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# The Messenger

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LIKE THE IMMACULATE housewife who perpetually goes around picking up after her untidy husband, we've been tracking down political rumors these last few hectic weeks and attempting to put them in their logical order . . . and it's quite a task what with tables being overturned continually in our political parlors.

A POINT IN ILLUSTRATION is now provided by the fact that whereas last week the wags had it that Public Works Commissioner James J. Gavin would withdraw his candidacy, his rival, Police Recorder Vincent C. Duffy is now the target of such rumors . . . he'll retire from the field, they say, because general support of his candidacy has not been forthcoming . . . and besides, there is the matter of his position as presiding officer in the police court, a seat which he would be forced to resign if he sought an elective office.

TO ALL OUTWARD APPEARANCES, there seems to be some logic in the rumor . . . for to date, Recorder Duffy has not filed his petition for a place on the ballot . . . and has not opened headquarters for a campaign . . . these are matters to which his rival, Commissioner Gavin, has already attended . . . well, we're patient enough to wait and see what transpires, and that's exactly what we'll do.

GAVIN SUPPORTERS ARE presenting an interesting argument for the benefit of those who have prematurely labeled Duffy the "organization" candidate, and their man, the "insurgent" candidate . . . they insist that the Duffy League, of which the Police Recorder is the standard-bearer, has been something less than an organization supporter, having refused to endorse Mayor Bernard L. Stafford when he ran for office two years ago, and to this day, declining to take part in the annual outing of the United Democratic Clubs of Passaic County, an undertaking which has every other group's cooperation and support.

THERE SEEMS TO BE A difference of opinion regarding the justice which is contained in the Bar Association's already 'notorious' Canon 30 which prohibits those who hold judicial office from seeking an elective post . . . some are of the opinion that it restricts the natural ambitions of able and qualified men to advance in public life and that it is based on a false assumption that a jurist in political office automatically loses his sense of honesty and impartiality.

HOWEVER RULES ARE made not merely for specific instances, but for a wide variety  
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## She's The First!



MRS. NAN V. DONOHUE

For the first time in the history of any political party in Passaic County, a woman was selected as a freeholder candidate by the Democratic leadership this week. She is Mrs. Nan V. Donohue, former assemblywoman and present Paterson school commissioner, who has always been one of the best vote-getters in her party.

## 5,540 Persons Off City's Relief Rolls

A drop of 27.5 percent for the month of June, as compared with June, 1938, was noted for the city of Paterson in a report released by State Relief Director Arthur Mudd this week. During the year that has passed, a total of 5,540 persons were removed from relief rolls, the report showed.

Private employment provided jobs for 2,395 persons, the WPA took 1,149 off the list and Unemployment Compensation was paid to 192 persons in this city during that period.

## DEADLINE

Primary Election Registration Closes August 22

August 22 is the deadline for those who wish to register in time to vote in the September primary election Commissioner Elizabeth Van D. Smith announced this week.

Board of election offices in the Administration building will be open until 9 p.m. daily for those who desire to register.

## HANDS OFF

The political candidates' committee of Labor's Non-Partisan League will recommend to its membership that it keep hands off in the current Democratic primary election, it was announced this week.

# Rumor Duffy Considering Withdrawing From Battle For Mayoralty Nomination

## SCHEIDEMANN URGES PARTY TO UNITE, END FACTIONALISM

Sees Preservation Of President Roosevelt's Program As Democratic Goal

Democratic Freeholder Ernest T. Scheidemann of Clifton this week voiced his agreement that Democrats should unite to preserve President Roosevelt's program. In a letter to John Lyding, chairman of Labor's Non-Partisan league in Passaic county, he declared himself in accord with the call of the latter that the party unite in time for the next election.

"The most important part of the program of local democracy," he wrote, "should be to insure the election of friends of the New Deal, and considerably less emphasis should be laid upon individual ambitions and aspirations of local aspirants for political office.

"Too much social progress has

been accomplished for the people of our nation," he continued, "to now sacrifice the possibilities of the continuation of such—and additional advancement of the ideals of the common people—to permit utter selfishness to interfere with the efforts of our great President.

"Passaic county democracy should now be laying the foundation for unity, harmony and strength for the 1940 elections. It is the opinion of the writer that Passaic county, despite all opinions to the contrary, being an industrial county, should be aligned definitely with the policies of President Roosevelt. It does not seem impossible that a Democratic congressman can be elected to represent this county, but this can be accomplished only through the elimination of factionalism," he concluded.

Unconfirmed Report Gains Circulation; Gavin Proceeding With Campaign

A rumor that Police Recorder Vincent C. Duffy was considering withdrawing his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Mayor of the City of Paterson in September's primary election gained circulation this morning.

Although the report could not be substantiated or confirmed, outward appearances in Duffy circles lent credence to the rumor.

## Has Not Filed Yet

For one thing, it was pointed out that to date, Recorder Duffy has not filed as a candidate in the primary election. The deadline for filing is August 26.

It was also emphasized that no headquarters had been set up by Duffy supporters and that no campaign literature had as yet been prepared.

Recorder Duffy is reported to have been somewhat discouraged by the turn of events on Monday when the Passaic County Democratic club gave its influential endorsement to his rival, Public Works Commissioner James J. Gavin, thus blasting any hopes he may have had that eventually, the rank and file of the party would bow to Jersey City pressure and support him as the Democratic candidate for Mayor.

In Commissioner Gavin's camp, the last vestige of doubt that he will remain in the race for the party nomination disappeared this week when he secured the powerful Passaic County Democratic Club's backing despite the personal plea against any endorsement which was made by Recorder Duffy Monday.

His petition already filed with  
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## Had Marijuana, Held By Police

John H. Thompson of New York City was being held for the arrival of federal authorities by local police this week after he was arrested while walking in the Eastside section of the city by Special Officer Charles Hopper.

Authorities found a quantity of marijuana in his possession at the time of his arrest.

## Tributes Pour In For John J. Nixon; Funeral Friday P. M.

County Buildings Display Flags At Half-Mast In Respect For Late Freeholder

Passaic county officialdom will be among thousands of mourners who are expected to escort the body of the late Freeholder-Director John J. Nixon to its final resting place at Cedar Lawn cemetery Friday afternoon.

The board of freeholders, itself, will meet in special session at noon tomorrow in the County Administration building where it is expected that official resolutions in tribute to the late Freeholder Nixon will be passed.

## To Attend Rites

The board will then proceed to Mr. Nixon's late residence at 401 East 42nd street where the Rev. Duane Weyill, curate of St. Paul's Episcopal church, will officiate at the funeral service.

Tributes continued to be paid to Freeholder Nixon's memory today, and flags on all county buildings remained at half-mast.

## Died Wednesday

The 65-year-old Republican freeholder-director died at General hospital Wednesday morning. A heart attack which he

suffered a week ago paved the way for pneumonia which caused his death.

Mr. Nixon, a native of Eng-



JOHN J. NIXON

land, came to this country as a child and received his education here. He spent the greater part of his life in business activity, turning to an active political career in the latter years of his life.

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# WPA To Prune 4,000 Here By Sept. 1

## New List Of 10,000 To Replace 27,000 Throughout State

### World War Veterans Exempted From Dismissal By Congressional Order

September 1 was set as the deadline for the dismissal of 27,000 New Jersey WPA workers in line with a congressional order by State WPA Administrator Robert W. Allan this week.

