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Price Five Cents

Mayor Johnson

Bergen County Housing Under Widnall Probe

Congressman William B. Widnall was head over heels in work this week when he listened to complaints of Bergen County home owners and their stories of poor construction, faulty drainage and hundreds of others when hearings opened Tuesday in Hackensack.

Bergen County home owners opened the hearings and these will continue for some time.

During the noon recess newsmen asked Rep. Albert Rains (D-Ala.), committee chairman how the housing construction situation in Bergen compared with the testimony taken thus far in other areas. "From the record," he stated bluntly, "it's one of the worst."

As far as the Press was able to learn no formal complaints were registered by Allendale's home owners. Credit for the trouble free areas that have been developed by builders here can be given to the local planning board who have kept shoddy building unknown.

Waldwick was represented by Mayor Lumley who told of his town's woes, where the number of homes in his municipality had tripled in the last few years and the municipal fathers now found that from 500 to 600 homes of the 1,300 newly-built were plagued with trouble now cropping up. He charged that in the Waldwick Homes development, defective oil burners had already caused four fires. Seepage from septic tanks and improper rain water drainage, he said, added to the town's woes. He said similar drainage trouble had developed in Zanzore Development.

Mayor Lumley said that Waldwick had tightened its health and building codes and had demanded that builders deposit funds as a guarantee.

The case of home owner complaints in Saddle River Township was presented first by Irving Pivover (281 E. Lanza Ct.) for 31 residents of Delham Homes and later by Mayor Ochsner for Delham Homes, Kozy Kottages, and Wilson Homes.

Pivover charged that such conditions as cracking sidewalks, street damages, cracked basements, and flood conditions existed in Dalham Homes development and that complaints had gone to the Veterans Administration had gone unheeded. He charged that the builder had been permitted to develop the project on filled-in swamp land, which was now responsible for the flood conditions.

Mayor Ochsner charged that when he assumed office in January 1952, he had conducted an investigation tour of conditions with VA Inspector William Schween and that Schween had advised him; "Take my advice. Don't get yourself involved with these veterans. You'll only get a lot of com- (Please Turn to Page 6)

STARTED PROBE



Rep. Widnall

REV. PRICE DIES AT SEA GIRT

Catholics here were saddened this week by the news of the death of Rev. Joseph E. Price, pastor of St. Luke's R. C. Church, Ho-Ho-Kus since 1943 at the home of his sister Miss L. Mary Price in Sea Girt. He was 59.

Father Price was born in East Orange, April 20, 1893, the son of the late Joseph and Letitia Carroll Price and lived in East Arlington during most of his early life. He was graduated from St. Benedict's Preparatory School, Newark, in 1913; from Seton Hall University in 1917 and attended Villanova College for one year in 1918. He then returned to Seton Hall for his theological studies, and was ordained in 1921 in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Newark, by the late Bishop O'Connor.

Father Price's first assignment was to Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Paterson, and four years later to Holy Name Church, East Orange, where he was assistant pastor for eighteen years. He was appointed pastor of St. Luke's in 1943.

He was a Fourth Degree member of the Knights of Columbus of the Monsignor Doane Chapter in Newark, and a member of the K. of C. East Orange Council.

A Solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated Thursday morning at St. Luke's Church, Ho-Ho-Kus, and interment in Holy Cross Cemetery in North Arlington. Divine Office of the Dead was chanted Wednesday evening, and a Solemn Requiem Mass for pupils of St. Luke's Schools was celebrated.

Surviving besides his sister is a brother, William Augustine Price of Utica, N. Y.

"Chuck" Wilson is brushing up on some new wrestling holds at Rutgers this week. He is captain of the Ramsey H. S. team. Possibly a big red "S" will adorn the lads sweater yet.

Montanye Wins Case To Collect Refuse In Boro

James Montanye won the right to continue to collect garbage in Allendale along with Capasso and Pacillo when a decision was handed down by Superior Court Judge Thomas Stanton in the county chancery on Monday.

