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LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN  
FAMILIAR LANGUAGE

# The Branford Review

## AND EAST HAVEN NEWS

THE HOME TOWN PAPER  
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BRANFORD — NORTH BRANFORD  
STONY CREEK — PINE ORCHARD  
SHORT BEACH — INDIAN NECK  
GRANNIS CORNER — MORRIS  
COVE — EAST HAVEN

### Thirteen Hundred Tons Local Granite Shipped Daily From Docks Here

**Dredging Was Necessary At Branford Coal and Lumber Company Dock Before Barges Could Be Loaded—Work Will Take At Least Three Months More.**

Two barges carrying between 600 and 700 tons of granite leave the Branford Coal and Lumber Company dock daily for New York City, requiring 24 hours for the journey.

The task is contracted by the Moran Transportation Company and the Ruddy Casey Company of New York City and supplies road bed rip rap for the \$38,000,000 circumferential highway from Fort Hamilton to Rockaway, the construction of which will require about two years.

The highway at Fort Hamilton is practically complete while at Owl Head 65 per cent is under construction.

Local granite "split blocks" boulders and slabs are being conveyed mainly for that part of the job extending 1,000 feet into the ocean forming somewhat of a circle past Coney Island.

New York State Department of Public Works, New York City Park Provision and the PWA are responsible for the job.

Reclaimed land 1,000 feet in the ocean will be utilized as drives and parks.

Seven men, all local, are employed at the docks to supervise the unloading of trucks and loading of barges.

An official at the quarry said this

### Harold B. Grist Announces His Third Recital

The combined choirs of the Old Stone Church and Christ Episcopal Church will participate in the third recital of the season Sunday afternoon at 4 in Church Church under the direction of Harold B. Grist, church organist. In addition to the choirs, those taking part will include Mrs. Agnes Leighton, soprano; Mrs. Emma Scholow, contralto; Harry Clarke, tenor; Phillip Simonds, baritone; Benjamin Massman, violinist; William D'Amato, cellist; and Mrs. Joseph Hall, pianist.

Following is the complete program: "Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee", J. S. Bach, combined choirs; "O Divine Redeemer", Gounod, Mrs. Scholow, "He Shall Feed His Flock", B. B. Huhn, Mrs. Leighton and Mrs. Clark; "Hymn to the Trinity", Tchaikowsky, combined choirs; Trio in B flat major, op. 100 II Andante con moto, Schubert, violin, cello and organ; Sanctus (St. Cecilia Mass) Gounod, combined choirs; Hebræi viker (Hora Novissima); H. Parker, quartet; "O God, Have Mercy" (St. Paul), Mendelssohn; "The Creation", Haydn, combined choirs.

### Rescue Fire Co. Holds 39th Ball In Stony Creek

Rescue Fire Company of Stony Creek will hold its thirty-ninth annual ball tonight in Seaside Hall. There will be dancing from 9 until 1 o'clock, and the program will include both modern and old-fashioned numbers. Lee McGrall will call the numbers for the square dances. The committee in charge includes Frank Magee, chairman; William Palmer, Robert Sanzero, Willbur Burne, Howard Betts, Charles Barnes, Louis Lavassa Elton Greenvall, Peter Cinquanta, Nicholas Pullman and Fred George.

### Mr. Mrs. Ward Will Make Home In Short Beach

The marriage of Miss Helga Abramson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Abramson of East Haven, and Alfred D. Ward of Branford, took place Saturday afternoon in the home of the bride's parents. Rev. G. S. Ohlund of New Haven performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a dress of blue crepe with matching hat and navy accessories. She wore a corsage of gardenias. Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kroecker of West Haven. Mrs. Kroecker wore a tan crepe dress with brown accessories and a corsage of tea roses.

Upon their return from a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Ward are living in Main street, Short Beach.

### ENTERTAIN DEPARTMENT

Indian Neck Fire Co. entertained the fire commissioners, selectmen and officials of the companies Saturday night at a turkey dinner in the fire house, about 35 being present. Among the speakers were Chief Roy C. Enquist, John Donnelly and Thomas E. Matthews. Cards were enjoyed following. A regular meeting of the Fire Company will be held Monday February 20 at 8 o'clock.

### HIT BY AUTOMOBILE

Mrs. Catherine Slivinski of East Creek, Guilford received injuries Saturday night when an unattended car rolled down hill at Main and Chestnut Streets.

She was removed to Grace Hospital for treatment.

### Dahlia Grower Died Friday In Masonic Home

Funeral services for Nathan A. Miller were held Monday at 1:30 p. m. in Wallingford and at 3:00 o'clock in the First Baptist Church, Branford. Burial was in Center Cemetery where a Masonic Service was held.