Of the 27,000 men and women who will get their "403" slips in the intervening period, Allan said, 5,000 will come from the Passaic-Bergen counties district of WPA.

### 18-Month Rule

Only war veterans are exempt from the congressional order which compels the WPA to drop all who have been employed for 18 months or more previous to the order.

Accordingly, Allan will issue dismissals to 27,000 persons throughout the state who are now on WPA rolls. In their stead, a total of 10,000 new persons will be hired, thus effecting a reduction of 17,000 in personnel. This will leave 59,000 persons still on the payroll of WPA—the legal quota.

### Consult Relief Rolls

The selection of new employees will be made from relief department rolls throughout the state. All applicants for such jobs will have to be duly certified by the welfare department in their respective cities, it was announced.

Earlier in the week, reports had it that 2,950 persons in Bergen county and 1,830 in Passaic county would lose their jobs. State Administrator Allan, however, said these figures were inaccurate inasmuch as they included war veterans who are exempt from current congressional provisions.

### Can't Go Back Sept. 1

Since they will not have completed the required 30 days off the project, those who are being laid off this month will be unable to obtain reappointment to WPA in time to be included among the 10,000 who will be named to state projects on September 1.

## Foreigners Visit County Exhibit

Visitors from nine foreign countries have viewed the exhibits of the Passaic County Historical society at Lambert Castle, Garret Mountain reservation, during the month of July, according to an announcement made this week.

They came from Ireland, Bermuda, Germany, England, The Netherlands, Scotland, Sweden, Canada and Belgian Congo, Africa.

### GIVEN SHOWER

Jean Kerr of 54 Holman street was tendered a shower this week by her sister, Mrs. Charles Bartow.

### IN ANTHOLOGY

#### Works Of Local Poetess Contained In 1939 Edition

American Voices, anthology of American poetry for the year 1939, will include the works of a Paterson poet it was announced this week.

She is Lucy Torzella of 142 Mill street. More than 10,000 poets have contributed to the 900-page volume.

## Operation Saves Arm Of Officer Hurt In Chase

Physicians at General hospital said this week that they will be able to save the badly injured arm of Patrolman Andrew Kyak, of the radio squad, who became impaled on an iron picket fence Saturday morning as the result of a fall while chasing a purse-snatcher.

An operation performed in the hospital made amputation of Officer Kyak's arm unnecessary and he will recover from the injury which badly lacerated the muscles in his biceps and shoulder.

Kyak attempted to follow the thief to the roof of a building where he was reported to be hiding. As he began to climb, he lost his grip, fell to the pavement and became impaled on an iron picket fence.

## 7 Local Youths In Bendix NYA

Seven Paterson youths are among 125 enrollees in the Resident Training Center No. 2 of the National Youth Administration at Bendix, it was announced this week.

They are Herman Bleschke, John Harris, Jr., Leo Hollenbeck, Joseph Matano, Anthony Moscarillo, Anthony Niemira and Harold Van Winkle.

### ON BOAT RIDE

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Totowa Presbyterian church will embark on a boat ride to Bridgeport, Conn., tonight.

## Deposed Monarchs in Sweden



Ex-King Zog and former Queen Geraldine

Former King Zog of Albania and his wife, the former Queen Geraldine, are shown out for a stroll in Stockholm, Sweden, where they are living temporarily. The ex-queen is an American-born girl who recently became a mother.

## Woman Survives Poison Tablets

The condition of Mrs. Florence Fritzsche, 38, of 79 Pearl street, was reported to be "good" by General hospital officials this week.

Mrs. Fritzsche swallowed some poison tablets Sunday after she had returned from a walk with her husband, Hugh Fritzsche. She was despondent, her husband told police.

## Local Chapter To Visit Cresthaven

A visit to Cresthaven Memorial Park is on the calendar of the Paterson Chapter, No. 225, Order of the Eastern Star for today.

## Dr. J. Jimenez Heads X-Ray Staff At General

Announcement of the appointment of Dr. Juan M. Jimenez of New York City as director of its Radiological department was made this week by the General hospital in this city.

Dr. Jimenez is a graduate of Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia, 1916, and has served as radiologist at the Jefferson hospital and the Pennsylvania hospital in Philadelphia. He has also served as Roentgenologist at the United Fruit hospital, Port Limon, South America, and held a Rockefeller Fellowship in radiological therapy at Memorial hospital, New York, for the last two years.

Remaining as assistants on the staff are Dr. Earl Warren and Dr. Harry Lawson.

### WIN SCHOLARSHIPS

Ten Passaic county students were awarded scholarships by Rutgers University this week.

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# ❖ Society... News and Events ❖

## Knights Of Columbus To Be Hosts To Orphans August 16

Kiddies From Four Local Institutions To Be Its Guests At Olympic Park

The Paterson Council, Knights of Columbus, this week announced plans for its annual outing for orphans which will be held at Olympic Park on Wednesday, August 16.

Guests of the council will be orphans from the Mount St. Joseph's Home for Boys and Girls, the Daughters of Miriam Home in Clifton, the Paterson Orphan Asylum, and St. Michael's Home for Children in North Haledon.

The outing is an annual one and this year's will be preceded by a ride through the Northern section of the state before arrival at the site of the event. Refreshments will be served to the guests at the latter stage of the outing.

Grand Knight Edward McNamara heads the large committee in charge of the arrangements for the day while Mrs. S. Bastic is chairman of the auxiliary's committee which is assisting in the days program.

## Disabled Vets Plan Supper

Plans for a spaghetti supper which will be held at 169 Van Houten street on September 28, were announced by Argonne Chapter, Disabled War Veterans, No. 18, this week.

Frank Jacene will serve as general chairman for the event, while Warren M. Shaw will be honorary chairman. Others on the committee are William D. Tichenor, Harry Egbert, Vincent Toti and M. Davies.

It was announced that County Detective Chris Edell will serve as master of ceremonies at the affair. William Tallon is commander of the post.

## Local Teacher To Wed Oradell Man

Peggy Jean Florance of 355 Eighteenth avenue will marry Arthur L. Crowley of 609 Cooper avenue, Oradell, at St. Joseph's church in Oradell on Sunday.

Miss Florance is a teacher in the Oradell Junior high school. She is a graduate of the Paterson schools and Montclair State Teachers' college.

## Anna Malone To Wed On Sept. 3

Anna Malone of 39 Sixth avenue and Fred Mangarelli also of this city, will be united in marriage on Sunday, September 3, it was announced this week.

The bride-elect was recently tendered a shower by Mrs. Evelyn Horton of 700 Main street.

## Television Queen



Vera Haal

Selected "queen of television" in England, Vera Haal, 19-year-old songbird, is shown in her native New York on a brief visit prior to going to Hollywood for screen tests. Miss Haal is expected to become the bride of Edward Ward, brother of the Earl of Dudley, British steel magnate, in the near future.

## Harmony Ladies Society Prepares Play On Sept. 30

Two events are on the calendar of the Ladies' Harmony society in the near future.

On Thursday, August 31, the group will undertake a trip to the New York World's Fair.

The other event on the calendar consists of the presentation of a Dutch play, "Spaansche Vlieg", a 3-act comedy which will be given at Guild Hall on September 30. This will mark the first Fall event of the society.

## Fracalose-Cooke Nuptials Aug. 26

Helen Fracalose of 45 York avenue will be married to Lee E. Cooke of 62 East Main street on August 26, it was announced this week.

