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Opposition To Master Plan File Formal Protest

The opposition forces of the Master Plan seemed content this week to let their fight rest for the time on a formal statement of protest submitted to the Mayor and Council by their attorney, Michael Dwyer under the heading of Citizens Committee.

Meanwhile the Planning Board received some welcomed though unofficial support from the Chamber of Commerce through the president, Archie Farrell. The Chamber have withdrawn their objections to the setting up of small shopping areas in the outlying sections of the borough.

The reported withdrawal of their objections came as an aftermath of the amendments to the plan as issued last week.

Mr Dwyer protest said:

The Planning Board, before hastily adopting the Master Plan at a private secret meeting from which the public was excluded, acted in bad faith.

They failed to cover the remaining one-half of the Master Plan which dealt with the vital question of costs, which action was a repudiation of their promise to take the plan up section by section with the public.

During the past week there have been petitions of protest against the adoption of the Proposed Plan, which have been signed by over 400 people, representing over 70% of tax payers. There are several hundred people who have not had a chance to sign, but would like an opportunity to do so. On their behalf we feel that the Planning Board should not have hastily adopted the Plan, even modified, without informing the public of the proposed modifications.

Therefore, we request the Governing Body to direct the Planning Board to rescind its action until the public has had

Furthermore, the Planning an opportunity to consider the (Please Turn to Page Six)

SGT. BOB SECOR AT QUANTICO, VA.

Marine Sgt. Robert W. Secor a member of the Marine Corps Platoon Leaders Class at Syracuse University, recently arrived at Quantico, Va., for his final training course. Upon graduation from college, he will receive a commission in the Marine Corps. Sgt. Secor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Secor of 24 Brookside Avenue, Allendale.

P.O. EXAM SEPT 2.

Allendale—U. S. Civil Service Commission announces that applications for this post office for substitute clerk.

Registers established as a result of this examination will be used for both permanent and non-permanent appointments.

The closing date for the receipt of applications will be September 2, 1952.

SCOUTS INVITED TO WEST POINT

Saturday September 27 will be Boy Scout Day at the U. S. Military Academy, West Point. Allendale Scouts and Scout leaders are invited to attend. A tour of the Academy points of interest will be conducted with inspection of military equipment. A full dress review of cadets will be held. A Boy Scout Delegation will carry the colors in formation. At 2 p.m. the football game Army vs. South Carolina will be held with the Boy Scouts attending in formation - National Jamboree style.

To obtain tickets at \$1.00 each, send your money to W. Buhlman, Scoutmaster, 178 Mallison St., as soon as possible.

LEGIONNAIRES IN N. Y. PARADE

The local American Legion Post is taking part in the annual parade of the organization at their annual convention held this year in New York City. The local post is combining their efforts with Upper Saddle River and plan to have a large vehicle covered with hay and corn stalks being towed by one of Allendale's Equipment Company's tractors. The boys expect to carry their own refreshments stowed away under the hay as well as being armed with some deadly water pistols. The cavalcade will leave here on Tuesday morning at 8.

Those expecting to attend are Commander David Kaplan, Lew Thurston, Joe Dixon, Ben Job, Tony Spinnella, Gil Job, Stiles Thomas, Ralph and Al Scafuro, Bill Illingsworth, Charlie Kohlman and Harold Bayles.

The annual election of officers for the local American Legion Post will be held next Wednesday night at the Memorial building. All legionnaires are urged to attend by Commander Kaplan.

The slate as nominated from the floor at the last meeting are: Commander, Lew Thurston; Senior Vice Commander, Al Scafuro; Jr. Vice Commander, William Illingsworth; Finance officer, Rudy Speich; Chaplain, Ralph Scafuro and Sergeant at Arms, Stiles Thomas.

FLORIDANS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Anderson of Miami, Fla., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Anderson, Myrtle Ave.

Council To Place Library Proposal On Nov. Ballot

The Allendale Library, which for 26 years has been privately operated, is being offered to the borough and may become a municipally owned and operated institution.

Mayor Leslie Johnson announced at the council meeting held last week that he had been approached by members of the Library Board on the question of whether or not the borough would be willing to accept the library as a gift and takeover its operation. The matter is slated to be put up to the citizens of the town on the November ballot.