Mr. Miller died in the Masonic Home Friday following a period of ill-health. He was born at Key Port, New Jersey, April 17, 1854. He had spent the greater part of his life in Branford. He married Nellie E. Lee, daughter of Isaac P. Lee and Clarissa L. Foote, September 29, 1887. He was a member of Widow's Son Lodge A. F. and A. M. and a charter member of the American Dahlia Society. For many years he was a grower of dahlias at Indian Neck.

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### Frances Meglin Is Married In St. Mary's Church

Saturday morning at 8 o'clock in St. Mary's Church, Miss Frances Victoria Meglin, daughter of Mrs. Stanley Meglin, became the bride of Mr. Edward Dennison.

The bride wore a navy blue garbeline suit and mateline accessories. She wore a corsage of gardenias.

The maid of honor, Miss Anna Goculowski wore a navy blue pencil striped suit with black hat and shoes and also wore a corsage of gardenias.

The bridegroom was attended by Mr. Edward Livick of Meriden.

Receiving with the couple was the bride's mother, Mrs. Meglin who wore a gown of blue and a corsage of roses. Mrs. Dennison wore a black dress with white lace.

A hundred guests attended the reception.

Previous to her marriage, Miss Meglin was tendered two showers by her younger friends.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the New Deal Grille, Double Beach Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennison will live at 75 Maple Street after an unannounced wedding trip.

### Baptist Church Opens Doors For Day Of Prayer

All the churches will observe the World Day of prayer on Friday February 24, at 3 o'clock at The First Baptist Church. The theme of the program "Let us put our Love into deeds and make it real."

Committee in charge: Mrs. Harold B. Smith, Mrs. Bertha Lounsbury of the Baptist Church; Mrs. Edward P. Ayer, Mrs. Hilda Foote, Congregational Church; Mrs. J. A. Bergquist, Mrs. Charles Reynolds, of Taber Lutheran Church; Mrs. G. D. Lesley of North Branford Church; Mrs. Ernest Carpenter of Short Beach Union Chapel and Mrs. Kenneth Brooks, Mrs. Ross of Stony Creek Church.

### Alice Thompson Will Be Buried Friday Afternoon

The death of Alice Baker Thompson, wife of Dr. Wilson E. Thompson of Harbor Street, occurred shortly before midnight Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lay of South Montowese Street, following an illness of several years.

She was 59 years of age and was born in Brooklyn, New York, a daughter of John Baker and Ella Richardson for the past 63 years. She had been a resident of this town. She was a member of Trinity Church and Trinity Aid.

Surviving her are her husband two sons, H. Stedman Thompson of North Haven, and Charles B. Thompson of Fort Deposit, Md.; one daughter, Mrs. Barbara Nordmeier of Morgantown, West Va.; and two grandchildren, Constance Thompson and Alice Ede Nordmeier.

The funeral will be held with services in W. S. Clancy & Sons mortuary home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The burial will be in Center cemetery. Rev. Robert J. Plumb, rector of Trinity Church, will officiate. The bearers will be R. Edwin Madder, C. H. Hosenbeck, Oswin H. Robinson, Wallace H. Foote, J. Wesson Phelps and Charles F. Freeman.

### K of C Arranging Branford Night

The John Barry Assembly, Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus, will hold an old fashioned dance at the club room, Orange Street, New Haven, Feb. 20. This will be in the form of a Branford night, and the Branford members of this assembly headed by Patrick H. Dunn, chairman, will have charge. An old fashioned orchestra, with F. Lee McGrall of this town, acting as promoter, will play for old fashioned and modern dances. Assisting Mr. Dunn will be John Zvonkovic, Edward A. Driscoll, John P. Callahan, Joseph A. Donadio, Frank J. Kinney, Timothy J. McCarthy, Jr., Daniel F. Daly, Patrick F. Condon, Daniel S. Driscoll, John F. Dunn and Edward B. Lonergan. Tickets are now on sale and can be secured from any member of the committee.

### East Haven Firm Grows Carnations

Lasting Qualities And Vari-Colors Prized By Hostesses Who Must Have Decorations Correctly Done.

Carnations, the flowers of aristocrats are yearly increasing in esteem. There was a day when carnations were associated with funerals.

Now rarely used as tokens of last respects the flower has taken its place as the favorite table decoration.

So we are told by the J. A. Long Company of Dodge Avenue, East Haven, and they should know.

