Mrs. Wilkes at Court House Rounds Out 40 Years' Service

Mercer County's authority on of a girl. Edward Mount was the status of the county pocket-book finished 40 years of service last week and is looking ahead to the future in the treasurer's least, she started as chief clerk,

to the future in the treasurer's office.

The mathematician of county bookkeeping is not a fast-talking political appointee, but a mild little woman who takes her job deadly serious. She is Mrs. Mary A. Wilkes, chief clerk in the office of County Treasurer Edgar G. Weart.

Mrs. Wilkes started in the county treasurer's office as a slip

Race Soon Aiding

New Iran Revolt New Iran Revolt Reds Seen Aiding

ports Concentrations Of Russiań Tanks, Troops

TEHRAN, Dec. 22—47—A general staff officer of the Iranian government army asserted today that army intelligence reported the "presence of armed civilians and army intelligence properties." and an unusual concentration of Russian tanks and troops at Garmsar," rall junction 75 miles southeast of Tehran.

The southeast of Tehran.

ment, but that it would insist upon conducting its own provincial affairs with its own cabinet. The insurgent government was willing to leave only such affairs as would be handled by a foreign ministry to the central government in Tohran.

Azorbaiian Province has been its factorial would in the head and shot in the side with a .45-caliber bullet. He was known to have left Chicago at 2 P. M. Thursday en route to Muskegon, Mich.

His wife said he was in the habit of aiding hitch-hikers, espedially servicemen.

Azerbaijan Province has been cially servicemen, occupied by Soviet troops since The body was occupied by Soviet troops since 1941, when Axis agents were reported active there, and the Russians later guarded the lend-lease lifeline. Earlier this week a traviated been dead since Thursday. the Azerbaijan premier, Jafar Pishehvari, as saying openly that the insurgent movement was aided by Soviet forces.

Short and Kimmel To Testify Soon eler from Tabriz, now designated

Army Base Lists

The Fort Dix Army Air Base commanders at Hawaii.
will hold its final "open house" Lieutenant General Walter C. Short and Admiral Husband E.

attacks on enemy ground post-

Superfortress and B-17 Flying Fortress will be on committee resumes hearings De-

Need Fast Action On Tax Conflict

Quick action will be necessary

adopted this year which oliminates the intangible personal property tax, except as to bank stock and certain insurance comparations. The procedure, Pinto said, followed alleged refusal of Frank bank stock.

stock payments. The tax amounts ties in which the banks are lo-

Defer Shipment Of German POW

from Fort Custer, Mich., to East Coast ports and added that such shipments had been "virtually suspended for some weeks."

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There is a native touch since it is a local five-car westbound freight

provost marshal general, made the State Park. announcement in a statement which followed publication of rewhich followed publication of re-ports from Fort Custer that fur-loughs of American soldiors colored light bulbs. guarding prisoners there had been canceled in order that the prisoners could be started Eastward by next Friday. Fort Custer officials announced today that Christmas furloughs had been reinstated as a result of the War Department's action.

Bryan said the prisoners would not be moved until some time in January and then only if their transportation will not interfere with returning American service-

First Rubber Arrives

WASHINGTON, Doc. 22-(U.P)_ choked off by war.

tons of crude rubber loaded in Algiers on December 24, 1942, and hip. He was treated by Dr. James Malay and Java. It was the first the youth's father said today he T. Dodge, 1819 South Broad shipment to reach this country had succeeded in clearing his Street, and then taken to McKin-since shortly after the Japanese son's name after a three-year ley Hospital in the Hamilton attack on Pearl Harbor.

JOSEPH'S FLORAL GARDEN

2545 Liberty St.

Trenton, N. J.

Tehran Army Aide Re- Service Deserter Sought in Killing

Also Wanted for Mid-West Robberies, Car Thefts

in the slaying of Roy Gordon Beh, The rail line runs north to Shahi and the Caspian seacoast in Mazanderan Province where Donald Milewski, 19, of Holland in Mazanderan Province where "an outbreak of insurgency" within two weeks was predicted yesterday by Seyid Zia, Iranian Parliament member. Manzanderan is east of Soviet-occupied Azerbaijan Province, in which insurgents have set up a national government of Iranian Azerbaijan government, meanwhile, claiming autonomy within the Iranian State, has announced it is willing to co-operate with the central government, but that it would insist upon conducting its own provin-Donald Milewski, 19, of Holland

The body was found in Beh's

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22—(U.R)— The Pearl Harbor committee, Last Open House tho disaster, may bring to the witness stand soon after its Christmas recess the 1941 navy

this afternoon at 12:30. The puolic is invited for an afternoon of excitement and thrilis.

