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A LITTLE ABOUT THIS AND THAT
BY PAUL H. STEVENS

LOOKING AHEAD TO 1947

The New Year is always a good time for stock-taking. It is the time when we look back over the past, recount our achievements, and make plans and build for the future.

Many of the hopes, to which we looked forward to a year ago, have been fulfilled, others are yet to be achieved, but, all in all, 1946 has been a good year for East Haven.

Our most critical problem a year ago was housing. That is still our No. 1 problem although many new dwellings were completed during the year and still more have been started or are in the advanced planning stage. Complete development of East Haven as a residential community depends largely upon the installation of a modern sewage disposal system. During 1946 a master plan for such a system was drawn up for the town fathers, and will probably be made the subject of general public discussion in the near future. With the new State Legislature convening after the new year this would seem an auspicious time for our town to seek the establishment of a sewer district for the area in which sewers are most needed, so that if and when a system is constructed it will be paid for only by those in the area to be served.

Progress has been made on our new War Memorial Athletic Field, and three-quarters of the area has been seeded. We believe the field will be ready for more or less general use the coming season.

There has been progress in our schools and a growing public interest in the educational needs of this community. We hope this interest will increase as the months go on. The new football team at the high school had an auspicious first season and the new year should see the development of greater interest in our school athletics.

The new highway to Momauguin was completed during the year and the street cars there have made way for motor buses. Complete elimination of street cars may come during 1947, and it is to be hoped that the transportation system will be extended into areas not now served.

Agitation has gone forward for a new Post Office Building and this has won approval in high places. Favorable action awaits only the time, we understand, when building materials become available. A new Post Office is one of our most urgent needs.

There has been much new business development in town. New stores have opened and others are projected. With the easing of building materials there should be an increased business boom along Main street. There is need also for factories, and already certain industries are looking the ground over for favorable locations here. These will require the careful consideration of the Zoning Commission so that the rights of neighbors will be considered but at the same time the possibility of loss of industries to the town may be averted.

Considerable ground work has been laid looking toward a Town Bank. The pioneer work in this direction has been done by the new Business Association, now a year old, which has carried on many activities for the benefit of the business people and the community as a whole.

Looming large on the agenda for 1947 will be the Welcome Home Celebration for the World War II Veterans. A committee is already hard at work on this project and the celebration will have the wholehearted support of all the organizations and the people of the town. It will be a long step ahead in the development of a proper Community Spirit.

Let's all help to make 1947 one of East Haven's best years.

A COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS

Christmas, 1946, has come and gone, and we believe that, from a community standpoint, it was one of the best that East Haven has ever enjoyed. There was an outpouring this season of a real Christmas spirit that seemed to increase as the glad holidays approached. Last year the war had only recently ended, and there was not the opportunity for celebrating that we have enjoyed this year. In fact this has been the first real Christmas for most of us since before 1941, and the townspeople have made the most of the event.

To begin with, the Business Association, starting early in the year, had set a colorful background for the Christmas season by providing street decorations and a nightly illumination which reached along Main street from the Town Green to Bradley Avenue. The Town followed with an illumination of the living Christmas tree on the Green, and of the honor roll on the Town Hall terrace. Then came the installation of Chimes at the Stone church through the instrumentality of the Junior Women's League, which made possible the filling of the air with Christmas music during the week before Christmas. Merchants added to the Christmas setting by trimming their store windows and decorating their buildings better than ever before. At East Lawn Cemetery a beautiful illuminated cross flashed nightly from the Memorial Chapel. Residences around town reflected the gay spirit with multicolored lights and other gay decorations.

The exercises and services in all of the Churches were beautiful and brought out large and devout congregations. In the schools and at the various meetings of lodges and clubs the Christmas celebrations were better than ever.

East Haven this year was truly a Town with a real Community Christmas Spirit. May such observances continue here and grow in interest as the years go on.

KENNETH ROBERTS' NEW NOVEL

One of the new novels to be released after the New Year, Kenneth Roberts' "Lydia Bailey", will, we venture to predict, cause quite a stir in the book world. Its release date is January 2, and we have been fortunate enough to read it in advance. We have long been a Kenneth Roberts fan and his "Northwest Passage", "Oliver Wiswell", "Captain Caution", "Rabble in Arms" and "Arundel" brought to us in the past many delightful hours.