From October to July they bloom 35,000 plants in 35 varieties. English

### Board Makes No Immediate Plans For New School

Board of Education Takes Advantage of Dead Line Set By State Legislature To Present Skeleton Bill For Elementary Building.

A vote was taken Thursday evening at the monthly meeting of the Board of Education to formally approve the individual action of the board members in having filed with the state Legislature a bill requesting permission for the town to issue \$125,000 worth of bonds for an elementary school for the borough in the event a town meeting should vote to go forward with the proposition at a future date.

Such a school is necessary to complete Branford's school needs for an indefinite time, to come.

This year the State Legislature placed a definite date in January as the dead line for filing bills. In view of the fact that next year is not Legislative year the Board of

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### 200 Scouters Attend Annual Parents' Night

Mr. Raymond E. Pinkham was chairman and toastmaster for the first annual Scout-Parents' Night, held the Tryst Monday evening was voted a great success by all Scouts and parents present. Well over two hundred people sat down to a covered dish supper, each family brought a dish of cooked food or a dessert.

Scouts and Scouters from Madison, Guilford, Short Beach, Stony Creek, and Branford heard Vernon H. Hodges talk on Scouting and the occasion of the movements 20th birthday. Chief Scout Executive Samuel D. Bogan spoke also. The Court of Honor phase of the evening program was conducted by Charles E. Beedier who was assisted by the Reverend Robert J. Plumb, Commissioner C. W. Loomis, Paul Griswold of Guilford, and Henry W. Jones, National Council member of the Boy Scouts of America.

The various troops of the District presented short plays or tableaux. Troops taking part were: Troop No.

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### Branford Rotary Hears Talk On Acetylene Gas

The weekly meeting of the Branford Rotary Club was held Monday in the parlors of the Congregational Church. The speaker was George F. Fouser of Short Beach, vice-president of the Connecticut Gas Products, Inc., of Meriden. He spoke on acetylene, oxygen and hydrogen gases. He gave a very interesting talk, especially on the manufacturing use of oxygen.

There were 48 present at the meeting. Visiting Rotarians were Howard W. Dickerman, and Lawrence Kiling of Hamden; Charles F. Cochran, Arthur Hall, C. A. Means, R. J. Reigeluth, and E. F. Bailey, all of the New Haven Club.

The Branford Club is having an attendance contest with the Wallingford club.

### East Haven Firm Grows Carnations

varieties are under cultivation as well as 12 brought here from American growers.

A dozen or more varieties are in the experimental stage and are not yet placed on the market.

Shipments of carnations are made to Washington, Baltimore, and New York as well as the local wholesale and retail trade carried on in Dodge Avenue where there are 10 houses with 50,000 feet of glass.

The best houses appreciate the popularity of the carnation—the flower of kings and queens—because of their lasting qualities, their beautiful coloring, odd shades of orange, yellow, dark reds, variegated, salmons, its Claret and Peleraglam.

It is one of the most popular

### North Guilford May Consolidate Two Schools

The Board of Education will hold a public hearing tomorrow evening at 8 in the North Guilford schoolhouse. At this time they will consider the advisability of consolidating the North Guilford grade school with the Church street school. At the present time school buses are transporting high school students from North Guilford and several contend that the consolidation of the schools would effect a substantial saving to the town Parents of children now attending the North Guilford school or expecting to attend within a year or two are urged to be present and voice their sentiments in this matter. Also the Board of Education would be glad to have any citizens or taxpayers of Guilford present at the meeting.

### Woolsey Hall Will Present Fine Concert

This Saturday afternoon, February 18, at Woolsey Hall the combined New Haven Symphony Orchestra and Civic Orchestra will present the second of the season's Concerts for Young People. It will be an inspiring and youthful affair in a double sense.

Soloist for the occasion is Miss Blanche Ralsin, gifted fifteen-year-old violinist, one of New Haven's most talented and promising younger musicians.

Miss Ralsin, who is at present a sophomore in New Haven High School, started her study of the violin at the age of four with her father, Samuel Ralsin, well known local violin instructor. Several years ago her ability and artistic understanding so impressed Hugo Korlschak, professor at the Yale School of Music and associate conductor of the Orchestra, that he accepted her as a special student and he has since devoted considerable time to her musical training. Her debut with the Orchestra in this concert for Young

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### First Baptists Hold Annual Church Meeting