The program will include the jet-propelled P-59 Fighter, and other American fighters which will simulate strafing and low level stories to the committee.

Most committee members feel

Most committee members feel that if Short and Kimmel are alto testify shortly after the cember 31, the rest of the inquiry can be speeded up.

GM Union to Ask For Identification

at the 1948 legislative session to eliminate a conflict between the Local 731 of the UAW-CIO, has new net worth corporation tax advised Elmer J. Hanson, resident and the tax on bank stock.

As a companion measure to the stedt plant of General Motors corporation tax act, a bill was here, of the union's intention to

pany ratables. The result was Bossman, labor relations director to throw the State law out of conformity with federal legislation limiting the assessment of salaried employes and others who The problem remains to be going to work under an agreement worked out and until it is many reached before Vice Chancellor banks are expected to withhold Wilfred H. Jayne. A move for a to nearly \$1,000,000 a year, half picketing, which the corporation of which goes to the countles and contends is illegal, is pending in the standard balf to the municipali-Chancery Court before the vice chancellor.

Tree at State House Inside This Year

Brigadler General B. M. Bryan, tation of the Washington Crossing which hit the rear end of a New Budapest Will Have

By Floating Mines

The flow of crude rubber from DARLAN ASSASSIN CLEARED died leading his squad ashore on Far East plantations to United ALGIERS, Dec. 22—(P)—An Al-D-Day at Iwo Jima. States tire factories has been regiers court has annulled the death sumed, four years after it was sentence imposed on Fernard choked off by war.

Eugene Bonnie de La Chabelle,
The RFC announced tenight the who was executed by the Vichy
arrival in New York harbor of the regime for the assassination of Street, fell while walking near his SS Canton Victory with 78,260 Admiral Jean Francois Darian in home Friday and fractured his

News of World in Pictures



THE BIG PUSH -- Passengors get out and push after a bus stalls in Buffalo, N.Y., during blizzard which brought city 48 inches of snow in 51 hours, a record-breaking fall.



CAPITOL CROONERS-Congressmen rehearse for their trans-Atlantic Christmas carol broadcast which will emanate from Washington. Six members of the British Parliament will duplicate with vocal honors from London. Shown rehearsing are, left to right, Representatives Dewey Short, Harry L. Towe, Paul W. Shafer, Harvey Tibbett, Leslie Arends, Frank Fellows and William S. Hill.



FLYING WEDGE CRACKS PICKET LINE—Charging in a flying wedge formation, Flint, Mich. police broke the picket line surrounding the AC Spark Plug Division of General Motors Corp. Non-union office workers cross the picket line following the path cleared by policemen.

Four Crewmen Hurt As Freights Collide

ELIZABETH, Dec. 22-(/P)-Four crewmen were injured, two passenger trains were delayed an Officers to Be Seated hour and a half and other trains were delayed from 15 to 30 min-utes when two Pennsylvania Rail-

York to Harrisburg, freight.

Of USS Basilone

ORANGE, Texas, Dec. 22—(#)—

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The USS Basilone, named for the least it will be better than last year's when the Russian siege belate Marine Gunnery Sergeant John J. Basilone, first enlisted marine to be awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor in gressional Medal of Honor in World War II was launched bere Children on Christmas Day. Four vate employers to raise wages 10

he was attempting to neutralize at Bognor on the Sussex coast blew up. The explosion shock the area 10 miles inland, damaged waterfront dwellings and shattered hundreds of windows.

Lena Riggi Basilone of Portland, Orc., sponsored the ship.

Basilone, who lived in Raritan, Busilone, who lived in Raritan, N. J., won the Congressional Medal during the early fighting on Guadalcanal. Discontented with non-combat duty, "Manila India" with non-combat duty, with non-combat duty, "Manila John" requested combat duty and

Faus Hurt in Fall

ambulance was in charge of Traf-fic Supervisor Wyckoff and Pa- 5 British Killed trolman Schaffener, assisted by Patrolmen D. Booz and Pizzullo.

road freight trains collided a quar-ton's three lodges of the Inde-

BUDAPEST, Dec. 22 - (P) - It capital of Java.

