

STRICTLY LOCAL

PREVUES, VIEWS AND REVIEWS

BY PAUL H. STEVENS

DEALING WITH THE DOG PROBLEM

When three children are attacked and bitten by dogs over the brief period of a single Saturday and Sunday it would seem that the time has come for aggressive action in dealing with the dog problem locally. And, so we are informed, that is exactly what the town officials propose to do. The two dogs which attacked a 12 year old boy on Main street Saturday have been taken into custody by Dog Warden Anthony Porpora and will be held in quarantine for the prescribed period so that developments may be watched. The Police and the Dog Warden have begun an investigation to see that such trouble does not occur again, and warning has gone forth that unlicensed dogs found at large will be taken into custody.

There has been altogether too much trouble in East Haven this year from roaming dogs and the threat of stringent action, if followed up by actual arrests such as have occurred in our neighboring town of Hamden where the Town Court has imposed fines in a number of cases of delinquent dog owners, will undoubtedly bring general satisfaction here. Dog Warden Porpora presented his resignation some time ago but consented to carry on for the time-being, and with the support of the townspeople he should be able, we are sure, to keep the situation well in hand.

CONGRATULATIONS TO CHRIS SAURBRUNN

We want to extend our congratulations to Chris Sauerbrunn, proprietor of the Morris Cove Pharmacy in our neighboring community to the Southwest. Chris's store is not a large one and his two display windows are not more than six feet in width, yet his original window display for the Sixth War Loan Drive has just been announced as the second best display in the whole United States in the National Contest. The window display had previously been awarded first prize in the State contest. Incidentally Chris received a \$500 War Bond as his prize and also a certificate signed by Secretary Morgenthau. He is now at work on a window display for the current Seventh War Loan Drive. The other display window has been set apart since the beginning of the war to a display of souvenirs which have been sent to Chris from Morris Cove Service Men from all parts of the Globe.

Window dressing should be one of the accomplishments of every good merchant. It is a part of his advertising. We have noted with interest the fine displays along Main street and in stores in our East Shore Area. Such enterprise as this helps to build Community Spirit. Chris Sauerbrunn is, incidentally, the secretary of a live and growing Business Men's Association at Morris Cove. He is also active in the Morris Cove Service Club which publishes a newsy "offset" news sheet of four pages which is mailed monthly to the more than 400 Morris Cove boys and girls in the Service.

RAY STANNARD BAKER'S LATEST BOOK

We recommend for careful reading by those who desire to see a world at peace once more, the latest book "American Chronicle" by Ray Stannard Baker, which we have just returned to the Hagaman Memorial Library after several evenings of profitable, informative and entertaining reading. Mr. Baker, be it remembered, is the writer and publisher who was one of President Wilson's chief advisers when the Treaty of Versailles was being wrestled with by the great brains of the world back in 1919. The problems that Wilson, Clemenceau, Lloyd George, and Orlando attempted to solve back in those days a generation ago are very much the same problems confronting Truman, Churchill and Stalin today, and the bickering, petty grabbings and narrowness in high places which attended the effort to form a League of Nations twenty-one years ago should profit those who can learn lessons from the past.

Ray Stannard Baker was one of the earliest of the writers whom President "Teddy" Roosevelt once called "muckrakers", but it was their work which was largely responsible for the wholesale cleaning up of corruption in politics, business and labor, which marked the early decades of this century in America. Under the name of David Grayson, Mr. Baker also wrote delightful essays on the peaceful, commonplace things of life, and such of his books as "Adventures in Contentment", "The Friendly Road", and "Under My Elm" won for him millions of readers not only in this country but throughout the world.

A WORD ABOUT THE SCHOOL ORGAN FUND

It is now assured that a handsome new Hammond Electric Organ will be in place in the East Haven High School Auditorium in time for the annual graduation exercises on June 13 and 14. This fine musical instrument, which will add so much to the cultural equipment of our town, will be dedicated as a memorial to those of the High School who have given their lives in the service of our country in World War II. The cost, \$1,700, is being raised through voluntary contributions. The boys and girls of the school are responding wholeheartedly and the home-room totals are swelling with each passing day. Alumni of the school are also turning in contributions. It is gratifying to see that many organizations of East Haven are coming forward to help raise the fund in record time, and that financial help from individuals is not lagging.

Old Folks Concert Will Be Repeated

The very successful and highly entertaining Old Folks Concert which was recently presented in the parish house by the Stone Church Choir will be repeated on Wednesday evening, June 6, in the East Pearl Street Methodist Church in New Haven.

Legion 40 and 8'ers To Cut Capers Here

With Harold Doolittle as the "conductor" the members of Volture 328, 40 and 8, the fun-loving auxiliary of the American Legion, will hold what the members describe as a "Wreck" on June 24 at Carlson's Grove in Foxon. We learn there will be guests from all

over the state at the big frolic, and nearly a half hundred "P.G.'s" or initiates will take the degree.

Miss Shirley Gifford Aids Nursing Service

Miss Shirley Gifford of Kimberly avenue is serving as substitute nurse for the East Haven Public Health Nursing Association while Miss Eleanor Knight is on vacation in California and during the illness of Miss Alice Wilson.

WINS SWIMMING MEET

From Guatemala, Central America, comes word that Corp. Harry W. Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bell of Deerfield street, was the winner in a recent GI Swimming Meet for which he won a two weeks' trip to the British Honduras. Harry is one of our many subscribers in the service. Good going Corporal

Memorial Day Plans Call For Big Parade

Thomas McMahon, marshal, and Maurice Sarasohn, chief of staff for the East Haven Memorial Day exercises next Wednesday announced the parade orders today which call upon all organizations to be in line 15 minutes before the parade starts at 2:30 p.m.

The first section will include: Police Escort, Marshal, Chief of Staff and Aides, 2nd Co. Gov. Foot Guard Band, Co. 1, 6th Bn. Inf. CSG; Co. F, 6th Bn. Inf. CSG; Legionnaires and other Service Men; Legion Auxiliary; Sons of Legion; Clergy; Spanish War Veterans.

In the second section will be: Bradford Manor Drum Corps, East Haven Fire Dept., Deadquarter Co., Momauguin Co.; Red Cross and Ambulance; Pequot Tribe, Red Men; Navajo Council, Pocahontas; Boy Scouts; Girl Scouts; School Children; Town Officials.