Thomas Capasso and Lorenzo Pacillo, partners trading as Capasso and Pacillo, with principal offices at 45 North Broad Street, Ridgewood, and Clarence J. Ritter, of 234 Brookside Ave., Allendale, were complainants against James Montanye, of Allendale, in an action to determine whether or not the latter had been guilty of breaching a contract. Judge Stanton ruled in favor of Montanye.

Capasso and Pacillo alleged they had been in the garbage collection business in Allendale since 1935 and that on May 28, 1951, Montanye entered the same business. They further alleged that previously Montanye had sold his former garbage collection business in Allendale. It was on May 28, 1951 that Ritter sold the business he had purchased from Montanye to Capasso and Pacillo for \$4,500 and they allege that Montanye reengaged in collections on June 1, 1951.

Judge Stanton is rendering his decision in the case upheld the contention of Albert S. Gross of Hackensack, who was co-counsel with Morris Scharf of Ramsey for Montanye, that it was not an informative contract in law and even if it were Ritter had not assigned it to Capasso and Pacillo. Both counts were upheld by Judge Stanton.

Albert O. Scafuro of Allendale appeared for the plaintiffs.

CONSULTS UNFOLD MORE OF BOROUGH'S FUTURE

The planning consultants unfolded more of the town's plans for future growth at a private meeting held at the firehouse last Friday night.

Members of the School Board, Boro Council, Planning Board were present and while newspapers were in most part excluded it is believed the new zone maps were shown with acre plots on Hillside Avenue area, and a light industry section near the borough's boundary on Route 17.

While the consultants Bagly and Pangburn felt something should be done with the railroad crossing as it now exists both plans were vetoed by the audience.

School sites also came up for discussion with a large tract on the Turnpike as a possible high school site.

Dried fruits ground together and moistened with orange juice make good tidbits in place of candy. Chill the mixture, then shape into balls or squares and roll in chopped nuts or coconut.

KANNING & McPEEK WIN RACE FOR SCHOOL SEAT

Two hundred and ten voters went to the polls on Wednesday night in the local school election. Esther Kanning and L. R. McPeck were returned to a 3 year term when they polled 158 and 157 votes in the same order. Perry P. Conklin garnered 86 votes.

VALUABLE RING RECOVERED BY OWNER

A very valuable diamond ring was recovered Wednesday by Mrs. Robert E. Rich of Crescent Place when she discovered her ring hanging on a teapot in her dish closet. Mrs. Rich missed the ring last week and thorough search of the home and plumbing failed to disclose the missing gem. Needless to say the lady is happy about the whole thing now.

PIGGY BANK SWELLS POLIO FUND DRIVE

Les Johnson was an interested bystander this week when Sharon Mahoney, only three turned in her piggy bank for the March of Dimes. When the nickles, dimes and pennies were counted out the fund was richer by \$3.05.

Another fund raiser for the Infantile Paralysis was the "Swear Box" in Knudsens garage. Every time some one swore he or she had to drop a nickle — \$4.00 was raised by those naughty but nice folks.

The \$500 quota was almost in sight his week with only \$67. to go. Chairman Farrell felt confident that the amount would be reached.

Despite the almost 2 to 1 majority, Conklin polled a surprisingly large number with McPeck and Kanning running neck and neck on split ballots.

On expenditures the vote ran almost 4 to 1 in favor except on the \$8,000 set up for Furniture and Equipment and Landscaping and Playgrounds. Here the vote ran 132 in favor with 64 against. On the three transfers of funds the vote ran better than 4 to 1.

On the current expenses of \$104,883.32 the approval was given 168 to 31. Repairs and Replacements of \$7,500 was approved 164 to 29. Manual training of \$2,155 polled 160 to 35 and the 169 to 28 vote for Library funds of \$450.00 showed the voters approved.

Mr. Conklin practically a dark horse candidate, evidently had friends working for him and it is thought had he waged a more vigorous campaign he might have swung enough votes to put him in. No write-in or paster votes turned up, despite rumors to that effect.

BUSINESSMEN TO MEET FOR LUNCHEON TUESDAY

The next meeting of the Allendale Chamber of Commerce will be held on Tuesday at the Turnpike between 1 and 2 p.m.