The Library Board feels that it can no longer continue to shoulder the operating and maintenance costs. The untimely death of William C. Lee, President of the Board, and (Please Turn to Page Six)

EXPERTS LIST WORST SPOTS FOR SKEETERS

Contrary to popular belief, Allendale is not the worst breeding ground for mosquitoes, according to Ed Wylie, of the Bergen County Mosquito Extermination Commission.

Mr. Wlie regularly sprays the swamps, pot holes and damp areas in Allendale every two and a half weeks. There are 24 regular spots covered.

The four worst areas in town are the corner of Myrtle and Pittis; Heights Road about a block off Crescent Avenue; the swamp at the end of Powell Road and the swamp behind the garage on New Street. These areas breed almost all the time.

Mr. Wlie said that the mixture of fuel oil and DDT used to spray the larve lasts just as long at the oil remains on the surface of the water. He also said that a little water left standing in garbage cans, tin cans or old pans are often fine breeding grounds for larve. Housewives should regularly check around the houses and garage to see that no water is left standing, Mr. Wylie said, if they want to help the Com-worst feature.

The mission to cut down the state's Little Ferry and Moonachi by the Jersey meadows. Also N. Arlington which has been spraying the meadows by helicopter this summer.

HI-HO- SILVER

Allendale's horse conscious residents will be happy to learn that the original "Silver" the beautiful stallion of movie fame can be seen every Sunday afternoon after 3 p.m. at the Double H Ranch in Upper Saddle River. He is being cared for at the ranch by the Himsels. They hold calf roping practice at this time too.

VACATIONISTS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dator, Myrtle Ave., returned home last Saturday from a week's vacation in Ocean City, N. J.

Council Hears Residents Complaints On Varied Subjects At Meeting

The Borough Council awarded the contract for the Crescent Avenue improvement project to Pasco Job at the council meeting held at the War Memorial Building last Thursday night. Mr. Job submitted the low bid of \$21,696.55.

DELINQUENT TAXES PASSED DUE

July 1 marked the deadline for 1951 taxes for property owners delinquent in making their returns. The list is now being prepared for advertising in the near future. Anyone behind in the tax is reminded by Collector Colburn to make their return at once and avoid penalties.

PTA MAKES PLANS FOR SCHOOL YEAR

Plans of the Parent-Teachers Association of the Allendale Public School for programs during the forthcoming school year were made at a meeting of the executive committee at the home of Mrs. Robert Thomas, Crescent Avenue, President of the PTA.

Many interesting programs were planned for the general membership and September 16 was set for the first meeting. Following that the meetings will regularly fall on the third Tuesday of each month.

Tentative suggestions were considered to start a band at the Allendale Public School.

In connection with the music program Mrs. Lewis Thurston, 38 Orchard St. brought up the need for a piano for the dancing classes. Anyone who has a piano he would like to give to the school, or anyone having information regarding a piano which might be available for this purpose is asked to call Mrs. Thurston or Mrs. Norman Lane, High St., chairman of publicity.

Mrs. Thurston also said that arrangements have been made for teachers from the Arthur Murray Dancing Studio of Paterson to teach social dancing to the seventh and eighth graders.

AMBULANCE CORPS NEARS FUND QUOTA

Only a small amount needs to be raised by the local ambulance corps to reach their \$2,500 goal and everyone who has not contributed are urged to do so at once.

The corps spent a quiet week with only three calls, they were William Poster of New York City taken to Valley Hospital after an accident on Route 17. Mrs. A. Donohue of Upper Saddle River, heart attack to Valley Hospital and Walter Baier of Waldwick to Valley Hospital with head injuries.

Earlier in the evening public discussion centered on an advisory report of the special three man board of assessors for the Crescent Avenue project. Ernest Arlt, 40 W. Crescent, submitted a formal protest for the record asking that his individual assessment (submitted by the special board of assessors) be rejected and that he be bound for no costs other than the cost of the curb fronting his property. From his investigation, he found that on county road storm drains, the county has born the costs and therefore Allendale ought not assume this cost on Crescent Avenue.

Borough Engineer Harvey Beswick answered Mr. Arlt's protest. He said that in recent years the precedent had been changed and that now the county is asking that the borough assume a share of the costs of storm drains.

Mayor Leslie Johnson assured the residents of Crescent Avenue who had come to the meeting especially to hear the report of the board of assessors that the figures in the report were not final. Only after the work has been done and the borough sees how much money comes from the County and how much will be borne by the Borough as a whole, will the final assessments be made. These will be worked out on a formula of dividing the costs three ways among the property owners, the Borough and the County.