The line of march will be Parade Place up Main Street to Thompson

avenue, to Tyler; to Hemingway avenue, to River street, to Park place, to Main street, to War Memorial.

When the parade reaches River street the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and school children will not turn, but will continue to march up Hemingway avenue to Main street and back to the Town Hall, where they will be served ice cream.

Short halts will be made when the head of the column reaches Green Lawn Cemetery, where brief services will be conducted by Rev. Alfred Clark, and again at East Lawn Cemetery, where services will be conducted by Rev. William G. West. At the War Memorial on the Green services will be conducted by Harry R. Bartlett, Post No. 89, American Legion, assisted by the Post Chaplain, Rev. J. J. Broderick.

The speaker at the exercises on the Green will be State Dept. Commander, Herbert Emanuelson.

Democrats Want Primary System

The Young Democratic Club announces wide-spread interest and approval of their efforts to change the method of designating Democratic Candidates for town officers from the Caucus to the Primary system. It is believed that the primary method will give a freer and fuller expression to the electorate, and is in keeping with the population growth within the town for the past 15 years or more.

A petition bearing the names of more than 65 registered Democrats requesting this change has been presented to Town Chairman Thomas J. Flynn, authorizing him to call a party caucus within the next 10 days.

Last Man's Club Holds Big Party

Although the weather Saturday night left much to be desired a good time was had by all who attended the annual party of the Last Man's Club of Harry R. Bartlett post in the Legion Building in Thompson avenue. Thirty-four attended. Absent were Frank M. Doolittle who is in the Veteran's Hospital at Rocky Hill, Tom Clancy, William Shippee and Earnest Pemberton.

Women Urgently Needed Now To Make Dressings

An appeal is again being made for more volunteers to assist in making the weekly quota of three thousand surgical dressings in the Red Cross rooms in the Town Hall. The women who are giving five, ten and twelve hours of their time weekly are wondering why more women in the Town are not willing to give at least two hours.

These dressings are now being sent to the Pacific area and to the hospitals in this country for the returning wounded men. If these dressings were not really needed, the Army would not ask for them.

The making of the dressings is very simple, the gauze being folded on charts marked off in black lines. The sessions in the Town Hall are Mondays, from 1:30 to 4 and 7:30 to 9, Wednesdays from 10 to 4 and Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 10.

The only requirements are a wash dress and head covering. Can't the women of the town in making up their schedule for the week find at least two hours of that time to give for the comfort of the men who have given and are giving so much for us.

F.H.A. DIRECTOR HERE

John Gaffrey of Hartford, state director for the Federal Housing Administration was scheduled as

Three Children Are Injured In Canine Attacks

Three boys, all of tender age were injured painfully and received medical attention following separated attacks by unleashed dogs here the past week end. The cases brought speedy action on the part of the police and dog warden looking toward the curbing of the dog nuisance which had brought numerous complaints this spring.

Bradley Smith, 12, of 32 Edward street, was attacked, according to the police, by two dogs allegedly owned by Joseph Barnes of 118 Main street, as he was riding on his bicycle. He was treated for 16 wounds on his legs by Dr. Robert M. Taylor. Eugene Onofrio, 8, of 149 Main street was allegedly attacked by a dog in Joyce Road. The third mishap befell Edmund Henry of 62 Hughes street.

All cases are under investigation and the dogs have been rounded up by Dog Warden Porpora and will be kept in quarantine for the prescribed period to watch developments. In the meantime at campaign against unlicensed canines is underway with stringent action promised. Complaints have also been made of dogs running after automobiles and causing near accidents. It is also complained that many New Haveners have brought unwanted dogs into East Haven and released them from automobiles to get rid of them and these have contributed to the reports of damage around town.

Good Sanitation In Local Eating Places

Sanitary Inspectors Noonan of the State Health Department and Smith of the Dairy and Food Department visited 30 East Haven public eating establishments during the stay here from Saturday to Tuesday of the Mobile Field Unit of the state's Bureau of Laboratories. They took cultures from eating utensils in each place visited and report that in most of these the reports showed good sanitation. Two tests taken in the Momauguin area were not up to standard and in these instances advice was given to proprietors. The services of the unit were obtained by Health Officer Taylor.

The speaker this noon at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Rotary club in the auditorium of St. Vincent de Paul's church in Taylor avenue.

Seven East Haveners Meet On Samar

Brache, Sheifelle, Clancy, Corbett, Fiordella, Quinn and Mills. Have Home-Town Reunion In South Pacific.

By Wm. E. Fagerstrom

We have just received a round-robin letter from five of our lads who happened to meet at Calcocon, Samar. Bob Sheifelle starts the letter by saying: "How's the Bull of the Woods? We're having a little reunion here at Calcocon, Samar. There is only Dick Brache, Jack Mills, Jay Fiordella, Bob Quinn, Ray Corbett, Bill Clancy and myself Bill flew up from Mindanao. We're really talking over all the good times we had back at the good old high school. Maybe we'll all be back around the town pretty soon." Ray Corbett continues: "Well this reunion down here is really one of the books having seven fellows from East Haven together so far away. We're really having one good ball session tonight mapping out East Haven's future. We're sure able to realize now that those school days that we hated so much were really the best days after all. I don't know when we'll be home as we're all in different outfits but here's hoping it will be soon. Well I'll give the other fellows a chance now." Next we hear from Jay Fiordella: "Well here's your problem child writing you a little note. No kidding, you realize how much you miss a place when you are away from it for awhile. We're having a grand time remembering old times. Well I think that's all for now. When it comes to letter writing I'm not very good but I can still tell a good

story." Dick Brache goes on to say: "I really don't know what to write except I'm the happiest tonight I have ever been for a long time. Your problem boys all look and act the same and in my travels I have never met any to equal them. Take care now." The last note comes from Bill Clancy: "As you already know by now we are really having a fine time tonight. It's really great and it makes me real happy. We're all talking over the future for sports in East Haven. It's real fun planning the future—hope it all comes true. Take care—regards to all."