Kenneth Roberts is an author who has never yet failed to present American history more daringly, accurately, unconventionally, and yet more fascinatingly than any other writer who might be named. His new romance is woven around the thrilling life of Lydia Bailey and Albion Hamlin, and their strange adventures in Haiti after the Negro uprising under Christophe and Toussaint L'Ouverture, and in Tripoli during the brief war between the young United States and the Barbary pirates.

He has uncovered facts which bring disgrace to small men who held high place in those days, and tardy recognition to big souls who ought to have received high honors from their country but who never did. Many of his characters actually lived and did the things he writes about, as those who read his previous historical novels well know. As a result of his novel writing Mr. Roberts has made long winter evenings.

Football Team Feted At The High School

On Thursday December 19, the first East Haven High School football team was honored at a banquet sponsored by the Athletic Association and prepared by the High School Cafeteria Staff. Rev. William G. West gave the invocation. After 135 pounds of turkey was consumed by the team and guests the program was turned over to toastmaster Bart Gaffney, former coach of the E. H. Rangers. The guest speakers were William E. Gillis, Supt. of schools, Huoh Cox, chairman of the Board of Education Harold La Point chairman of Board of Education Athletic committee, Lou DeFilippo, of East Haven, former Fordham Football captain, and at present with the New York Giants, Eddie O'Donnell Supervisor of Physical Education for the athletes at Yale and Ray Smith, Physical director at E. H. S. The entire team was presented with gold footballs engraved with their names and dived into the presentation Coach A. Pollano made comments on the ability of each player. In the absence of Larry Colley who is confined to N. H. Hospital recuperating from an operation his mother, Mrs. Cleary, received his award. William E. Fagerstrom, Principal of the high school awarded Coach Pullano a football and paid him a fitting tribute for the work he has done to make football possible in E. H. S. Rod Pickett and Bud Tinari, Co-Captains of this year's team, on behalf of the team, presented Coach Pullano with a table radio in appreciation of his efforts in making their success possible, to their nurse Florence Leeds Parker, R. N., they gave a beautiful gold compact, in appreciation for her services to them as "the only female trainer in the United States" to quote Eddie O'Donnell, and to Joe Mayo, in charge of extra curricular activities they gave a gold cigarette case. All three gifts were inscribed "presented to by the first E. H. S. football team, 1946". After singing led by Tom Graham Fugle Perrotti and Doc Proto were named Co-Captains of the 1947 team to succeed Pickett and Tinari who are seniors. During the banquet many pictures were taken by Mr. Lucas of Lucas Studios. This was indeed a fitting conclusion to a most successful first year of football at E. H. S. and under Coach Pullano everyone anticipates an even greater victory for the team next year.

Junior League Gives Chimes To Stone Church

Though the efforts of the Junior League of the Stone Church under the direction of Mrs. Robert Foster, chimes have been installed in the church and were heard for the first time during the present Christmas season. The program of Christmas carols which marked the installation of the chimes added much to the community Christmas spirit last Saturday afternoon. The chimes, which are similar to those which have been placed in Plymouth church in New Haven, were installed by Eric G. Curry of the East Haven Radio Co. The two amplifiers which are a part of the equipment have been placed far up in the belfry of the historic church, above the town clock and the church bell. From their height nearly 150 feet above Main street they can be heard in all parts of the town. Reports from Morris Cove are that they have been heard there and also at Momauguin and points in the northern part of the town. Regular programs will be presented during the year, according to plans made.

Kurt And Koda, From Germany, Like Our Town

If they had tails, which they haven't Kurt and Koda, two German Boxer dogs, of a breed seldom seen in these parts, would be wagging them merrily these days, because the pair, a brother and sister, recently arrived by boat from Frankfurt, Germany, are delighted with East Haven where they will make their home in the future. The pair of German dogs were sent by Walter Monaco to his father, Emanuel Monaco of Laurel street, and they have already become favorites with the Monaco family and their neighbors. Walter, who was in the armed forces, is staying on in Frankfurt as an employee of the U. S. government. The canines are ten months old, weigh about 60 pounds each, have short pointed ears, no tails, are brown and sleeky with black faces, and have very gentle dispositions.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh C. Kean of 42 Bishop Street announce the birth of a daughter, Janet on December 19, in the New Haven Hospital. This is the couple's third child. Mrs. Kean is the former Edith LaPoint.