Talbot Dunn Honored At Boy Scout Dinner

Three Scouters of the North Bergen County Council, Inc. of the Boy Scouts of America were honored with the Award for Distinguished Service to Boyhood last Monday night at Kohler's Swiss Chalet on the occasion of the Council's 30th Annual Fellowship Dinner in observance of Scoutings' 42nd Anniversary and marking the close of Boy Scout Week in this area. One recipient is a Scoutmaster, a second is a District Commissioner and the third a District Chairman and member of the Council Executive Board.

The first Silver Beaver, a small pendant shaped miniature beaver suspended from a blue and white ribbon worn around the neck, went to Talbot B. Dunn, District Chairman of the Ramapo District embracing the municipalities in the northwest Bergen area of the County, who has been affiliated with Scouting since 1946. Mr. Dunn has made an outstanding record in the field of Finance. Starting as Chairman of the Allendale Campaign in 1946, he assumed greater responsibility in the Ramapo District as its Vice-Chairman and District Chairman until last fall when he served as General Chairman of the North Bergen Council's "Dawn to Dusk" Campaign for the 1952 budget. His contemporary workers during this period attest to his untiring

effort in perfecting a house to house plan method of Finance solicitation that resulted in greater coverage, greater participation and consequently increased contributions and collections. While Mr. Dunn's primary interest has been Finance, he has aided in furthering the interest of Scouting in many of the towns, serving on many Committees to bring the Program of Scouting to boys in the Ramapo area. He has just assumed the chairmanship of the Ramapo District which attests to his keen desire to serve boyhood through the development of properly manned and staffed Operating Committees.

Talbot B. Dunn is Sales Representative of the Densen Banner Co. of Ridgefield Park. He attended Stevens Institute and is a member of the Episcopal (Please Turn to Page 5)

Archer Church Chancel Enhanced by 3 Memorials

At the Sunday-morning services Rev. Goodrich, minister of the Archer Church announced that a newly arranged chancel will be installed in the Church. The renovations and new furniture will be made possible through the gift of 3 memorials. A new altar table will be made possible through together with improved lighting by the use of gothic lanterns will be installed in memory of Mr. Frank Berdan. These gifts are being given by Mrs. Frank Berdan and her two sons, David and Frank Jr., also the many friends who have made a contribution to the Frank Berdan Memorial Fund. A new octagonal pulpit will be installed in memory of Miss Catherine Christopher. This gift was made possible by the generous contributions of her three nieces, Mrs. Elizabeth S. Perkins, Mrs. Margaret S. Woodruff and Mrs. Etta S. Bauman. The third memorial

gift will be a lectern installed in memory of Edward J. Hamilton who lost his life in the South Pacific in World War 2. It is given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamilton. The three pieces will be of solid walnut and hand carved in a gothic motif.

As the present pulpit platform is too small to accommodate new furniture it must be enlarged, and the chancel rearranged. In the new arrangement the altar or communion table will occupy the focal center of worship. The chancel floor being raised above the level of the nave and the altar table being at the back of the chancel floor will create a center of worship visible to every worshipper who enters the church. The lectern will stand to the left of the altar and the pulpit to the right.

Plans are underway to dedicate the newly renovated chancel at the Easter service.

We Heard

Police Chief Wilson is getting tired of investigating dogs running loose at night and when Wilson gets peeved — Look out!

If the ladies would like to take up First Aid in the afternoon between 3 and 4 p.m. Archie Farrell is willing to give instructions. Here is an excellent opportunity for young mothers to learn this very important knowledge. Just contact Archie at the post office. Classes are limited to 25 — so hurry!

Good to see so many residents at Waldwick blood mobile on Monday. We understand the delay in getting started was caused by the Red Cross unit from Plainfield got lost and ended up in Dover.

Officer Parenti has solved his housing problem by purchasing the Collyer home on W. Maple. Frank and family expect to take title on April 1. (What a swell day he picked).

The water dept had a tough break this week when a valve twisted off on Allendale Ave. and caused a serious leak. Despite the frigid weather Chris Ryan made the necessary repairs.

