

## SPECIAL TOWN BOARD MEETING

MAY 14TH, 1938

The Clarkstown Town Council met in joint session with the Zoning Board on Saturday, May 14th, 1938, and agreeing on a need for speed in adopting a zoning ordinance, asked Latham C. Squire and William W. Forster, zoning and planning experts to submit a proposal for doing the work. The experts, who work together, were at the meeting to give their qualifications and met with the approval of both boards.

It was impossible to make any definite arrangement between the boards and the experts since a question of what maps are available for the work will first have to be determined. Mr. Squire said that having already made a tour of the township by car, he was aware of conditions and expects to be able to submit a proposal to the zoning board within a few days.

Following the meeting H. Willard Eldridge of the Rockland County Planning Board showed maps now completed or in preparation and these are expected to be of great help. Mr. Squire said that he estimated his firm's fee for the work of preparing the ordinance in its entirety would be in the neighborhood of \$1,500.

Once the work has been started, Mr. Squire said, the ordinance should be ready for public hearing within a month, and to expedite matters, board members agreed to call another special meeting as soon as a proposal has been submitted.