Frank Barker who is now home on furlough took his boot training at Sheepshead Bay, N.Y. His next assignment was on a Liberty Ship and he left New York, sailed through the Panama Canal and landed at points on New Guinea and in Australia. His itinerary also took him to Blac, Dutch East Indies, Leyte, and Lingayen Gulf.

French Celebrations

Al Sedon writes from France: "This is a little late I guess but they say that war is over. I have seen more celebrations here in France, than you could count. The French people really went crazy. They had firecrackers and everyone was dancing in the streets. However, the Americans, for the most part, simply were onlookers. Every man seemed to feel that war was only half over and was looking ahead to the C.B.I. or a long stay in the Army of Occupation. The French would shout to us that war was over and we would try to explain to them that it was for them

but America still had a long fight. This seemed to be a fruitless task, however. We had been expecting the surrender and had had so many false alarms it didn't come as much of a surprise to us. In all it was a great event but it only marked a point, in our march toward victory. I'll write again."

Keeps Up With Town

Dave Miller writes from Germany to say: "For some time now I have been receiving your letters and I must say I enjoy them. Your letter is one of many of this kind that I receive. Others are from the Old Stone Church and the Boy Scouts of America. Between the three I keep pretty well informed as to where my friends are and what they are doing. You have mentioned the G.I. Bill and I was wondering if you could possibly supply me with information about Wentworth Institute in Boston. At present I am like many of the others over here. I just don't know for sure what I want to do when I am discharged but I am trying hard to decide and prepare for that day. It seems that there will be so much to do that one won't know where to start. I wish I could tell you something of our activities here but as you know we have censors. I do feel, however, that I am in the best armored division over here. I'm really proud of my outfit and it's past record and I feel sure that record will never be spoiled. I'll tell you more when I get around to visit you at the high school.

More Armed Forces on page three

TOWN TOPICS

FROM OUR REPORTERS' NOTEBOOKS

Ready for Memorial Day

Fine Parade planned in afternoon.

Hope weather will be kinder to us than it has been.

We were mighty happy to learn from Mr. and Mrs. Leland Harrison Tuesday night that parents of one of Carleton's buddies had notified them from California their son Carleton is safe and sound somewhere in France.

Carleton, a sergeant in the Air Force, went down during his fourth mission over Germany on Oct. 26, 1944 and had since been a prisoner in Germany. Last word from him came on January 17 last.

School Board to meet tomorrow night to conduct routine business and plan for changes due in fall.

Well Child Conference will be held tomorrow at 2 in the Town Hall.

Mrs. Raymond Baldwin, wife of Governor Baldwin, was in town last week to present minute man flags to Gerrish avenue and Tuttle schools at exercises in the High school auditorium. Momauguin school also received the minute man flag at a program at which Peter Molloy spoke and the Bradford Manor Drum Corps entertained.

Young Republicans will attend New Haven Young G.O.P. meeting Thursday night at New Haven Lithuanian Club when Judge Clifford Sturges, nominee for Judge of Probate, will be speaker.

Pvt. Thomas Friscoe Jr., has been assigned to the University of Kentucky in Lexington following his training in South Carolina. He was accepted for the ASTP and spent nine months at the University of Connecticut and 12 weeks at Camp Croft. He is son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Friscoe of Hemingway avenue.

The Ever Ready Group will meet in the parish house Tuesday at 2:30 P.M. with Mrs. Joseph Holt and Mrs. Frank Barker as the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Flynn, announce the coming marriage of their daughter, Miss Eleanor Margaret, to Mr. Thomas Patrick Callinan, of East Haven in St. Vincent de Paul's church Saturday, June 2 at 9 A.M. A reception will follow at the 4-Pillars. Mr. Callinan was recently discharged from the Armed forces after three years of service, two and a half years of which were spent outside the country. Miss Flynn is secretary of the Democratic Town Committee.

Mrs. Thomas Boleman of Providence, R.I., spent the week end with Miss Marian Rowley of Hilton avenue.

Radio Mate First Class Beverly Burgess of Bartlett road, who was East Haven's first young woman to enter the WAVES is now at the Naval Air Base in Lakehurst and the publication issued at the Base

publishes the interesting information, with photo, that she has been awarded the medal as enlisted champion in badminton. Miss Burgess has long been interested in various sports and athletics in which she has shown considerable skill. A sister, Marjorie, is also in the WAVES, a Pharmacists Mate, in the U. S. Naval Hospital in Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. William Harmon and daughter, Jane, have returned to their home in Deerfield street, after a two weeks stay with Mrs. Harmon's mother, Mrs. Ann Norke in New Haven.

Little Bette-Jane, daughter of S-S. and Mrs. Harry R. Hander of Deerfield street is convalescing from an attack of pneumonia.

Bill Bishop has invited us to stop off for a mess of clams the next time we are down Madison way. Says there are lots of clams out on the flats this season.

ADDITIONAL TOWN TOPICS ON PAGE 2

Down Memory Lane 25 YEARS AGO

MAY 25-JUNE 1, 1920

Three of the teachers in Union school were resigning this spring and planned to enter the New Haven school system in September. They were Misses Gertrude Thompson, assistant principal of the school and the Misses Celeste Mayo and Isabelle Ferguson. All were popular teachers in the school and their resignations were received with regret. The low salaries paid here were being protested, and it was being suggested that in view of the rising cost of living which had followed the war that higher salaries should be paid to the teachers here or more would be leaving. Miss Blue another teacher at Union school was planning to retire at the close of the school year.

The East Haven Fair Association had held a meeting and decided against the original plan of holding the East Haven Fair for two days in the fall. Instead it was voted to hold it for one day only. The date set was September 18 and the site would be the East Haven Green. President Edwin Allendar reported much interest in the forthcoming fair.

Chris Saunders, the popular assistant in the local Post Office was enjoying a well-earned vacation from his duties taking care of the mail.

Keith Holt and some of his classmates at Wesleyan planned to motorcycle to Kansas the coming summer to work on the wheatfields during vacation.

Misses Clara and Lottie Street were the leaders at W.C.T.U. monthly meeting.

Rev. H. A. Grantham of Christ church gave an interesting and informative illustrated lecture on his trip to Oberammergau to see the famous Passion Play.

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Garden Notes

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Mrs. M. D. Stanley, Correspondent

Who has seen the wind?
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But when the leaves hang trembling
The wind is passing through.