The First Baptist Church held its annual meeting in the church recently with J. J. Walworth as moderator. The following officers were chosen: Deacon for four years, A. R. Monroe; trustee for three years, W. C. Krenser; deansesses, Mrs. Paul G. MacLean, Miss Evelyn Harrison, Mrs. Ray MacLean, Mrs. Hugh MacLeod; treasurer, S. V. Osborn. benevolent treasurer, Mrs. Dominic Bontalibus; clerk, Mrs. Bertha M. Lounsbury; finance committee, treasurer, clerk, one trustee, Miss Charlotte Fritz, Miss Lydia Williams, property committee Paul G. MacLean, treasurer; George Stevens, Irving Adams, Ray MacLean, Harold Smith, Mrs. Hugh MacLeod, Mrs. W. I. Monroe, Mrs. Lewis Jackson; music committee, Mrs. J. J. Walworth, Mrs. S. V. Osborn, Mrs. Irving Adams, Mrs. Harold Barker; head usher, William C. Krenser; ushers, George Stevens, A. S. Thayer, Ellsworth Harrison, E. J. Genrich Robert Ward, Fred Petre, Jr. Jack Nyholt.

### Visiting Nurses Report Progress Made In Year At Meeting In Library

Secretary Of State Tuberculosis Commission Describes 30 Year Fight Against Disease—Mrs. Norman V. Lamb Again Elected President.

### Dessert Bridge Sponsored By Trinity Aid

The Trinity Aid Society will hold a Valentine dessert bridge tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 in the parish house. Mrs. Donald Sawtelle is chairman of the following committee in charge: Mrs. Edwin Madder, Mrs. Norman Clark, Mrs. K. P. Hansen, Mrs. Fred Bloker, Mrs. Henry Close, Mrs. Lawrence Howschild, Mrs. William Phillips, Mrs. Levi Bartholomew, Mrs. Raymond Buell and Mrs. Louis Watson.

Those who have reservations are Mrs. George Agnew, Mrs. Norman Clark, Mrs. Leroy Moore, Mrs. John W. Beaver, Mrs. H. E. H. Cox, Mrs. John Johnson, Mrs. Willbur Smith, Mrs. Lawrence Howschild, Mrs. Alvin P. Sanford, Mrs. Harry Smith.

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### Party For Medical Room

The Sunshine Society and the Visiting Nurse Association will sponsor a public bridge Thursday, March 2 to aid the high school in the equipment of the medical room in the new building.

Mrs. Milton Bradley is general chairman with the following committee. tickets, Mrs. Roland F. Geler; refreshments, Mrs. Clifford Cherry chairman, Mrs. Leroy Bartholomew, Mrs. Herbert Harrison, Mrs. Warren Hopper, Mrs. William Adams, Mrs. W. Claude Stannard; tables and chairs, Mrs. Emil Nygard Mrs. Gurdon Bradley; prizes, Mrs. Irving Harrison, Mrs. Herbert Holman.

The students have raised \$70 for equipment and the Sunshine hopes to raise a like amount. This sum will provide the room with bare necessities for rest, first aid and clinic uses.

### Jennie Prescher Is Buried In Plantsville

Funeral services for Jennie Amelia Prescher, widow of Julius F. Prescher of 34 Bryan Road, were held Saturday afternoon from the funeral home of Norman V. Lamb. Rev. Charles R. Cooley officiated.

The burial was in South End Cemetery, Plantsville. Rev. A. W. Jones, pastor of the First Baptist Church, conducted the committal services. The bearers were Charles Hedman, Louis Watson, and Calrence Buell of Branford; Charles Oberempton of New Haven; and Willard Bacon of New Britain.

Mrs. Prescher passed away at the age of 70 years. She was born in Denmark and came to this country at the age of 22. She was a member of the Congregational Church, the Comfortable Society and Mason Rogers Corps, coming here from New Britain. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Herbert F. Hagstrom of Branford, two sons, William F. of Amston, and Arthur J. of Hartford, and four grandchildren.

### WILL CONFER DEGREE

Hammanasett Tribe No. 1 New Haven will confer chiefs degree on a class of new members of Pawson Tribe No. 81 at Red Mens Hall tomorrow, the meeting beginning promptly at 8 P. M.

### RECEIVES HONOR

In recognition of her ability to carry on independent investigations of a high order Georgiana Baxter Deevay has been elected to the Yale Chapter of Sigma Xi.

### No Opposition To E. H. Bonds

East Haven taxpayer prefer a bond issue to a 2.5 mill increase in tax rate, Edward L. Reynolds, town counsel, told the Assembly finance committee in a public hearing in Hartford Tuesday. The town is seeking legislative authority for the issuance of \$50,000 in "funding serial bonds" the proceeds of which are to be used to pay off an accumulated deficit now in the form of short term notes.

Reynolds said that the town meeting had voted that preference after accepting a 2-mill increase.