Xmas Season Mail Heavy At Post Office

The Christmas season of 1946 will go down as one of the busiest yet at the East Haven Branch Post Office. The volume of mail was heavier by far than a year ago but the staff, under Superintendent John Murphy, and augmented by many extra employees labored diligently and had all of the thousands of packages and cards delivered to their destinations by Christmas Day. The office was open until 9 P. M. daily during the Christmas rush and the staff was also pressed into service Sunday when the office was open for a while and the carriers were out making their rounds. All of the additional help were East Haveners. The additional clerks were Barbara H. Sturgess, Marilyn Swanson and Daniel F. Beebler. Included in the list of additional carriers were Andrew F. Ferraro, Robert T. Shoemaker, Curtis F. Palmer, Ralph S. Caccace, Frank V. Arpaia, Eugene B. DeFilippo, Robert R. Caron, George H. Weber, Paul A. Albano, Jean Fiordella, Joseph R. Passarella, David Miller, Jr., and Henry Weber. Supt. Murphy says that the receipts at the local branch have increased to a very large extent the past year, so much so in fact that post office box rates which are governed by the office receipts have gone up effective January 1, the 45 cent boxes to 60 cents, the 60 cent boxes to 75 cents, and the 75 cent boxes to a dollar.

Christmas Party Of Homemaking Group

The Homemaking Group held a Christmas party last week in the Foxon Congregational church enjoying a Christmas dinner with plum pudding, also games and a general good time. Those attending were Mrs. C. T. Warner, Mrs. Dwight Keeler, Mrs. C. W. Patton, Mrs. George Lettiss, Mrs. Leo Whalen, Mrs. David Hunter, Mrs. John Kaiser, Mrs. Warren Newton, Mrs. Herbert Herr, Mrs. Nils Hanson, Mrs. Arthur Hausman, Mrs. William Gillis, Mrs. Sorenson, Mrs. Herbert Blackeslee, Miss Joan Keeler and the leader, Mrs. Ralph Hewitt.

LAUREL SCHOOL P. T. A. HAS CHRISTMAS MEETING

The December meeting of the Laurel P. T. A. was held Thursday evening at the Laurel school. Mr. Burton Reed of the Citizen's Group committee addressed the members. Following the business meeting Miss Regina Danielson entertained with an accordion and Christmas carols were sung. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Jennie Carasino.

Both Are Veterans Who Saw Service As Aerial Photographers With Bombers

home of their ancestors since pioneer times. The Grannis house is one of the oldest dwellings still standing on the east side of New Haven harbor. It was partially burned by the British in the invasion of 1779 and rebuilt. For some time before and after the turn of the present century it was the farm house of Collis B. Grannis, great-grandfather of the Brinley brothers and the farm lands reached to the harbor where the Koppers Coke company and other big plants are now situated. Mr. Grannis operated one of the largest dairy farms in this area. In renovating the rooms for the new studio they have restored much of the wood work and panelling in the historic house to its original appearance. One room has been fully equipped with modern photographic equipment and the Brinley brothers will be able to take care of photographic work of all kinds. Both young men have considerable artistic ability and their large circle of friends hope for them much success in their new post-war venture.

Brinley Brothers Open New Studio

Robert And Edward Brinley Ready For Business In Ancient Grannis Homestead

Returned veterans with long experience as aerial photographers in the U. S. Air Force, Edward A. and Robert D. Brinley, have opened a photographic studio in their home at Forbes and Woodward avenues, Grannis Corner. Both men are known in this community being the sons of Mrs. Estelle Hazal and grandsons of the late Andrew P. Allen, who was for many years the registrar of vital statistics in the city of New Haven, and a prominent civic leader in the Thirty-Second Ward. They are nephews of Harry Brinley of French avenue. Edward saw service as aerial photographer in the Eighth Air Force in the European area and took many flights over France and Germany during the last war. Robert was also an aerial photographer and the area to which

three important factual additions to American history. The first, in connection with his "Arundel", was "March to Quebec" which contains the journals of the Arnold expedition. The second was a by-product of "Northwest Passage". The third is his and Mrs. Roberts translation of Moreau's "American Journey" made in connection with the writing of the new novel, and which will be published in the spring. "Lydia Bailey" is thrilling and profitable reading for these

TOWN TOPICS

WHAT'S GOING ON IN TOWN

Hail the New Year!