Who has seen the wind?
Neither you nor I
But when the trees bow down their heads,
The wind is passing by.

Christina Rossetti

A most enjoyable evening was spent at the Library Friday by the Garden Club members and guests. When Mr. John H. Birch gave an informal illustrated talk on "Roses." Mr. Birch is a member of the American Rose Society and through his membership was able to obtain the loan of these pictures. The lecture was read by Mrs. Samuel A. Griswold, president, who also presided and introduced Mr. Birch. Mr. Ferguson was in charge of the lantern. The beautiful colored slides of rose gardens, single sprays of roses and description of the proper method of pruning and also the plans of fertilization were shown. The roses were of many varieties and all colors, the yellow roses being especially lovely and unusual. Some of the old standards were mentioned, also the latest roses in the market.

We are most grateful to Mr. Birch for this great treat. Mrs. John McCabe and Miss Corone Kenyon were hostesses.

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Monday, June 4th, all the Bankers Express Club members will journey to Brooklyn to visit the Botanic Gardens. Members wishing to make the trip are asked to notify Mrs. Griswold as soon as possible.

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- Sorrentino's Neighborhood Store
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Junior Prom Echoes
Echoes from the Junior Prom held last Friday evening in the High School gymnasium hall it as one of the most successful ever

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Senior Class Card Party
The Senior Class is making plans to hold a Card Party in the High School gymnasium on May 29th at 8:30 P.M. Many door prizes were contributed by East Haven and New Haven business men and interested townspeople. The proceeds will go to the Memorial Organ Fund.

Miss Matthews III
Sorry indeed are we to hear that Zita Matthews, of the Social Service Department, is ill at her home. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Entertain At Branch
The Homecoming Department is entertaining faculty members once a week to a brunch as part of their instruction in the art of being good hostesses.

Art Education Today

Jean Hixie, Art Supervisor, in East Haven Schools

Modern art education has as its objective the enrichment of the lives of all whom it reaches. This is done by providing the opportunity to register one's reactions to any life experience.

In East Haven's schools, boys and girls are encouraged to express by means of drawing, painting, modeling, cutting with scissors, pasting, and when possible, weaving, carving, and constructing their thoughts and feelings about what they have experienced and observed. Exciting materials such as bright crayons, paints and papers, pen and ink for sketching and lettering, finger paint, spatter ink, charcoal, chalk, modeling clay are offered by the Art Department to stimulate keen imaginations and coordinate hand and mind.

When Children Are Young
In the first years of school there is much time given for art work. When the child can experiment in color to "see how it works" at first and then to set down a story. These first works, rather meaningless to the adult observer, have an amazing story attached to it. He will give a few moments of interested attention to the small creature, the sympathetic, if bewildered, attention of the adult which gives the confidence to the child which will spur him to more and clearer work as he grows in altitude and skill. It is important to recognize that the child is doing the best he can for his age, and his work should be respected as such. Development of the finer muscles in the arms and hands is helped by problems in cutting, folding, pasting, and modeling, and to the child it is all such fun!

In the middle years of elementary school the child's greater experience and observation causes him to judge his own work by more adult standards, so that it is here that thoughtful guidance from parent

With Our Poets

HIS MOTHER'S PRAYER
I gave my son, my only one,
To fight 'gainst hatred and 'gainst greed,
I sent him far across the dreadful seas,
My heavenly Father, give him
back to me.
I gave my son, the little lamb,
To keep the fog from out our land,
And spilling all by cruel hand,
Oh, God, please, give him back to me.
I gave my son, I borne, I raised,
To save the world, by good, enured,
The dreaded monster, to efface,
O, Loving Father give him back to me.
I gave my son, my precious one,
Like loyal Mothers all have done,
And if he comes no more, this
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With The BOYS IN SERVICE

Pfc. Frank T. Page, Church Street, writes to say "thanks" for a birthday card. "Well the war in the E.T.O. is over today." He goes on to say that he can hardly believe "I have visited the famous 'Munich Beer Hall', where they drank and it started and where we drank and it ended."

Charles McCarthy, U.S.N., is in town for a few days. Major William Bodie, formerly of Montauque Street is on leave with his family in New Haven. Cpl. Anthony Donadio of Chestnut Street is spending a 10-day furlough here. Seaman Charles Gauggel, Grove Street sends greetings from California.

The promotion of John P. Dwyer from Corporal to Sergeant was announced "somewhere in England" by Col. Albert J. Shower, commanding Officer of the 497th Bombardment Group.

Sgt. Dwyer entered the Army on August 5, 1942 and went overseas in March, 1945. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Dwyer of Short Beach.

Petty Officer Second Class George Shemouny son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shemouny of 214 Main Street, was home recently for an eleven day leave after being in the Pacific on a combat duty for sixteen months and took part in many sea battles and invasions among them that of the Philippines and Iwo Jima.

While in New Guinea he met Ziegler Zaleski and Michael Meglin both of Branford and had quite a chat about the past week.

The ship Shemouny is stationed on also took part in the North African Campaign and the Sicilian Campaign. He is home on leave after the invasion of Sicily, as the ship returned for repairs. He is now awaiting orders in Seattle, Wash.

P-3 Alfred Anderson and Mrs. Anderson have returned to Atlantic City after a visit here.

Cpl. John O'Shannon, 23 son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis O'Shannon of 22 Meadow Street, has arrived at the AAF Convalescent Hospital at Plattsburg Barracks, N.Y.

Cpl. Sansone served overseas in the Southwest Pacific with an attack unit from February, 1942 until January, 1945. He has the Purple Heart and the Pacific Theatre Ribbon with five battle stars.

Promotion of Joseph P. Gunkowski, North Ivy Street, to staff sergeant has been announced by headquarters of a Ninth Air Force Mauder group at a base in France.

Cgt. Gunkowski is a veteran of more than 45 combat missions as an aerial gunner with Col. Gove C. Cello's 394th Bombardment Group which has been officially commended several times in its first year of operations for superior bombing of enemy targets.

Mrs. John Cream of Chestnut Street will mark her birthday Saturday. A family gathering will be held Sunday.

Lanphier's Cove

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peterson, who bought the Rathbun-Lewis house last fall are remodeling it and have the work well underway. Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Harn are at their summer cottage here.