County Commissioner Robert H. Gorrish, Rep. Ernest C. Carpenter (R.), and Selectman Harold C. Hall registered in favor of the bond issue. There was no formal opposition.

The legislative authority is necessary because the town's legal debt limit would be exceeded without it. East Haven at present has a bonded indebtedness of approximately \$750,000, and a short term debt of about \$75,000 including the \$50,000 for which refunding bonds are sought.

The bill provides that the bonds shall be retired at the rate of \$5,000 a year, and the committee was informed that the town had budgeted for the first year's retirement costs.

East Havers were informed that W. H. Brown, General Assembly's finance committee, would audit the town books, or review existing audits prior to committee action. The cost of the audit will rest upon the town.

### LEGISLATIVE NOTES

Legislative Notes appear regularly in "All In A Day's Work" written by Rev. Ernest C. Carpenter. Mr. Carpenter represents East Haven as one of its Representatives in Hartford. The Review is fortunate to have these timely Legislative Notes from one who is at the Capitol regularly and as regularly acquaints readers with the "going ons".

Mrs. Carpenter's contributions are also worthy of notice.

### WILL ATTEND MEETING

Superintendent of School Raymond Pinkham will attend the national education meeting of superintendents, February 25 in Cleveland, Ohio.





Baseball Football Boxing

Branford High Plays Last Two League Games At Home

East Haven Cagemen Will Play Two League Battles Away From Home

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EYE OPENERS--by Bob Crosby

OUR ODD LANGUAGE.



THE WORD BISCUIT MEANS TWICE BAKED, YET BISCUITS BAKED TWICE WOULD BE RUINED. 12 MINUTES IN THE TEMPERATURE CONTROLLED OVEN OF A C.P. GAS RANGE IS THE BAKING TIME TO-DAY.

THE PEANUT IS NOT A NUT. IT IS A VEGETABLE!



THE FISH THAT BURNS LIKE A CANDLE.



THE OOLACHAN, A FISH, IS DRIED AND BURNED AS A CANDLE BY ALASKAN INDIANS.

Alaskan Indians insert the pith of a rush, or a slip of cypress bark into the mouth of the oolachan, a native fish, and burn it. A member of the salmon family, the fish is very oily and must be dried before it can be utilized for purposes of illumination in this primitive way.

The millions of American housewives who pride themselves on their delicious biscuits, baked so quickly in the temperature regulated ovens of modern gas ranges, wouldn't think of double baking. Yet the Latin derivation of the word means just that—"twice cooked."

THE MOVIE GUYED

Things You May Not Know About India, The Scene of Action of "Gunga Din": That there are approximately 200 tongues spoken in India. That India's famous Kyber Pass is open only on Fridays, closed to travel on the other six days of the week. That every British soldier in India keeps one polished bullet with which to shoot himself if capture by hillmen or savage tribesmen seems inevitable. That of India's 400 million population, 77 million are Mohammedans to whom the classification "Hindu" is an insult. That Mohammedans who have made their pilgrimage to Mecca dye their beards red. That East Indians read and write from right to left. That Mohammedans will eat beef, will not touch pork; Hindus will eat pork, won't touch beef. That Hindus who cross large bodies of water are believed to have lost caste. That hunderths of crocodiles still come to their famous Patna Bridge once annually on the date when Hindus formerly threw scores of girl babies into the river for sacrifice. Since the practice was stopped by the British government the crocodiles are fed fruit and vegetables on the ceremonial date.

HOT TIP FOR THE WEEK: High adventures in the British Army campaigning on the Northwest Frontier of India, half a century ago; colorful romance, rowdy fun, heroism and sacrifice are compounded in the notable screen production based on Rudyard Kipling's famous ballad of "Gunga Din" which is held over a 2nd Big Week at Loew Poll College Theatre, now playing. Cary Grant, Victor McLaglen and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. share the starring honors in this mammoth production which employs as well a huge and notable supporting cast, and which boasts of elaborate settings on a vast scale and of a scenic sweep breath-taking in its realistic grandeur. The three stars are cast as a trio of sergeants in the British Army, their long years of service together having cemented a deep friendship which holds fast despite their surface quarrels. Grant is a restless treasurer-seeker, hoping some day to find a rajah's hoard that will make him wealthy; McLaglen is the typical two-fisted British N. C. O., ready for a fight or a frolle, and Fairbanks is a gentleman-ranker who plans to marry the daughter of a local tea-company official as soon as his enlistment expires. The three stars have perhaps the most colorful roles of their careers. They are brilliantly supported by Miss Joan Fontaine and a cast that includes Sam Jaffe as "Gunga Din", Eduardo Cianelli, Robert Cooke, Montague Love and Abner Biberman. The 2nd Big Feature on this wonderful hold-over program is "Pardon Our Nerve" with Michael Whalen, Lynn Bari, June Gale and Edward Brophy.