Days will be getting longer soon.

Christmas cheer soon a thing of the past as the income tax "open season" rolls closer.

Last call on returns for Tuberculosis Christmas Seals. Send your contribution without delay to Mrs. J. P. Barclay.

Next campaign on program will be that of Infantile Paralysis Foundation—the annual March of Dimes—which starts January 15. Everybody get ready to give generously.

I. S. Allen sends us a copy of the Desert Barnacle and Achella Valley Submarine, a weekly published at Conchella, California, to add to our growing collection. The Barnacle carries several slogans "The Voice of Salton Sink," "Let Us Mecca You Happy," "Lower than a Sea Serpent's Belly" and Published 200 feet below sea level. The Barnacle is published its editor says in America's "last frontier." Its a real newsy paper.

More calendars for 1947 have come to our desk. Latest is from Sparkling Cave Restaurant.

Always glad to get news items of interest. Mail 'em in early in the week to the editor at P. O. Box 163.

Local merchants agree recent Christmas season was one of busiest yet in East Haven. Community is fast becoming the shopping center of a large area.

That illuminated cross atop the Memorial Chapel in the East Lawn Cemetery attracted much attention.

We understand trolley cars on East Haven Short Beach route will not give way to motor buses for some time to come.

Nine year old David Watrous, local xylophone player, was one of the entertainers at the Christmas party of the New Haven County Fire Chief's Emergency Plan association held last week Tuesday night in the Cheshire Town Hall. Firemen attending from East Haven included Chief Ernest Hansen, Scott Watrous, Allen Knight, Frank Stoddard, Julius Korn, Dan Mautte, Fred Redding, and Florian Auerhammer.

Basketball ticket winners at Frank's Barber Shop the past week were Father William O'Brien, 60 Taylor avenue, William Woods, 128 Saltonstall Parkway, Harold Smith, 39 Stevens street, and Bud Fogarty, 7 Park place.

We want to thank all of our thoughtful subscribers who sent Christmas cards to the editor. Our post office box was overflowing most of the time during the week before Christmas.

Enjoyable Christmas party was tendered by Andrew Concellmo, proprietor of the East Haven Cleaners and Shoe Repairers of Main street, to the employees of that organization Monday night at

Down Memory Lane

25 YEARS AGO

Dec. 27, 1921 to Jan 2, 1922
Lincoln Andrews who had been rural carrier at the East Haven post office for 20 years resigned because of ill health. The coming of the New Year was quietly celebrated in the old town. At the election of officers of Harry R. Bartlett post, the following were elected: Commander, Donald Peck, vice commander, H. Alton Turner; adjutant, Raymond Cowles; treasurer, Leroy Chidsey. At the first Legion Christmas Jubilee David Willis and Chick Korn provided the music. W. H. Day was on a trip to Canada. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Franklin were spending a few days in New York city.

the "Log Cabin" in Wallingford. Dinner was served and a good time was enjoyed by all.

Correction Department—We regret we were wrong last week when we stated that the Rotary Anniversary party Wednesday night. Because of the Christmas holidays the party which had been contemplated was cancelled.

Correction Department—Was our face red? You can say that twice—when we noted our error in saying that the Junior League of Christ church had provided a Christmas surprise—chimes—it was the Junior League of the Stone church—see story elsewhere.

We learn that a well known manufacturer of sportsweats is looking over the local field as a possible location for his industry. We understand that the vacant quarters over the Post Office are being considered.

Card received this week from Harold Hall sent from Mount Dora, Florida. Harold says "we stopped at this lovely spot on Sunday, right in the heart of the state's largest citrus groves." Spot referred to is Silver Springs, midway between Tampa and Jacksonville, one of Florida's largest amusement areas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burwell planning to leave this Friday for annual trip to Florida.

Charles Bartlett of Mansfield's at Fort Lauderdale, Florida, until end of February.

East Haven's new school bus; purchased from Reo Motors, Inc., is expected to arrive soon after first of the year. Its arrival will vastly improve school bus service for high school pupils.