Miss Fracalose was recently tendered a shower by Antoinette Gerrinck of 72 Graham avenue. She was the recipient of many charming gifts.

## A LONG TIME

Mr. and Mrs. Pagliaro To Mark Golden Wedding Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pagliaro of 214 Atlantic street will mark their golden wedding anniversary at a family party which will be held on Saturday.

The couple was married on August 18, 1889 and has lived in this city for the last 37 years. Mr. Pagliaro is 74, his wife, 71.

## V.F.W. Ladies To Hold Outing On Wednesday

Scene Of Event Will Be Green Valley Park In Township Of Macopin

Green Valley Park in Macopin will be the scene of the annual outing of the ladies' auxiliary of the Alexander Hamilton post, Veterans of Foreign Wars on Wednesday, August 16.

In charge of arrangements for the day is a committee which is headed by Augustine Hizzette, chairman, and which includes Anna McComb, Anna Richardson, Carrie Howell, Stephanie Batke, Emily De Porter, Nellie Kievit and Viola Brown.

Members and their guests will leave Van Houten street headquarters at 9:30 a.m. of that day.

The program includes swimming, games and refreshments.

## Totowa Girl To Wed On Aug. 27

Clara Carbonella of 48 Jasper street, Totowa, will become the bride of Mario Tedeschi of Paterson on August 27, it was announced this week. The ceremony will be performed in St. Michael's R. C. church at 3 p.m. of that day.

Miss Carbonella was guest of honor at shower given by her mother, Mrs. Antoinette Carbonella, recently.

## Sept. Wedding For Local Man

Adrian Van Seters of 28 Holman street and Tina Liberti of Schenectady, N. Y., will be the principals in a September wedding which will be held in this city, it was announced this week.

Miss Liberti was recently tendered a shower by her aunt, Mrs. Josephine Proto of 20 Hudson street, this city.

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## Order Of "Cooties" To Hold Annual Stag Outing Sunday

### Not Irene Dunne



Mary Manzo

Bearing a close resemblance to the movie actress, Irene Dunne, Brazil's beauty queen, Mary Manzo, above, has arrived in Hollywood for the International Beauty Pageant, beginning Sept. 22.

## TO VISIT LAKE

Members of the Flora MacDonald Lodge of D. O. S., will be guests of Bessie Kean of Greenwood Lake at her summer home Saturday.

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East Paterson Grove Will Be Scene Of Gala Event On Calendar Of Local Veterans

The East Paterson Water Works Grove will be the scene of the annual stag outing of the G. I. Pup Tent No. 9, Military Order of Cooties on Sunday.

With an unprecedented advance sale of tickets already achieved the largest attendance in the organization's history is expected at the affair, according to an announcement made by Thomas M. Flynn, past commander of Post 139 V.F.W., who is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

Special features of the outing will be a softball game between the "Cooties" and members of the drum corps, and the rendition of songs by the recently organized "Cootie" Glee Club which is under the direction of Jerry Knight.

Many prominent civic leaders are members of the Military Order of Cooties.

## HOLD CARD PARTY

A card party was held under the auspices of the Graham True Blues at the home of Mrs. Martha Lamb Tuesday night.

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### TO THEIR EVERLASTING CREDIT

It is not an easy matter for men who are bent upon making politics their career to cast aside immediate consideration for future benefits and stand on principle in a situation which finds them opposing powerful leaders of the party.

It would have been the easy way out for Public Works Commissioner James J. Gavin and the majority of the ward leaders who are now supporting him to bow to the edict from Jersey City in consideration of future political favors.

That they have chosen to "stand up in meeting" and voice their opposition to such flagrant interference in purely local affairs is to their everlasting credit.

The issue of "home rule" is one of basic importance and since its cause is represented in the current candidacy of Commissioner Gavin for the Democratic nomination for mayor of the city of Paterson, the local campaign he and the majority of the ward leaders are waging is one that deserves the support of every member of the Democratic party who prefers thinking for himself to jumping with puppet-like alacrity every time the Jersey City "powerhouse" pulls the strings.

### IN TRIBUTE TO JOHN J. NIXON

Passaic county today is officially mourning the death of Freeholder-Director John J. Nixon, but greater tribute comes to his memory from the hearts of the many who knew him and respected him as a conscientious and sincere individual who often went out of his way to do his fellow man a good turn. Differences of political views notwithstanding, adherents of all political parties feel the loss of a faithful worker for the cause of good government and fair dealing.

### THE DEMOCRATS SET A PRECEDENT

For the first time in the history of Passaic County politics, one of the Democratic party's nominations for the office of freeholder goes to a member of the feminine sex—former Assemblywoman Mrs. Nan V. Donohue.

With this designation, the Passaic County woman in politics marks another step forward in her long and tireless fight for equality with men. Recognition by the Democratic party leaders in this instance may pave the way in the future for nominations to even higher office.

For Mrs. Donohue, who has been at the top of her party's ticket in every election in which she has been a candidate, her designation as a candidate for freeholder substantiates what many people have already felt—that she is the number one woman of the Democratic party.

### A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

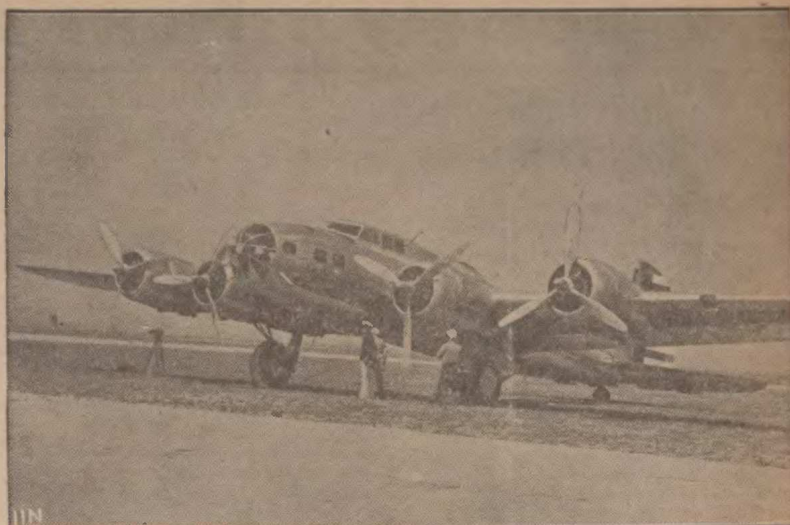
The United States is the richest nation in the world. Everybody knows that. We probably have within our borders the greatest resources of any country in the world. We believe and we are ready to admit without debate that we are as ambitious, as energetic and as industrious as any other people.

As a result of the combination of these conditions, in the hundred years ending in 1930, we had achieved the highest standards of living, not only for the few, but for the masses, ever known in human history.

Yet our nation is in turmoil. We have been in a depression since 1929. We are still faced by a national emergency. Or should we say that it is but the present installment of a series of emergencies? There are 11 million unemployed. There are more than 6 million families, including over 25 million persons, on relief.

Popular writers call our economic system a paradox, a paradox of human want and suffering in the face of potential plenty. It may be a paradox, but it is also a

## Army's New Flying Fortress Sets U. S. Record



After setting a new record of 9 hours 15 minutes from Burbank, Cal., to New York, the United States army's newest flying fortress comes to rest at Floyd Bennett field. The flight was non-stop.

