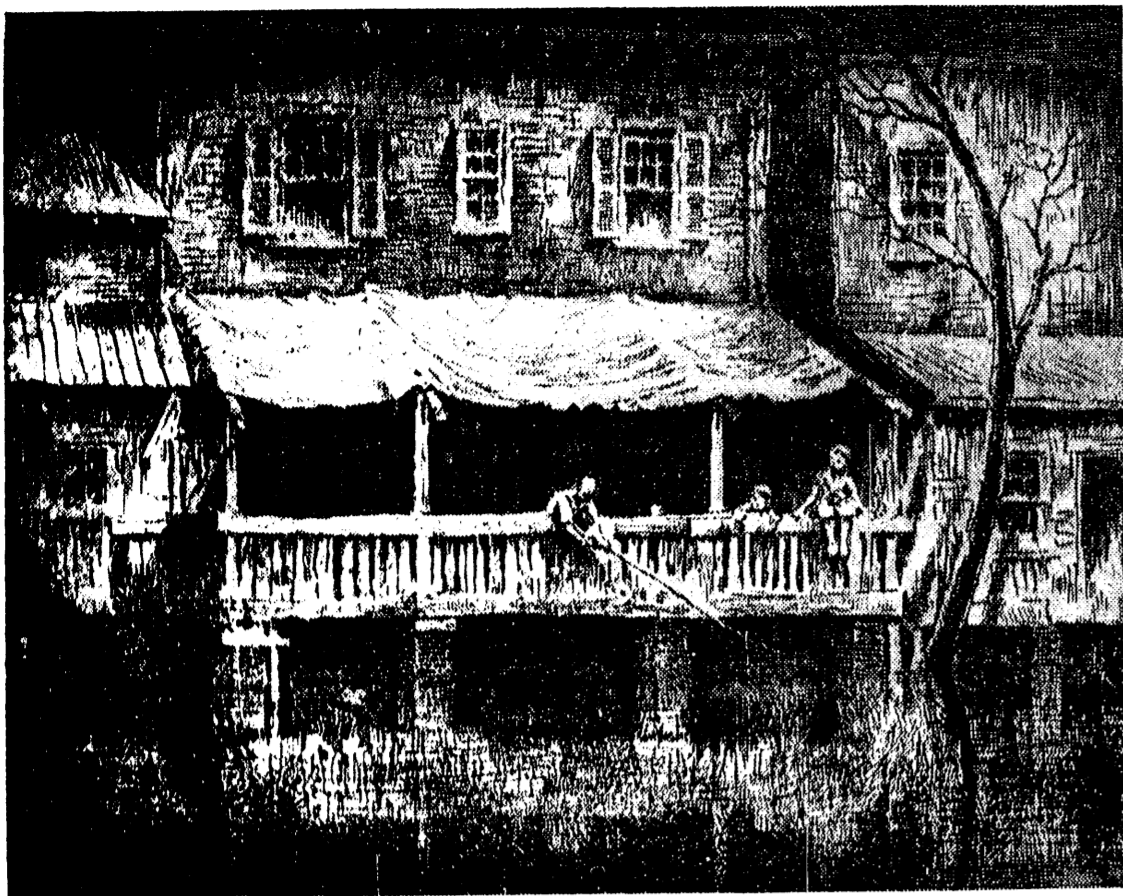


Bradshaw Etching On Exhibition



"The Bent Tree" is the title given to this etching by George A. Bradshaw, Trenton's nationally-known master of the etcher's needle. A print is now being shown at the 120th annual exhibit at the National Academy in New York. The etching was made from a pencil sketch of a balcony overhanging the old Water Power here before that stream was filled in some years ago. In addition to being a fine contribution to the graphic arts, the work affords a view of a quaint and picturesque spot of an earlier Trenton.



Some Earlier Memorial Days

By Harry J. Podmore

In 1879 the Memorial Day procession, with Riverview Cemetery as its final destination, made stops at Mercer Cemetery on Clinton Street and the First Baptist Church yard, Centre and Bridge Streets, decorate graves. Franklin S. Mills, well-known newspaperman and veteran of the Civil War, was one of the leading speakers of the day. On Memorial Day 1880, the procession stopped at Mercer Cemetery where Lewis Parker Jr., made an address. Dr. Thomas Stevens spoke at the exercises held in Riverview.