Even Dozen met Tuesday night with Al Paradis, Branford Hills.

Leona Haddock enjoyed a birthday celebration Thursday.

George Trapp, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Trapp of Burr Street let yesterday for Navy training on the Great Lakes.

Mrs. Herbert Jackson whose birthday is Memorial Day will have a party Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin J. Jackson and children, June, George and Russell of Bethany; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer and Miss Nancy Cabot of Westville; Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Jackson and daughter, JoAnn of Newington; and Mrs. Shirley Jackson of New York City.

Extensive cleaning up and redecorating is taking place at Double Beach.

Many of the campers have opened their cottages at Lanphier's Cove for the season.

Flight Officer and Mrs. Richard Field (Eileen Money) returned yesterday to Texas.

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WHAT NOTS

From the Records:

The affairs of the town are carried on at a yearly outlay of about \$17,000, about one-seventh of that amount being used for the maintenance of the poor. There was, in 1890, a debt of \$31,470.40, \$30,000 of which was bonded. The grand list of the previous year was \$1,881,618, and the rate of taxation 12 mills.

Other day Lew Warner reminded us that the average cost for water in the U.S.A. is a fraction over 1 cent per person per day. The success of U.S. military advances in the Pacific make unnecessary another collection of milkweed pods this year. Last fall Connecticut boys and girls collected 10,810 bags of pods to supply milkweed food needed as a substitute for kajak no longer available for military purposes from the usual Pacific sources.

Looks like there will be 20 gold stars on the honor roll... First Aid Week and Poppy Week... Imagine, son, twice a going... Diaper dictator reaches the age where a child commences to collect valuables. Anyone missing a red toy truck lacking a rear left wheel; a white fur ball resembling the tail of a bunny, suitable for playing baseball, one mop, slightly soiled; one hat; two shoelaces, one with handle, one without; they are a set of Iris buds may apply to lost and found department under the back steps—and identifying same....

The Reading Board is carrying things a bit too far. There's been a plenty talk about how we shall celebrate when our boys come home at a time and nothing much can be done about it. Excitement prevailed this week when it was learned that a group of Battery Boys are due to arrive any moment. At the Reading Office where Dot Nell May Johnson Marion Harrison and Bernice Pond were working they expressed delight at the anticipated return but when a batch of sugar coupons called out the window to fall as a floral path beneath the returning hero's feet, we think that is carrying things a bit too far. We say give the boys anything they want, let them shower the sidewalk with coupons before they even get into town is rationing never found in the rule book. Walter Palmer, out on a big real estate deal, caught them mid-air and returned them to the four girls who sailed downstairs faster than the wind took the coupons out the window.

Visited the Mobile Unit yesterday and found John Morris and A. P. Eisner present to "be educated" in

the art of dishwashing. If expertly washed LaCroix following hospitalization after an automobile accident. They were anxious to receive the dent.

Mrs. Ruth Evick, Teen-Age leader, will serve an Italian spaghetti supper to the group next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Members are asked to bring their own table service—and cheese.

Mrs. Victor LaCroix is recuperating at the home of her son, Est-

Georgia Chapter, O.E.S., will hold a military whist Tuesday, May 29 in the Community House. Mrs. Reuel Lindberg is chairman. Refreshments will be served and prizes awarded.

Port Oglethorpe.

Mrs. Charles Scoville of Short Beach accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Guilford, have returned from Georgia where they visited Charlotte Young, a WAC at

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PEANUT BUTTER 23¢

PLUM PRESERVES 25¢

BLACKBERRY 25¢

STRAWBERRY 25¢

RASPBERRY 25¢

MARMALADE 15¢

Steak Cod 25¢

Flounder Fillets 35¢

Red Fish Fillets 32¢

BREAD FLOUR 99¢

PASTRY FLOUR 97¢

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 1.25

PILLSBURY'S BEST FLOUR 1.25

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JUNKET 8¢

TOOTSIE V-M 47¢

KYBO COFFEE 51¢

SODAS 24¢

BRILLO 8¢

20 MULE BORAX 27¢

BORAXO 13¢

WINDEX 25¢

CAMEO 3 CLANSER 23¢

CASHMERE CAKE 9¢

TOILET SOAP 23¢

WOODBURY'S FACIAL SOAP 3¢

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NORTH BRANFORD

Services in the local churches on Sunday will be: Mass at 8:15 o'clock at St. Augustine's Catholic Church...

Pine Orchard

Mrs. J. D. Eggleston of Pelham, N.Y., has been spending several days at her summer home here...

SHORT BEACH

ST. ELIZABETH R. C. CHURCH Pastor, Rev. William O'Brien...

BIRTHDAYS

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MEMORIAL DAY The Memorial Day committee have announced plans for the local observance of the day...

