

# Conference For Baptists

## Association to Mark 117th Anniversary At Flemington

FLEMINGTON—The 117th anniversary of the Central New Jersey Baptist Association will be held on Thursday at the Flemington Baptist Church on Main Street.

The session is scheduled to begin at 10 A. M. with the Rev. Horace T. Molan, pastor of the Sandy Ridge Baptist Church, Stockton, giving the invocation. Miss Julia Huffman, moderator, will preside, and the Rev. Edward Capen Dunbar, pastor of the Flemington Baptist Church, will give the address of welcome.

The welcome to the new pastors, the Rev. Fred Fells of Clinton, the Rev. Paul Gobie of Cherryville and the Rev. Horace T. Molan of Sandy Ridge, will be given by the Rev. Herman L. McGonigal of the Mainfield Baptist Church, Port Murray.

"The Christian Church in the Postwar World" will be the keynote address to be given by the Rev. C. E. Deams, pastor of the Livingston Avenue Baptist Church, New Brunswick. A business session will be held during the morning with Miss Jeanette Gulick, presiding. Miss Huffman will be soloist during the morning session with Miss Sara F. Alvaer, as accompanist. Miss Kaven Aasi, pastor's assistant in the First Baptist Church, Collingswood, will speak on "Let's Get Acquainted." Luncheon will be served at noon by the ladies of the Baptist Church.

Following the luncheon, a

# News Paragraphs of Interest To Sergeantsville Residents

Mrs. Edward Schoen and son, Edward, and daughter, Lois, of Maplewood spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. James C. Culbertson.

The Sergeantsville Methodist Church Woman's Society of Christian Service will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. J. B. Cubberley, in charge of the president, Mrs. Ella Dean.

A roundtable discussion will be led by Dr. Roy B. Deer, the Rev. J. Norman Martin, Dr. H. O. Wynn, the Rev. Marple M. Lewis, Miss Louise P. Antonini and Louis J. Zabriskie, members of the Flemington High School faculty, will sing a duet and Dr. Jesse R. Wilson will speak on "God's Fixed Purpose for the World."

Officers of the association are: Moderator, Miss Julia Huffman; vice moderator, Dean H. Ashton; clerk treasurer, the Rev. E. C. Dunbar; auditors, Mrs. William S. Vroom, Arthur M. Mason, and literature secretary, Mrs. Dean H. Ashton.

The Kingwood Methodist Church Ladies' Aid Society will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Fitzler Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Donald H. Gerrish of Sergeantsville is vice president.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Black and daughter, Naomi; the Rev. and Mrs. Ira C. Holsapple, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. William Berrien, William E. Rittenhouse, Mrs. Jennie Wilson, Mrs. Katherine Hope, Bessie E. Fisher, Sadie McAloon and Margaret H. Wilson attended the Hunterdon County Bible Conference held in Stockton Friday evening.

Miss Maude E. Myers and Misses Wilda and Evelyn Holcombe spent Saturday in New York.

Those from the Sergeantsville Methodist Church who attended the Newark District Woman's Society meeting, held at the Frenchtown Methodist Church on Thursday, were the Rev. and Mrs. Donald H. Gerrish, Mrs. Orville Emery, Mrs. John Dilts, Mrs. Gardner F. Dean, Mrs. Albert Sylvester, Mrs. John Pauch, Mrs. Frank V. Venable, Mrs. William T. Case and Mrs. J. B. Cubberley.

Mrs. Paul Venable and daughter, Annel; Mrs. Lambert Smith and son, Lambert Leigh, and Mrs. Nicholas Burunga and son, Kenneth, spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Pavallca and daughter, Carol, of the Sergeantsville-Ringoes Road.

The Methodist Church Youth Fellowship Society held its regular business meeting at the home of Mrs. John Laux Jr., with 18 present. They were the Rev. and Mrs. Donald H. Gerrish, Kay and Nancy Davis, Julia, Mary and George Johnson, Mary Burget, Maude Myers, Elaine Hewitt, Harriet Van Hynning, Henry Fisher Jr., Robert Aten, Orville and William Emery, Roger Dilts, Richard Brown and Howard Pauch.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Culbertson have received word that their youngest son, Private Herbert Culbertson, now is in Germany.