In honor of the day John Paul Jones' flag was placed on display at the late residence of Miss Sarah Smith Stafford, 344 South Warren Street. Miss Stafford, who was known as Trenton's patriotic lady, claimed to have been the granddaughter of Captain Smith who was with John Paul Jones on the Bon Homme Richard. She was the owner of many relics relating to American history. These she proudly exhibited in the front room of her home which was open to the public to view on patriotic occasions. Miss Stafford died early in January 1880.

School children took part in the Memorial Day exercises in 1904. The parade was led by Grand Marshal A.S. Hill who was immediately followed by the joint memorial committee composed of J. R. Durrell, James B. Clugston, William Ososberg, Cornelius Snook, J.D. Williams, William Lambert, O.P. Riley, Jacob S. Beers, of Bayard Post, No. 8; James Wood, Josiah Jones, Bartley Behan, John Mackechny, Dr. R.S. Dana and Charles P. Brown of Aaron Wilkes Post No. 23; John F. Reading, William Van Sickle and George Clark of Thomas Hamilton Post, No. 56; honorary member, Professor Ebenezer B. Mackey.

Dr. William A. Wetzel, principal of the Trenton High School, presided at the Memorial Day

exercises held in that year in the High School, corner Chestnut and Hamilton Avenues. The visiting members of the GAR were Colonel E. C. Stahl, Jonathan Coxon and General James F. Rustling and George W. Fox. Since the first observance of Memorial Day, old Riverview Cemetery, the town's lending burial place of soldiers of the Civil War, has been the scene of exercises held in honor of the nation's heroic dead. The remains of generals as well as those of the common warriors, rest in this enclosure.

Noteworthy among its many memorials stands the imposing, fluted granite shaft, forty-six feet high, honoring the name of General George B. McClellan whose grave is nearby. On the four sides of its base is the following inscription: "George Brin-ton McClellan, Born in Pennsylvania, December 3, 1826; Died in New Jersey, October 29, 1885; Organizer and commander of the Army of the Potomac and Commanding General of the Armies of the United States; Governor of New Jersey, 1878-1881; Erected as a Tribute of Respect and Affection by Personal Friends." Other memorials mark the resting places of General Gershom Mott, General William S. Stryker, Lieutenant Watson Smith, U. S. Navy, Adjutant Aaron Wilkes, the Trenton youth whose name was memorialized in a local Civil War Post, and many others.

Many of the graves of the boys in blue in Riverview are in the section reserved for Civil War Veterans. This piece of land was provided and deeded to the city in 1882. Since that time some additions have been made. Reply To "A Reader." The certain abandoned church and graveyard you mentioned in your letter will be the subject of a coming article. Many thanks for the information regarding the site.

Fraternal Organizations

Knights of Pythias
Reports of all lodges in District 7, Knights of Pythias were turned over to the grand lodge representative at a recent meeting of Fortitude Lodge No. 1180. All lodges reported progress for the past year and optimism was shown in forecasts for the future. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served. The next meeting of Fortitude Lodge will be held on June 6. All members are urged to attend.

The regular meeting of Spartacus Lodge No. 10, Knights of Pythias Convened Tuesday evening with Chancellor Commander Earl Carter presiding. Greetings were extended to Russell Leming on his recovery from a serious illness. Wilbert Robertson who has just been discharged from government hospital and to J. Riley Schmidt Jr. who just arrived for a short visit from Texas.

It was decided to exemplify the rank of page on a class of five candidates next Tuesday evening and the rank of esquire on a class of nine candidates the following Tuesday, June 4. Any of the other lodges of the district having candidates for either of these ranks are welcome to join these classes. This will be in line with the program of Degree Master Charles Krieger, who has selected Thursday evening June 13 to close the degree work for the Summer season by the exemplification of the rank of knight.

A meeting of the executive committee scheduled for next Saturday evening will be held the following Saturday evening June 8, at the home of Earl Snedden, Darvoh Lane. A number of important matters will be discussed at this time. With the Summer sessions opening at 7:30, Captain Tom Mayer of the quill teams has issued a call for members to be present next Tuesday evening, all games will be played on the Helsinki grounds. Congratulations were extended to Joe Sabatini on his recent marriage at Binghamton, N. Y.

The attendance award was presented to Russell Leming after which George Stern offered the 9 o'clock prayer. The balance of the evening was enjoyed with pool and deck shuffle.

Improved Order of Red Men
Uncas, Tribe No. 102, Improved Order of Red Men, met last Wednesday night with Sachem Harry Dilts presiding. Relief chiefs made an encouraging report on the condition of the sick.

