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Fred J. Frei, of the Public Service, was re-elected president of the United Community Chest and Council, Inc., for 1952 at the organizational meeting of the board of directors.

Other officers chosen were: Mrs. Ira Jaffe, first vice-president; Carl J. Koenig, second vicepresident; Arthur E. Ball, third vice-president; S. Scriven Evans, Jr., treasurer; and Carlton C. Cox, immediate vice-president.

Court Attendant Harold C. Burpo, and his wife, Jennie, also a court attendant, were injured in an automobile accident in Florida where they are on leave of absence because of illness. Neither was seriously hurt.
Mrs. Lillian Hone. of 246 Van Houten Street, was presented with the Bronze Medal with V Device which was awarded posthumously to her husband, Captain William R. Hone, for heroic achievement in Korea. The Oak Leaf Cluster, representing a second award of the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service, was also preesnted.

The Passaic County Heart Association launched its third annual campaign for funds under the chairmanship of John C. Bar. bour of Clifton. The group seeks to raise $\$ 50,000$ to combat heart disease through research, clinics and community service.

Thirty-seven area men left on Thursday for induction into the armed forces. They were drafted by Local Board No. 36.

The Board of Aldermen voted eight to two for an ordinance calling upon Mayor Titus to appoint a bi-partisan commission of four members to redefine ward and election districts in the city.
G. Kenneth Small, son of the late Undersheriff George Small, was named the aldermanic candidate of the Second Ward Republican Couunty Committee for the coming primary on April 15.

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Two hundred and fifty young people from some thirty churches in the Greater Paterson area concluded Christian Youth Week by dedicating their lives to Christ at on services in the Church of $\therefore \because \cdot 1$ r

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COVER: Officers and members of the KaufmanHarris Post and Auxiliary making their regular pres sentation of service kits to men departing for duty with the armed forces.
Shown, left to right, are: (front row) Charles Fitlowitz, past post commander; Harvey Feitlowitz, his nephew; Lemmon Wheeler, Joseph Macallus and Joseph Mosik; (center row) Mrs. Alfred Baker, Miss Doris Pollack, Harry Lax, Mrs. Michael Dorfman, Mrs. Philip Replon, Robert Dresser, post commander; and Mrs. Samuel M. LeVine, auxiliary president; (back row) John Van Der Eems, from the Guidion Society, Dr. John Black, Sr., and Louis Feldman.


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## GIVE TO THE MARCH OF DIMES CAMPAIGN



You can put this down in your book: The school teachers will definitely not get the "bonus raise" voted by the Board of Education. Most likely, a "bone" will be thrown to them instead.

That Nelson F. Stamler certainly gets around and with plenty of action. Could it be that Passaic County will be next on the list?

It is said that the Board of Fi nance, which is the governing body of the Housing Authority, can terminate the counsel job if and when they so wish.

What about all those high salaried evictions that never came to light?

It is said that the new method used by the Purchasing Commission may in its eventualities save thousands of dollars for the city.

Much fuss was raised during the past administration as to who parked on the Colt Street side of City Hall almost daily. A good question now. Who parks who's car there NOW?

Good luck to Promoter Harvey Tattersall and Tom Galan in signing up Ruppert Stadium, Newark, for auto racing. Remember the noise, excitement and fun?

Speaking of racing, they say there's quite a bit of discord amongst the Republican biggies. Pledge, or no pledge, isn't it true that many people will lose work, the city its advertising and . . . think of the REVENUE.

Former Mayor De Vita was seen in front of City Hall the other day. He seemed in very jovial spirits and had a determined look in his eye as if to say: "Don't worry, I'll be back." But then, there's higher office . . .

Prediction No. 1: Paul Troast and James B. Whittaker are going to represent Passaic County at the Republican convention in Chicago.

Prediction No. 2: Mike De Vita will be the Democratic candidate for Congress.

Valentine publishing house in 1858. (From Harper's Weekly.)
TUST 28 leap years ago a student at the Mt. Holyoke college for women in South Hadley, Mass., published the first Valentine to be sold in the United States. But, since that time, the ladies have been on the receiving end of the greeting cards. Those first Valentines were sentimental and frilly. with delicate lace paper filled with love birds, hearts and cupids. A New York printing firm turned out the first comic Valentine during the 1850s. But today, Valentines are aimed at everyone in the family, friends and lovers.

Early comic Valentine (1850).

Youngest sister gets the first of many Valentines to come.

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# A Code of Living 

## Alhtaha Boy Scout Council Under The Guidance of Leonard Gabryel



In these days when the evidence points to a widespread weakening of the American moral fibre, with major crimes climbing faster even than the increase in population, it is encouraging to note that a great moral force in America is growing even stronger.

The Boy Scouts of America celebrates its 42nd birthday during Boy Scout Week, February 6 through 12. It is an occasion when we can pause and consider its mark on the youth of the nation. Since 1910, more than nineteen million American boys and men have been influenced by this Scout Oath:
"On my honor I will do my best-
To do my duty to God and my country, and to obey the Scout Law.
To help other people at all times.
To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight."