Mrs. J. S. Kemp, corner of Crescent Avenue and Franklin Turnpike, was tentatively assessed \$692 for costs of a new retaining wall to be built after the one now fronting her (Please Turn to Page Five)

CRESTWOOD TEAM SHELLACKS SPAS

The Crestwood Club took the strong Allendale Spa into camp on Wednesday night by a 13 to 4 score behind the strong pitching arm of Charlie Rockefeller Jr. and his battery mate Bob Conklin.

Nate Leff's strong team was looking for an easy victory but the initial game of the Crestwood club proved to be a stumbling block for the Spas.

To prove it was no fluke the Crestwood team are giving the boys a return match on Friday night at the local recreation park and Leff will have his strongest team out to avenge the unexpected upset.

The Archer Memorial Methodist Church was founded in 1876.

MAYOR URGES CITIZENS TO AID COUNTY NURSES

In connection with the monthly report of the Northern Bergen County Nursing Service report, presented at last week's Borough Council meeting, Mayor Leslie Johnson announced that Mrs. Frank Winters would soon head a drive for funds for this service organization.

"The borough of Allendale contributes some money to this outstanding service," the Mayor said, "but not nearly enough to pay for the calls." Of the 34 calls made during the month of July, 19 were free calls.

"This type of work must continue," the Mayor said, "and it is my hope that when Mrs. Winters announces details of the drive, people will give generously."

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LIONS CLUB TO HOLD BENEFIT SHOW IN OCT.

Plans were formulated Wednesday for a committee from the local Lions Club to stage a

show some time in October to raise funds for a resuscitator for the local Ambulance Corps. The committee, appointed by President Martin Husing are Stiles Thomas, Archie Farrell and Dick Warner.

LOCAL SCHOOL REOPENS SEPT. 4

The Allendale Public School will reopen for the school year 1952-1953 on Thursday, September 4, at 9:00 a.m.

Registration for new pupils both high school and elementary will be held on Wednesday, September 3rd between 9 a.m. and 12 Noon. All new pupils entering Ramsey High School who have moved into Allendale during the summer must receive admittance slip from the Principal of the Allendale Public School in order to be admitted to Ramsey High School. These will be issued on Wednesday, September 3rd between 9 a.m. and 12 noon.

Pupils entering Kindergarten have been notified by mail

as to when and where to report on the opening day.

All new children registering for Kindergarten must be five years of age by the 31st day of December and must present birth certificates at the time of registration.

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Public Interest is a Healthy Sign

The publicity given in newspapers distributed in this area on the recent public hearings of the planning board and other towns affairs have aroused the residents from the usual complacency that has always marked the citizens of Allendale from some of the nearby communities. The word complacency may be incorrect as Webster sees it, to mark the citizens with, possibly apathy might be a better word but what ever you call it we are out of the doldrums and we feel for the time being at least the council can not complain that no one attends the council meetings.

We are happy at the turn of events. We hope we had some small part of arousing this interest in municipal affairs. We should be interested and the sign is a very healthy one, to be carefully nursed and fostered. Allendale will be a better place to bring up our children in, if more interested citizens will concern themselves with the town's affairs. However, a word of caution is necessary to those who would take pot shots at the council over every detail of a growing community. We must remember always that the officials are tax payers too and not prone to lift their bills too far either. Be constructive in the criticism and they will listen to your suggestions. It is not necessary to be either a public speaker or a lawyer to speak your mind. High price oratory has little place at the usual council, school board, board of health, planning board or any other municipal meetings. Of course if one feels so inclined to engage an attorney its their business but we lose the spirit of a public meeting that is so necessary if the citizens are to be part of the borough affairs. The rank and file of the taxpayers soon lose interest. That would be unfortunate indeed.

Having enjoyed a weeks vacation with nothing to worry about except whether the fish were biting or not makes it hard to get back into the routine of things but at a first glance it looks like the planning board have removed most of the objectional items from the Master Plan. Of course no planning will please everyone. That must be accepted as a fact. It is the responsibility of the mayor and council to act on each phase of the plan and take the public into their meetings to discuss the various proposals as they come up. While not the legal newspaper for the borough because of legal technicalities, we hope to keep the public informed of these meetings as the occasions arise, this is our job. We must say that in the past the officials have so informed us of coming events and we know that they will continue in the future. We would like to renew the pledge given our readers in the first edition of this paper to the effect we owe nothing to any group, political organization or anyone else save our readers. The columns are always open to the public in our "Mailbox," the only restriction being we must know who write us whether their name is to be used or not. We will not honor letteers unsigned.