**Calves As Prizes For 4-H Honors**  
FLEMINGTON—Several Hunterdon County 4-H club members won honors at the tri-county 4-H dairy field day held at Duke Farms, Somerville.

In the judging contest two purebred Jersey calves were given as prizes by Duke Farms, one to the girl making the highest score and one to a boy. Elizabeth Ann Gordon of Hamden and Harry Vandenberg of Pittstown were the winners. Frances Rogers of Centerville and Betty Underwood of Somerset County tied for second place in the girls' contest and were awarded show halters. David Amerman Jr. of Clover Hill, Somerset County, tied for first place in the boys' contest and was awarded a cash prize.

**PLAN OUTDOOR SUPPER**  
FRENCHTOWN—The Merry Mixers Group of Frenchtown Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at the home of Mrs. Alton T. Cooley Friday evening for an outdoor covered dish supper.

# GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



—And another thing, Mr. Smaltz—since VE day I only have to take half of your insults!

# Wins in National Essay Competition

J. David Tregurtha, a senior at Trenton High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Tregurtha of 526 Maple Avenue, has won a \$25 cash bond as fifth prize in the national essay contest sponsored annually by the International Printing Ink Association. Tregurtha, who will be graduated with his class on June 12, has been sworn into the navy and will report shortly for in J. D. Tregurtha, structure in radar. This is the second consecutive year in which a Central High pupil has placed in this contest. The subject for the contest this year was "Printing in the Postwar World."

# Home Town Ready For Eisenhower

ABILENE, Kan.—Abilene was all abuzz today planning a welcome-home for its No. 1 citizen. And Abilene's most famous citizen, as everyone knows, is none other than General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower.

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# Rain of Pamphlets Falls Upon Japan

GUAM—(AP)—A two-way American surrender campaign by radio, and a half-million pamphlets rained daily from Guam. It has brought a warning from Tokyo to the Japanese that just such propaganda brought the downfall of Germany and Italy.

Office of War Information broadcasts from Saipan daily stress that "unconditional surrender" does not mean enslavement or extermination of the Japanese people.

The American propaganda campaign against the enemy military clique, accelerated to full scale in the last month along with stepped-up Superfort fire raids, is according to President Truman's call on the Japanese to surrender.

# Robert Funari Jr. Listed Among Dead

The Office of War Information announced today these casualties from the Trenton area: Marines wounded—Private Manville F. Brown, USMCR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown of Freehold, and Pfc. Frank C. Sochalski, USMCR, son of Mrs. Mary Sochalski, 533 St. Joe's Avenue.

Army dead, Europe—Pfc. Robert Funari Jr., son of Robert N. Funari, 1054 Revere Avenue.

Army missing, Europe—Pfc. Emil Szymelewicz, son of Mrs. Minnie Szymelewicz, 230 Klagg Avenue.

# Injured in Crash

Walter Woodbury, 36, of Robbinsville, and his wife, Estella, 33, were slightly injured yesterday when their automobile ran into the rear of a truck on Perry Street near Carroll. They were treated at St. Francis Hospital for cuts and bruises.

Radio Patrolmen Buckley and Karpovage reported the Woodbury car ran into the rear of a truck operated by John Peters of 27 Montgomery Place. The truck then struck the parked car of Bernard Bairn of Frankford, Pa.

# Allegor Liberated

FLEMINGTON—Mr. and Mrs. G. Wesley Allegor of Bonnell Street have received word that their son, Pfc. William Allegor, has been released from a Nazi prison camp and has been returned to military control.

# Held For Weapon

James Simmons, 42 Spring Street, was held in \$1,000 bail pending grand jury action by Police Judge Cooper today on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. He was arrested by Radio Patrolmen Adams and Wherry in a North Willow Street saloon early yesterday after the officers saw a .45-calibre pistol stuck in his belt.

# Senators Stumped By GI Questions

## Hawkes of Jersey in Group At Rome-Russia Big Topic

ROME—(AP)—The Senate's Interstate commerce committee was on the spot—put there by 500 GIs whose questions were too hot to handle.