The Senior Parenti's celebrated their 28 wedding anniversary on Tuesday. Their daughter, Mrs. Harold Zith, also of Hillside Avenue wrapped up 6 years of wedded bliss on Thursday. Congratulations to both families.

Only one call for the local ambulance boys this week, Mr. O'Kane of Ramsey to Good Samaritan Hospital with J. Comley and J. Occhipinti as attendants.

The car of Mrs. Ethel K. Glasco of Forest Road was damaged Wednesday when it tangled with another Forest Road resident, Mrs. R. E. Latham on Allendale Avenue.

The firemen are all set for their annual dinner at the Peacock Inn on Route 6 on Saturday night.

Look for some fun on Tuesday night at the local Police Court. The officers have two alleged cases against folks for dumping in the refuse cans on Allendale Avenue.

The executive board of Allendale PTA met at the home of Mrs. G. W. Erickson Jr., on Wednesday night.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion Post 204 will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Carl Wehner, 25 George Street.

WCS TO HOLD DREAM HOUSE DINNER

The Evening Circle of W.S. C.S. of the Archer Memorial Church will hold a Dream House dinner at the church Saturday, March 8. Members will provide covered dishes which will be unusual and made from tried and true recipes.

Each dish will bear the name of the person who provided it and upon request the recipe will be furnished at a nominal fee. This will be the first affair served in Archer Hall since it has been enlarged and will be in the nature of a housewarming for members and constituents of the church.

Mrs. F. Bogart and Mrs. M. Olsen are co-chairmen with Mrs. Charles Papan handling the ticket sale.

Jack Cogan, chairman of the trails committee, reported that with the help of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thurston, he had put the riding trails in good condition.

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Your Chance To Know Your Town

When we read of countries in the world where it is a punishable offense not to exercise one's vote, we are again, reminded of the inestimable privilege we enjoy in living in a Democracy. However, such a privilege carries with it a grave responsibility not merely to enter the ballot booth on Election Day, but to do so, fully aware of the qualifications of the candidates and the merits of the issues for or against which we are asked to vote.

Unfortunately, the vast majority of our voters come up to Election Day with little conception of what is going on, either at the local or the national level. A few X's are made on a ballot, and the voter emerges from the booth satisfied that he has dutifully exercised his franchise. But is that enough?

As we enter a Presidential Election Year, we cannot fail to be informed on candidates and issues. Radio, Television and the Press will put all their resources at the disposal of the candidates of all parties from now until November so that we shall have the opportunity, as never before, to get to know the men who are seeking office, their background, qualifications and platforms. An uninformed electorate at this time would seem to be an impossibility.

However, at the local level, there is much less "ballyhoo" yet none can deny the importance of government in the cities, towns and villages throughout the country; but Election Day finds a mere fraction of the voters at the polls. Why the apathy? Could it be, that voters fail to exercise the vote, because they know so little of local "politics," in the purest use of that word which means the art of government or the administration of public affairs?

The local Republican Club has concluded that we all have much to learn in Allendale, about the functions of government in our own municipality and has planned a series of meetings, which will be open to the public. At these meetings, the functions of the different governing bodies will be discussed by those who have made a study of them and are therefore qualified to enlighten the lesser informed. A feature of the meetings, will be a question and answer period which should be very rewarding and highly informative.

We congratulate the Republican Club upon this public service which it seeks to render the voters of Allendale and express the hope that the response may be history making.

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Dear Editor:

As leader of Brownie Troop 79, I should like to publicly explain to the mothers of Brownies in Allendale, that being a leader of a group, does not necessitate being a baby sitter. The reason for being a leader is because one is interested in working with children and not because one is looking for glory and credit.

All of the work is voluntary and not considered a job, and no one who has not bothered or tried to help with these groups of children should be so hasty in criticizing a leader who is trying to do the best of her ability to give time and enjoy this group as much as she possibly can.

I hope my successor will have more luck than I have had.
Vivian Panek

Church News



LET'S GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

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centerpiece was a Valentine mailbox. In the mailbox was a Valentine for everyone.

We played Fruit Basket and then closed the meeting with the Friendship Circle.