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Sunday School sessions will be resumed on September 14 according to an announcement by the parish education committee, Mr. Gustave Williams chairman. Children from kindergarten through high school will meet at 9:45 a.m. in the Parish Hall. Pre-school children will meet at 11 a.m. in the Parish Hall under the leadership of Mrs. John Ruggie.

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Criticism seems to be flying higher than saucers these days. You'll never find it on radar, although its advent takes on all shapes and forms. Its effect in action depends on: course of take-off, revolutions per minute, and how it lands. Let's not forget to load criticism with a big hunk of diplomacy; or we'll make a crash-landing. Now just what is criticism? How far does it go?
Here's a good example of bad criticism: just show your manuscript to a dear, very dear friend, and he immediately becomes professional critic, author and publisher. You've called on all his egotistical, authoritative (ouch) judgment. You have flattered him. How willing he is to show you your faults in spelling, punctuation and typing. Deliberately, he points them out one by one. Rarely is he a theme-critic. He assumes he is the epitome of constructive criticism.
There's another side to criticism. Ask a big man to advise you, and here's what happens. Usually he deliberates; wondering how to break the news, gently. Next, he points out something of merit through the pages. Here and there, he spots the best points. Then slowly, very slowly, he helps you uproot the flaws that accomplish nothing... little words that land on paper and say, "Blah." From beginning to end, without benefit of time clock, he considers the writer. When the final hour is over he says, "but the idea is terrific; it's a great story. Just work on it."
Constructive criticism has built up such a go-to-itiveness in you, that you're ready to build the Empire State of literature. The big man was sincere, thoughtful, and, above all, trying to help.
It's the same, of course, with criticism of a town government or of a neighbor's thoughtlessness. The gentle constructive suggestion, sincerely linked with kindness and consideration is the criticism that hits home.
Criticism can be a ripple on the sea; or the mad dash of the ocean against the rock. It's like the sting of the mosquito, or the purr of a kitten. Or, criticism can be like a saucer: well rounded - smooth around the edges - formed to hold the cup of kindness. Perhaps this is why the little man is never quoted.
"only when a man is safely ensconced under six feet of earth, with several tons of en-lauding granite upon his chest, is he in a position to give advice with any certainty, and then he is silent." — Edward Newton.

I suggested at the hearing on the Budget that the matter of garbage collection be taken over by the Borough, and if they undertook it, it would lead to all kinds of difficulties. Adjoining Boroughs have garbage collection and I don't see that they have any difficulties. Mr. Edward Higgins and the writer spent over 6 years on the Board of Health and acted as Health Officers without compensation. We kept the town clean and no complaints were overlooked. Today we have a paid Health Officer, and if the Board couldn't supervise the collection of garbage (as a matter of fact they have supervision of it now) the Council should appoint a new Health Officer.
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Allendale Boy Scouts of Troop 59 returned August 19th after a wonderful two weeks at Camp No. Be Be See Blaine town.

Murray Kaplan, Carlton Conklin, Jim Youmans, Greg Price, Glen Hall, Dick Ivany, Wayne Smith, Roger Bogart, Donnie Thurston, Dick Kanning and Fred Kanning returned bedecked with other troop badges obtained from hikes to neighboring campsites.

Seven merit badges were earned at camp and 12 first class and 5 second class tests were passed.

They participated in water events, canoe and row boat races, swimming events, softball games, hiking and camping activity competition. They won 4 first places and came in 3rd in area competition.

The boys wish to thank Geo. Price, Bill Smith, Weston Ivany, Doc Kanning, Dave Kaplan and Mrs. Emma LeBarron for their assistance in arranging to transport them home.

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Rev. Bayard Hancocks Interest In Civic Problems Creates Friendliness

The sight of a sand colored Chevrolet driven by a young clergyman in a Panama hat is fast becoming a familiar sight in Allendale. It is the new minister recently appointed to the Church of the Epiphany.

The Rev. Bayard (rhymes with "high yard") Hancock may be seen these days as he drives from one end of the borough to the other, visiting members of his church. He hopes to personally meet every member of the congregation, young and old, before fall.