The committee and the Red Cross people thought it would be nice to have a forum for the boys at a Red Cross club yesterday; but when the soldiers got finished firing questions the senators and their sponsors were not so sure.

Senator Burton K. Wheeler, Montana, opened the session with a three-minute talk stressing that everything he and his colleagues said was strictly off the record. Then the GIs opened up on him and Senators Homer E. Capehart, Indiana; Ernest W. MacFarland, Arizona, and Albert W. Hawkes, New Jersey.

Russia was the big topic, and the senators squirmed when they were asked why the Russians wouldn't let anybody in Berlin, including the senators. Frequently the senators had to help each other out with answers. Sometimes they went into a huddle, before coming up with the answer.

Somehow the question was raised whether American soldiers would be ready and willing to fight Russia. There was no discussion of that one, but it set off lots of other questions.

"I thought America, Britain and Russia were fighting the same war," said one soldier.

"If a conflict between Russia and the United States is imminent, what is the conflict?" demanded another.

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# Will Aid Veterans, Says Eisenhower

PARIS—(AP)—The army intends to "do everything we can to assist the American soldier in preparing himself to meet the new challenges of civilian life," General Eisenhower said today in a statement inaugurating a vast program of education for American occupation forces and those waiting to return home.

"In the last analysis, these challenges will be met and overcome through the inherent good sense and industry of the soldier himself," he said. "In establishing this diversified program in the European theatre of operations, we are not proposing or promising to work miracles."

Eisenhower said the program would reach all soldiers who desire to participate in it and whose military duties permit and promised that "no phase of the program will delay the return of any soldier or unit to the United States."

# Hurt in 40-Foot Fall; Joins Wife in Hospital

COLUMBUS—Roger Kirby, 39, of the Old York Road near here, was severely injured Saturday afternoon when he fell 40 feet to the ground while filling a silo at the farm of his brother, Raymond, near Mansfield, about a mile from here. Dr. Arthur B. Peacock of Columbus was summoned and Kirby was taken to the Burlington County Hospital at Mount Holly where he is reported to have two fractured feet and other injuries. Kirby's wife is in the same hospital where she recently gave birth to twin boys.

# Tito Belligerent

LONDON—(AP)—In a belligerent statement to his countrymen, Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia said today, "Carinthia is ours and we will fight for her."

Radio Belgrade, heard by BBC, said Tito promised to fight for the Austrian province, in a speech to a welcoming committee on his arrival at Celje in Slovenia.

# Bicyclist Hurt

Charles Worthy, 16, of 294 Rutherford Avenue, was slightly injured Saturday when knocked from his bicycle by an auto on Rutherford Avenue near Prospect Street. He was treated at Mercer Hospital. The car was driven by Alexander Sikowski, 704 Green-

# The Weather

U. S. Department of Commerce Trenton Office of Weather Bureau (Eastern War Time)

Forecast: Trenton and vicinity: Partly cloudy and cool today, tonight and Tuesday. Delaware and Eastern Pennsylvania: Mostly cloudy and continued cool today, tonight and Tuesday.

Mean temperature yesterday, 64 degrees; normal temperature yesterday, 72 degrees; high today, 80; low today, 64.

Temperature: 8 A. M., 65 degrees; 9 A. M., 65 degrees; 10 A. M., 65 degrees; 11 A. M., 65 degrees; 12 P. M., 65 degrees; 1 P. M., 65 degrees; 2 P. M., 65 degrees; 3 P. M., 65 degrees; 4 P. M., 65 degrees; 5 P. M., 65 degrees; 6 P. M., 65 degrees; 7 P. M., 65 degrees; 8 P. M., 65 degrees; 9 P. M., 65 degrees; 10 P. M., 65 degrees; 11 P. M., 65 degrees; 12 M., 65 degrees.

Forecast: This date last year, 65 degrees and 62 degrees; highest and lowest on record this date, 97 degrees in 1926 and 46 degrees in 1939.

Observations: Humidity 5; Precipitation 0; 2 P. M., 3 A. M., 8 A. M., 1 P. M., 6 P. M., 11 P. M., 24 hours, 0.0; Change in 24 hours, 0.0; Date for June 5: Sunrise, 5:31 A. M.; sunset, 8:24 P. M.; moonset, 12:07 A. M.; and 12:35 P. M.