### Betty Frederick's Engagement Told

Announcement of the engagement of their daughter, Betty, to Aaron S. Young of East Pepperell, Mass., was made this week by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frederick of 183 Edmund avenue.

The couple will marry in the Fall. Miss Frederick is a graduate of Central high school, and her fiancé, of Lowell Textile Institute.

### Local Man Hurt In N. Y. Mishap

A Patersonian was struck by flying glass and injured in front of the Champion Trucking company on West 36th street in New York this week when an unidentified pedestrian hurled a brick through a large plate glass window nearby.

He is Michael Sorrantino, 32, of 214 Park avenue, an employee of the Champion Trucking company.

## The Cracker Barrel

CONTAINING CONTRIBUTIONS FROM OUR READERS ON TIMELY SUBJECTS

### PRAISE . . .

August 7, 1939

To the editor:

I believe your attitude is right when you sum up the current controversy over the Democratic nomination for Mayor of Paterson as being merely an issue of "home rule" that is more important than the personalities of the individuals leading the fight.

To me it seems the purposes of party government are defeated if the rank and file permit outside leaders to dictate the identity of those who are to lead the ticket in each election. Here's hoping that Jersey City gets the rebuff it deserves in the September primary election.

DEMOCRAT

South Paterson, N. J.

### . . . AND SCORN

August 5, 1939

To the editor:

Because I have nothing better to do on some occasions, I read the column, "Side Glances" which is written by some dodo who calls himself "Yank". He probably is ashamed to make known his real identity.

Anyway, even if it is just for the record, let me say that last week's column of his was the screwiest, most irrational, illogical and most stupid column I ever read. And I've been reading the writings of a lot of screwballs—lo, these many years. Keep up the lousy work, Yank.

BOOB McNUTT

Holsman street,  
Paterson, N. J.

tragedy. Our people are not happy. They are not as prosperous as they should be. They are restless and distressed.

We have a problem before us, a problem that directly concerns every citizen in this country. But let us face it as practical realists; not like buzzards out on the prairies flocking around a sick horse waiting and hoping that the horse will die; not like wild-eyed zealots looking for arguments to support still wilder theories; and, most important of all, not like paid emissaries of an enemy country, boring from within to keep our country in turmoil and weakness, for their own selfish purposes.

As We Like  
It  
...by MILO

The Gavin-Duffy contest is on everybody's lips, so why should we be different and talk about something else? . . . we don't know why they call it a contest . . . to date there is only one candidate in the field.

He is Commissioner Gavin and the way the boys are doing things up brown at headquarters simply dispels the last vestige of doubt that he may be prevailed upon to withdraw.

That's a fine pickle Judge Duffy is in, thanks to dear old Canon 30 . . . it's a cannon, all right, and is likely to explode him from his seat on the police court bench as soon as he files his petitions.

We would advise some of the plain clothes officers in the police department to read the Police Manual as far as taking part in politics is concerned . . . more than one of the boys has been seen sporting campaign buttons at recent political meetings.

While everybody sits tight and waits for Recorder Duffy to make up his mind whether to sacrifice his judgeship for a crack at the office of mayor (not forgetting Mr. Gavin in the meantime) things get hotter and hotter . . . we mean the weather, pals.

Despite all you hear about the authorities' claim that green parking tickets cannot be "killed," this column has learned of two instances where they were ripped up and tossed into a waste basket . . . just to stir up your curiosity, one of them was slapped on a car belonging to A. C. of the 10th ward.



# Wilson Hits Move To Pass State Sale Tax

## Quackenbush Co. Head Calls Tax "Ruinous"

Says Its Passage In Legislature Will Signal Immediate Fight For Repeal

A one percent retail sales tax which he said was being pushed by certain forces in the state legislature will be "ruinous" to business, G. Karl Wilson, Quackenbush department store executive warned this week.

Wilson, speaking for the Retail Merchants' Association of New Jersey, declared that his organization would fight the proposed tax to the bitter end.

### "Intolerable Burden"

"Any general sales tax in New Jersey means that a campaign for repeal will start the day such a tax is passed.

"The modified sales tax which we are advised certain political leaders have in mind would be an intolerable burden on New Jersey consumers and a wanton legislative destruction of the retail industry of this state.

### Time "Inopportune"

"With the movement for reduced governmental spending gaining momentum everywhere and enlisting public support," he continued, "New Jersey could not pick a more inopportune time to resort to this regressive type of tax. New Jersey consumers will not stand for new major raids on their pay envelopes through a general sales tax.

"New Jersey's geographical position," Wilson explained, "makes it impossible for our retailers to survive any general sales tax, regardless of how low the percentage of the levy is. Such a broad general tax accelerates the drainage of business across our borders into New York and Pennsylvania, a condition against which New Jersey retailers are compelled constantly to fight.

### Have Public Support

"To defend consumer interests and their own investments, they will be forced to press for repeal as in 1935. In such a movement, it goes without saying that retailers will have the support of every consumer organization in the state."

## Nixon

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At the time of his death, he was serving his second term on the Board of Freeholders, having first assumed a position on the board on January 1, 1936. He was reelected to office last November.

His death creates a vacancy on the board which will be filled at the general election in November when three members of the board will be chosen instead of the customary two.

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## FARM WEEK

So Agricultural Agent Fawcett Attends Fair Session

Among many agricultural experts attending the New York World's Fair this week is Passaic County Agricultural Agent James B. Fawcett.

The occasion is National Farm Week at the Flushing exposition grounds.

## 2 On Trial In Adultery Case

Adultery charges against Robert Van Blarcom of Midland Park and Annabella Portello, 23, of this city, will be heard in the Second District Criminal Court today.

Pressing the complaint against Mrs. Portello is her husband, Thomas Portello of 168 Mill street.

## Woman On Trial For Relief Fraud

Charged with receiving \$155.73 in relief funds through fraud, Genevieve Glass of 282 Getty avenue will be tried before Judge Thomas J. Kennedy in the Second Criminal District court today.

Pressing the complaint is Welfare Director John Greene.

## The Clairvoyant

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of cases . . . and there certainly is need for prevention of the possibility, no matter how slim it may be, that a member of the bench, intentionally or otherwise, may find his judicial position tending to promote his political fortunes . . . it is to guard against instances such as these that Canon 30 proves its value.

## Duffy

(Continued from Page 1)  
The County Board of Elections, Commissioner Gavin is now officially a candidate. Preparations for his campaign are proceeding rapidly at headquarters which have been established in the Alexander Hamilton hotel building.

A factor which was regarded as likely to influence Recorder Duffy toward taking steps to retire from the campaign was said to be contained in the Bar Association's now famous "Canon 30" which prohibits any member of the bench from seeking political office and holding his judicial post at the same time.

### Would Have To Resign

In order to file his petition for a place on the ballot Recorder Duffy would first be compelled to resign his office as Recorder in the Paterson police court, a post he has held under the administrations of both former Mayor John V. Hinchliffe and the present incumbent, Mayor Bernard L. Stafford.

## Break Endurance Flight Mark



Humphrey Moody and brother, Hunter

After setting a new endurance mark for light planes, Humphrey Moody, 20, left, and his brother, Hunter, 25, of Decatur Ill. continued their endurance flight above Springfield Ill., airport. The two shattered the old mark of 218 hours and 43 minutes on their ninth day in the air and then announced they would attempt to break the heavy plane mark of over 600 hours.