In replacing the beloved Rev. Edwin S. Carson, Rev. Hancock comes to the community with great enthusiasm for his new duties. This is his first appointment upon graduation from Berkeley Divinity School in New Haven, Conn. He and his family are the first occupants of the new vicarage which was completed shortly after their arrival.

In expressing his own personal pleasure at being appointed to the Church of the Epiphany, Rev. Hancock said, "It isn't often that a young deacon can come to a community where a well built church awaits, where a new vicarage is open to him and his family and where an active congregation is ready to promote the activities of the church."

Rev. Hancock and his wife Phyllis are from Nutley, N. J., where they both attended high school. It was during high school that young Bayard attended a Young Peoples' conference at Holiday House, Delaware, N. J. as a delegate from Grace Church in Nutley. There the Bishop spoke to Bayard about his entry into the ministry.

"At the time I laughed about the idea, but after I got home

and started thinking, the more I liked the idea. Once I decided that was what I wanted to do, nothing has dissuaded me," Rev. Hancock said.

After High School Rev. Hancock served 38 months in the Army as a commissioned officer in infantry training. He was married to Phyllis Riess in Paris, Texas, March 25, 1945. After his discharge he and his wife went to Hobart College in Geneva, N. Y. where Phyllis worked as a representative for the Bell Telephone Company, and Bayard got his BA degree.

Then in 1949 the young Hancocks went to New Haven for Divinity School. There their children were born. Janet Elzior was born December 7, 1949 and Bayard Lee, Jan. 23, 1951.

Rev. Hancock was ordained June 15 by Bishop Washburn of St Paul's Church in Paterson along with six other candidates. His church status at present is that of a Deacon. This actually means acting as an apprentice to Rev. Carson until such time as he is ordained a priest. He thinks this will be some time in December. Until that time, high church functions, such as com-

munion and performing marriage ceremonies will be conducted by the Rev. Carson, at the Church of the Epiphany. Rev. Hancock's initial impression of Allendale and its activities has been most favorable. He and his family attended the Fourth of July celebrations carried out by the Holiday Observers and he concluded that the town was not lacking in community spirit. The local swimming pool was something he and his wife were glad to see because of their two children. And the Master Plan, Rev. Hancock feels, shows that there is a strong nucleus of civic minded citizens.

As far as the Church of the Epiphany is concerned, Rev. Hancock is most enthusiastic. Not only is the plant in top condition, but the spirit of his congregation is all that a new minister could hope for. With the influx of new people in Allendale and the surrounding communities, Rev. Hancock feels that the church holds great promise for future growth and service. According to Rev. Hancock, this is the kind of community a young deacon looks forward to.

The oldest church in town is the Church of the Epiphany established in 1872 by Mrs. Stephen Cable and her daughter who started a Sunday School in their home.

PARKING BIDS TO BE OPENED

Sealed bids on the improvement project for the area on the west side of the railroad near the Erie Station will be opened at the next council meeting on Sept. 11. Councilwoman Helen Hansen announced that the Borough engineer's estimate for the proposed work of building curbs, planting trees on the parking islands, grading and resurfacing, was set at \$1,375.

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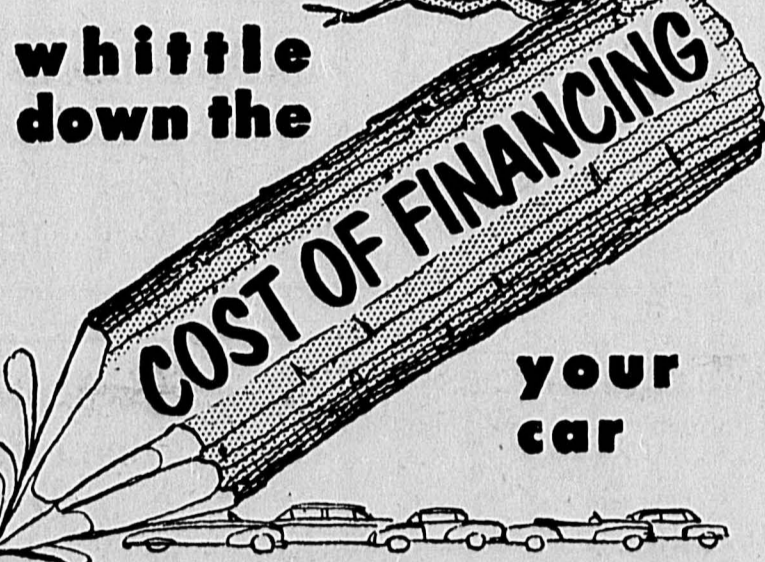
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COUNCIL MEETING

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property is torn down. She asked that further effort be made on the part of the council to get the borough to pay for the new wall. Mayor Johnson, in behalf of the Council, had recommended that the Borough share half of Mrs. Kemp's wall costs.

