

# Creedmoor Civic News

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## SUCCESS

Another hearing was held before the Queens Local Board last Monday Evening, June 24th, to consider the construction of a sanitary sewer through 239th (Creedmoor) Street from north of the railroad tracks and emptying into the sewers at 88th Avenue and 239th Street. This would have necessitated demolishing three of the homes in our area and subsequent assessments for the title proceedings.

At the first hearing on this matter several weeks ago, our objections drew a postponement to give the Sewer Engineer's Office time for further study.

We are pleased to announce as a result of this postponement, the Engineer was able to change the course of the proposed sewer so that it would not enter our community.

The termination of these proceedings in this manner sets at ease the minds of many of our people and the association is proud of the part it took in bringing them to a successful conclusion.

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

We are pleased to announce that buses on Route Q-32 Queens Village Station—Creedmoor Hospital, are back in operation. This line was one of those stopped at the outbreak of the war in the interest of conserving gasoline and tires.

Although the operating company endeavored to have the route changed, our association stood beside our neighboring civic group, the Rocky Hill Civic Association, in its fight to have it restored over its original route, Jamaica Avenue, 222nd Street, Braddock Avenue, Winchester Boulevard to the hospital.

Great numbers of our members used this line to reach the Queens Village Station of the L.I.R.R. and to do business in Queens Village.

At present the buses are running on a 20-minute headway. Of course, improvement in service will be made if patronage warrants it.

## NEWS ITEM

A news dispatch from Chicago dated May 22nd, omitted from last month's issue of the "NEWS" due to lack of space, carries the following: "Today is the last day patrons will pay a 10-cent fare on the Chicago Rapid Transit Co. El lines within the city. The fare will be increased to 12 cents tomorrow."

## Do Not Forget This Date

**AFTERNOON CARD PARTY**  
**Wednesday Afternoon, July 3, 1946**

At 1:30 P. M. at

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**Bridge - Pinochle - Bunco - Prizes - Refreshments**  
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## NEXT MEETING

On account of the hot weather, it was decided to omit the July and August meetings of the association.

We will, however, meet again for the first meeting of the fall season on Tuesday Evening, September 10th.

This does not mean we are "closing shop" for the summer. The Board of Governors will meet on the last Tuesdays of July and August and other special Committees will meet and carry on just the same.

The monthly afternoon card parties will also be held.

## AWARDS

The Creedmoor Civic Association, Inc. again made awards to graduates of the local grade schools for terms ending this past week. The awards were in the form of beautiful medals, a prize that would make any youngster happy to receive.

At the School of Our Lady of Lourdes, the medal was awarded for merit in mathematics and was won by John Walsh; at Public School 33 the medal was won by Leroy Cassidy for civic service.

We take this opportunity to thank those who have already contributed to our school awards fund. We are still accepting "trys" on the dark horse that will be handed out.

## NEWS

Announcing the arrival of a bouncing baby boy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Park of 88th Avenue and a baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Simon at East St. Louis, Ill.

Congratulations to the proud parents and to the new grandpas and grandmas, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bettinger and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Simon.

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H. J. BREININGER ..... **Editor**  
A. D. VASKO ..... **Business Mgr.**

### MEDALS

There are still several medals to be given to the boys and girls who were in service from our community.

We will mail the medals to those who are no longer residents of our community. All others are asked to get in touch with their block captains or our President, H. J. Breininger, 8918 235th Street, Missouri 7-1106, and arrangements will be made to deliver them.

We wish to thank those who have sent us letters and expressed their appreciation for the medals they received. We are glad they like them and we wish to reassure them of the sincerity of the message engraved on the reverse side of the medal.

### "SCHOOL IS OUT"

Children by the thousands will be playing on sidewalks and in streets and roadways during the next two months.

They will be too busy at their games to give much thought to their own safety.

Mortorists will have this in mind and will be on the watch for the ever-possible chase through traffic.

Faithful work is done in the schools to train the youngsters to look out for themselves. But there will be occasions when the quick eye and steady hand of a driver will make the difference between a close call and a tragedy.

### CONDOLENCES

We are sorry to learn of the passing of Mrs. Ruth E. Barreto, formerly of 234th Street.

To her bereaved family we offer our heartfelt condolences.