We regret to learn that David Miller sr. of Thompson avenue is under treatment at the Rocky Hill Hospital and his many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

DATES AHEAD

Pequot Tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, each Monday at 8 P. M., Red Men's Hall, 458 Main Street.
Star of Victory Lodge, No. 63. O. S. of B. First and third Thursdays, 8 P. M. Red Men's Hall.
Rotary Club each Thursday 12:15 noon, St. Vincent de Paul's Auditorium, Taylor Ave.
Navajo Council, No. 54, Degree of Pochontas meets first and third Wednesday, Red Men's Hall.
Princess Chapter, No. 70, O. E. O. Meets second and fourth Mondays, 8 P. M. in Masonic Hall.
Dec. 29—Pequot Tribe Xmas Party.
Dec. 29—St. John's Day Service Momauguin Masonic Lodge Stone Church.
Dec. 31—Bradford Manor Party Bradford Manor Hall.
Jan. 7—Saltonstall Civic Association meeting 8 P. M. home of Paul H. Stevens, 112 Saltonstall Parkway.
Jan. 9—Memorial and G. I. Welcome-Home Committee, Town Hall, 7:30 P. M.
Jan. 14—Public meeting, 8 P. M. Town Hall. Sponsored by Citizens' School Committee and P. T. A. Council.
Jan. 14—Dinner Meeting, Men's Club, Stone Church, 6:30 P. M.
Jan. 15—Infantile Paralysis drive begins.
Jan. 15-16-17—Play "This Thing Called Love", East Haven Players, Foxon Community Hall.
Jan. 13—Dinner meeting and election, East Haven Business Association Fred's Restaurant, 7 P. M.
Jan. 17—Annual Meeting. Old Stone Church. Supper at 6:30.
Jan. 22—Foxon Fire Company, Supper Foxon Community Hall.
Feb. 12—Rotary Club Fiesta.
Please send your "Dates Ahead" to the Editor, P. O. Box 163

Momauguin News

By Mrs. Blanche O'Connor
St. Vincent de Paul R. C. church...
Christmas Eve service...

Christmas - 1946

By Rev. Alfred Clark
Let our unceasing prayer...
Christmas Eve service...

Three Wins By East Haven High

With a successful football season...
The team was strong during...

E. Haven Townies 43, St. Anthony Doms 41

With a last minute spurt...
The door prize, 16 in merchandise...

Schools Will Reopen Day After New Year

East Haven School children are...
enjoying a Christmas and end of...

Nursing Group Gets \$1,800 Of Chest Funds

Red Feather agencies which serve...
East Haven directly and indirectly...

St. John's Day Services Next Sunday A. M.

At the Stone Church next Sunday...
at 11 A. M. a special St. John's Day...

Art Display At Hagaman Library

Miss Jean Hoole of the Art Department...
in the public schools has provided...

Angie & Louis Garage
OFFICIAL AAA SERVICE
GENERAL REPAIRS
TIRES - GAS - ACCESSORIES

Miss Annie Ogilvie Dies in Scotland
Word came the past week from...
Scotland telling of the death of...

FROM OUR MAIL BAG
Editor Stevens:
Why do you publish this from the...

A HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM John P. Morgan
John P. Morgan
PRINTER - STATIONER - GIFTS

THE SEASON'S GREETING and A HAPPY NEW YEAR
to Our East Haven Friends
REO MOTORS, Inc.

As Mr. Brinley Sees It
"THE Lord is my shepherd, I shall...
not want!"

FOR SPENCER Individually Designed Corsets and Brassieres
MRS. K. TURBETT

YOUR HOME DESERVES A NEW PAINT JOB
LET DAHL DO IT!
FREDERICK C. DAHL

East Haven News Buying and Service Guide

George A. Sisson INSURANCE FIRE - BONDS
AUGIE'S AUTO REPAIR GENERAL REPAIRING TIRES - BATTERIES

ANGIE, YOUR HOST, WELCOMES YOU TO FOXON TOWNE HOUSE
Make Your Reservations Now
for Our Big New Year's Eve Party

FRED'S Restaurant ENTERTAINMENT BY VICTOR AND HIS ACCORDION EVERY

We Thank You For Your Patronage During 1946 and Extend Best Wishes For A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Big Affairs Planned For New Year's Eve
There will be many "Gongs on..."