For its young men members, known as Explorers, the Boy Scouts of America has this dedication pledge, which could well be adopted by all Americans:
"I will live the Scout Oath and Law. I will be familiar with the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, and the Bill of Rights of the United States
of America. I will respect and obey the law in order to have security and freedom.
"I will share the responsibility of my home, school, church, neighborhood, and community; and when legally of age, I will register and vote in all elections. I will deal fairly and kindly with my fellow-citizens of whatever race or creed, in the spirit of the Scout Law and America's tradition of equality of opportunity.
"I will work to preserve our American heritage of liberty and responsibility. I acknowledge that the privileges we enjoy were won by the hard work, and sacrifices, faith and clear thinking of our forefathers. I will do all in my power to pass on a better America to the next generation."

Today over $2,900,000$ boys and men are actively enrolled in over 80,000 different units. Scouting is indeed a great asset to the nation. May it continue to succeed in influencing the lives of countless more boys as you go "Forward . . . On Liberty's Team."

Here is Passaic County and East Paterson the Alhtaha Boy Scout Council has grown tremendously in scope and
number of boys served, under the capable guidance of its Scout Executive Leonard Gabryel. Its physical growth in facilities and equipment has not kept pace, however, and the Council is currently engaged in a once in a generation Camp Development fund raising campaign.

Development of Camp Alhtaha and Pancake Holler are desperately needed for the ever increasing number of Boy Scouts. Each year, literally hundreds of boys are denied the camping privileges that healthy American boys need and should have. Scoutmasters have been overwhelmed by the demands of eager boys wanting camping facilities which are not available.

This is a challenge which we must help to meet. Youth is the only material with which we can build the future. We cannot solve the problems that will be theirs, but we can assure that they will be well prepared.

A gift to the Alhtaha Boy Scout Council Camp Development Fund will give us all the definite assurance that we will not have to "reclaim that which we have not lost." Let us all help to Build Boys.


At the first Salvation Army campaign luncheon meeting of the steering committee at the YMCA are, seated, left to right: Chas. S. Zabriskie, Baptiste J. Lanza, chairman of the steering committee, and Frank E. Smith; standing left to right: Brigadier James S. Bovill, Louis Oringer, campaign director; Capt. Frank Moody and Floyd E. Jones, chairman of the advisory board. Katz. Eelction of officers took place recently. Katz and Charles Cornett were elected vice-presidents.

Decoration from his fiancee, Rose Aranda, pleases Sgt. Joseph Rodriguez almost as much as his Congressional Medal of Honor.

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# They Make The Roller Derby Roll! 

Skaters Provide Most of the<br>Fury and Fireworks

## MARY LOU PALERMO

MARY GARDNER

## . . . she fights, too.

The French police, on sticking inquisitive schnozzolas into a brand new murder case, used to say: 'Cherchez la femme!"

The way the Gallic sleuths had it figured, a woman was involved every time and once they found the distaff key, the solution was just ${ }^{-\cdots} \rightarrow$ the corner. On that basis, the ${ }^{r} \cdots n$ Philo Vances were extremely grateful for the invention of the : .1 - sex.

A great many other people feel exactly the same about it, and include among these- $\because$ in spades-the officials of the Roller Derby. They are extremely happy that they can cherchez la $\therefore$... + only . $\quad$ : the girls who skate a a and excellent competitors but also because women make up the biggest percentage of the paying customers.
The Roller Derby girls actually are more intense in their assaults on speed -and each other-than the men. They are extremely jealous of each other and are ready to engage in battle for the $\therefore \therefore$. of their skating reputations and an extra salvo of applause.

It is $\because \quad \therefore$ ristic for a girl like Mary Gardner to feel that rival Mary Lou Palermo was receiving too much glory and go all-out to deflate the beribboned $r=V^{+}$, and her supporters. Result, $\cdots \cdots$ : a battle royal loved by the fans and more of the same from other skaters at some other time and place.
The girls are rough and tough, oddly enough can be belligerent while attractively feminine. Many of them have been taking the hard knocks and bumps of Roller Derby competition for a long time, yet seem none the worse for their

Toughy Brasuhn, the embattled veteran who probably has more box-office appeal than any of the female Roller Derby stars, has been at it since the event first moved into the East from , over twelve years ago. Mary Lou Palermo has been on the scene $r$.r
more than eight years and Mary Gardner is a 10 -year competitor.

The Roller Derby has been on view at the Paterson Armory since the end of last month and winds up its local run tomorrow afternoon, after today's matinee and a session tonight. When the skaters pull up stakes here, they will have competed in fifteen games over three weekends. Then they head for the Brooklyn Armory, returning to Jersey in April when dates are scheduled in Teaneck.
Derby officials assert that the game is faster now than before, penalties being called more frequently since ruling out elbow-blocking and the use of hands. Without the omnipresent elbow, it is hard to block a skater coming in for a scoring attempt.

Points are scored every time a skater completes the circuit and passes an opposing player. In the process of bidding for these tallies, the competitors sometimes verge on mayhem.
. . . blonde bombshell
The streamlined Derby roster now consists of four teams, where formerly there were six. $F=\sim$ に Red Devils, seen in the Armory stands, there are the Chicago Westerners and New York Chiefs. The roster was reduced because the roller brigade gas lost 36 players to the service.
Latest to answer the call was Charley Schuchart of the Jersey team who left for the Army this week.
With less teams and interest in the Derby having fallen off somewhat, the teams now follow a schedule of weekends only. They skate five times a week instead of seven, as before.
The Jersey Jolters now hold first place in the standings, followed by the New York Chiefs, Chicago Westeners, and Brooklyn Red Devils. The N. J. squad is rated as much better than that which won the championship two years ago. The title will be at stake again in May when the annual Madison Square
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Toughy Tells Firm Off: A typical scene from the Roller Derby is pictured as Toughy Brashun, one of the colorful stars of the skating pack, heatedly disagrees with a referee.