## Woman Killed As Result Of 3-Story Plunge

Death came this week to Mrs. Elizabeth Moore, a 34-year-old Negress of New York City, as the result of a fall from the third story of a house at 7 Peach street to the pavement below.

It was believed that Mrs. Moore, who was subject to fainting spells, suffered an attack and fell from the window sill where she was sitting. She died instantly upon landing on her head on the pavement.

She had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Lulu Kelly, who resides at the Peach street address.

## BEGINS NOVENA

The annual novena in honor of the feast of the assumption of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary began in Our Lady of Victories R. C. church this week.

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# To Resume Racing At Hinchiffe On Aug. 18

## Side Glances

—by "YANK"

We'll join the parade this week by asking: "What's wrong with Johnny Vander Meer?" And there isn't even an echo to smack us in the puss with our original question.

Anyway, a lot of Patersonians are not as optimistic about Midland Park's Johnny as they were let's say, after he won himself that 2 to 1 ball game from the Phillies a couple of weeks ago.

When that happened, localites leaned back and sighed with satisfaction. More than one or two, like us, purred confidently: "Watch Johnny from now on." But then came Sunday and the Brooklyn Dodgers—and an early shower bath for No-Hit Vander Meer.

Somehow, we're like the rest of the old clan which refuses to give up hope and passes the days until the World's Series arrives hoping that Johnny regains his form in time to whip those darned Yanks. But at the rate of progress he's making, it looks like we'll have to wait until spring training in 1940 for a recurrence of the wondersome feats the left-hander was wont to accomplish last year.

Like the ump behind the plate a radio announcer seldom gets a break so we'll put down in black and white a vote of confidence for Arch MacDonald who tells you all about balls and strikes and basehits and Wheaties and Ivory soap over CBS each week day.

Not that the guy is an ace announcer, but because he refuses to take himself seriously, like a lot of other word-slingers on the air do. In that respect, he reminds us of old Fred Hoey, who used to describe Boston major league games before Frankie Frisch took over at that particular microphone.

Instead of slinging a torrent of words through your loud speaker Fred Hoey would limit himself completely to what was transpiring on the field in terms of action. As a result, you could sit down at your radio and read a book while listening to a game and miss the important portions of neither during the course of an afternoon.

After all, it's something of a blessing to be able to find something to do to keep yourself occupied while the Yanks go about their business of murdering the opposition in the early innings of each game.

What about Cleveland Sunday did you say? 'Scuse it, please, and so long until next week.

### MOUNTAINEERS PLAY

Listed to clash in a twilight contest at Lincoln Park tonight are the Mountain View A. C. and Lincoln Park.

## Gollmer Guards Setting Fast Pace



Setting a fast pace in local athletic circles are the Gollmer Guards, crack ball-tossers, who will meet the Tarrys Club at Recreation Field No. 3 in what should be an interesting contest Friday night. The squad is pictured above with Louis C. Gollmer, its standard-bearer.

## RED SOX FACE SMART SETS, WONDERS AT STADIUM SUNDAY

### WIN DOUBLES

Minnesink Tennis Title Goes To Paterson Duo

The novelty doubles tournament title went to a pair of Patersonians at the Minnesink Tennis club this week.

The team of Bus Terhune and Herbert Kuchinsky downed Fischer and King, 8-6 and 6-4 in the finals.

### ROYALS BOW, 12-11

The Honest Phils defeated the Royal Ten in a softball contest this week. The score was 12 to 11.

### To Inherit Sox?



Charles Comiskey II

Boss of the Chicago White Sox, American league baseball team, some day probably will be Charles Comiskey II, now 13, son of the late Sox owner, J. Louis Comiskey and grandson of Charles Comiskey, founder and original owner of the club.

Schedule Also Pits "Y" Against Wardles In Eastside Park Contest

Three interesting contests are on tap for local diamond fans on Sunday. Hinchliffe stadium will be the scene of two of the contests, while the third will be played at Eastside Park.

The Eastside Park contest pits the Wardle association against the Y.M.H.A. in a game that is scheduled to get under way at 10:30 a.m. of that day.

The morning contest at Hinchliffe stadium is between the Wonders and the Rex Sox. It, too, will start at 10:30 a.m. and is a regular Paterson and District league tussle.

In the afternoon, the Red Sox will again see action, facing the Smart Sets in a contest that is slated to begin at 3:15 p.m.

Suburban nines will also be busy Sunday, with Pine Brook traveling to Ogdensburg for an afternoon contest and the Winzall Red Sox facing the Belleville Triangles at Totowa oval. Games time is 3 p.m.

## Panthers Sign Eddie Warwick

Charles De Phillips, manager of the Paterson Panthers' football team, this week announced the signing of Eddie Warwick, University of Pennsylvania back, to a contract for the 1939 season.

Warwick was for a brief time with the Chicago Bears last season. He was farmed out by that club to the Cincinnati Bengals after being purchased from the Boston Shamrocks in 1937.

He is known to be a fine passer and kicker as well as a better than average ball carrier.

### AT PINE BROOK

Pequannock's baseball team meets Pine Brook at the latter's field tonight.

### STILL AT TOP

Clowns Defend Loop Lead Against De Vitas Tonight

The Wardle Clowns continue to lead the race in the People's Park Softball league, according to standings released at the start of the week.

Tonight's schedule will find the Clowns meeting the De Vitas, the Steinhausers facing the Dovers and the Ferraros clashing with St. Anthony's.

## Ritter To Try Luck In Final Meet At Nutley

Boiling mad through every inch of his mite stature, little Johnny Ritter has launched a quest for a new hot motor which he intends to harness to victory in his private war with Mel Hansen, the Los Angeles star who has been beating him across the finish line with too much regularity to suit the Detroit ace.

On Saturday night at the Nutley Velodrome board speedway, Ritter will renew his bitter feud with the West Coast driver when they line up in the last meet of the season this week on the banked pines. The Detroit driver, cheered by the enthusiastic hand given him by race followers, is anxious to make good.

And he is so determined to click off a string of triumphs with which he can score sweet revenge over Hansen that he plans to put a new lightning-fast engine under the hood of his machine. He feels that given that mechanical assistance, he can lick the Pacific sensation.

## Centuries Meet Horseshoe Nine

The 20th Centuries and the Horseshoes will come to grips in their battle for third place in the Babb-Smith Amateur baseball league at National field Friday night.

The Amocos, with five victories in six games continued to lead the pack at the start of the week's play in the second half of the season. The first half title went to the 20th Centuries.

### UNCLE SAM'S BLANKED

The Uncle Sams absorbed a 2 to 0 whitewash at the hands of the Butler A. C. last week.

## Crack Field Out To Halt Perry Grimm's Streak

Doodlebug Drivers To Return To Action On Resurfaced Local Track

Midget auto race drivers will return to the Hinchliffe City Stadium in Paterson for the resumption of weekly meets on the new track on Friday night, August 18, it was announced today by Promoter John Kochman.

A short sabbatical from the racing competition in Paterson is being marked by the drivers now to allow for tow changes. One provides for the resurfacing of the track and the other allows time for the introduction of a new policy at these weekly Stadium meets. For the balance of the season, the general admission price will be dropped to forty cents.

A field of A.A.A. drivers will compete on the Paterson track at that time, seeking to bring an end to the winning streak which has been stretched through recent meets by Perry Grimm, hard-driving Californian.