The degree team met to discuss the purchase of new uniforms. Members of the banquet committee reported plans complete for the workers banquet to be held tomorrow night in the basement of the home of the committee which includes: James Johnson, chairman; John Lelkam, Karl Lelkam, Fred Koller, and William L. Jones. The dinner will be served by Poooshans members. Mrs. Mary Wald is chairman and will be assisted by Mrs. Joseph Wurzer, Mrs. John R. Dilts, Mrs. George Dilts and Mrs. William L. Jones. The affair will start at 8 p. m.

Order of United Americans
The 81st annual session of the Grand Temple, Order of United Americans, was held in the Jefferson Hotel, Atlantic City, on Monday and Tuesday. Right Worshipful Grand Instructor, William Burn of Woollyn, presided and a large amount of business was transacted. The reports of the officers and committees showed the past year had been a successful one and many had been accomplished. On Monday evening the annual banquet was held in the Jefferson Hotel and was largely attended. Entertainment was furnished by members.

Election of officers to serve for the ensuing year was held on Tuesday morning and resulted in the selection of the following: Right worthy grand instructor, Elizabeth McKinley, No. 42, Pa., vice grand instructor, Frank Nevius, No. 12, N. J., grand chaplain, Lillian Brotz, No. 18, N. J., grand secretary, James Kral Jr., No. 42, Pa., assistant secretary, Levenia Begley, No. 61, Pa., grand treasurer, William A. Thomas, No. 21, Pa., grand conductor, Fred Winderth, No. 11, N. J., grand inside conductor, George Woodward, No. 26, Pa., grand outside conductor, Elizabeth Struble, No. 1, N. J., grand trustee, Emory Foster, No. 12, N. J. Atlantic City was selected as the place of the 1947 session. Installation of the newly elected officers took place on Tuesday afternoon and was followed by addresses by the new officers who received gifts from their temples and friends.

Sons of Union Veterans
Members of Ford V. Dayton Camp No. 5 Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War will decorate graves at Riverview Cemetery at 9 A. M. At 11 o'clock the uniformed company under command of Captain Albert C. Lambert will fire a salute over the grave of Dayton, and the National Salute will also be fired over the soldier's plot. The Rev. Otto Janke of Trinity Methodist Church of Bordentown will conduct a brief service.

Jr. O.U.A.M.
The next meeting of the Mercer County Jr. O.U.A.M. Association will be held in the room of Trenton Council, No. 90, No. 207 North Montgomery Street, on Wednesday evening, June 5. This will probably be the last meeting until September. Century council No. 100 Junior Order of United American Mechanics was held at 145 North Warren Street Monday night. Councilor Charles Hoffman presided assisted by W. H. Lanning. The sick were reported improving and benefits were ordered paid.

Attendance was light due to the visit to the Hoboken lodge. A surprise night will be held in the near future.

Woodmen Circle
The regular monthly meeting of Eupraxion Grove No. 12, Woodmen Circle was called to order at the Redmen's Hall, South Clinton Avenue, by Guardian Mrs. Caroline Glander. District Captain, Mrs. Mary Bennett and the degree team assisted attendant Mrs. Helen Baker and Assistant Attendant Mrs. Mildred Miller with the seating of the officers and the presentation of the flag. Chaplain Mrs. Vilma Kish led the members in the opening prayer.

Roll call of officers noted the following absentees: Junior Counselor Mrs. Lucy Dentio, Pianist Mrs. Betty Ayer and Captain Mrs. Mary S. Wald. District Captain Mrs. Mary Bennett filled the office of Captain Wald.

Financial Secretary Mrs. Helen E. Johnson presented the applications of Mrs. Catherine Groom, Mrs. Victoria Kreig, Miss Betty Jean Groom, Mrs. Isabelle Koki, Mrs. Muriel Hindley, Miss Evelyn Roselika, Mrs. Rose Sollomando and Miss Florence Albee for membership. They were elected. District Captain Mrs. Bennett was commended for the excellent manner in which she filled the office of Captain. Miss Marie Kamrad extended her sincere thanks to her "secret pal" for the gift she received for her birthday. Bills were ordered paid.

Mrs. Helen Kovacs, Mrs. Vilma Kish, Mrs. Genevieve Dermody and Mrs. Emma Hartranft, members of the sick committee reported and benefits were granted to those entitled. The officers and members were pleased to learn of the recovery Mrs. Edna Waldman. State vice president is making following a very serious operation. She is confined to her home now after being in the hospital and the members are asked to remember her with cards.