Michael Dwyer, representing Mrs. Kemp, said that the wall had been in front of Mrs. Kemp's house for over 40 years and was necessary to support the contour of her property. He said he felt it was grossly unfair to take down her wall and build a new one four to five feet back. He also said it was "adding insult to injury to ask her to pay 50 percent of the costs of a new wall." Mr. Dwyer then asked the Mayor whether or not the possibility of state aid had been investigated.

BETTE ANN'S VISIT

When little granddaughter who now is just three.

Stops in with her Mother to visit with me.

Straight to the corner "what-not" she flies

For there all the nick-nacks catch her eyes.

As she moves them around she's as good as can be.

The brown bear, the ducks, and the dogs all three.

Then after she's gone, I stand there and grin.

For one of the dogs now stands on his chin.

Two more in a corner, their noses do keep.

And little boy blue, by the pool is asleep.

The bear and the ducks have changed places I see.

They are just where she thought they wanted to be;

The bear in the pool is cooling his feet

While the ducks are up high in the bears retreat.

Tda Perini

The Mayor said he too regretted the loss of the wall, but that "it is on municipal property" and it had to come down in order that the street be widened. He said that he had not investigated the possibility of state aid, but that he would do so even though he held little hope of getting it.

The council passed an ordinance to regulate the opening of streets and driveways. During the period of public discussion after the second reading of the draft ordinance some objections were voiced by Carlton Hutchinson, who said he thought the wording of the ordinance in regard to resurfacing was too loose.

John Christie, Borough Attorney, pointed out that Fair Lawn has a similar ordinance to the one under consideration and that it worked very well. Mayor Johnson then appointed Chief Marshal Robert Wilson and Borough Engineer Harvey Beswick as the officials for granting permits under the new law and Mr. Beswick as inspector.

The meeting, only one to be held during the month of August, lasted past midnight and covered a number of other miscellaneous items. Among them were:

Stiles Thomas submitted a letter of resignation from his position as Secretary of the Planning Board, to become effective Sept. 1. The Council accepted his resignation "with regret" and commended him for his faithful work and long hours of service.

A letter of protest from Iris Conklin, 232 W. Allendale Ave. against the use of Recreation Park for night ball games was read. "The noise of the generators and the crowd disturb the peace and quiet of the neighborhood," Mrs. Conklin said, and hoped that the Mayor and

Council would discourage night ball games.

Mayor Johnson said that the game to which she referred did attract a large crowd, but that as far as he could tell it was an orderly affair and that everyone had a good time. He added that there had been no future dates set for night games in the park.

A proposed zoning ordinance submitted by Fred Richerich of the Planning Board was received and referred to the Mayor and Council for review and further consideration.

An offer was received for the purchase of two acres of land adjacent to Recreation Park. Please Turn To Page 6

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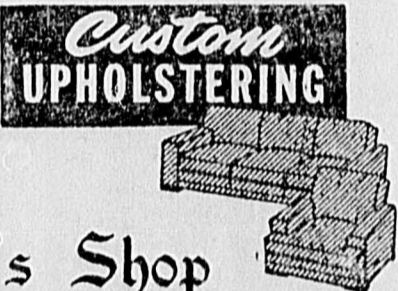
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PAT JOB REOPENS NEW CRESCENT INN

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A cocktail lounge and a second floor dining room is being built and will open soon but in the meantime he is serving meals, tastefully prepared by Walter Latko. Prices are very reasonable.

The work on the new room didn't start until three weeks ago and Job told the writer today he wanted to thank the following local craftsmen that worked so hard to open on time they are, Everett Straut and Son, electrical. Leonard Baum, plumbing and heating. Weston Ivany, interior woodwork and Bergen Coil on the bar installation.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill and family of Chicago are visitors at his mother's home on Park Avenue this week. Mrs. Grace Hill is having the time of her life with her grandchildren.

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MRS. SIEVERT HOST AT FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. Elizabeth Sievert, Cottage Place, is enjoying a reunion this week with members of her family.