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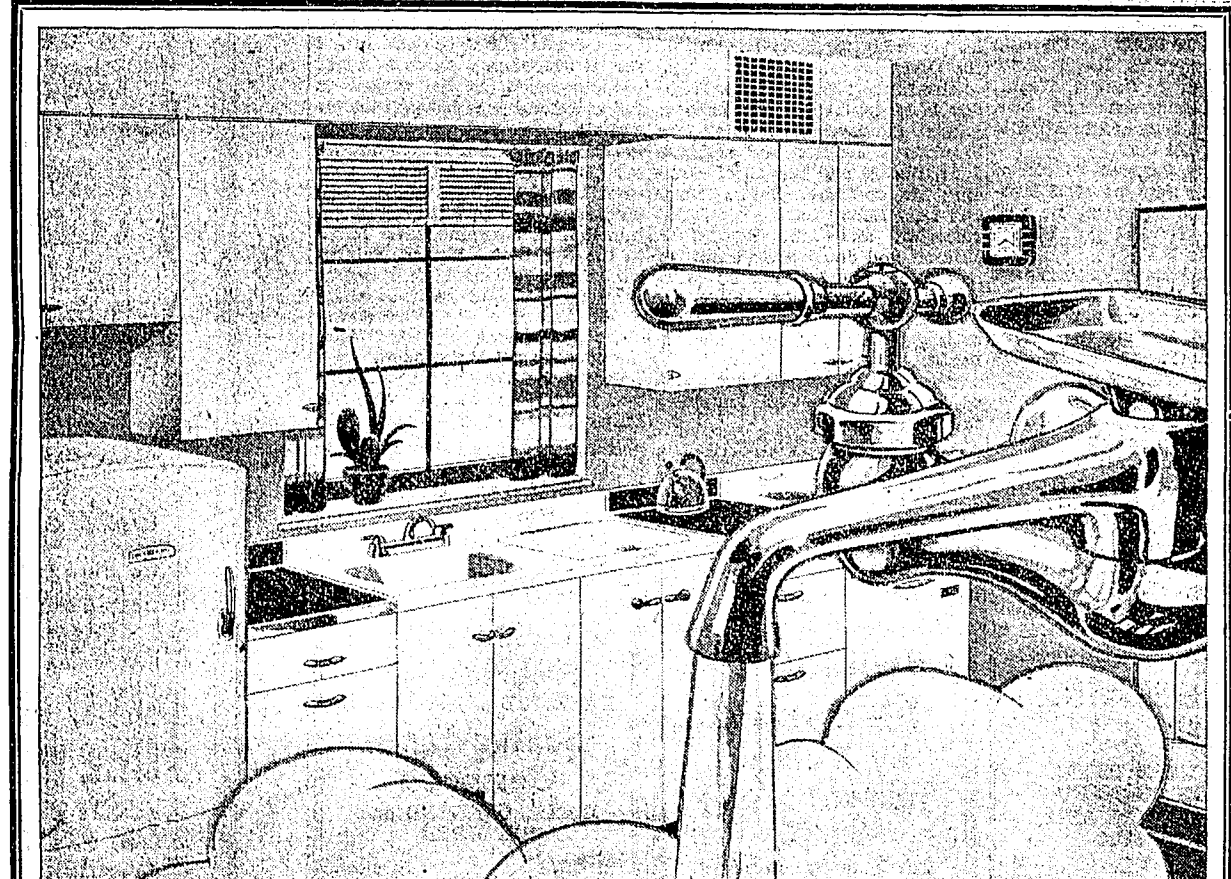
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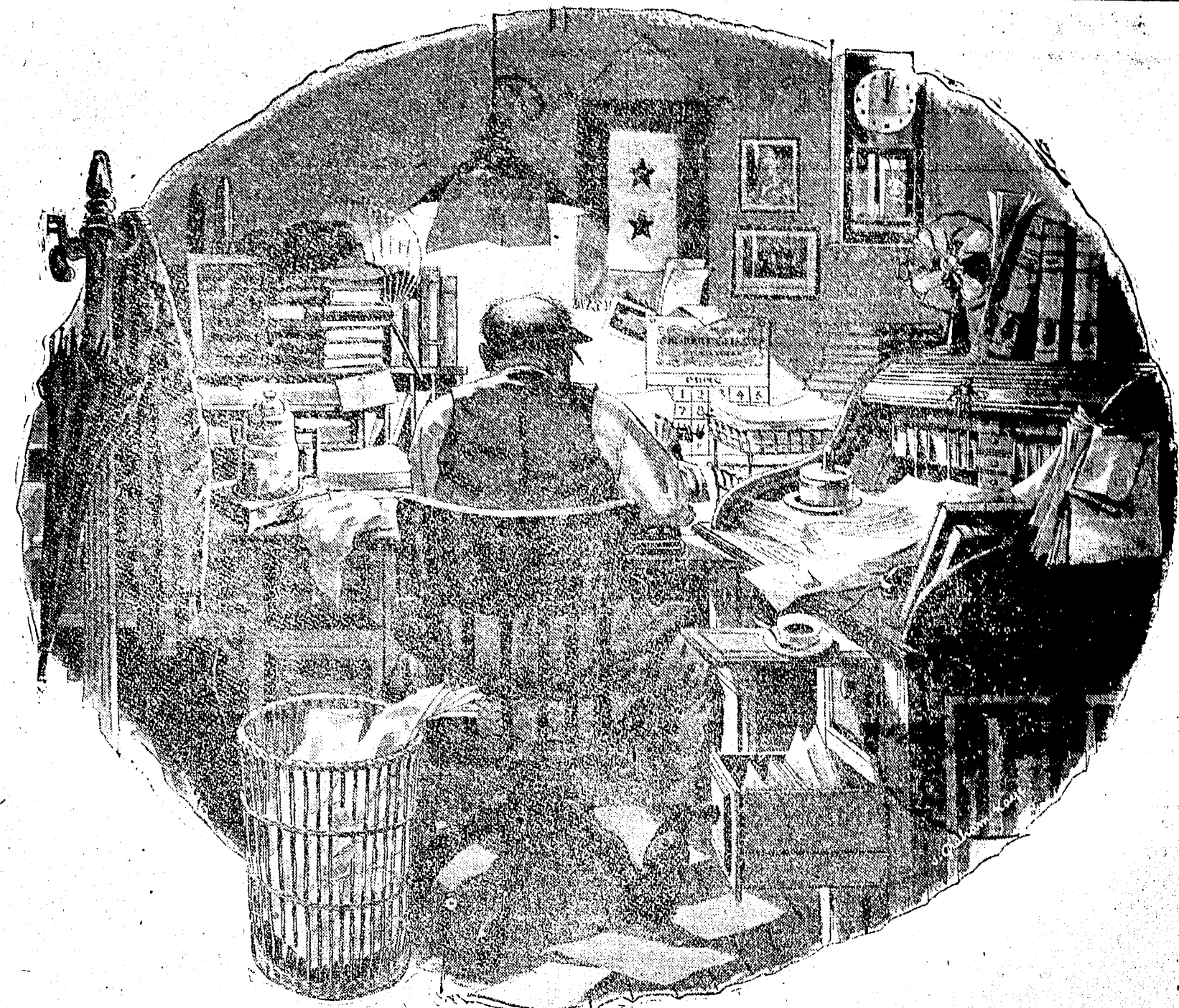


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THE COUNTRY EDITOR

Keys chatter under his two-fingered tapping. Now and then he pauses 'x's' out a word... and rattles on.

Maybe it's the servicemen's column... notes on Red Cross activities... a report of the last grange meeting...