LONDON, Dec. 22_URB_Hundred to be awarded the Conducted of mines torn loose by gales directs of mines torn loose by gales bobbed in the English Channel troopships carrying 6,000 men.

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One month's pay.

In Java Outbreak

BATAVIA, Java, Dec. 22—(#)— British troops and tanks battled Indonesians in the troublesome By Sons of Italy
Kramat area of Batavia tonight
after five RAF men had been
killed in ambuscades there earlier.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22—(M)—
The War Department said today it has postponed a scheduled shipment of 5,000 German prisoners from Fort Custor, Mich., to East from Fort Custor, Mich., to East lights, it makes a pretty picture.

If you happen to be passing the State Pur-State House this week, State Pur-S Four men were killed and two

The British said one British officer and one Ghurka soldier Mournful Christmas were killed and four Ghurkas wounded yesterday in mopping up operations in Bandoeng, Summer

Christmas Decorations

• WREATHS — BLANKETS — HEMLOCK — Christmas trees, holy, mistletoe. Christmas decorations for the home.

• POTTED PLANTS-Cyclamen, poinsettias, begonias, ferns and dish gardens. • CORSAGES-Orchids, garden-

• CUT FLOWERS—wide variety from our own greenhouses.

PHONE 4-1450

Committee Head Plan Testimonial For Judge Volpe

Welcome Home Dinner To Be Held Janu-

ary 19 Friends and acquaintances of ludge H. Mario Volpe will pay nonor to the recently elevated jurist at a welcome-home testimonial dinner on Saturday, January 19, at the Stacy-Trent Hotel. County Clerk Albert H. Rees is

general chairman of the large committee planning the event. Preparations are under way to make the testimonial an elaborate affair. The guests of honor and the speakers for the occasion will be announced shortly by Mr. Rees.
Judge Volpe was elevated to the
bench in October while he was Army. He is serving as judge of the Trenton District Court, succeeding George Pellettleri. He had an outstanding record during had an outstanding record during had an extraction of the first property of the first propert still a captain in the United States his army service, having been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for personal bravery and great organizing ability. Then a first lieutenant, Volpe parachuted into enemy occupied territory in southern France to work with resistance groups while awaiting Allied invasion forces. He entered service as a private and was commis-sioned as second lieutenant while

Assisting Mr. Rees in plans for the testimonial are the following committee chairmen: John Dawson, dinner chairman; John J. Mitchell Jr., secretary-treasurer; D. Lane Powers and C. Wesley Armstrong Jr., reception committee; William S. Borden and Frank Muccioli, guests and speakers; A. L. Harbourt and Joseph Plumeri, Harry Michalis, who arrested Michalis, and Girls of Local 162, United Gar-ment Workers (AFL) of the fourth stomach and for being drunk and disorderly, Norman A. Hortman, 29, of 206 Brunswick Avenue was fined \$50 and given a stern warn-ling by Recorder Willard F. Grimm in Hamilton Township Police Court Friday night.

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Patrolmen, Louis Taylor and Michalis, who arrested Assisting Mr. Rees in plans for L. Harbourt and Joseph Plumeri, tickets; Joseph J. Felcone, Mercer County Bar Association.

Pope's Talk Not On American Networks tigate and found Hortman sitting behind the wheel. He had no auto registration or driver's li-

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 22—(P)— cense with him, police report The Christmas Eve address of and, as Patrolman Taylor quespope Pius XII to the College of tioned him, became abusive and Cardinals will be re-broadcast suddenly kicked the policeman in over the Vatican radio in English the stomach. immediately after the Pope con- Hortman was placed under arcludes his half hour address which rest and transferred to the police begins at 11 A. M. (6 A. M., EST), cruiser car. As Taylor climbed it was announced today.

American broadcasting net-chine, Hortman once more kicked works in New York said no ar- the policeman in the stomach rangements had been made to Taylor wrestled with him several carry the re-broadcasting over minutes before he was able to their systems. overpower his prisoner.

> 700 Anderson St. Trenton, N. J.