## OUR ADVERTISERS

The attention of our readers is called to the announcement of the Henry Klenoy Co., dealers in home appliances, and to the card of Robert W. Search, Chiropractor.

For summer drinks that are good and cool and easy to mix, Robert Stromgren offers recipes for 15 wine drinks. A copy of these recipes are yours for the asking.

The Super Lumber & Screen Co. announces that storm windows will be more difficult to obtain this fall and with the fuel situation expected to be bad, they are accepting orders for later delivery.

### NO VACATION

Although the regular monthly meetings of the association have been omitted for July and August, the drive for 100 per cent membership in our association continues.

The Board of Governors of our Association has been empowered to pass on all applications for membership received during July and August so that no time will be lost in making all applicants full-fledged members.

Applications should be in the hands of the Board of Governors in time to be voted upon at its meetings which are held on the last Tuesday of the month.

### DISPLAY THE FLAG

Let's all fly the flag on Independence Day, July 4.

There is no more inspiring sight than a community with the Stars and Stripes waving in front of every home.

### WARNING

Calling attention to the large number of unleashed dog cases before him yesterday, Magistrate Henry A. Soffer appealed from the bench in Flushing Court for owners to keep their pets tied up.

"We have 37 rabies cases on the records right now and that makes Queens the high borough in the city," Judge Soffer said. "Unless we get the cooperation of dog owners, this figure is going to go much higher and we'll be flirting with epidemic conditions."

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## CARD PARTY

The committee in charge of the Card Party of next Wednesday afternoon, July 3, announces that all those attending will receive a special gift.

Our neighbors are cordially invited to join in the games. An enjoyable afternoon may be had.

## FIREWORKS

Jones Beach Plans Display for 4th

One of the largest fireworks displays ever presented at Jones Beach State Park is being planned to celebrate the first postwar 4th of July.

Rockets, bombs and set pieces will be set off from barges anchored far enough out at sea to be seen from all points along the mile-long boardwalk between the East and West Bathhouses.

There will be no charge to witness the display which is scheduled to start at 9:30.

Following the fireworks display all game facilities adjacent to the boardwalk and the roller skating rink will remain open until midnight; there will be a hole-in-one golf tournament at the Pitch and Putt Golf Course; and free outdoor dancing to the music of Wally Rhodes and his orchestra at the Music Shell near the Central Mall.

The nightly free pool show featuring the Jones Beach Magic Water Ballet will be presented at 9 P.M. at the West Bathhouse Pool which will remain open for swimming and diving until 11 P.M.

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## BOWLING

Any of our neighbors who are interested in bowling should communicate at once with Al Strohsnitter, 8819 235th Street, telephone Hollis 5-9036, who is anxious to get our bowling team organized for the forthcoming season.

## JUST IN FUN

Ray Lude on his way back to Camp from fur-lough asked the conductor: "Does this train stop at San Francisco?"

The Conductor replied: "Well, if it doesn't there's gonna be one helluva splash."

Mother: "Sonny, go over and find out how old Mrs. Harris is this morning."

Sonny (on return): "She says today she's 73 years, six months and two days."

—The Earth-Mover.

Customer: "Remember that cheese you sold me yesterday?"

Grocer: "Yes, madam."

Customer: "Did you say it was imported or deported from Switzerland?" — Capper's Weekly.

"I wuz out to de Washingtons' to a bridge party las' night, an' won secon' prize."

What wuz de secon' prize?"

"I got to kiss de hostess."

"Mah goodness, what wuz de fust prize?"

"A quatah."

What—No Hobbies?

"Has your husband any hobbies?" asked the neighbor who was calling.

"No," said Mrs. Newritch, "he has rheumatiz a good deal, and hives now and then, but he ain't never had no hobbies."

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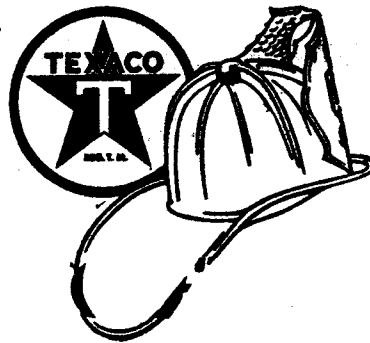
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