

Litchfield House 100th Anniversary Observance

Dr. James Lacey and Mrs. Lacey will entertain a large party at their home on South street tomorrow night, the occasion being the 100th anniversary of the erection of the house in which they live. It is best known as the Libya A. Litchfield house and stands at the brow of South street hill not far from the junction of West street. For many years it was considered the finest residence in this part of Worcester county. Connected with the place were many broad acres, all of that area now given over to streets and dwellings south and west of the home place. Occupying as it does one of the most sitely spots in Southbridge it has always been regarded as an ideal seat. During the early years of the Litchfield family tenure it was maintained in full keeping with its importance. The Litchfields kept their family coach and coachman and gave employment to a number of outside workers about the premises.

Legal Notice

Southbridge, Mass., Oct. 22, 1934
To the Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

The undersigned hereby respectfully petitions for a license to maintain or conduct a garage at No. 315 South Street, Southbridge, Mass.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES T. LACEY,
315 South Street,
Southbridge, Mass.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Selectmen will hold a public hearing on the above petition on Monday, October 29th, 1934, in their office at 7:30 o'clock p. m. to hear all parties interested.

J. EDOUARD DEMERS,
JULIAN C. GABREE,
VALMORE P. TETREAU,
Selectmen of Southbridge

Personal and Social News ABOUT TOWN

By Estelle Benoit

Mrs. James T. Lacey will entertain nurses of Harrington Memorial hospital at tea from 2 to 5 p. m. tomorrow in her home at 313 South st. Miss Elizabeth I. Hansen, superintendent of the hospital, and Mrs. George B. Wells, president of the Woman's Auxiliary board, will pour. Mrs. Lacey is an active member of the board and has served on several of the committees.

LITTLE FIRE HEROINE HAS PARTY AT LACEY'S

Florence Wells, four, had a birthday party as scheduled today. When the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Wells, was burned yesterday the little heroine, whose cries at 2:45 a. m. aroused the servants, was disappointed because her party was to be held today.

The party was given this afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. James T. Lacey, 313 South st., where her small cousins and friends gathered to celebrate her birthday which occurred Wednesday, the same day as her mother's birthday anniversary.

The group included: Natalie and Jerry Wells, Joel and Frances Wells, Judy Paige, Tommy and David Wells, Timmy Peirce and Jimmy Lacey.

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EXERCISES MARK SCHOOL'S CLOSING

The Southbridge kindergarten held exercises at a session in the Central mills office yesterday to mark the end of the school year. Mrs. Thomas Howarth has instructed the class with the assistance of Miss Elizabeth Wilkinson.

Parents were invited to attend the program, which included the following features: Flower pageant—Ramona LeClaire as a butterfly; Cynthia Beck, black-eyed susan; Margaret Metcalf, buttercup; Joan Hill, four o'clock; Natalie Wells, daffodil; Clifford Olson, bachelor button; Jane Louise Demers, tulip; Joan Brackett, wild rose; Florence Wells, bluebell; Jane Howarth, pansy; Bobby Caron, dandelion; Jimmy Lacey, goldenrod; Joel Wells, daisy; Lois Dickerman, bluet; Martin Peterson, Johnny jump-up; Thomas Howarth Jr., blue-eyed flax; and Sherry Cogan, nasturtium; "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers," class orchestra; and a Maypole dance, by pupils of the class.

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We are happy that Mrs. Andrew Rosene is getting along so nicely after her operation, February 18th. Thanks to Dr. James T. Lacey of Southbridge, Mass. for the special privilege granted me to watch his skillful hands during the operation. . . . We are

Twins Run in Families

SOUTHRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 28.—Dr. J. T. Lacey, Harrington Hospital surgeon, is satisfied that twins run in families. An investigation he made disclosed that in one family's history 818, 1,156 children were twins. The history of another family, with 2,226 children, showed no twins.

DR. LACEY PLANS TO ATTEND SESSION

Dr. James T. Lacey of 313 South st. will leave Monday for Philadelphia, Pa., where he will spend a week attending the convention of the American College of Surgeons.