The Los Angeles ace has chalked up main event victories in the last three meets in a row at the Stadium and is determined to prolong his string of victories the next time he steps out on the fifth-of-a-mile speedway.

There will be no race meet on the Paterson track this Friday but starting with the program set for the 18th, the midget car races will be presented every Friday night for the remainder of the season.

## Wright-R. & Q. Contest Heads Baseball Slate

Tonight's twilight baseball schedule is studded with interesting contests as usual.

At Eastside Park, the Ries-Quackenbush nine is slated to meet the Wright Aeros, while Parish Oval will be the scene of a clash between the Preakness Farmers and the Bloomingdale A. C. This is a suburban league clash.

In another loop contest, the Tenth Warders will meet the Clifton Capitols at Pennington Park. The night's schedule is rounded out by a game between the T. and R.'s and Uncle Sam's Bees which will be played at Fair Lawn Recreation Oval.

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**NETWORK NOTES** — Paul Whiteman's broadcasts come from Milwaukee Aug. 9; Superior, Wis., Aug. 10; Minneapolis, Aug. 23, and Des Moines, Aug. 30.

Jessica Dragonette is the Aug. 18 "lassie" on "Raymond Paige, 99 Men and a Girl." H. V. Kaltenborn speaks from London for CBS Aug. 13, 15, 20, 22, 27 and 29. On Aug. 11 Bob Ripley asks "In What Country Is Every Milkman a God?" and the answer comes out Aug. 18. Anthony Eden starts his NBC comment stint the middle of Sept. Alice ("Big Sister") Frost returns from brief vacation, wearing tiny high-laced shoe charm, gift of hubby on 6th anniversary. Walter O'Keefe resumes on CBS Sept. 19. "Big Town" with Edward G. Robinson also comes back Sept. 19.

Beginning Oct. 9, "It Happened in Hollywood" goes 6-a-week on CBS. Ask It Basket" has renewed air contract as of Aug. 17.

**HI-HAT MUSIC**—Philharmonic-Symphony Society of NY inaugurates 98th year of its history & 10th year on CBS with Oct. 12 broadcast. Mark your calendar for CBS & NBC Honolulu World Concert Oct. 15.

**HERE AND THERE**—Mutual network's Pauline Alpert recently proved the value of having a public and private signature, when she demonstrated to a court that a supposed sig on a lease was a fan mail "autograph" and not her regular "writing." Virginia Payne of "Ma Perkins" says television won't replace movies until they find a way for the receiving set to give away free dishes. Charley Stookey, who conducts "Columbia's Country Journal," is an ex-farmer.

**VIDEO VIGNETTES**—NBC's evening visio shows resume Aug. 29. The present weekly schedule of 10 hours includes 3 feature movies a week via W2XBS. . . also planned are sports coverage and NYW Fair events.

**COLUMBIA** has almost a "monopoly" on one-man dramas. What with Phil Cook and his "Morning Almanac" on WABC; Frank Graham with his "Armchair Adventures," and now Orth Bell's "Uncle Jonathan," the trio produces enough voice characters to populate a small-sized city.

## Cubs Vs. Kellys: Warders To Play

Only two contests will be played by local baseball teams on Friday and Saturday.

Tomorrow's tilt pits the Second Warders against the Pompton All Stars in a suburban league contest at Totowa Oval. On Saturday the Passaic Cubs will meet the Kitty Kelly All Stars at Hinchliffe stadium. Game time is 3:15 p.m.

## GARDEN

Jane Withers and Leo Carrillo are together again!

This time they're in the 20th Century-Fox screen version of "Chicken Wagon Family," that heart-warming story by Barry Benefield that stirs the wanderlust in us all opening at the



Leo Carrillo and Jane Withers in "Chicken Wagon Family"

Garden theater today.

A strange mixture of blonde, wistful beauty and dramatic fire is Sigrid Gurie, who reveals the latter talent for the first time in a starring role in Universal's "The Forgotten Woman," also at the Garden theater.

## Saves Lives of 32



Cynthia Chapin

Daughter of Robert D. Chapin, secretary of the Hartford, Conn. National bank, Cynthia Chapin, 22, is being hailed as a heroine following her brave efforts in saving the lives of 32 companions clinging to a capsized yacht in Long Island sound off the Connecticut shore. Miss Chapin swam for 45 minutes until her cries attracted the attention of a tugboat crew.

## BOWLERS MEET

Representatives of the Catholic Bowling league met this week to lay plans for the coming season.

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

A-7459  
A-7478  
**SHERIFF'S SALE IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY WHEREIN** Cornell University, a corporation of the State of New York is complainant, and Angela Milanesa and Sam Milanesa, her husband, Gustave Presto, Alphonse J. DeRose, Edward Lanncone, John Panisulski and Walter Caskey are defendants, Fl. Fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed and delivered, I have levied upon and shall expose for sale by public vendue, and sell to the highest bidder, on Friday, the First day of September, 1939, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Daylight Saving Time, at the Sheriff's Office, situate in the City of Paterson, that is to say:

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

Saving Time at the Sheriff's Office, situate in the Court House, in the City of Paterson, that is to say: All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Clifton in the County of Passaic and State of New Jersey: BEGINNING at the corner formed by the intersection of the Northernly side of Ackerman Avenue and the Westernly side of Randolph Avenue and running thence (1) Northwest along the Westernly side of Randolph Avenue seventy and fifty-seven hundredths (70.57) feet; thence (2) Westernly parallel with Ackerman Avenue, sixty-five and twenty-two hundredths (65.22) feet to the Easternly side of Parker Avenue; thence (3) Southernly along the Easternly side of Parker Avenue, seventy-one and forty-seven hundredths (71.47) feet to the Northernly side of Ackerman and thence (4) Northeast along the Northernly side of Ackerman Avenue, eighty-eight and fifty-nine hundredths (88.59) feet to the point or place of BEGINNING.

Together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, etc. Liens and encumbrances against the above described premises will be made known at the time of the sale. Approximate amount of decree Thirty Three Thousand Nine Hundred Dollars.

JOHN A. GAVIN, Sheriff.

Aug. 10, 17, 24, 31  
Fees \$20.66  
THE MESSENGER

A-7468  
**SHERIFF'S SALE IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY WHEREIN** The Home Owners Loan Corporation, a body corporate of the United States, is complainant and John Colburn and Maggie Colburn, his wife, and Howard Walker, are the defendants, Fl. Fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

MICHAEL D. MIRIELLO, Solicitor.  
By virtue of the above writ of fieri facias, to me directed and delivered, I have levied upon and shall expose for sale by public vendue, and sell to the highest bidder, on Friday, the Eighteenth day of August, 1939, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Daylight Saving Time, at the Sheriff's Office, situate in the Court House, in the City of Paterson, that is to say:

All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Paterson in the County of Passaic and State of New Jersey.

BEGINNING at the southwest corner of Twelfth Avenue (formerly known as Tyler Street) and Straight Street and running thence (1) Westernly along the southerly line of Twelfth Avenue (formerly known as Tyler Street) about one hundred forty-five (145) feet to Railroad Avenue; thence (2) Southernly along the easterly line of Railroad Avenue to the line of a lot heretofore conveyed by Albert A. Hopner to Robert Hardy; thence (3) Easterly along the line of the last mentioned lot to the westerly line of Straight Street; and thence (4) Northernly along the said westerly line of Straight Street, twenty-five (25) feet more or less, to the place of BEGINNING.