The Grove charter was draped in memory of Mrs. Josephine Lubriewski and Mrs. Veronica Roth who died recently. Final plans were completed for the official inspection of the Grove. All officers who have proficiency certificates for having committed to memory the duties of their offices will exemplify the ritualistic work for State Manager Miss Louise Patrick. She will grade the officers and will send in her report to National President Mrs. Talley. This is a yearly feature and means much to the Grove. Since its inception, the Grove each year achieves the honor of higher averages and points. Miss Theresa Banko, Miss Dolores Mantel and Miss Edna Dolomanson will be graduated from the Junior Circle into the Woodmen Circle. Their mothers will be present and special recognition will be paid to them. The regular committee of Mrs. Elizabeth Mayli, Mrs. Genevieve Dermody, Mrs. Mary Bennett, Mrs. Mary Wald and Mrs. Vilma Kish will be in charge.

Mrs. Dermody entertained the degree team and officers at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Dugan. Following the transaction of business a novelty party was held. Proceeds were turned over to the traveling fund to be used to attend the National Institute in Denver in October. The members were grateful to Mrs. Dermody for the successful affair she held. Junior Supervisor Mrs. Helen E. Johnson told of the recent meeting of the Juniors of the Forest held at the Redmen's Hall.

Mrs. Johnson presented the gavel to Junior President Janice Modrow who presided over the meeting. Secretary Dolores Baker read the minutes of the previous meeting and called the roll of officers. Roll call noted the following absentees: Assistant attendant Florence Layden and Vice President Rosalie Farkas. Their officers were filled by William Wolensky and Betty Szopo. Secretary Baker then read the names of the following new applicants: Virginia Cilentto, Michael Moonney, George Mesday, Judy Adams and Charlotte Jane Smith. They were elected. Judy Adams and Virginia Cilentto were initiated. The birthdays, of William Wolensky, Jackie Meyer and Joyce Meyer were celebrated. The attendance awards were won by Mary Jane Stockton and William Wolensky. The following Juniors were appointed on the refreshment committee for next month, Mary Szopo, Barbara Johnston and Mary Ayer. The meeting then closed in regular form and refreshments were served by the boys committee: Mickey Ginder, Jackie Meyer and James Ayer.

The regular monthly reports of the Financial Secretary Mrs. Johnson and banker Mrs. Elizabeth Dugan were given. At a recent meeting of Iota Kappa Chapter, of the Tau Phi Lambda Sorority, Woodmen Circle held at the home of honorary member, Mrs. Helen E. Johnson, a Mother's Day program was given. Those taking part in the program were: President, Edith Toth, Miss Rae Hirsch, Miss Florence Hindley, Miss Helen Bennett, Miss Marilyn Hirsch, Miss Dolores Toth, Miss Bernice Bocheski, Miss Marilyn Hirsch, Miss Catherine Schumacher and Miss Elsa Stella.

Ordinary rabbits and hares swim naturally when thrown into water, but since their fur and skin are not impervious to water, they gradually drown as they swim. The hard, bare, warty patches on the inner side of the legs of horses are believed to be survivals of scent or recognition glands.

Chow Line Forms At Camporal



Following the program refreshments were served. The next meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Anne C. Mallock of 414 South Cook Avenue. Mrs. Margaret Haras, vice president of the chapter is receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Roberta. Roberta is the first baby of the Chapter.

The annual Boy Scout Camporal, held at Washington Crossing State Park is being attended by approximately 100 troops numbering some 2,000 scouts. Photo shows East District of Trenton Scouts about to put on the feed bag. Those in the picture left to right are Herron Miller, Ted Hillman, Albert Lewis, Paul Harrison, Don Dhaw, Bert Allen, John Jahos, Jack Eberly, O. L. Collins, Scout Master of Troop 2 and Maurice F. Conner, Neighborhood Scout Commissioner.

The Scout Trail

News of George Washington Council Boy Scouts of America

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Dear Scout:

You, a scout of our council, and a big army of the best we have will read this Trail while on our Camporal ground. So I write this direct to you, and ask that you show this letter to the rest of your patrol.

You have heard of a bull in a china shop, and maybe you've thought of what might happen. So think about this: two thousand axes in the middle of a nursery, A tree nursery. That's just what you and all of us have today.