## Does Passaic County Need Stamler?

This past week Nelson Stamler, the racket busting Deputy Attorney General, spoke before the Men's Club of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. In telling of his experiences and exploits, he did a magnificent job. Capably and forcefully delivered, he did point out the one truism that stands out above all else, he said: "that in the final analysis the responsibility for permitting corruption lays with the citizenry."

While Mr. Stamler was delivering this discourse against the great evils of gambling, racketeering and other attendant nefarious activities; close to the scene of the meeting were a number of men who had been closely aligned with the gambling fraternity. Undoubtedly these men have seen the error of their ways and have now become respected community leaders.

We do not agree that crime, racketeering and gambling were ever so rampant in Passaic County. In his remarks Mr. Stamler did admit that he did an unsatisfactory job here. If one is to regard the underlying inuendo, it might mean that he did not receive adequate support and co-operation from local authorities. However, it could mean, that while there is and was gambling in Passaic County, as there is in every corner of the world, perhaps the syndicate or gambling fraternity was not so deeply entrenched in our midst as he would have us believe. Unquestionably, it never did reach the proportions that it has in Bergen and other counties.

Mr. Stamler must admit that in Passaic County and in Paterson particularly, we have an alert press which has for a long time pointed out shady dealings and mysterious characters. The morning daily in Paterson has done an outstanding job in combatting crime and racketeering; toward curbing juvenile delinquency and generally attempting to the best of their ability to keep our city above reproach in every respect.
1 If any of the "smart money" boys are figuring on "opening Paterson," as Mr. Stamler suspects, he can make a small wager that all weekly papers will join the daily journals in weeding them out and sending them packing.

## What Price Peace?

Ever since the beginning of time there have been pessimists and defeatists. There are certainly plenty of them around now-people who look at any situation or state of affairs, shrug their shoulders, and say, "Well, there's nothing I can do." "It's too much; it can't be done."

There have always been people like that. But there have also been other people, the kind who were not so easily keaten or defeated-people who have withstood the multitude and who have pitted their strength of mind and body against what seemed insurmountable obstacles. They have pulled in their belt a bit, taken a new grip or toe hold and have changed the tide of events, turning defeat into victory.

This is the sort of spirit we need today. This is the kind of spirit which is going to turn the tide in whatever we choose to do whether it be a National, State or local project. Miracles still happen. What seemed impossible in the last generation has turned out to be a fact in ours.

If someone, only nineteen years ago, when our national debt was forty billion, had predicted that in nineteen years we would have an annual Federal budget as large as that, and a national debt of over two hundred billion, people would have thought he was crazy. But it has happened. If, in the depths of the depression of 1932, you had predicted that in nineteen years our national income, in "cost of living" dollars would be much more than doubled, the people at the time would have had you committed to a mental institution. But such is an actual fact.

Today we are faced with many tense moments over what is happening to our security. We all want peace-no one wants war.

Peace cannot be won, or even maintained, in any atmosphere of selfishness or irresponsibility. It is better and cheaper to supply food and clothing to needy nations than it is to let suffering and discontent bring on a war that will inevitably destroy all of us.

There is a monumental job to be done, and it can be done if each of us apply our thinking and begin to pitch in. Some one said it before, but it is worth repeating: "Do unto others as much good as you can-then forget it!"

## LOOKING AT LIFE

By ERICH RH $1=$ ny 1

Here is a question that has puzzled me for a long time:
Has Amerìca REALLY deteriorated to an alarming extent during the past few years?
You hear it everywhere. You read it in newspaper editorials. You hear it from the pulpit. Radio and television commentators are blaring it at us almost nightly. Magazine writers compose lengthy articles-with illustrations-on the subject.
You and I and all of us must hang our heads in shame to think into what a terrible morass of iniquity we have sunk.

But have we?
You can read your history all the way from the times of the Bible to the present day.

There are stories of murder, of rape, of graft, of every conceivable kind of crookedness, in every country, in every chapter of the world's history.

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In the old days there
fears, so many traditions, facts.
"What will the neighbors say?" used to be the principal consideration.
Nowadays we are much more frank, much more outspoken about a lot of things.

We are no longer afraid to call sex sex, a spade a spade, a crook a crook.

I think that's a good sign. I think it's a sign of a BETTER world, not a worse one.
I have never been much of an advocate of the United Nations. But even there I think there is improvement.
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And that. hn only way to kill them.
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I came across something the other day which was very interesting to me and I'm passing it along especially for the male reader. For quite some time my wife (just as other wives do) had been casting broad hints about a fur coat. Like all husbands, I kept changing ihe subject mainly because of the state of finances and not that I wouldn't want to see her decked out in ermine.
While brousing through a back issue of Consumer Reports I noticed this article which listed a number of $I$, ". . engaged in by furriers who were more interested in selling coats than they were in properly identifying the animal from which the coat was made.
New Zealand seal, for example, sounds like a high faluting name and expensive at that, but in the language of the fur dealers it is plain everyday rabbit. The article goes on to say that even more appealing is the Australian chinchilla or the Russian marten which translated into English are apt to be home grown oppossums.
Now I have nothing against oppossums and certainly am not unfriendly to rabbits, but I certainly wouldn't sleep for a year if I paid five hundred dollars for a sable coat and it turned out to be an land dog.