We are Now Specializing in CONCRETE WALKS, DRIVES, Etc.
DANIEL B. BARKER General Contractor

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Town Topics
Abel Jacobs was host to a very...
large party of happy East Haven...

TO OUR PATRONS THE Mary Therese Beauty Salon WISHES A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

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Wm. H. Brennan Watch - Clock Repairing
A.C.P. ELECTRICAL SERVICE, INC. Electrical Contractors

Gus's Main Restaurant DAILY BLUE PLATE SPECIALS 75 cents up

Antiques Wanted OLD CHINA PRINTS VICTORIAN FURNITURE

FARE LIMIT GARAGE WASHING POLISHING LUBRICATING TIRES - BATTERIES

"MEET YOUR FRIENDS HERE!" EVERYBODY GOES TO THE TOWNE HOUSE!

A HAPPY AND HEALTHY NEW YEAR To all our friends in the East Shore Communities

To All of Our Many Patrons and Friends We extend the Greetings of the Season and Our Best Wishes for a Prosperous and Happy New Year

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STERLING RANGE AND FUEL OIL CO.
EAST HAVEN HARDWARE STORE

SERVICE ON ALL MAKES OF AUTOMOBILES FACTORY TRAINED MECHANICS

LACE TABLE CLOTHS ALL TYPES OF CURTAINS STARCHED AND STRETCHED

San Remo Restaurant SPECIAL SUNDAY DINNERS AND A La Carte

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Goodrich Oil Burning Equipment Domestic - Commercial Industrial

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"OPEN HOUSE" SEASON'S GREETINGS and a HEARTY, HAPPY NEW YEAR

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YOUR WANT ADV. IN THIS SPACE WILL BRING RESULTS AT A COST OF 50 CENTS

Goodrich Oil Burning Equipment Domestic - Commercial Industrial

SAV-OIL CO. Hygrade Fuel Oil - Kerosene Our Oil Makes Warm Friends

REIL'S Dancing Every Saturday Night Enjoy Delicious Dinners

"OPEN HOUSE" SEASON'S GREETINGS and a HEARTY, HAPPY NEW YEAR

GEORGE'S NITE CLUB WINES and LIQUORS Steaks - Chicken - Spaghetti

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What Other Editors Are Thinking About

IMMORAL RULING
The Supreme Court of the United States is to be asked to review a decision of the Ohio Supreme Court...

READING & WRITING

ONE day an FBI agent telephoned Ellis Arnall, Governor of Georgia, "Excuse me but I think you would be interested in what they decided...

Gen. Knox Says

I see where the new committee to welcome home our East Haven veterans from the last war has called for the public to make suggestions...

MEMO To Mrs. Housewife

NATIONAL PRESS BUILDING WASHINGTON, D. C.
By Anne Cooke
With the turn of the year, housewives are always economy-minded...

Sound Program For Fruitmen

Connecticut apple growers will receive the public to make suggestions to formulate a sound, economical merchandising program...

Back YOUR FUTURE

Hostesses for the Indian Neck Fire Co. Auxiliary Christmas party tonight will be Mrs. John Whitcomb...

Win State 4-H Championships

IN recognition of their outstanding 4-H records in 1946 Dairy Production, Garden and Meat Animal Activities, three Connecticut club members will receive state awards...

Seventh Graders Adopt French Boy

ROLAND JUNG
The following article was taken from the last issue of the Reporter of the Branford Junior High School...

Weddings

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas William Orr of Stony Creek announce the engagement of their daughter, Ann Douglas...

Mark Musical Milestone

GUSTAV SCHIRMER, nation's largest music dealer, and Irving Berlin, composer, examine the two million copy music from "Annie Get Your Gun"...

Stony Creek

CHURCH OF CHRIST
11:00 Morning service
ST. THOMAS'S CHURCH
Sunday Mass at 8:15

Merry Christmas
The American Cleaners and Launderers
Laundry wishes all its friends everywhere a most joyous holiday.

Carolyn Strandberg To Wed Mr. Malo
Mrs. John Strandberg of 23 Kirkham avenue, announces the coming marriage of her daughter, Carolyn Elizabeth...

Health Report Gives Summary
Measles which increased from 54 to 141 cases was the most prevalent disease within Connecticut during the week ending December 21...