Brownie Troop 79

We met at school with our leaders Mrs. Panek and Mrs. Waibel and made Valentines for our families. We had candy and were dismissed — Scribe Marjorie Thomas.

Troop 49

The Allendale Senior Girl Scouts defeated the Ramsey girls basketball team on Wednesday night by 12 to 9 at the Ramsey Grammar School gym.

The next meeting at the leaders home on Wednesday.

The Allendale Cleaners is displaying Boy Scout equipment and handcraft in backing up the groups birthday.

Holy Baptism, 12:15 p.m.

The men of Epiphany Church will serve a spaghetti dinner on Thursday, February 21, from 7 to 8 p.m. in the parish house. Robert J. Thomas and William H. Bispham are in charge of the dinner, with the assistance of other men.

The regular monthly meeting of the Executive Committee will be held in the parish house on Wednesday, February 20, 8:15 p.m.

A special offering will be received in all parishes and missions in the Diocese of Newark on Sunday, February 24. The proceeds of this offering will be used to renovate the Cathedral and provide a memorial chapel to the late Bishop Stearly and also mark the twentieth anniversary of Bishop Washburn.

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Sunday February 17 — 9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Mr. W. Paulsen, General Superintendent, 11 a.m. Divine Worship, "Finding Time - Making Time" 7 p.m. Youth Fellowship will meet at the Hall and leave for Mid-Year Institute which is meeting at the Hackensack Methodist Church.

Thursday 7:30 p. m. Paint and Putter Group will meet at the Hall to put the finishing touches on the painting job. Everyone urged to attend and help. 8 p.m. Archer Hall building committee meeting.

Friday, 3:30 p. m. Junior Choir, 8 p.m. Chancel Choir.



Girl Scouts Notes

Troop 51

The meeting of the seventh grade scouts came to order at 3:35 p.m. Monday February 11, Phyllis Ahrens was chairman. Delcy Bright read the minutes of the last troop meeting.

We talked about the way in which we are going to raise money for the Juliette Low Fund. We decided that 25 cents should be contributed by each girl. The troop then discussed a bake sale. — Secretary Mary Lou Thomas.

Troop 50

Monday, February 11 our meeting, with Mrs. H. Fox and Mrs. J. Cogan came to order at 3:30 with us repeating the Girl Scout Promise and the Girl Scout laws.

We made a cover for our scrap books of our scout work and made a design on each cover.

After that we had a Valentine with refreshments of cup cakes and Kool-aid. When the party was over we formed our Friendship Circle and adjourned our meeting at 4:30. — Reported by Paula Detrano and Pat Forslay.

Troop 149

We made Valentines for our Mothers and used oil paints. This completed another requirement on one of our badges that we are working on. Mrs. Staines served cookies. Next week we begin work on stencils — Scribe Patty Thomas.

Brownie Troop 130

We met at Brookside School with 14 members present. The refreshments for our Valentine party were Jello, cake, fruit and candy. The

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Organizations, particularly the ladies are reminded that if they could arrange private parties for this very worthy cause, table prizes will be supplied by the First Aid Group, Jack Comley or Archie Farrell will be glad to work out any program to suit. Thursday night is the big night, everyone is urged to make their returns as soon as possible.



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PTA MEETING TOPIC**

The next regular meeting of Allendale PTA will be held Wednesday, February 20 at 8:15 p.m.

After a short business meeting, Dr. William Burns, assistant curator of the American Museum of Natural History in New York will address the group on the subject "Science Versus Superstition".

Dr. Burns, who is also assistant chairman of the Department of Education at the Museum, has recently returned from Holland, where he spent a year as a representative of the State Department.

A social hour will follow, with the second grade mothers in charge of refreshments.

Teacher: "Who can tell me what a foreign minister is?"
Johnny: He's a preacher who speaks a foreign language.



One of the youngest—and keenest—visitors to the United Nations General Assembly in Paris was six-year-old Adrian, shown above with his famous father, Dr. Luis Padilla Nervo of Mexico, the President of the Assembly. After a warm welcome in the President's office, Adrian sat through a plenary meeting and took notes of his father's speech. "I can write, too, like father," he said, after listening carefully to the simultaneous interpretation.