It seems that thousands of Americans are properly "skinned" yearly by unscrupulous fur dealers who make it difficult for many reputable and sincere furriers.

The good news is in sight, however. Relief for those who can't tell a fur from the hide of a zebra and for the fur merchants anxious to sell genuine, valuable coats.
A new law, slated to take effect in August of 1952, is intended to end all skullduggery in the fur trade. It will make illegal the misbranding or misnaming of any fur product, by manufacturer or retailer, in any thing from an advertisement to a sales invoice.

Under the new law, the Federal Trade Commission is instructed to draw up a Fur Products Name Guide. This guide will list the true "English names" of fur bearing animals.

Until the Fur Products Labelling Act goes into effect, be very careful where and what you buy in the fur line. Unless, of course, you are an expert or have had experience hunting in the Hudson Bay region of Canada.
As for me, this news will give me a little more leeway and opportunity for saving a few dollars until the Act is passed and my excuses become invalid.

Mayor Lester F. Titus presents his proclamation, naming the month of February Italian Emergency Relief Month, to Dr. Fulvio Patella, chairman of the local committee to raise funds for Italian flood refugees and stricken communities. Looking on are other members of the committee. Left to right are: Joseph A. Lazzara, Christopher J. Frawley, Louis Cappucci, Dr. Patella, and Mayor Titus seated at his desk.

Call photo.

## A Paterson father and son have this year gained a singular distinction that may be unequalled in veteran circles throughout the country. At left is Thomas Elm, Sr., Chef de Gare, of the Forty and Eight, affiliate American Legion, and Thomas, Jr., who is

 County Commander of the American Legion. Call photo.kimming over the waters of Biscayne bay at Miami, Fla., chr:- water skiiers make the chamber of commerce glad.
"The forty agents are working, but not for Prudential. Most of the men have families and other obligations to meet and ten weeks of strike have left them in financial straits. Some of the men are working as laborers rather than go back to work without a contract." - Charles Nuzzo, chairman of the Prudential strike in Paterson, commenting on reports that the agents are returning to work.
"The Paterson-Passaic area is relatively free of the narcotics menace and the dope peddlers have been warned by the underworld that the locale is 'too hot' for the trade." - Congressman Gordon Canfield in a speech to American Legion.
"There must be a realization among police officers and among members of the prosecutors' offices as to what is going on when there is an influx of that type of character. You've probably heard the question raised as to how much co-operation there is between my staff and the other side of the prosecutor's office. I'll answer that herewith-there isn't any." - Deputy Attorney General Nelson F. Stamler at the annual dinner of the Men's Club of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in reference to the influx of gamblers and racketeers.

## They Make the Roller Derby Roll!

(Continued from page 7) Garden showing winds up the Derby year.

Leo Seltzer is the managing director of the Derby. His chief aides are Ken Gurian, his son-inlaw; Sid Cohen, Ed Silvers, and the various district managers. Ken Nydell, the television announcer of the Derby showings also is on the staff. George Douris is publicity director, Dick Broderick edits the Derby weekly newspaper, and Johnny Karp is track manager.

Karp, former coach of the Jolters, was an active skater for many years and is one of the original members of the Jersey team.

Contrary to general belief, the skaters don't get rich. They are paid salaries as well as being provided with room and board. It's just a living. They like being kept busy and dizzy.

Ladies' Auxiliary of Kaufman I



Top photo: Leo W. Eirich, chairman of the United Community Chest drive, presents Mrs. Samuel M. LeVine, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Kaufman-Harris Post, and John Fahey, manager of the Alexander Hamilton Hotel, with "Oscars" for doing outstanding work during the chest campaign.


Bottom photo: Members of the Auxiliary present books and games to veterans at Lyons Hospital at a party at which they played host.
In the group are, left to right: Rabbi Jordan I. Taxton, Mrs. Esther Zarrow, hospital chairman; Mrs. Mollie Gold, Mrs. Stephen Dorner, Mrs. Samuel LeVine, Mrs. Anne Kopf, Mrs. Marion Kramer, and Mrs. Jenny Light.


With the end of war usually ends the widespread pub lic concern for the veterans who are destinced to spend the res of their days in hospitals. The fanfare has died down and so has public interest. The war is over and so is the need for any extra effort.

Fortunately, all of us do not fall into this category. Th. veterans, who did not end up in a hospital because of the war are among the most active in looking out for the welfare o the men who did. The veterans' organizations are, in the main doing the job that is being neglected by the rest of us.

One of the most active of these groups is the Ladies Auxiliary of the Kaufman-Harris Post, No. 36, Jewish War Veterans of the United States.

Originally organized in 1932 as the auxiliary of the Reu ben Kaufman Post, the organization became the Kaufman Harris Post during World War II, in memory of Sidney Harris, the first Jewish casualty of that war.

Mrs. Sarah Rabinowitz was the first president of the aux iliary in 1932. She was followed by Mrs. Jeanette LeVine, Mrs Joseph Rubinstein, Mrs. Lillian Breitt, Mrs. Harry Zarrow Mrs. Fanny Taylor, Mrs. Samuel Peltz, Mrs. Jennie Hall, Mrs Esther Zarrow, Mrs. Irving Kobre and Mrs. Samuel M. LeVine the present head.