Branford Merchants Down East Haven Beachheads, 31-24
Demonstrating a beautifully executed passing game Sunday night in the East Haven High School gymnasium...

Garden Notes
Sponsored by Branford Garden Club
Mrs. M. D. Stanley, Correspondent
With holly and ivy so green and so gay we deck up our houses...

REALTORS THE CHARLES T. LINCOLN COMPANY
746 Chapel St., cor. of State Tel. 8-0174 New Haven, Conn.
Come in and talk things over.

Sanford Studio
To all our Friends and Neighbors in Branford and Vicinity
HELP BUILD BRANFORD—BUY BRANFORD

AP LIQUOR STORES
Holiday Suggestions
Whiskies
M'Loughlin 86 PROOF 5TH BOT 3.45

SEWING MACHINES
SALES - ELECTRICITY - PURCHASED
REPAIR RATES
Overhauling machine \$3.00
Refining of machine 1.50

Rotary Fiesta Is To Be On Feb. 12
Lincoln's birthday is the date set for the big Rotary Fiesta arranged by the Rotary Club.

BUY AND HOLD UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS
WHEN YOU NEED A PLUMBER Call 4-1357
Peter A. Limoncelli PLUMBING AND HEATING CONTRACTOR

THE BEST OF EVERYTHING TO ALL THIS NEW YEAR
Frank's Barber Shop FRANK MESSINA
Main Street East Haven

WE NOW HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF FROZEN FOODS
Main Street Sea Food Market 4-947
176 Main Street East Haven

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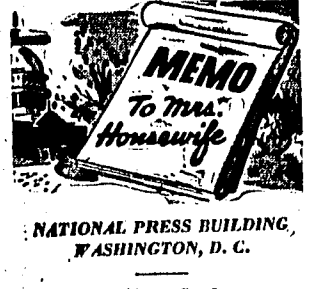
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WHAT NOTS BY GITA ROHM

Buying season lasted longer this Christmas and today the exchange...

Dr. McConaughy Gives Up Post As USC Head

Dr. James L. McConaughy, governor-elect of Connecticut, will relinquish his post as president of United Service to China on Decem-

Nancy Holmes SUGGESTS

Little folks can have fun at New Year's celebration, too, even if they do jump the gun by a few hours.

Janice Baldwin Studying French

Learning French the practical way—by speaking it—is Janice K. Baldwin of Branford, Conn., a sophomore at Pembroke College.

TABOR EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Emil G. Swanson, Pastor 79 Hippen Avenue Friday, 10 a. m. children's choir rehearsal.

THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Earle C. Hochwald 9:30 Church School Christmas Program

THE BRANFORD REVIEW

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SHORT BEACH

St. Elizabeth's R. C. Church Pastor, Rev. William O'Brien Curates, Rev. Joseph Buckley

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE

Three brass medals on pinholders were part of the gift for the first iron furnace in U.S. was built in 1619

NORTH BRANFORD

Services in the local churches on Sunday will include St. Augustine's R. C. Church

When winter menus get bogged down with starchy foods, green peas topped with a tempting real mayonnaise and turkey dressing.

Although this season's American rice harvest is 10% larger than last year's, this grain will still be very scarce.

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VETERANS WORLD WAR II Last chance to get the following magazines at ex-service men's rates.

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Children Give Xmas Program The following Christmas program was presented at the annual entertainment in the Short Beach school.

Lanphier's Cove GRANITE BAY Alice M. Scott Dies Suddenly In 91st Year

George Barba and His Orchestra MUSIC FOR ALL OCCASIONS SQUARE DANCES a Specialty

VETERANS NEWS Important news items of interest to veterans—Veterans in school or training under the GI bill who were required to report their earnings to the VA.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH 8:15 Holy Communion 10:45 Morning Prayer Sermon by rector.

Hot Fruit Punch 2 1/2 cups boiling water 1/4 cup lemon juice 1/2 cup orange juice

Mr. and Mrs. Eibert L. Heiser of Main Street, Short Beach have announced the engagement of their daughter Audrey Marion to Mr. Marshall T. Holabird son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Holabird of North Branford.

FOR A HAPPY NEW YEAR BEFORE SPENDING YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFT MONEY SEE OUR FINE STOCK OF JEWELRY Sondergaard

REASONS FOR GREETINGS DISTRICT OF BRANFORD, ss. PROBATE COURT, December 14, 1946.