The State of New Jersey keeps Washington Crossing Park as a beautiful public rest spot. The conservation department allows us to camp here because they are proud of the spoolless camp your seniors left after the last Camporal held at the Crossing.

But there are two thousand of us today. One careless tenderfoot, one kid without the know how, could easily try his axe or his knife on a tree that has been growing and living longer than the scout who did the harm.

One Scout could spoil a camp for two thousand. That's why I ask that you and your own troop help by making your share, your site the cleanest, neatest, finest camp site that a troop has ever left after a camping week end in the fields. A scout is trustworthy. And your council is trusting you, and that's all, please!

George Davey, chief

Campers Thanks

Every scout of the greatest Camporal, the district commissioner and the headquarters committee headed by Chairman John H. Morris offer the council thanks to the many people who have helped make our show. Thanks are given to: Charles Wilbur, commissioner of conservation, who made the Cross-

Mt. Carmel Unit Holds Crowning Rites Tomorrow

A May crowning will be held tomorrow night at the Bromley fire house at 8 o'clock for members of the catechetical classes of the Mount Carmel Guild. The ceremonies will be under the direction of Miss Mary Dynan, chairman of the Catechetical Department of the Guild.

A mother-daughter party will be held tomorrow at 8 p. m. in the National Catholic Community House. The party is being sponsored by the Catholic Girls Club. On Thursday an executive meeting of the Diocesan Council of Parochial Parents and Teachers was held in the Community House. Plans were made for the 21st annual conference, to be held October 24 in the Memorial Building.

Last Sunday the Ephpheta Club held its annual Communion-breakfast in the Community House. The breakfast was prepared by members of the fellowship committee of Mount Carmel Guild. Forty-five guests were served by the members of the department for the Catholic deaf.

A visit was recently made to St. Michael's Orphanage, Hope-well, by members of the department of institutional visiting. A movie was shown for the youngsters and refreshments served.

ing Park available, and the staff of the park who have helped by inviting us to come, and who in turn are scouts too: Superintendent Edwin DeHart, M. L. Joiner, and Ed Anderson; Commissioner W. Page, Trenton city commissioner for making the water carts possible; the police of Trenton and Mayor Andrew Duch for the famous radio car; men of the council who will visit and inspect; Kiwanis Club of Trenton who will be with us; Optimist members who will be spreading good cheer in the form of knot hole tickets; the Crossing firemen for first aid demonstrations; the Rev. David Coddington; Rabbi Joshua Kohn, the Rev. Francis L. Zgliczynski, for leading in three services to help all scouts carry their faith into the fields; and the Camporal committee headed by John Morris and the district commissioners.

TROOP 20

Tomorrow night, Troop 20 will hold a court of honor and parents night at 7:30 o'clock in the Greenwood Avenue Methodist Church. Parents and friends of our scouts are invited. This is the first meeting for parents since the troop reorganized in March. Several tests were passed and plans were made for outdoor activities at our regular meeting last Monday night. The meeting was in charge of Assistant Scoutmasters Alan Gray and Ralph Lott. Other officials at the meeting were Chairman Edward Reuzing, District Commissioner "Uncle Bill" Stevens, and Field Commissioner "Pop" Keller. Although the reorganized troop is too young to participate in the Camporal, several scouts are planning to attend it and to observe its activities.

Scribe—Ferdinand Grove

TROOP 90—The meeting was opened by our Scoutmaster Earl Brommer. We all gave the Scout song and repeated the scout oath. Bob Cooper called the roll. Frank Budden took his tenderfoot test and passed it. Our scoutmaster presented him with the tenderfoot pin. Samuel Brommer, neighborhood committeeman, gave us a talk about the hike on next Friday. He told us to take good care of the property. Meeting was dismissed by Scoutmaster Brommer. Scribe—Bob Cooper

TROOP 18—Donnelly Homes—The meeting was opened with the flag salute followed by the scout oath and law led by Patrol Leader Bob Veere. A few announcements were made by Scoutmaster R. Paul Smith. Pop King visited the troop and gave us a lecture on archery. The meeting was then closed with the usual ceremonies led by the scoutmaster. Scribe—Frank Scalzi

TROOP 15—Ewing Church—Our troop has been steadily increasing in size, the new boys have turned into full fledged scouts and are steadily going up in rank. We have been preparing for the Camporal and we are buying new tents and expect to have a very good chance to have the highest amount of points at the Camporal. Scribe—Robert Gooch