All through the years the Kaufman-Harris Post Auxiliary has devoted its major program to giving parties, gifts and entertainment for the veterans at Lyons and Menlo Park Hos pitals. When veterans were admitted to Valley View Sanato rium, it, too, was added to the list of places where these activi ties were carried on.

During World War II, the auxiliary conducted an ambi tious program which consisted of service with the USO a Lambert's Castle, sending packages to the men overseas and in the camps, working with the Red Cross and assisting in tr Civilian Defense Program. The organization also participated in the aiding of the United States Savings Bond drives and th campaigns for Blood Donors.

Last year two new projects were added. Kits are presented to boys being drafted for the Korean war. A party was given for the girls at the North Jersey Training School and th school was given three radios, irons, sheets and pillow case for the use of the girls.

The women have assisted in the drives for the Community Chest, Red Cross, Hart Fund, Cancer and Polio campaigns and many other causes. They worked at making nightgowns for cancer patients.

This year another project was added to the long list o activities. The auxiliary has undertaken to provide games suc as dominoes, checkers, monopoly and playing cards as well as books and arts and crafts for Service Club No. 1 at Camp Ki

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ris Post Has Many Activities

mer, and Service Club No. 4 at Fort Dix, which have been dopted as their project by Paterson organizations.

The Post, to which the auxiliary is attached, was founded bout twenty years ago. Its members are also very active. It one of the charter members of the Veterans Council of Parson and is a member of the Jewish Community Council.

The Post participates in most civic affairs in the city such s Loyalty Day, Memorial Day, Armistice Day, "I Am An American Day," and other patriotic ceremonies. The members re active in the U.J.A., Community Chest, and drives for rael. The Post maintains a large plot at King Solomon Cemery for members and their families. Each year they decorate e graves of Jewish War Veterans in fourteen cemeteries in his area.

Both the Post and the Auxiliary have methods whereby ey raise funds to carry on their work. The women conduct tag day annually. This has become one of the best means $r$ raising funds that they have and many women participate the event.

Each year the Post and the Auxiliary conduct an annual affair for this same purpose. This year the organizations are anning a cocktail dance on Saturday, February 16th, at ellerman Hall.

Mrs. Samuel M. LeVine, head of the Auxiliary, and Robert Dresner, head of the Post, have appointed a joint committee arrange the affair. It consists of Harry Zax, chairman; ules Fine, Irving Kobre, Mrs. Esther Zarrow, and Mrs. Chas. osenberg. Bert Gerber and his orchestra will play music roughout the evening.

The officers of the Auxiliary are: Mrs. Samuel M. LeVine, esident; Mrs. Herbert Sinofsky, senior vice-president; Mrs. erry Sinofsky, junior vice-president; Mrs. Charles Seidman,七retary; Mrs. Esther Zarrow, treasurer; Miss Rose Osur, ar, chaplaìn; Mrs. Paul Spitz, historian; Mrs. Molly Gold, uard; Mrs. George D. Rosenthal, musician; and Mrs. Jennie. ll, Mrs. Samuel Peltz and Mrs. Irving Kobre, trustees.

The Post officers are: Robert B. Dresner, commander; Harry Zax, senior vice-commander; Herbert Waldman, junior vice-commander; Ben Sacks, chaplain; Lewis Glazer, judge adcate; Charles Feitlowitz, adjutant; Milton Richmond, quarrmaster; Irving Kobre, Moe Bromberg and Louis Bizar, trusees; Nathan Robbins, patriotic instructor and Americanizaon officer; Charles Feitlowitz, hospitalization; Moe Bromberg, service officer; Herman Baldinger, officer of the day; and hilip Replan, historian.

Past commanders of the post are: Nathan Rabinowitz, Albert M. Dorfman, Benjamin Spitz, Lewis Glazer, Barney Warshaw, Dr. William B. Marcus, Dr. Schwartz, Joseph Goodman, Samuel Biber, Sidney Denker, Nathan Robbins, Morris Kaplowitz, Irving J. Kobre and Charles Feitlowitz.

Top photo: The Kaufman-Harris Post and Auxiliary present a Hebrew Scroll (Torah) for use at the Sabbath services of Jewish veterans in Lyons Hospital at special ceremonies which were conducted by, left to right, Rabbi Jordan I. Taxton, Mrs. Samuel M. LeVine, auxiliary president; Robert Dresner, post commander, and Mrs. Stephen Dorner.

Bottom photo: The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Kaufman-Harris Post entertained the soldiers at Service Club No. 1 in Camp Kilmer recently.
Pictrured in the group are, left to right: Robert Campbell, Vincent Barraco, Herman Giller, Mrs. Elizabeth McAghon, Walter P. Mawovoski; Mrs. Samuel M. LeVine, Mrs. Claire Fay, Mrs. Benjamin Wetter, Robert Hair, Miss Doris Pollack, Chairman of servicemen service; Frank Casanova, and Arthur Moore.

A friend of mine told me that when he was born his Grandfather placed five new Silver Dollars in a Piggy Bank and gave it to my friend's Mother to start a savings for him. About a year ago, he was told that these Dollars may now have some added value .He took them to a dealer, and was paid $\$ 20.00$ for the five of them. A month ago he received a Silver Dollar in his change which was the same date as those for which he received $\$ 4.00$ each. Here was a quick profit, he thought, as he hurried back to the dealer with his find. Much to my friend's disappc ${ }^{\text {* }}$ the dealer only offered him $\$ 1.30$ for it. This was very $r, i$, why was one Dollar worth $\$ 4.00$, while another of the same date, only worth $\$ 1.30$ ?