Being known and designated as No. 100 Straight Street on the Official Map of the City of Paterson.

Together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, etc. Liens and encumbrances against the above described premises will be made known at the time of the sale. Approximate amount of decree Five Thousand Three Hundred Dollars.

JOHN A. GAVIN, Sheriff.  
July 27, August 3, 10, 17.  
Fees \$34.44  
THE MESSENGER

A-7462  
**SHERIFF'S SALE IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY WHEREIN** Textile Home Building and Loan Association, of Paterson, N. J., a corporation of New Jersey, is complainant and Lena Altieri and Anthony Altieri, her husband, Ribbon & Ticker Paper Co., a corporation of New Jersey, and Peter De Marco, are defendants, Fl. Fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

GUSTAV A. HUNZIKER, Solicitor.  
By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed and delivered, I have levied upon and shall expose for sale by public vendue, and sell to the highest bidder, on Friday, the Eleventh day of August, 1939, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Daylight Saving Time, at the Sheriff's Office, situate in the Court House, in the City of Paterson, that is to say:

All the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate lying and being in the City of Paterson in the County of Passaic and State of New Jersey. BEGINNING in the northernly line of Maryland Avenue at a point in the same distant one hundred twelve and one-half feet westerly from the intersection of the northernly line of Maryland Avenue to the westerly line of Trenton Avenue, and running from thence (1) Northernly, parallel with Trenton Avenue one hundred feet; thence (2) westerly, parallel with Maryland Avenue thirty-seven and one-half feet thence (3) southerly, parallel with the first course, one hundred feet, to the northernly line of Maryland Avenue and thence (4) easterly, along the same, thirty-seven and one-half feet to the point or place of BEGINNING.

Being part of the rear portion of lots Nos. 118, 119, 122 and 124 on the official map of the City of Paterson, as laid down on

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

a map entitled "Property of the Estate of John N. Terhune, Paterson, New Jersey, dated March 4th, 1901, H. J. Harter, C. E. Together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, etc. Liens and encumbrances against the above described premises will be made known at the time of the sale. Approximate amount of decree Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars.

JOHN A. GAVIN, Sheriff.  
July 20, 27, Aug. 3, 10  
Fees \$31.10  
THE MESSENGER

A-7473  
**SHERIFF'S SALE IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY WHEREIN** Harry A. Uberti and Albert R. Uberti, executors and trustees under the last will and testament of Serafin Uberti, are complainants and Pasquale Mennella (also known as Pasquale Mennella), Michael or Mike Mennella and Rose Mennella, his wife, Joseph Mennella and Carmella Mennella, his wife, Patsy Mennella, a widow, Samuel Mennella and Marie Mennella, his wife, Anthony Mennella and Ann Mennella, his wife, Lucy Del Peschio and Dominick Del Peschio, his husband, Mary Lubrano, Joseph Lubrano, United States Trust Company of Paterson, New Jersey, a corporation, The State of New Jersey, and Mike Mennella, Joseph Mennella, Patsy Mennella, Samuel Mennella and Anthony Mennella, trading as Fulton Fish Market, are defendants, Fl. Fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

PHILIP R. LICKER, Solicitor.

By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed and delivered, I have levied upon and shall expose for sale by public vendue and sell to the highest bidder, on Friday, the Twenty-fifth day of August, 1939, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Daylight Saving Time, at the Sheriff's Office, situate in the Court House, in the City of Paterson, that is to say:

All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Paterson in the County of Passaic and State of New Jersey. BEGINNING on the northernly side of seventy-five feet west of a lot formerly belonging to Thomas Rogers, and running from thence (1) westerly, along the northernly line of Market Street, twenty-five feet, thence (2) northernly, at right angles to Market Street, one hundred and twelve feet and six inches; thence (3) easterly, in a line parallel with Market Street, twenty-five feet, to the west boundary of a lot formerly belonging to Dr. William Magee; thence (4) southerly along the line of said Magee lot, one hundred and twelve feet and six inches, to the place of beginning. Being known as lot No. 87 Market Street on the official map of the City of Paterson.

Together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, etc. Liens and encumbrances against the above described premises will be made known at the time of the sale. Approximate amount of decree Fifteen Thousand Six Hundred Dollars.

JOHN A. GAVIN, Sheriff.  
Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24.  
Fees \$29.48  
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## Deaths of the Week

Saturday, August 5th

**MYERS, Catherine** Konzelman, aged 69 years, wife of Elwood Myers. Funeral services held Tuesday afternoon from her late residence 141 Hazel street.

**RUSCO, Jeanette**, daughter of Josephine Zuccano and the late Patrick Russo. Funeral held Tuesday morning from the funeral home 336 Broadway.

**VAN BUREN, Daniel** Barklow, husband of Mary E. Funeral services held Tuesday afternoon from his late residence 478 Ellison street.

**Sunday, August 6th**  
**PORTMAN, Gustave**, husband of Augusta Portman. Funeral held Wednesday morning from the Little Sisters of the Poor, 70 Dev street.

**SWEENEY, Daniel**, husband of the late Mary (McNally) Sweeney. Funeral held Wednesday morning from his late residence 339 Crooks avenue.

**Monday, August 7th**  
**RUHL, Elizabeth** Ruhl. Funeral services held Wednesday afternoon from the funeral home 354 Broadway.

**YOUNG, Sarah Ann**, aged 80 years, widow of the late James B. Young. Funeral services held Thursday afternoon from the funeral home 323 Getty avenue.

**Tuesday, August 8th**  
**ANDERSON, Joseph C., Sr.**, husband of Ada Carter Anderson. Funeral services held Thursday afternoon from his late residence 774 East 24th street.

**Wednesday, August 9th**  
**BAND, Arthur**, aged 37 years, husband of Cora (Richardson). Funeral services Saturday afternoon from the home of his brother S. Band, 95 Richmond avenue.

**FIORITO, Hilda**, aged 20 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Fiorito. Funeral Saturday morning from the residence of her parents, 99 Gordon avenue, Totowa Borough, husband of the late Katherine NIXON, John J., aged 65 years. Nixon. Funeral services Friday afternoon from his late residence, 401 East 42nd street.

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# THEATRICAL NEWS



## Behind the Scenes in HOLLYWOOD

By HARRISON CARROLL

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HOLLYWOOD.—While Hollywood was acclaiming her performance at the preview of "The Old Maid," Bette Davis was speeding east on vacation. A strong rumor says she won't be in a hurry to come back until Warners agree to cut down on the number of pictures she makes a year. Since January the star has hit a gruelling pace... worked on "Juarez," "The

Old Maid" and "The Lady and the Knight"... and these right on the heels of "The Sisters" and "Dark Victory" made last winter.

If there's any argument, however, Warners will be holding the whip hand. Bette's contract has three and one-half more years to go.

Lily Pons and Andre Kostelanetz are due here soon and Hollywood producers will start scratching their heads again, trying to figure out how they can put her in a picture and capitalize on her great popularity. In Newark recently the diva sang to 26,000 people. In Philadelphia she packed 9,000 people into a stadium that is comfortably full at 6,000. Such figures talk in Hollywood.

Seven years ago a U. S. C. co-ed entered the Coconut Grove, saw William Powell standing at the bottom of the steps and became so excited that she stumbled and fell. She might have been seriously injured if Powell hadn't put out his arms and caught her.