Hortman Fined

Fined \$50 in Hamilton

Township Court

For twice kicking a Hamilton

Harry Michalis, who arrested Hortman, told the court that they found Hortman's car parked early Friday morning on South Broad Street. They stopped to inves-

Trenton's Largest Toyland Leads Again With These Hard To Get Xmas Gifts

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EXPRESS WAGONS

DOLL COACHES

CHILDREN'S TRICYCLES

ALL METAL SCOOTERS

LAST CALL—GET HERE EARLY

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"Charge It" or Pay Cash

Near Half Million Idle by Layoffs

Christmas Holidays Swell Number in Auto

Industry DETROIT, Dec. 22 - (P) - The Christmas holidays swelled to nearly half a million tonight the number of workers idled in the

nation's automobile industry.
To the 175,000 General Motors
production workers who left their
jobs a month ago in the CIO
United Automobile Workers' batthe for a 30 percent wage rate increase were added additional thousands today as the factories closed down until next Wednesday at least.

Parts shortages figured in the laying off of 100,000 employes by the Ford Motor Company and 10,000 by Packard Motor Car Company. Chrysler Corporation with approximately 80,000 workers also closed their plants until Wed-

Meanwhile, General Motors and UAW-CIO representatives looked to the reopening of negotiations here the day after Christmas as holding possibilities for an agreement in the dispute over production workers' wages in approxi-mately 100 GM plants throughout the country.

PARTY AT PLANT

Girls of Local 162, United Gar-

As We

Paris is getting its first glimpse . Paris is getting its first gimpse of its new soup-bubble car. It is shaped like a soap bubble, made of aluminum and glass, runs by electricity. It weighs but 150 pounds, is about 7 feet long, averages 24 miles per hour, has a single pedal, a single brake.

Sign in a sandwich shop: Maybe you've noticed that your sandwich isn't manicured anymore. If you want yours trimmed, just say so . . . otherwise you rough it with the rest. Anyway crusts are good for you.

Papa bear opened the door of his cupboard and said in a deep gruff voice, "Who drank my beer?" Mama bear 'said in her high squeak bear 'who drank my beer?" Little baby bear went, "Hic!"

Today's anecdote: The new personnel affairs officer arrived and moved into his office. That afternoon the first GI came in. As he entered, the personnel affairs officer picked up the phone and after a few seconds answered, "Yes, Colonel, everything is fine, sir." Turning to the visitor, he asked, "Now what can I do for you?" The GI sighed, "I'm from the signal office. I just came in to connect your phone,"—Fort Warren Sentinel.

Good news for housewives! The postwar electric iron will be equipped with an electric fan to cool your hands, your face and the surrounding atmosphere,

Saving is a habit . . . like brushing teeth . . . and just as important! Without the "habit" you get your pay check one week-end and everything is spent by the next. Cultivate the "habit" and the first sum taken out of your pay envelope always goes into a SAVINGS ACCOUNT at THE TRENTON SAVING FUND SOCIETY. Yes, it may take a few weeks to make the savings habit stick, but from then on you needn't worry! Every week will see protection and security increasing in that SAVINGS ACCOUNT of yours. Every week will put you nearer the point where you have "capital" to draw from in order to profit by a busidown payment on a home, to pay ness opportunity, to supply the cash for kitchen appliances, a car, a set of furniture. Start this very pay day to cuitivate "the habit" of regular saving at THE TRENTON SAVING FUND SOCIETY. We'll add interest to what you deposit, Banking hours: Monday through Friday—9:30 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturday—9:30 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturday—9:30 A. M. to 12 Noon.

The prison paper, San Quentin News, advertised for men to act as prison guards: "Jeepers creep-ers — won't somebody be our keepers?"

In its 100th anniversary book-let, New York Life quotes from etiquette books of a century ago: "It is not contrary to good breed-ing to laugh in company... Eat-ing with a knife is a besetting ain with Americans of all ranks at sin with Americans of all ranks... The comfort of napkins at dinner is too obvious to require comment. If there be no napkins, a man hab no alternative but to use the tablecloth... Ladies should not dine with their gloves on unless their hands are not fit to be seen... Never offer your hand unless it is in a presentable state of frigidity. The touch of a tepid hand chills the warmest feelings."

In filling out a divorce applica-tion, a husband was stumped when it came to entering his wife's name. "I just called her Honey," he said. They sent him home for more information.

"I'll be all right in a minute," said one pelican to another. "Just got a frog in my throat."

An obstetreian, who is very conscientious about telling only the truth, has adopted this strategy: When asked by proud mothers what he thinks of their bables, he always shakes his head admiringly and says with special inflection, "Now there IS a baby!"—Pathfinder.

Thought for today: That man who lives for self alone, lives for the meanest mortal known.— Jaquin Miller.

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