Whatever it is, there's plenty to write about these days and no one feels his responsibility more than the country editor.

He's not looking for any thanks. If you told him that he stood for one of our most cherished traditions—a free press—he'd probably just say "uh huh" and let it go at that.

To him, this is a job of work... a job that a good newspaperman can do only one way... to the best of his ability.

He doesn't count the page after page he's given away for good causes. He doesn't begrudge the long hours he has to put in.

When the time comes to hand out honors, way up near the top of our list will be the country editor... the man who has done more than anybody else to keep the home front informed...

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Branford's News — Review

Playground Supervisor Appointed For Summer Recreational Schedule

Miss Adema Hodgkins Will Be On Hammer Field Afternoon— Joseph Bruno To Supervise Forenoon Play Equipment Due To Arrive—Opening Program Planned.

An appointment as playground supervisor for Hammer Field Recreational Center has been given to Miss Adema Hodgkins.

Miss Hodgkins is a teacher at the Fotee School, New Haven. Last year she was engaged in the New Haven Recreational program. She also has conducted a private play school. She is a graduate of New Haven Teachers College.

The program at Hammer Field will depend largely on the attendance. Miss Hodgkins is prepared to offer a full recreational program of games, folk dancing, free play, dramatics, group singing, story hour and handicraft, serving, wearing, etc.

Michael Giordano has been given the contract to set up the apparatus which was shipped May 8 and May 14 and which should arrive in town any day now.

An opening day program is being planned by Mr. Bruno, Mrs. Carpinella and Miss Hodgkins. The date cannot be set until the equipment arrives. Those working on arrangements hope to have the field in operation early in June.

The committee, headed by Mrs. Michael Carpinella and Rev. A. W. Jones again wish to thank all those who have made the start of a playground program possible.

Red Cross Drive Contributed \$15,110

Mrs. Roger A. Benton, chairman of the 1945 Red Cross War Fund Drive, announced that final figures show that \$15,110.18 was contributed in the drive here.

PTA INSTALLS OFFICERS

Mrs. Merton W. Clement was installed Monday night as president of the Short Beach P.T.A. She will have assisting her Mrs. Gordon Benson, vice president; Mrs. William McBride, secretary; Mrs. Earl Blake, corresponding secretary and Mrs. John Collopy, treasurer.

Mrs. Leo Brennan, ways and means chairman reported that \$32.40 was realized at the recent white elephant auction. It was voted to give a contribution to the V.N.A.

Mrs. George Trapp, retiring president was presented with a past presidents pin. At the conclusion of the business meeting Mrs. Franklin Meek and her committee served refreshments.

PRIZE FOR GARDEN

Branford Grange No. 200, announces that it will award a \$25 War Bond this summer for the person having the best Victory Garden in Branford.

Sometime in August the organization will hold a Grange Day and at that time will make the award. Everyone is invited to enter this contest.

Junior high school pupils enjoyed a picnic Thursday afternoon at Hotchkiss Grove.

Cancer Campaign Has Week To Go

Branford's total in the Cancer Drive has now reached \$535 which leaves an amount of \$270 to be collected before the drive is concluded on May 31, general chairman William J. Ahern revealed last night.

All persons desiring to aid this national effort to rid the nation of the dread disease are asked to make their checks payable to Mr. Harrison Lang, treasurer.

The periodic physical examination is one means of finding illness, especially cancer at an early stage. Some of the money raised in the American Cancer Society Campaign will be used for diagnosis, other funds will be set aside for education and research.

It has been found that cancer occurs most often among persons over 50 years of age, younger persons are not safe.

At the home, Hopson Avenue, they expect Cpl. Dominic J. Raioia today or tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Emelio Gargamali of Silver Street expect their son Pfc. Glisto Gargamali home. He went overseas with the Battery over three years ago.

These prices for dressed weight in retail outlets, he said, are as follows:

Broilers, fryers and roasters, 50c; light capons, 50c; heavy capons, 55c; fowl, 45c; stags, 39c.

These up-to-the-minute ceilings will remain in effect, he said, until June 1, when a new list will come out.

Pinkham Elected Rotary President

Raymond E. Pinkham, Superintendent of Schools has been elected president of the Branford Rotary Club for the ensuing year starting July 1.

Dr. George W. Pacher of New Haven, associated with the Conn. Agricultural Experimental Station, addressed the club on "The History of the Sulfa Drugs and Penicillin."

Memorial Parade Moves Out At Nine

Leaves Armory For Line Of March Ending At Green For Exercises—Principal Address By Major Theodore Sizer.

Eugene B. Rodney, Marshal of the Memorial Day Parade announces the orders of the day for the parade and exercises for May 30th.

Joseph A. Donadio and George Sudac, World War II Veterans will act as aides to the Marshal. John J. Ahern has been designated as Marshal of the second section.

All units will assemble at the State Armory, at 8:30 A.M. sharp. First section: Police Escort, Marshal and Aides, High School Band, Co. I, C.S.G., American Legion, 103rd P.A. Association, Veterans.

Line of March: Parade will move out promptly at 9 A.M. from Armory on South Montowese Street to Hobart's Bridge (1st Section

More Battery Boys Arrive

Branford Battery returns. Those are three words the town has hoped to say for over three years. They went off some 80 strong and have been separated from the unit or returned in groups of twos and threes.

Those remaining in the war area will be some half-dozen who previously came on 30-day furloughs. There is reason to believe that the men were granted rotation furloughs before the point system became effective.

Among those known definitely to have landed in the states are: T-5 Joseph J. Donadio was among those to reach California and his family are eagerly awaiting his arrival.

Cpl. George D. Birbarie of Hillside Avenue is with the boys. At the Raioia home, Hopson Avenue, they expect Cpl. Dominic J. Raioia today or tomorrow.

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Sgt. Burton Dickinson notified his father, Friend Dickinson of Stone Street, of his arrival on the West Coast and said he hoped to arrive in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lipkovich of Ivy Street received a telegram from their son, Cpl. Steven Lipkovich that he had arrived on the West Coast.

Walter J. Kolodza, 26, of 54 Sycaway Street, West Haven, test pilot for the Chance Vought division of the United Aircraft Corporation in Stratford, escaped with only minor burns yesterday morning when a Corsair fighter plane which he was testing caught fire and plunged into land off Short Beach Road, opposite Mansfield Grove Road, bordering the East Haven River as he headed for the airport.