To the Numismatist this is an old story. My friend was born in the year 1926. His grandfather evidently went to a bank and r five uncirculated Silver Dollars. These would be dated 1925. As they had never been circulated, and were in th best of condition, they now have a retail value of $\$ 7.50$ each. The 1925 dollar, that my friend received with his change, had been circulated since it was minted. Therefor, this dollar was in no better than a fair condition, and only has a retail value of $\$ 1.85$.
The condition of the coin is very important in determining the value of it. The coins are mostly graded in seven conditions: Proof, Uncirculated, Excellent, Fine, Good, Fair, and Poor. Within these gradings, many dealers use the terms Brilliant, Extra or Extremely, Very- and some add Almost, and Nearly. A dealer may advertise that he has one Brilliant Uncirculated coin for sale, also one that is Almost Uncirculated. He may wish to sell a coin which is Very Good and another that is Nearly Fair. One dealer adveritsed a coin as Almost Proof, this is an impossible grading. A coin may look like a Proof coin can be in various stages of condition, but a coin can not be Almost Proof as this is a matter of minting. What the dealer stated, and I am sure he did not mean to, was, this coin was almost minted or made, but it was not.

Most coin collectors shy from the terms Extra, Very, and Almost, as they can be very deceiving. The term ${ }^{-} F^{\circ}$, , when used to describe an uncirculated coin, does have a place, as some coins have never been circulated, but they have . i because of improper care. $A^{-1 l i n t}$ uncirculated coin is on that has never been in circulation and has retained its brilliancy or luster. However, a coin ad-

- to be almost or Nearly Good, too often means that the seller


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## To Connect The New Addition To Your House

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The photograph shows an archway to the garden of the Pierce Nichols' house in Salem, Massachusetts. This house is a large one, but the same idea could be used in a house of any size. The archway would be the path to the rear of the house, where your garden would be. It could connect additional rooms above and a garage below. Doors could be placed on both sides, making access to the garage convenient and under shelter.

These passages are always cool, creating a draft of airhence, "breezeway," in modern parlance. It is a good place for children to play, and a place to keep their bicycles, wagons and toys. It's a good place, too, for sleds and skis and all the winter sports equipment which takes so much room.

These covered paths were used in various ways, a century or more ago. In the country, they connected auxiliary buildings used for chopped wood or wagon sheds. We have seen them in the towns, particularly along the eastern seacoast, where there were walks to the rear of the house, the area over them being part of the second floor of the building.

There are famous houses in old New Orleans which have these walks from the street, through to a patio in the rear. The patios have walls around them, or other buildings, usually for servants. Trees are planted and flowers grown in tubs, making the enclosures into delightful places to sit. They are cool, for the sun only reaches them at noon for a few hours. Some of these are now occupied by well-known restaurants.

This idea has been in use in Europe for centuries, and is as good today as then. You could use it in your own house. Ask your architect about it for your new addition.


[^0]Muss caroline mazzocchia
Mr. and Mrs. Guido Mazzocchia of 250 Twentieth Ave., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Caroline, to Joseph Cappello, son of Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Cappello of 1094 East Twen-ty-second Street.

## MISS AGATHA KUHN

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kuhn, 119 North Eighth St., of the engagement of their daughter, Agatha, to Sgt. Vern Van Fleet, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Van Fleet, Sr., 5-24 Seventeenth St., Fair Lawn.

## FIISS MERIDA HILLMANN

At a buffet supper recently the engagement was announerd of Miss Merida A. Hillmann, daughter of Dr. F. C. Hillmann and the late Mrs. Hillmann of 9 Crooks Ave., to Joseph E. Aughey, son of Mr, and 'Mrs. George Aughey of Seventh Ave., Hawthorne.

# THE HOUSE THAT I BUILT 

## Putting the Cellar in the Attic Solves Lots of Problems

By CARL HUNTER

Nobody can say I let down the architects and ：in＇$\because$＇of America by refusing to de－ sign and build a house that would show them the way to greater architecture and con－ struction．
It was not easy to lay aside my plans for the first scape ship in order to perform this little chore for them，but I finally succumbed to their pleadings when they made me real－ ize that the future of America was at stake． （After all，I didn＇t want to be burned at the stake．）That＇s a joke．

Of course，for many years now I have been aware that the architects and builders have been running into trouble．Not only were the houses costing too much money，but they were badly designed．

Anybody with half an eye could tell by looking at any of our development ：．，． that the architect based his plans on the cheese box．He got himself an old American cheese box，put a child＇s playing block on top of it to ：ごごこ．，t a chimney，and patterned the exterior of his house on it．

The insides were easier．He divided by four and he had four rooms－a bedroom，living room，kitchen and bathroom．If the architect was good at figures he made each room a dif－ ferent size，otherwise they were all the same size．

Sensing that the cheese box effect lost
$\because$ hing in the course of $\because \therefore, \quad$ ，to a house，I immediately began a search for
－．hing else upon which to pattern my model house．I found my answer one day in the dumps in Saddle River．（You might be

+ ． d to know that a plaque now stands on this spot in Saddle River．）

I was lucky enough to find，of all things， an old－fashioned tea kettle which served ad－
$h^{\prime} \mathrm{y}$ as a model for my house．The kettle was overturned so by twisting the spout so that it pointed toward what would normally be the bottom of the kettle，I achieved the exact effect I wanted．The result was very charming．