Pequot Theatre
Fri., Sat.—Feb. 17-18
'King of the Underworld'
WITH
Humphrey Bogart, Kay Francis
ALSO
'DOWN IN ARKANSAS'
with Pinky Tomlin
Sun., Mon., Tues., Feb. 19-20-21
Gary Cooper, Merle Oberon in
The Cowboy and the Lady
ALSO
Jackie Cooper, Wendy Barrie in
'NEWSBOYS' HOME'
Wed., Thurs.—Feb. 22-23
Sapphire Tableware Nights
'Topper Takes a Trip'
with Constance Bennett and
Roland Young
ALSO
'WANTED BY POLICE'

Capitol Theatre
281 Main St., East Haven
Sun., Mon., Tues., Feb. 19-20-21
'STAND UP and FIGHT'
WITH
Wallace Beery, Robert Taylor
ALSO
Joel McCrea, Andrea Leeds in
'Youth Takes a Fling'
Wed., Thurs.—Feb. 22-23
'The Girl Downstairs'
WITH
Franciska Gaal, Franchot Tone
ALSO
'LITTLE TOUGH GUYS IN SOCIETY'
with Mischa Auer, Mary Boland
Fri., Sat.—Feb. 24-25
Ralph Bellamy, Fay Wray in
'SMASHING THE SPY RING'
ALSO
'THE CHASER'
Dennis O'Keefe, Ann Morris
PLAY HONEY SATURDAY NITE

WATCH FOR COMING HITS: Mickey Rooney as "Huckleberry Finn"....."Ice Follies of 1939" with Joan Crawford, Lew Ayres, and James Stewart....."Pygmalion" with Leslie Howard..... See You in The Movies Your Movie Guyed FOR LOCAL NEWS READ THE BRANFORD REVIEW

Calendar Of Events

2nd and 4th Tuesday night, Nashawena Council, Degree of Po-cachontas in Red Men's Hall. 2nd and 4th Friday Nights—Vasa Star Lodge No. 150, Svea Hall EVERY WEEK Thursday—Pawson Tribe, No. 61, Social in Redmen's Hall, Public Invited. Friday—Bingo—Benefit of St. Mary's Rectory Fund, Tryst, 8:30 Fridays—Pawson Tribe, I. O. R. M. at 8 P. M. in Redmen's Hall. FEBRUARY 17th 9th Grade North Guilford sponsors motion picture show. Card Party, Women's Guild, Christ Church, 8 P. M. Confer Degree, Pawson Tribe, 8 P. M., Red Men's Hall. Valentine Dessert-Bridge, Trinity Aid in Parish House. Mrs. G. Herbert Foote entertains Woman's Missionary Society. Cards, Annex Fire Department. FEBRUARY 20th Rotary—12:15—Congregational Church Parlors. Short Beach PTA 4 P. M. Initiatory Degrees, O. E. S. Indian Neck Fire Co., 8 P. M. Women's Republican Club, 2:45, hostess, Mrs. Chauncey Upson FEBRUARY 21st Annual Meeting, St. Andrew's Parish. Covered Dish Luncheon, Short Beach Sunshiners. Musical Art Society, Miss Isabel MacLeod, hostess, 8 P. M. Pilgrim Brotherhood Supper, 6:30. FEBRUARY 22nd Baked Ham Supper, Ladies Aid, St. Andrew's Church. Annual Washington Party, Princess Chapter, O.E.S. and Assembly 17. Joint Washington Social, O.E.S. and Lodge 68, A. F. & A. M. FEBRUARY 23rd "Mummy and the Mumps" East Haven High School Auditorium Smorgasbord—Lutheran Church. B. V. N. A. Finance Committee meets at 2 P. M. at home of Mrs. G. E. Evans. FEBRUARY 24th World Day of Prayer, 3 o'clock, First Baptist Church. Sigma Delta Dance