TROOP 10—First Baptist Church—Despite heavy rains the meeting progressed in regular form. Assistant Scoutmaster George Dean worked with Camporal preparations. Scoutmaster Robert Wilbert worked on advancement with several boys after which Clarence Landsperger put the troop through some rugged calisthenics. Scribe—Leonard Paglione

Trenton Births

- and Mrs. John Diefenbach, 166 Maxwell Avenue, Hightstown.
- Daniel Salamandra, Mr. and Mrs. Salamandra, 208 Dayton Street.
- John Haywood Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Moore Jr., 5 White Horse Avenue, Hamilton Square.
- Barbara Mele, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas J. Mele Jr., 720 Parkway Avenue.
- Keith Charles Miner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Miner, 708 Atlantic Avenue.
- Helen Margaret Polom, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Michael Polom, 115 Brinton Avenue.
- Patricia Ann Papiez, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Papiez, East Trenton Heights.
- Robert Michael and John Stephen Berg, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph John Berg, 2 Haslach Avenue.
- Janet Marie and Robert Albert Williver, Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Williver, 1422 Brunswick Avenue.
- Martin Przemieniecki, Mr. and Mrs. Victor J. Przemieniecki, 839 Pennsylvania Avenue.
- and Mrs. Leonard Brodowicz, 481 Centre Street.
- Beth Ann Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Waldron, 853 Berkeley Avenue.
- Thomas Walter Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Perkins, Makefield Road, Yardley.
- Janet Louise Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Richardson, 214½ Bloomsbury Street.
- Gall Elizabeth Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carter, 168 North Hamilton Avenue, Mercerville.
- Leonard Lawrence Fattori, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fattori, Yardville.
- Floyd Norman Bickle, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford R. Bickle, 12 White Street.
- Frank Russell Diefenbach, Mr.

Red Cross In Call For Motor Corps Aid

Trenton Chapter, American Red Cross, has sent out a call for women to fill the volunteer schedule of the Motor Corps. The work is one of the important phases of local activity and volunteer are urged to call 4-1161 for immediate enrollment.

Directs Celebration



Rev. Linus Schwarze

Plans Shaping For Anniversary

Committees have been appointed to take care of the details of the 26th anniversary of St. Anthony's Church which will be observed from June 13 to 16. The committees follow: Director, Father Linus Schwarze pastor; general chairman, Francis A. Ziegler; co-chairman, Mrs. Thomas Phelan; reception, John Bernocky; program, Bernard Leyshon; ticket, Matthew Gelek; invitation, John Reuter; publicity, Mrs. Joseph Mooney; flowers, Mrs. Sarah Killian; entertainment, Harry Mulleady; music, at high mass at 7:30 a.m. in the church on June 13 followed by mass at 9 o'clock for the children. Breakfast will be served to the children in the school hall following the mass. Thursday evening's event will be sponsored by the Catholic War Veterans, Parent Teachers and Holy Name groups. August Dietrich; guests, Edward A. Slavin; banquet, Edward Kelly; speakers, William Burns.

The celebration will be opened at high mass at 7:30 a. m. in the church on June 13 followed by mass at 9 o'clock for the children. Breakfast will be served to the children in the school hall following the mass. Thursday evening's event will be sponsored by the Catholic War Veterans, Parent Teachers and Holy Name groups. New flags will be presented to the veterans by the parent-teachers. A program of entertainment will be presented by the Holy Name Society.

On Friday evening, a dance will be held by the Junior and Senior Sodalties in the school hall. On Saturday evening, a procession by the school children of the parish will be held in the church at 7:30 p. m. The celebration will close in the church on Sunday with the solemn high mass at 11:00 a. m. The final reception will be held on Sunday evening, at 7 p. m. in the school hall.

Siam Protests French Attacks

BANGKOK—UP—Tension mounted last night in Siam over the second French attack on a Siamese border town within a little more than two weeks but hope was still expressed that a settlement by diplomatic means could be arranged. The French attacks are attributed here to a desire by the French to obtain the restoration to Indo-China of the strip of territory which Siam took from Indo-China during her period of domination by the Japanese during the war. A Siamese protest against the French aggressions has been forwarded to the United Nations Organization although Siam is not yet a member of UN. Whether the UN will act under the circumstances was not known here. The attitude of the government toward the latest French attack was calm and hope was expressed that a compromise might be reached.

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