# Sailor Saves Marine His Wallet and \$140

Sailors and marines, despite the traditional differences, get along pretty good in an emergency.

For example: Harold Seed of 85 Phillips Avenue, a sailor home on furlough, found a wallet in front of a tavern on South Broad Street and Oldfield Avenue early this morning.

He promptly took it over to the Hamilton Township police headquarters where it was opened and found to contain \$140. A name card indicated that the owner was Jacob Van Marter, 117 Partridge Avenue, in the Bromley section.

Seed took the wallet to the Van Marter home and found that it belonged to a marine, home on furlough after 37 months of overseas duty. Anchors aweigh!

# 1,000-Strong B-29 Attacks Planned

WASHINGTON—(AP)—B-29 Superfortresses, which made their first strike against the Japanese one year ago tomorrow, soon may be massed in 1,000-plane fleets and larger.

That prediction comes from Colonel Albert L. Warner, chief of the War Intelligence Division of the Army's Bureau of Public Relations. He said: "From a handful of planes a year ago, a B-29 attack has grown to over 500 planes. It will be no surprise when that number is doubled."

"The load per bomber will increase, the frequency of the strikes will be stepped up. The gigantic shadow of the B-29s will hover continuously over the waste of the enemy's war industry."

# Acting Governor To Attend Hamid Outing

Acting Governor Frank S. Farley will represent Governor Edge at the outing to be held at the New Jersey State Fair Grounds Wednesday afternoon when 300 prominent residents of the State, city and township will be guests of George A. Hamid, directing head of the fair.

Former Governor Charles Edison, Mayor Duch and John C. Bleh, chairman of the Hamilton Township Committee, also will attend. Former Senator Arthur F. Foran will be master of ceremonies at the supper, which will be served at 5 o'clock.

# Gen. Hodges Missed Capture by Germans

NEW YORK—(AP)—General Courtney H. Hodges narrowly escaped capture by the Germans last December in Nazi Field Marshal von Rundstedt's Ardennes breakthrough, Hal Boyle, Associated Press war correspondent, reported last night.

He said that on December 18, 1944, General Hodges was at Spa, Belgium, when three German columns, racing towards the fortress city of Liege, rolled up to within three miles of his headquarters.

# First Army Sets Up Another First

## Sends Home Complete Unit for Deployment To Pacific

NEW YORK—(AP)—The United States First Army, famed for its "first" it recorded in its dash from the Normandy beaches into Germany, today had another "first" to its credit—the first fighting group to send home a complete unit for redeployment to the Pacific.

Cramming the deck of the troopship Monticello, a former luxury liner, 1,453 officers and men of the army that was the first to span the Rhine and the first to clasp hands with the Russians at the Elbe River, departed yesterday at a New York Harbor pier to the sound of whistles, sirens and jive music.

The men were among 10,000 veterans of the European struggle who arrived here aboard three troopships and four Liberty ships which nudged their way into the harbor through a mist that almost shrouded the Statue of Liberty.

The Monticello, which bore a huge "A," the First Army's insignia, fashioned from army tents at Weimar, Germany, also carried 3,339 liberated prisoners who were taken to Camp Kilmer, N. J., and 409 wounded soldiers and sailors who were sent to Halloran General Hospital, Staten Island.

The other troopships were the Lejeune, which carried 2,424 liberated Americans, 377 rotational troops and 701 wounded, and the Santa Margarita, with 199 liberated prisoners.

The John B. Hood, one of the Liberty ships, which brought home 350 American soldiers, displayed a gaping 10-foot hole in its bow, the result of a collision involving 14 ships off Grand Banks, Newfoundland, last Sunday when two vessels struck icebergs.

Joseph Sutton, the Hood's chief officer, said the ship was one of 86 vessels, traveling 150 feet apart, which were helpless for almost a week from dense fog.

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# UP FRONT WITH MAULDIN

By Mauldin



"I'm headin' for th' la-a-ut round-up!"