A brother, Martin A. Weigand, has driven here from his home in Galena Park, Texas (a suburb of Houston). Mr. Weigand was accompanied by his wife and their nephew, Curtis Bena, also of Galena Park.

Another brother, Prof. Herman J. Weigand of the Germanic Department at Yale University, is also visiting Mrs. Sievert, who plans to accompany the family group on a trip to Brodthagen, Ontario, where they will visit their old family home.

The Goodwill Truck will be in Allendale on Thursday, August 28. Anyone having clothing etc. to contribute to this worthy organizations are asked to call Mrs. Sneed or Mrs. Mohan who will make all arrangements.

LOCAL LIBRARY

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on the east side behind the scoreboard, at a cost of \$900. A resolution will be submitted prime mover behind the operation of the library for the benefit of the town makes a change necessary.

Mayor Johnson said that at present the borough contributes \$400 annually to the library fund. He estimated that this amount would probably have to be a little more than doubled in the event the referendum passed.

The council voted in favor of having a resolution drawn up suggesting that the matter be put on the ballot. The drafters of the resolution were instructed to investigate and report operating expenses and the amount of appropriation that would have to be made.

It is expected that in the event the town does accept the library the same system of volunteer workers would continue but the library would be governed by a Board of Trustees and subject to the State regulations for Public Libraries.

COUNCIL MEETING

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at the next council meeting for the purchase of this land out of capital funds, which could be used either to enlarge the recreation area or as a site for a future town water well.

At the close of the meeting, Attorney Dwyer, representing the organized opposition to the Master Plan, presented a written statement of objection in behalf of his clients to the acceptance of the modified plan by the Planning Board. His objection was received without comment.

VOTERS TO BE ASKED TO STAND POOL UPKEEP

The Allendale Swimming pool which has enjoyed a larger membership this year than ever before, may be taken over by the borough next year. The proposition is expected to be put on the November ballot for vote by the citizens.

This possibility was brought out at last week's Borough council meeting by Mayor Leslie Johnson, who said that the Swimming Pool Association, which operates the pool, would like for the borough to take over the pool as a part of its recreation program. A resolution to this effect will be presented at the Sept 11 Council meeting.

In the last three years, the Swimming Pool Association has shouldered the entire responsibility for the pool.

This year it has been able to more than meet its expenses, due to the large enrollment—257 adults and 467 children. But the time has come, Association member's feel, for the town to step in.

As is often the case in volunteer projects, no matter how willing people are to help the work has fallen to a very few people. A spokesman for the association said that he knew the whole town enjoyed the pool in the summer, but that he personally was tired of the struggle to get it cleaned in the spring, operated in the summer and solvent in the fall.

He said that he thought the pool would be a logical addition to the town's growing recreation program.

Look for a new real estate firm being formed in town to move in the triangle building on Allendale Avenue.

Joan Dietert and Bobby Tremiere combined their effort last week in presenting a show "A trip to Mars" for the benefit of the local ambulance fund. Over 20 kids attended and added \$2.15 to the fund.

Norman Critchley looks well rested up after his vacation at Cape May. Seems like this popular resort spot is a second home for quite a few Allendale's.

Mrs. Archie Farrell is looking forward to giving her popular husband some more fishing lessons on their coming trip to Canada.

Doctor Kanning and his two boys headed a local party of fishermen to Brille on Tuesday. They along with Herb Winters, Al Shoudy and Al Keirmeir landed 25 blues and two bonitas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Althausen have returned from their vacation at Lake George.

MASTER PLAN

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plan as modified, and the ultimate cost of the same, which has not been considered at any of the public hearings heretofore.

Board failed to acquaint the people of any modifications until after their final adoption.

We recognize that you, as the Governing Body may ignore the requests of the taxpayers who must bear the brunt of this action. However, you as the elected officials, answerable to the electorate, cannot ignore the arbitrary action of this Board, who have been appointed by you and are responsible to you for their actions, rather than to the taxpayers."

MRS. F. WINTERS HEADS FUND DRIVE

The Northern Bergen Nursing Service has a large committee working this week for the Fund Raising Drive in Allendale.

The Allendale Auxiliary Committee members are addressing envelopes and enclosing full information concerning the Nursig Service. Please, very carefully, read the many helpful services our Nurse can render when illness forces us to require intelligent care.

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