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The First Air Force announced today it has begun screening the records of about 80,000 Volunteer Air Reserve Officers to determine those officers who will be ineligible to retain their Volunteer Air Reserve status after June 30, 1952. This is a major step in the vitalization of United States Air Force Reserve.

Regulations prescribe that an officer, who fails to earn a total of at least 45 training points during any three year period, will be transferred from the Volunteer Air Reserve or, if qualified to the Honorary Air Reserve. Thus on June 30, 1952 many Air Reserve Officers will become ineligible for participation in inactive duty training and accrual of points for promotion and retirement benefits.

The three year retention period for mobilization designees and members of Volunteer Air Reserve Training units will be computed from date of assignment. This is an important saving provision since many officers, now short on points, may obtain a new three-year period of grace by applying for a Reserve assignment. Vacancies exist in organized and volunteer units, and mobilization assignee and designee positions, in both pay and non pay status. These officers should apply to the nearest Air Force Reserve unit or forward their requests to Headquarters First Air Force, Mitchell Air Force Base, New York. Attention Deputy for Reserve Administration.

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**HOSPITAL STILL NEEDS
\$500,000 FOR NEW WING**

Hundreds of volunteers whose efforts brought \$1,250,000 in pledges to the Hackensack Hospital Building Fund have responded to the call from A. Lapham, Jr., hospital president, to raise an additional \$500,000 heeded to complete construction of the new wing.

Mr. Lapham announced today that the County Organization division, of which Allan C. Jacobson is chairman, already has swung into action. William C. Chapman, chairman of the industrial division, held an organization meeting of his group yesterday. The Medical Staff committee, headed by Henry Grabe, will organize today.

Announcement of the necessity for extending Hackensack Hospital's Building Fund Campaign was made recently by Mr. Lapham, who pointed out that pledges totaling \$1,250,000, together with a Federal grant of \$690,000 met entirely the cost of the proposed new hospital wing. However, he said, when the bids were opened it was found that the lowest price exceeded the \$1,940,000, estimated by nearly half a million dollars. He explained that the serious discrepancy was caused by circumstances beyond the control of the hospital, mainly the nation's commitment to a war economy and the consequent inflationary increases in labor and material costs.

Divisional Campaign Chairmen have been urged to ask that contributors extend their pledges for one more year.

Meta Thorne Waters Music Scholarship Fund, the Muscular Dystrophy appeal and the Bergen County Maternal Health Center.

Mrs. S. Hadell was accepted as a new member. Refreshments were served by Mrs. R. J. Black, committee chairman; Mrs. Harold Bogardus, Mrs. Carl T. Welner, Mrs. William Illingworth and Mrs. Howard C. Craven.

Paul Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Walter of Cottage Place, Allendale has been named to the Headmaster's list of Perkiomen School, Pottsville, Penna. for his academic excellence. Paul has the distinction of having attained an average of 88.75 at the end of the second tri-semester marking period.

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**Sportsmen Enjoy Annual
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Over 450 members and guests enjoyed the 17th annual Venison dinner of the Allendale Rod and Gun Club at Koenigs Hofbrau last Saturday night.

Herbert Albert was the toastmaster and introduced the speakers. Representative Widnall made a short but impressive speech that was well received. Assemblyman Vervait from Oakland was another speaker. President Jack Schockert who had worked hard and long for the dinner spent most of the evening greeting his many friends who gather yearly for the affair.

Joseph Gannon was chairman of the affair with Arden Bradley, Edmund Baldi, George Covert and E. Winslow chairman of various details. As for the entertainment, well we went to eat and we did. The food was delicious, plenty of it, and all in the affair was grand.

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Girl: So long, I've got a run.

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Jack: Who was the first man to start a forty hour week?
John: Robinson Crusoe. He had all his work done by Friday.