# "CAP STUBBS"



# WELL, THAT DOESN'T MEAN IT'S BEEN STOLEN OR YOUR GRANDMOTHER BUT WHERE IS SHE??



# MIBBE SHE'S DISAPPEARED LIKE UNCLE ALBERT!



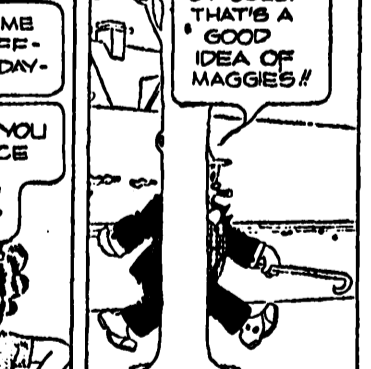
# NONSENSE! THE CIRCUMSTANCES ARE VERY DIFFERENT. SHE'S PROBABLY UP TOWN SHOPPING!—NOW YOU BOYS RUN ON HOME



# JIGGS



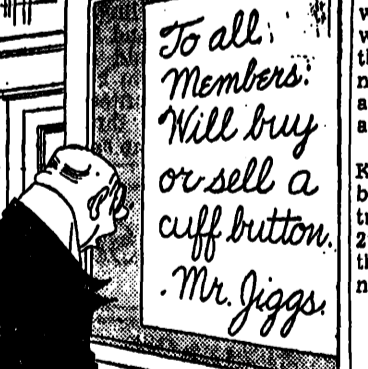
# BY GOLLY—THAT'S A GOOD IDEA OF MAGGIE'S!



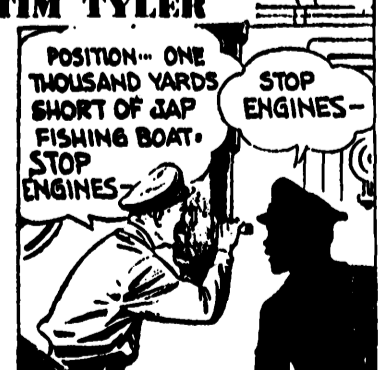
# I'LL MAKE THE NOTICE LARGE-AS HALF OF THESE OLD ANCIENT MILKMAIDS CAN'T SEE VERY GOOD—



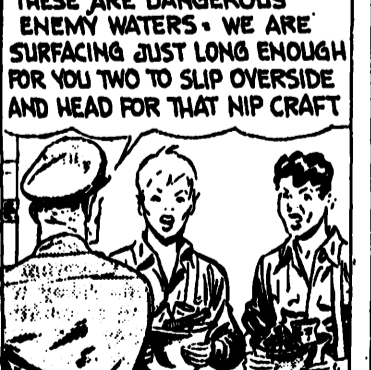
# To all Members: Will buy or sell a cuff button. Mr. Jiggs.



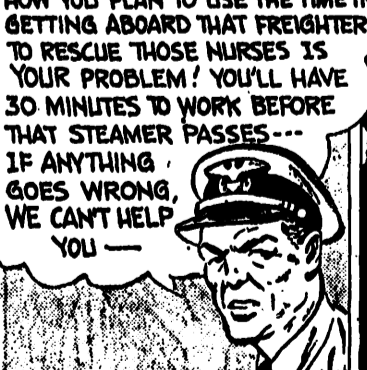
# TIM TYLER



# THESE ARE DANGEROUS ENEMY WATERS. WE ARE SURFACING JUST LONG ENOUGH FOR YOU TWO TO SLIP OVERSIDE AND HEAD FOR THAT NIP CRAFT



# HOW YOU PLAN TO USE THE TIME IN GETTING ABOARD THAT FREIGHTER TO RESCUE THOSE NURSES IS YOUR PROBLEM! YOU'LL HAVE 30 MINUTES TO WORK BEFORE THAT STEAMER PASSES— IF ANYTHING GOES WRONG, WE CAN'T HELP YOU—



# SURFACE, BROKEN, SIR UP YOU GO, LADS—



# WASH TUBBS



# I THINK I'VE HIT HIM, HERE, GOOBER—HE WON'T GET FAR!



# WATCH OUT, OTTO! HERE, GOOBER—HE'S GETTING AWAY!



# WHILE BACK OVER THE LONG TRAIL GOES THE WOUNDED INTERPRETER, NAM LIANG



# OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



# OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople



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