NORTH BRANFORD

Morning worship in the local churches on Sunday will be as follows: St. Augustine's R. C. Church, Rev. James Coughlin, pastor, Mrs. Edward Daly, organist and choir director, Mass will be celebrated at 9:15 o'clock. Sunday School will follow with instructions by Dominican Nuns from New Haven. Zion Episcopal Church, Rev. Francis J. Smith, Rector, Mrs. Paul R. Hawkins, organist and choir director, Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 9:30 o'clock. Church School will follow. North Branford Congregational Church, Rev. G. D. Lessley, pastor, Mrs. Douglas B. Holabird, organist and choir director. Morning worship will be held at 11 o'clock. Sunday School will convene in the chapel at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Vernon Gedney, superintendent. The Board of Selectmen met on Saturday for the transaction of routine business at the Town Hall. Their next regular meeting will be on the afternoon of the twenty-fifth. The bridge over Farm River is completed and Totoket Road is again open to traffic. Gardner Hughs of Quarry Road who was taken ill at work for the New Haven Trap Rock Company is reported as improving satisfactorily. For several days he was under the care of a trained nurse. Mrs. George Williams of Sea Hill Road is ill at her home. The funeral of George Webster Fair was largely attended by friends and neighbors on Monday morning. He was one of North Branford's older residents, having lived on Valley Road for many years. His wife Mary Stahl predeceased him, but he leaves to mourn his passing three sons, George Jr., Charles, and Clarence, and three grandchildren. The funeral was held from the Clancy Undertaking Parlors and a requiem high mass was celebrated in St. Augustine's R. C. Church. Bearers were Earl B. Colter, Richard A. Scholtz, Daniel M. Doody, John Hartigan, Vincent Matt and John J. Walsh. Interment followed in the St. Agnes Cemetery in Branford. The burial of William Bassett of Foxon took place in the Bare Plain Cemetery in Totoket on Saturday. Mr. Bassett died following a short illness. He was well known as he conducted a fruit and vegetable business on Foxon Road. The North Branford Fire and Drum Corps will meet in the club house on Friday evening for rehearsal of music and drill. A benefit moving picture will be shown in the town hall on Friday night under the auspices of the Eighth Grade Juniors of Jerome Harrison School. The main attraction will be "Doughnuts and Society" and this will be accompanied by a short, a comedy, and a news reel. Tickets are on sale by all members of the class. Mrs. Alfred Bahnsen of Notch Hill Road was the hostess at the meeting of the Ladies Sewing Society which was held in the Chapel on Wednesday. Mrs. G. Dillard Lessley presided at the business session. The Sunshine Girls held their regular meeting on Friday afternoon. Their leader, Mrs. Burton S. Colter was present. The Zion Parish Guild was entertained on Tuesday at the Rectory, the guests of Mrs. Francis J. Smith. Mrs. J. Stewart Forbes presided in the absence of the president. A silver tea will be held during the week of March 14 at the home of Mrs. Paul Hawkins of Notch Hill Road for the benefit of the Zion Parish Guild. A special Valentine party will be held in the Chapel on Friday night under the auspices of the Young People's Society. Miss Louise Rausch and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brindley are in charge. The children of the Zion Church School enjoyed a valentine party on Saturday afternoon in the recreation room at the Rectory. The Sunday School teachers had charge of the games and entertainment. Valentine parties were held in each of the school rooms on Tuesday afternoon. Schools in town were in session on Monday and it is anticipated that they will also be in session on Washington's Birthday to make up time lost after the hurricane. Mr. and Mrs. Cavellere Forte of Foxon Road announce the marriage of their daughter, Clara Lucille to Stephen Desantis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Desantis of Foxon Road. Mr. and Mrs. Desantis are now residing in Hamden. A parish meeting was held at the rectory on Thursday evening when routine business was transacted and reports were read. H. H. Ham has been making minor repairs on his buildings having added a porch to one building and a new entrance to another. Hope Circle meets this evening with Mrs. George Hansen in Bryan Road. FOR LOCAL NEWS READ THE BRANFORD REVIEW

"A SCOUT IS KIND"



"RESCUE your pet cat, madam?" All in a day's adventure for Senior Scouts (Boy Scouts past their 15th birthday) is this good turn for a stranded pussy. The culprit who caused the feline's dilemma is now securely held by the woodsman.