Kolodza, parachuted to earth, landed shoulder deep in the river from which he was rescued by residents of the area after swimming to the dock. He was taken to the airport to make his report.

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Evart Holmstrom In Allied Hands

Lt. Carl Evart Holmstrom is well in Allied hands, and expects to be home soon. This message, received Saturday accounts for the fourth of Branford's prisoners of war. Lt. James Comer, T. Sgt. John Ward and Lt. Howard Gebel got word through to their parents a few days ago.

Holmstrom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holmstrom, Sherwood Street, Granite Bay and has been a P.O.W. for nearly three years.

He crashed in North Africa over enemy-occupied territory. Recently he was moved from near Poland to Dresden. His parents had not heard from him since October.

TAXPAYERS NOTICE

Borough taxpayers are notified that the rate of 2 1/4 mills on the '44 list are due and payable June 1st.

Republicans Told Of Tough Going Through Pacific

The Jap is a tough customer, Rep John E. Russell of Hadlyme in speaking on "Problems of the Pacific War" at a meeting of the Women's Republican Club Monday night said that the natural resources and geography of Japan coupled with his religion makes him a tough customer to conquer.

The road to his home island is a treacherous path of shallow channels, mountainous barren islands, coral reefs and volcanic lands via the Pacific. Overland by the Alaska route ice makes progress impossible and from India there are no railroads or even decent roads toward China.

So, said Mr. Russell, victory over the land of the rising sun must be done the long hard way and, we who think the peace is half won must remember that the enemy has excellent war materials, its resources are plentiful and it has 4 million soldiers as yet untouched by war. The road to Japan is tough.

Lt. Col. Russell is currently on inactive duty after more than two years in China, Burma, India, Egypt and Libya.

With the sounds, sights and problems of the war area fresh in his mind he proved himself an intelligent, intense and informed speaker on Pacific problems.

Pilot Bails Out As Plane Burns

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Sanitary Inspector Finds Local Eating Places In A "Good" Condition

Dr. A. S. McQueen And Mobile Field Unit Staff Take Bacteria Counts On Swabs From 14 Eating Places—General Inspection Made By Senior Sanitary Inspector.

Gives Guidance In Termination Of Contracts

Kenneth L. Childs, Manager of the New Haven District Office of the Smaller War Plants Corporation, announced today that a contract termination survey is being conducted throughout the district in the interests of the small manufacturers. Mr. Childs stated that more than 300 companies employing fewer than 50 wage earners are being visited for the purpose of guiding them through the proper channels with their contract termination problems.

The average small plant does not have the necessary personnel to keep pace with contract termination procedures. They need competent instruction and guidance.

Several meetings will be conducted in the near future in some of the larger cities within the district. These meetings will be sponsored by SWPC for the benefit of all small companies interested in learning more about the necessary steps pertaining to settlement of their terminated contracts.

Each meeting will be limited to approximately 25 companies, so that each company's problems can be discussed and given individual attention. Mr. Childs urges that any company not already contacted by an SWPC representative should immediately contact the New Haven office, in order that they may be notified when these meetings are scheduled.

Scout Camporee At Camp Morton

The annual Branford District Boy Scout Camporee will be held Saturday and Sunday at Camp Morton. Scouts from Branford, North Branford, Guilford and Madison will pitch tent and make camp for two days.

The public is invited to visit and learn about this years activities. There will be contests and a Court of Honor. Parents are especially urged to be present at a program at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

District Officer Speaks On Prices

The Branford Area Price Panel met Tuesday evening in the local War Price and Rationing office with 15 present. Problems of price control in North Branford, Branford, Madison, Guilford and East Haven were discussed.

Director Harold Beloin of the state office who answered questions concerning ceilings on meat, eggs, poultry, cars and cotton goods.

Director Belvin produced figures showing but a two per cent increase of cost of living since OPA became effective.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

The Short Beach honor roll committee is planning a memorial service soon. The date will be announced in a few days.

FREDERICK SHEIFFELE

The death of Frederick Sheiffele occurred in New Haven Hospital Saturday morning after a long illness. Mr. Sheiffelle, born in New Haven, is survived by two daughters, Mrs. James Cronin and Mrs. Carl Steeves of West Haven; two sons, Louis Sheiffelle of Branford, and Clarence Sheiffelle of East Haven.

THE FINEST SERVICE

The funeral service will be held in the parlors of M. F. Walker & Sons Monday afternoon. Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

BRANFORD VISITED

Dr. A. S. McQueen and his mobile field unit staff took a survey of the public eating establishments in Branford. The survey was conducted by Health Officer Arthur S. McQueen, for the purpose of making a survey of the distwashing efficiency of the public eating establishments.

Edward B. Noonan, senior sanitary inspector and Xavier Morkus, bacteriologist were directing the survey here.

Mr. Noonan said at noon today as the unit left for Guilford that 14 eating places were visited with the health officer and conditions were found "good". Reports of inspections and bacteria counts of the swabs will be sent to Dr. McQueen who will furnish each restaurateur with his count.

Dr. McQueen points out that the survey is entirely educational in character and intended to aid restaurateur proprietors in the problem of securing not only clean but also "bacteria free" eating utensils.

A sanitary survey of the physical condition of the restaurants was made to show conformance to the State Sanitary Code, by an inspector from the Bureau of Sanitary Engineering of the State Department of Health.

Cultures were secured from the surfaces of eating and drinking utensils by swabbing selected glasses, cups and spoons with sterile cotton swabs which are then shaken in sterile sal solution. Total bacterial counts are made in the field laboratory on this solution.

Those cultures developing less than 100 bacterial colonies per utensil are considered excellent, while a total of no more than 500 colonies is said to be only fairly satisfactory, with counts over 500 indicating some fault either in washing, sterilizing or the subsequent storage of the cleaned utensils. Tests made by the state department have shown that satisfactory counts can be secured by careful conscientious attention to the essentials of dish washing, and to sterilization and proper storage of the utensils.

Most of the restaurant proprietors visited the mobile laboratory when tests were being made and the public as well inspected the well equipped laboratory-on-wheels.