ALBERT DUNN HONORED
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Church, Ridgewood. He is married and has a daughter, Jane, a Girl Scout holding the Curved Bar, attending school at East Orange. Active in community affairs, he is a Director and Vice President of the Allendale Savings and Loan Association, a member of the Allendale Garden Club, and a former member of the Board

of Governors of the Valley Hospital. He resides at 221 E. Allendale Avenue, Allendale.

The second Silver Beaver went to Edward J. Mueller, District Scout Commissioner of the Tantaqua District, North Bergen County Council, and who has been connected with Scouting since a Boy Scout in Troop 44, Bogota in February, 1930, serving in varying capacities as a Boy Scout and later as an adult leader.

Henry L. Von Dohn, third recipient, began Scouting as a Boy Scout in Troop 66, Edgewater in June, 1924, later serving as an Assistant Scoutmaster there until 1936. In 1944 Mr. Von Dohn resumed leadership responsibilities transferring his activities to Troop 148 in Fort Lee where he became Scoutmaster in March, 1945 to date.

Superior Court Judge J. Wallace Leyden, Hackensack, Council President was toastmaster. Reverend Father Baker of Holy Trinity R.C. Church Hackensack, delivered the invocation. Eagle Scout Frank Talsdorf of Troop 77, Maywood, led the group in an opening patriotic ceremony.

The principal speaker was John M. Schiff. Nearly 450 adult Scout leaders and their wives attended the affair.

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Holiday Observes Make Plans For Coming Year

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- Membership — Brad Rhoads, J. H. Stehn.
 - Properties — Harry Bogardus, Dave Garrabrandt.
 - Welfare — Bob Thomas, Styles Thomas.
 - Publicity — Fred Rickerich, Martin Husing.
 - Historical Records — Alex Ott.
 - Pictorial Records — Martin Husing.
 - Social Activities — R. Norton, J. Downs.
- Mr. Frost also appointed the 3 holiday committees at this early date so that ideas and plans could be developed well in advance. These special committees are as follows:

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Evening Program — J. Hall,
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Refreshments — A. Ahrens,
W. Coombs, A. Bradley, D.
Cooper, R. Nodman.

Fireworks Committee — H.
Elselmer, E. Critchley.

Route Collection — N. Crit-
chley, F. McCord, H. Ford.

Gate Collection — D. Morse,
G. Lott, J. Hall.

Refreshment stand and dec-
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Prizes — J. Stehn, R. Mor-
ton.

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Decorations Committee — H.
Bogardus.

Candy — J. Comley.

Entertainment — A. Asp, F.
Rickerich.

The Holiday Observers also voted unanimously to sponsor a band for the town of Allendale, to be made up of local residents - young and old. Bob Thomas will head up this activity, and organization of the band will start in the near future.

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HOUSING PROBE

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plaints and wind up in trouble. The housing developments he said, were a public scandal and blueprints had been approved which did not show drainage and grades.

The next group of witnesses came from Midland Park Estates, involving 183 homes. The list of complaints filed by Mrs. Marguerite Miller and Mrs. James Crane, included drainage, sewage seepage, defective heating, carpentry, masonry, plumbing, and painting. Mrs. Miller asked why the Veterans Administration had permitted title to be closed when the complaints had already become self evident. She charged that an inspector never came to her home when the VA issued its final inspection approval and that the Newark office of the Veterans Administration had shown no consideration to residents.

Mrs. Crane told a story of sewage backing up into cellars

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and that the bank involved in the mortgage had curtly told her they were not interested in the veterans' complaints as the payment of the mortgage was guaranteed by the Federal Government and that they would promptly foreclose if any mortgagee declined to meet payments.

She ended with an eloquent warning to veterans not to place any value in realtor's tales of the government guaranteeing the construction of a home, but to use their own good judgement.

Early in the hearing, Rep. Rains warned municipalities that they had a serious responsibility as shabby built homes would only leave such municipalities with the "slums of tomorrow."

At the conclusion of Wednesday's session, Rep. William B. Widnall of the seventh congressional district touched off

the investigation, said that the committee's staff would check into the complaints while the committee continued its hearings in Long Island, Oklahoma, Texas and the West. Then, he said the builders involved would be subpoenaed either to a second hearing in Hackensack or to a hearing in Washington, D. C.

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