Civil Service Examination

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced that it will accept applications not later than March 13 if received from States east of Colorado, and not later than March 16 if received from Colorado and States westward, for the positions named below. Mineral economist, and senior, associate, and assistant mineral economists (any specialized branch) \$2,600 to \$4,600 a year, General Land Office, Interior Department. Applicants for mineral economist and for the senior grade must not have passed their 53d, for the associate grade they must not have passed their 45th, and for the assistant grade they must not have passed their 40th birthday. Senior consultant in home economics education, \$4,600 a year, Office of Education, Interior Department. Applicants must not have passed their 53d birthday. Fisheries marketing agent \$2,300 a year, assistant fisheries marketing agent, \$1,800 a year, Bureau of Fisheries Commerce Department. Applicants must not have passed their 40th birthday. Physiotherapy aide, \$1,800 a year, physiotherapy pupil aide, \$1,440 a year, U. S. Public Health Service and Veterans' Administration. Applicants must not have passed their 40th birthday. For the following two examinations applications will be rated as received until December 31, 1939. (If sufficient eligibles are obtained, the receipt of applications may be closed before this date, in which case due notice will be given.) Marine engineer, and associate and assistant marine engineers, \$2,600 to \$3,800 a year, U. S. Maritime Commission and Navy Department. For Marine engineer applicants must not have passed their 55th for the associate grade they must not have passed their 50th, and for the assistant grade they must not have passed their 45th birthday. Naval architect, and associate and assistant naval architects, \$2,600 to \$3,800 a year. For naval architect applicants must not have passed their 55th for the associate grade they must not have passed their 50th, and for the assistant grade they must not have passed their 45th birthday. Full information may be obtained from the local Post Office.

Woolsey Hall

Continued from page one People promises to be the start of a distinguished career which, before many more years have passed, will doubtless graduate to an appearance of one of the major regular Monday evening concerts. Harry Berman, whose contagious enthusiasm and creative leadership have helped raise this annual series of Concerts for Young People to local success and national prominence, will again act as conductor and narrator. The concert subject is "Great Composers," and to illustrate the title Mr. Berman has arranged a program featuring selections from Mozart, Haydn, Beethoven, Mendelssohn and Rimsky-Korsakov. Followers of the series may be assured in advance that, as always, they will be invited to the platform after the performance to inspect the instruments and try to stomp the players with questions about fine music and its making. Mr. and Mrs. John W. Barron of East Main Street had as their week end guest their son, Reginald A. Barron of Providence, R. I.

Thirteen Hundred

Continued from Page One. week that the work would continue for about three months longer. Dredging was necessary at the docks before the cumbersome barges could be received. Piles were driven in successive clusters of threes close to the mainland. Operated by a single man a Bucyrus Eric Machine digs into the massive mountain of granite at Dodd's quarry scooping into its monstrous paw, stone for truck after truck-load for transportation. Dodd's quarry, reopened recently, is the oldest quarry at the Atlantic seaboard. Forsaken many years ago the rusty rails, engines, machines, and buildings are a reminder of more prosperous days. A million and a half tons of loose granite are the property awaiting a bidder, and solid ledges run hundreds of feet beyond the tracks, cranes and cables.

OBSERVE FOUNDING

The Indian Neck PTA observed Founders' Day at its regular meeting recently held in the school. Following a brief business session conducted by Mrs. Harold Roth, a play entitled "Reminiscence" was presented, telling the story of the founding of P. T. A. Members taking part were C. Haskell Bush, Mrs. James Rourke, Mrs. William Krenser and Mrs. Frederick Howe. A birthday cake was made by Mrs. Krenser and the attractive favors by Mrs. Rourke and Mrs. Ritzinger. Other hostesses were C. A. Newton Mrs. Andrew Lawrence, Mrs. D. Barba and Mrs. J. Kenney.

AVERILL ON FLOOD CONTROL

Governor Raymond E. Baldwin last night announced the personnel of the newly created flood control commission. Col. Ernest L. Averill of Pawson Park is a member of the commission, empowered to work with the federal government and other states in flood control and harbor and river improvements, to report its findings and recommendations to the legislature by April 15.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT EXAMINATION NOTICES

POSITION: Factory Inspector (No. 108) \$2040-\$2520 per annum. Age: All candidates must have reached their twenty-fifth birthday as of February 25, 1939. Application forms and detailed information may be obtained at the Personnel Department, State Capitol, Hartford, or at the local offices of the Connecticut State State Employment Service in Ansonia, Bridgeport, Bristol, Danbury, Danielson, Hartford, Meriden, Middletown, New Britain, New Haven, New London, Norwalk, Norwich, Stamford, Thompsonville, Torrington, Waterbury, Willimantic. Applications must be submitted to the Personnel Department not later than February 27, 1939. Date of Examination: March 11, 1939.

Legal Notice

District of Branford, ss. Probate Court, February 4th, 1939. Estate of William R. Foote late of Branford, in said District, deceased. The Court of Probate for the District of Branford hath limited and allowed six months from the date hereof, for the creditors of said estate to exhibit their claims for settlement. Those who neglect to present their accounts properly attested, within said time, will be deemed a recovery. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to Wallace H. Foote Administrator, Branford, Conn. 9, 17, 24

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