Before starting to dig my foundation，I took stock of several little ideas I had rush－ ing around in my head．The cellar and the attic of the average American house is in the wrong place．They should just be reversed． Look at it this way．

The trend today is to use the cellar as a playroom．In order to do this，you have to have the entire cellar insulated against cold
and dampness by putting down an asphalt tile floor and by boarding up the sides．

Now，by putting the cellar where the attic is you don＇t have to bother with the $\quad \mathrm{t}$ tile floor and the bc $\therefore \because$ You can use the wooden floor of the attic and the boards of the roof provide the sides．

By putting in a little part－time $n$ you can easily learn to duck your head al－ most automatically as walk from the center of the attic to the edges where the ceiling slopes downward．A couple of smart raps on the head from walking into the sloping ceil－ ing will cure anyone who learns slowly．

I ．you are $\cdots$ ，；where we now put the attic if we have the cellar where the attic $r$－${ }^{\circ}$ is．That is simple and a boon to tired husbands．

How many times does the male of the fam－ ily have to lug fui．${ }^{\circ}{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{rr}$ こ and stuff up to the attic？And what a task this is．With the attic down below instead of up above，however，he is spared all this heavy work．Anybody knows that it is easier to push stuff down the stairs by giving it a quick shove at the top of the steps than it is to pile it on your back and str${ }^{-} \quad \because-$ up the stairs．

I also pulled another switch that is calcu－ lated to improve houses．I put the living room where the master bedroom is and vice versa． This has tremendous advantages．

There is no earthly reason for putting the living room in the front of the house ： anyone ．$\cdot .$. ，to visit can easily walk through your bedroom and on into the living room．But how about yourself when you come home late at night．You have to walk through the living room into the bedroom．

You come into the house tired and sleepy． You head for the ．．．．the sight of the bed dangling like a prize gem in front of your eyes．Step by step you cross the living room towards the bedroom door．All at once you spot the sofa．You lurch onto it and fall into a deep sleep．You remain there until morn－ ing How much wiser to put the bedroom in front so at least you can reach the bed．

I am pioneering in many other ways to lead the way for America．My house，which I have been working on for the past four years and nine months，is almost finished．Unfortu－ nately，I have so many ideas that the prog－ ress has been slowed by $\cdot \mathrm{r} 1 \mathrm{int}$ changes．

Right now I＇m trying to figure out how to put the kitchen in the bedroom so that break－ fast in bed is less tro $1^{-}$ne．

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# The Woman's Viewpoint 

By DEE GREENE



MRS. GENNARO FERNANDEZ
St. Anthony's R.C. Church was the setting for the marriage of Miss $1 \%$ ir Fernandez, daughter of ${ }^{1} \mathrm{Ir}$ and Mrs. James Fernandez. 345 Straight St., to Gennaro Fernandez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fernandez, formerly of Naples, Italy.


MRS. WALTER KUZMECH
The marriage of Miss Ann Arnone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Arnone, 140 Walnut St., to Waiter Kuzmech, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krogull, 86 Alabama Ave., took place recently in St. Michael's R. C. Church.
too. His leisure time is spent in oil painting, which is his hobby, rather than in pursuit of any wild activities.

There are many other prominent men in the world who are active despite their advanced age. Among them are Herbert Hoover, Bernard Baruch, George C. Marshall and many others.

We are living in a wonderful age when men, who have reached seventy, eighty and even ninety are able to contribute the benefit of their wisdom to bettering our civilization. And most certainly, those, who have lived as long as they have, can be most helpful to us because of their long, practical experience.
Statistics tell us that people are living longer lives than ever before. In Washington's time, the average life span was not much longer than the age of thirty-five; now it is around sixty-five.

This condition has created many interesting trends that did not exist before. For example, men in business and industry are able to remain at work for a much longer period of time than heretofore.

This means that there is less the younger men than in past opportunity for advancement of years. The men, who enter the big firms with the hope of rapid promotion, must wait longer for the older members of the firm to pass on or to retire.

This condition means, too, that our political thinking is being influenced more .strongly by the older people who have now become a greater minority. Let us hope that all of this adds up to a better life for all.

## FAVORITE RECIPES

SCALLOPS MORNAY
$1 / 2$ pound scallops
$1 / 2$ teaspoon lemon juice Salt and pepper
3 tablespoons butter
1 bay leaf
11/2 tablespoons flour
$3 / 4$ cup milk
2 tablespoons cream
4 tablespoons grated cheese Handful chopped parsley
Wash scallops well in lemon juice and water. Put in a pan and pour over a little water, seasoning, 1 tablespoon butter and the bay leaf. Bring to a boil slowly
and simmer for 5 minutes. Cut the scallops in slices.

Melt 2 tablespoons butter and stir in the flour and seasoning. Pour on the milk and bring to a boil. Reduce the liquid in which the scallops were cooked to 1 tablespoon, and add. Now add the cream, 3 tablespoons of grated cheese. Simmer 3 to 4 minutes.

Mix the sliced scallops with sauce and fill individual shells, or one larger, fireproof serving dish. Sprinkle top with grated cheese and brown quickly under grill. Sprinkle with freshly chopped parsley and serve.

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CAIL MERRITT sat in the Roman-striped chair in Dr. Farnham's office. Looking extremely well-tailored in navy gabardine, she felt composed but far from comfortable. The door behind the desk opened to a keen-eyed man.
"Gail, my dear. You don't look like a woman entering a hospital tomorrow.'