The co-ed? ... Now Mrs. Sonia Poulson, mother of the baby who was chosen out of hundreds, to play Powell's and Myrna Loy's youngster in "Another Thin Man."

Speaking of Gable, he and Carole Lombard did the fan magazines a real favor when they agreed to pose for home pictures. Now that they have backed down, Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Taylor are going to follow suit.

You should see Carole's fingernails for her role in "Vigil in the Night." They are cut down to —actually nothing and the star

will not be allowed to use any polish.

There are three murders in this new "Thin Man" picture, and the killings are done with a .38-caliber revolver. The M-G-M prop department supplied the weapon and it has quite a history. ... It is the same gun that was supposed to have shot Clark Gable in "A Free Soul," Leo Carrillo in "Pent House" and Tom Collins in "Tell No Tales."

Heard an illuminating story about George Raft. A writer went to his house recently to get an interview. Twice during their talk, Raft got up and went into the next room. Later, in making a tour of the house, the interviewer was shown this room. She noticed a big dictionary open on a stand.

"Consult it often, George?" she asked.

"Yes, twice since you've been here," said Raft. "You used two words I didn't know. I came in and looked them up. I didn't get to go to school much when I was a kid. That's one way I am completing my education."

Doctor's recipe for Richard Greene is to row for hours in a one-man racing shell. ... It will strengthen the muscles in the injured leg.

Lots of Walter Brennan fans have written asking his real age. He's 45 ... just celebrated his birthday on the "Northwest Passage" location.

What will they do next to get autographs? Two high school girls read here that Anlia Louise had lost her dog and telephoned her they had found it. When she rushed over, all they wanted was her autograph. ... Weather is so hot at the R-K-O ranch that "The Hunchback of Notre Dame" company has gone on a night schedule. Too many people threatened with prostration. ... Add to new twosomes: Tom Brown and Gloria Franklin, John Hart and Rosemary Lane. ... Anne Nagle and Bill Lundigan were a combination at Victor Hugo's. ... Ditto Tom Neal and Diane Lewis at La Conga and Rene Ray and Si Bartlett at the Trocadero. ... Universal wonders if the fans would like Baby Sandy's thumb print on fan photos. Lots of dopes are demanding autographs and the kid won't be able to write for years.

STARTING AT THE U. S. THEATER SATURDAY



Anna M. Wong and J. Carroll Naish in "The Island of Lost Men"

## ...Current Attractions... AT LOCAL THEATRES

### REGENT

Closing its run at the Regent theater today and Friday is a double feature which presents "Young Mr. Lincoln" with Henry Fonda, and "The Gracie Allen Murder Case" with Burns and Allen. Also on the program is a short subject, "Sons of Liberty," starring Claude Rains.

Opening Saturday and playing through Tuesday is "Daughters Courageous," which stars John Garfield, Jeffrey Lynn, Priscilla Lane, Rosemary Lane, Lola Lane and Gale Page.

The co-feature is "Good Girls Go To Paris" with Melvyn Douglas and Joan Blondell.

### U. S. THEATER

The U. S. theater will present a new program starting Saturday, to succeed "Stronger Than Desire" with Virginia Bruce and Walter Pidgeon, and "Trapped in the Sky" starring Jack Holt.

In one-half of the bill, Ann Sheridan is seen in "Winter Carnival," Supporting the "Oomph Girl" are Richard Carlson, Helen Parish and Robert Armstrong.

"Island Of Lost Men" with J. Carroll Naish, Anna May Wong, Anthony Quinn and Eric Blore is the co-feature.

### FABIAN

With Louis Hayward and Joan Bennett playing the top roles, Edward Small's new romantic drama, "The Man In The Iron



J. Bennett and L. Hayworth in "The Man In The Iron Mask" Mask," which will have its premiere showing at the Fabian today, unfolds a thrilling, and

### GARDEN: NOW!

Jane Withers  
CHICKEN WAGON  
FAMILY  
LEO CARRILLO - MARJORIE WEAVER  
SPRING BYINGTON - KANE RICHMOND

Associate Feature  
THE GLAMOROUS STAR -  
SIGRID GUERIN in  
"THE FORGOTTEN WOMAN"  
Eve Arden - Donald Briggs

exciting tale of 17th Century romance and adventure in an era when extravagances and excesses ruled the court of France. The latest March of Time, "The Movies March On" tells the 40-year rise of the motion picture industry, and presents a clear picture of how Hollywood works today.

Pete Smith presents another short one reel discourse "Culinary Carving" showing the right and wrong way to carve that Sunday roast. This is a laugh-fest made even more sparkling by Pete Smith's caustic comments.

### RIVOLI

In "I Stole A Million," the Universal terror romance co-starring George Raft and Claire Trevor, which is at the Rivoli theater, there was a blot on the romantic escutcheon of a young couple. The blot spread like a thunderstorm into a whirlwind of desperate adventure.

George Raft portrays the man, whose heart was hungry for love—and independence. Claire Trevor is seen as the girl, who saw the chance to mother him with the right influence.

The Higgins Family's latest screen adventures, "Should Husbands Work?" a Republic comedy, also comes to the Rivoli theater.

### MAJESTIC

Saturday - Sunday - Monday  
Jack Holt in  
"THE STRANGE CASE OF  
DR. MEADE"  
Beverly Roberts  
—Also—  
Grant Withers in  
"LUKE OF THE WASTE-  
LAND"  
A Technicolor Picture

### —AIR COOLED—

U.S. Now! PATERNON

"STRONGER THAN  
DESIRE"  
Virginia Bruce - W. Pidgeon  
Also  
Jack Holt in  
"TRAPPED IN THE SKY"  
Starting Saturday—

WINTER  
CARNIVAL

Ann Sheridan - Richard Carlson - Helen Parish - Robert Armstrong

Also  
J. Carroll Naish in  
"ISLAND OF LOST MEN"  
with Anna May Wong

TODAY & FRIDAY **REGENT** SAT. TO TUES.

Henry Fonda as  
"YOUNG MR. LINCOLN"  
—Also—  
"GRACIE ALLEN MURDER  
CASE"

Claude Rains in  
Extra—"SONS OF LIBERTY"

**MAJESTIC**  
The Majestic theater presents one of the season's most stirring films, "The Strange Case of Dr. Meade" as the feature of its program for Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Starring Jack Holt, Beverly Roberts, Noah Beery, Jr., and John Qualen. "The Strange Case of Dr. Meade" tells the stirring story of a great doctor who is not too proud to fight the good fight for the sake of suffering thousands.

The co-feature presents Grant Withers in the technicolor success, "Lure of the Wasteland."

Air-Conditioned **FABIAN** TODAY  
NATURE'S DESIGN  
FOR  
**TWIN KINGS**  
changed by  
royal decree!  
EDWARD SMALL presents  
**The MAN with the IRON MASK**  
LOUIS HAYWARD • JOAN BENNETT  
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### RIVOLI STARTS TODAY

He blazed a trail of crime across the nation! The sensational story of a man who stole a million!

**I STOLE A MILLION**  
Starring  
**George RAFT**  
**Claire TREVOR**  
—with—  
DICK FORAN  
HENRY ARMETTA  
VICTOR JORY

Second Big Hit!  
Another Riotous Rough-house Comedy With These Goofy People! "The Higgins Family"  
**"Should Husbands Work?"**  
—with—  
JAMES GLEASON  
LUCILLE GLEASON  
MARIE WILSON  
TOMMY RYAN