia General Honored



DURING testimony before Senate committees, in Washington, Secretary of Defense George C. Marshall warned that should Russia seize the totalitarian's advantage of being able to make war without notice they are going to pay a terrible price, absolutely and certainly. He said the U. S. Government is going from day to day on the assumption that the Soviet may attack at any time. (International Soundphoto)

Second Victory For West Siders

St. Gertrude's Holy Name Society of West Conshohocken won its second game of the season in the Whitmarsh Valley League on Sunday afternoon when it turned back L. A. M. on the Center Stadium diamond here 6-3 with a four-run rally in the eighth inning. Saturday's game between the two teams, scheduled to be played in Norristown on Saturday, was cancelled because of wet grounds.

ST. GERTRUDE'S

AB.	R.	H.
G. McMonigle	4	0
D. Stemple	3	1
B. Strepper	0	0
J. Ryan	4	1
C. Prybyl	4	1
J. Pondots	3	1
H. Noll	3	1
Rev. Kenney	4	1
F. Wyrmbek	2	0
W. Bolger	1	0
Totals	28	6

L. A. M.

AB.	R.	H.
M. Tuzzi	3	0
C. DiCiccio	3	0
Ventura	1	0
U. Bacchi	3	0
J. Stuchlik	3	0
P. Piazza	4	0
R. Natalina	2	0
Monastero	2	0
J. Natalina	4	1
D. Cardani	3	0
Tornetta	1	0
T. Leszczynski	2	1
J. Burak	1	1
Burak	1	0
Palao	0	0
Totals	34	3

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Vets Plan - - -

(Continued from Page One) they will sound taps and fire a salute at the monument at Second Avenue and Fayette Street. They will return to the Legion Home where the Legion Auxiliary will serve lunch. Conshohocken Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars; Andrew Lannutti Post, Italian-American World War Veterans; and Walter Zurkowski Post, Polish-American Veterans, headed by a band, will visit Calvary, Valley Forge Gardens and Gulf Cemeteries. On their return to Conshohocken they will stop at the Soldiers and Sailors monument at the west entrance to the Matsonford Bridge where they will sound taps and fire a salute. They will return to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Home, Hector and Harry Streets, where they will be served lunch by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the post.

Two new cemeteries have been added in recent years to be cared for by the Conshohocken military groups. They are Calvary Cemetery, Matsonford and Gulf Roads, in Lower Merion Township, and Valley Forge Gardens, Upper Merion. The veterans will likely meet with difficulty in reaching the latter cemetery because of the closing of Route 23 from the intersection of Matsonford Road while accessways to the Expressway are being built. The monument plot at the west entrance to the Matsonford Bridge has either been taken over as a street or piled several feet high with dirt from the culvert carrying Wilkeson Creek under Front Street to the Schuylkill River. The Memorial service will be conducted in the street as a result.

With Our Men In Military Service

Second Lieut. Richard T. Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Collins, 303 East Tenth Avenue, was recently graduated from the company officer refresher course at the Infantry School at Fort Benning, Ga., and has been assigned to Headquarters Company, 42nd Tank Battalion, Camp Breckinridge, Ky.

A graduate of St. Matthew's High School in 1945, he served with the Army of Occupation in Japan, then took a year's post-graduate study at Malvern Preparatory School. Serving with the National Guard, he received his commission last year.

Two of his three brothers are in the service. Lieut. Donald Collins, World War II veteran, is serving with the Navy in San Diego, Calif. Pvt. Eugene Collins is with the Air Force at Lackland Air Base, San Antonio, Texas.

Marine Private First Class Ralph W. Hansell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hansell, 34 Ler Pike and Flourtown Road, Plymouth Meeting, recently climaxed training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot at Parris Island, S. C. Pfc. Hansell, 20, attends Upper Merion High School and later enrolled at Rosharburgh High. He enlisted in the Marine Corps February 12. He is now doing guard duty in Newfoundland.

Matthew J. O'Connor, Jr., hospitalman third class on the Aircraft Carrier Valley Forge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew O'Connor, Sr., of 125 West Fourth Avenue, arrived home Saturday night for a month's furlough. The Valley Forge arrived on the West Coast early in April after nine month's service in Korea. The local naval man flew from Seattle, Washington. He completed his first enlistment of three years last November and immediately re-enlisted for a six-year term at Yokosuka, Japan, where his ship was docked. A brother, Michael is serving on the submarine Sable Fish, now in dry dock at the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

day his godfather, Police Officer Ezekiel Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Kirkpatrick visited the O'Connor home to participate in the rejoicing along with the family, many relatives and friends, who assembled to welcome the young man home for the first time in fourteen months.

Youth Injured - - -

(Continued from Page One) victim's young companion, Harold lost control of his wheel as he was coasting down the steep incline of North Lane near Hector Street, and was pitched over the handlebars.

The boy was removed immediately from the McDonald home to his own home, in another automobile. A Norristown Physician, called here, ordered his removal to the hospital.

Whitemarsh Township authorities also received the conflicting report that the young cyclist had been struck by an automobile. Whether or not the motorist who brought the boy to the McDonald home is the one alleged to have struck him is not known. Chief Edgar E. Mitchell is making a thorough investigation to find out the exact nature of the accident.

Beauty In The Home

By LYNN CARTER
Q How can I discourage dark, rough-looking elbows?
A Scrub them with soap and water and a handbrush. Dry them, and then rub lightly with toilet pumice or a grainy cleanser. Now massage them with your rich face cream, and leave on at least a half-hour. Repeat this twice weekly, using hand lotion or cream on them frequently. It makes for smooth, youthful-looking elbows.
Q Just what can I do to add length to my eyes?
A Draw a very fine line with your pencil directly along the roots of the lower lashes, from the center of the eyes to the outer edges. Extend this just a bit beyond the corners of the eyes, trying to use the sharpest of pencils and the steadiest of hand.

Q What is the best kind of rouge to use on dry or normal skin?
A Cream rouge, exactly the same shades as your lipstick. Incidentally, the lipstick makes a perfect rouge.
Q What is the best hairdo for the round-faced girl?
A The round face needs more length, and you can achieve this by keeping your hair close to the head at the sides, and giving it more height by building it up over the forehead.

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Lakeview Park Opens On Saturday

Announcement was made today of the opening of Lakeview Amusement Park, Royersford, and the transfer of ownership to a group of Norristown businessmen headed by James C. Vitale and Frank H. Caven. More than \$15,000 in improvements and addition of modern amusements are in the process of installation including ten rides for children and grown-ups, building of 20 picnic fireplaces and complete renovation of the 1500-person bathhouse by the natural lake which is located on the 27-acre tract. The grand opening exercises will start with a parade at 1:15 p. m. May 19. The evening portion of the opening exercises at Lakeview Amusement Park will consist of special music, acts and fireworks. The policy of the management of Lakeview Park will be free admission and free use of fire places and picnic tables in the groves.

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