Gail smiled. "I'm not," she said quietly.
"Must we go into the urgency of this again?"
"No, Sam. At forty every woman recog. nizes urgency."
"But every day may mean the . . ."
"I know. I'm not flunking out, only postponing it."

She looked up at him, her wide gray eyes calm with decision.
"I've a telegram from Ran. He's gotten an unexpected leave and is in San Antonio on his way home. I wouldn't miss a day of that leave for-for all the rest of time we may not have.'
"I see," he smiled a small, resigned smile.
"There mustn't be a thing to spoil a moment of his precious leave." Her fingers tightened on her bag. "I'm meeting him at March Field this afternoon."
She felt a pang of remorse at the last glimpse of Sam's face, lined with anxiety. He had tried so hard to take care of them all these years since Tom, who had been his partner, had died of an infection contracted during surgery.

Waiting at March Field, she watched a squadron of P-38s taking off. A fat C-47 coming in.-She would have known that broad-shouldered figure with his head tipped sidewise, even without the orange-hued Mae West slung ovier one arm, the bulging canvas bag and parachute. The strength of his embrace left her shaken.
"How goes it, kid?" Ran's gray eyes were appraising her. "You look like a million."
"You're cute yourself." She touched the bright bands beneath his silver wings.

Until the last night of Ran's leave, she had no time to evaluate it. Each day had been so full. From early morning, when she strove to erase all signs of illness while Ran slept luxuriously, through old familiar sounds of shower and song and shaving, on to a lazy breakfast and perusal of the newspapers.

On that last night, Ran raised from the lounge chair, stretched and crunched out his cigarette.
"Fellow I won't get to see. Guess I'd better write a letter."
"I'll gather things together so there won't be such a mad scramble in the morning."
"Don't pack the dress uniform-the tailored whites-"
She looked up.
"Six months of staff work is all I can stomach," he explained. "It's back to the timber for me when I get back."
She shoved aside her fears, hearing Ran in the library, pulling ${ }_{*}$ out desk drawers.
The miles flew by and the buildings of March Field hunched up gloomily through the misty sunshine. Ran pulled the car up before the gate.
"Well, ma, I guess this is it." He laid his hand over hers.
She felt the quick pressure of his fingers.
"And now-you're really anxious to get back."
"Same old eager beaver. Got a helluva big job to do and-"

He kissed her then. She heard him at deck, saw him sling the Mae West over one shoulder, take the bag and parachute. With his free hand he saluted.

That afternoon she sat in Dr. Farnhamis office. Three weeks-and how immeasurably worth it they had been, no matter now the cost. A nurse in starchy white came in, shuffling the afternoon mail in her hand. She laid a half-dozen letters on the desk.
After she had gone, Gail glanced at the letters-then looked again. That second one - the peculiar blue of her own stationery.

She moved the top one. R. .old hand-writing-"Dr. Sam Farnhar . sonal."

Her hand shook.
God-she had to know what was inside. She'd never thought she'd do a thing like this. She tore open the envielope.
"Dear Dr. Farnham: From little secrets you've kept from me, I didn't really expect you to tell me about mother. But I've talked to Army doctors-I know. You must get her to have surgery at once.
"And now I'm going to do a thing against all rules. If it were known. I'd be disgraced. The safety of a military move depends on it. You must keep my secret.
"I have volunteered to go on a dangerous mission. I can only say it approximates the Tokyo bombing in importance. I shall not worry as long as I have no word from you-that is the only way I can perform my duty well. But in case things go wrong, cable me. I'll get an emergency leave-they'll put an alternate in my place. Don't let anyone see this address nor use it for any other purpose. Here it is: Captain Randolph H. Merritt-"
Gail laid her hand over the address. She read the letter once more, slowly, as though fixing its message in her mind. Then once more, she did a thing that she had thought impossible.
She tore Ran's letter into tiny pieces and dropped them into the wastebasket.


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# Chronicle Movie of the Week 

## DECISION BEFORE DAWN

With the release of Decision Before Dawn, 20th Cen-tury-Fox adds another rugged, adventurous film to its album of great hits. This film, now being featured for the second week at the Garden Theatre, is studded with exciting action sequences of World War II. This quasi-documentary film by Anatole Litvak was actually filmed in Germany, and is based on George Howe's $\$ 15,000$ Christopher's Award novel, "Call It Treason."

The drama has its setting in the turbulent, closing months of the European war. The picture depicts how U. S. Army Intelligence units utilized Nazi prisoners to spy in their own land, on their own people. It is essentially a suspense story detailing how one of these prisoners endeavors to elude detection within the bombed-out, demoralized shambles of his native land. The protagagonist is a fanatical idealist who wants Hitler overthrown. He and his self-conscious compatriots move as stiffly as the figures on "Big Ben"-and show approximately the same feeling and expression.

The psychology angle is a very interesting theme in the picture, and plays a somewhat major role. Those of you who profess to be psychology laymen will find the protagonist-his responsibility to human principles in conflict with totalitarianism-a most promising subject.

Richard Basehart and Gary Merrill, the principal performers, head an otherwise all-German cast. The - . $\cdot \mathbf{r}$ is intelligent and mature, with love being held to a . in - immum. The picture will, no doubt, rate as . . $\wedge^{\prime} 1_{14}+$, and hence, a must on every movie-

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