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Branford's News — Review

Roll Of Honor For All Schools

Three hundred twentyfour Branford School pupils have their names on the scholastic honor roll for the first ranking period. The numbers are divided among the school as follows:

- HIGH AND JUNIOR HIGH**
 Grade 12—College: Donald Delgrego, Walter McCarthy, James O'Connell, Frank Zemina, Elaine Levy, Katherine Moleske, Barbara Oppel, Jean Sangree, Louise Smith, Mary Boyle, Mary Jean Hanson, Barbara Moore, Commercial: Madeleine Hotchkiss, Mary Palala, Mary Zvonkovic, Special: Kenneth Erickson, Frank Gumkowski, Reginald Brulotte, June Richard.
- Grade 11—College: Gino Pacelli, Steven Finta, Paul Garrity, David Stevens, Elizabeth Briggs, Carol Crawford, Betty Fienster Marie Panico, Angela Polastri, Jerry Runge, Barbara Baldwin, Barbara Bruneau, Nalda Nicoll, Elizabeth Townsend. Commercial: George Ott Jane Olejarczyk, Shirley Helm, Helen Moleske, Janyce Smith. Special: Elizabeth Mooney, Joan Duffy, Barbara Plasecki.
- Grade 10—College: Robert Potts, Joseph Bodner, Anthony Panico, Robert Anderson, Richard Baldwin, Joan Gebel, Janice Mallow, Elizabeth Gumkowski, Maury McClees, Georgeanne Wolf, JoAnn Donadio, Ann Sturtevant; Commercial: Joseph Chandler, Joseph Ambrulovich, John Ambrulovich, Anna Krowsky, Grace Coates, Betty Jean Rice, Helen Meshako, Joan Roth.
- Grade 9—College: Marvin McCoy, Gerald Bryan, Robert T. Young, Barbara Pope, Carolyn Carsten, Ann Fitzgerald, Phyllis Rice, Ruth Johnson, Lorraine Stevens, Mary Zuroski; Commercial: Maureen Mourning, Barbara Rodman, Jennie Zebrowski, Andrienne Anastasiou.
- Grade 8—Harold Levy, Bradford Sturtevant, Joan Austin, Joan Baker, Alle Forsman, Eugenia Zaffino, Janet Vishno, Audrey Atkinson, Mary Ellen Symonds, Helen Kotowski, Thomas Purcell, Marlon Clark, Janet Tousey, Vanessa Petrillo.
- Grade 7—Philip Farrington, Philip Poirier, Edward Sopneski, Kenneth Donadio, Leatson Landes, Ann Cudgma, Patricia Dolan, Barbara Jones, Deanna Luellen, Jacqueline Albinger, Charlotte Flemister, Nancy Hafner, Nancy Ryan, Callista Daley, Eleanor White, Agnes Dudley, Arlene Evis, Janis Bramble, Joanne Holsenbeck.
- LAUREL STREET SCHOOL**
 Grade 4—Charles Callahan, John DeSarro, Ronald Dahlquist, Joseph Colombo, Eric Bloomberg, Kenneth Rand, Joan Ahern, Mabel Balsley, Patricia Holsenbeck, Ann Petela, Barbara Pierpont, Eugene Compton, Helen ZuWallack, Nancy Williams, Betsy Quinn, Phyllis Farrington, Betty Cate.
- Grade 5—Peter Beach, Edward Mark, Walter Reynolds, John McGowan, Patricia Dahlquist, Mary Ann Lincoln, Elizabeth Williams, Stephanie Zvonkovic, Valerie Blakeley, Jeannette Rider, Elizabeth Jones
- Grade 6—John Morton, Francis Quinn, Philip Sauer, Bruce Colwyn, Robert Pisceatelli, Sally Baldwin, Jane Flemister, Barbara Napoleon, Jean Piotrowski, Maxine Roganson, Patricia Sykes, Sara Boyd, Edna McCarthy, Ann Morton, Helen Reed Mary Elizabeth Riddle, Patricia Flood.
- HARRISON AVENUE SCHOOL**
 Kindergarten, Richard Devlin, Elizabeth Beach, Anne Grandel, Susan Quinn, Jeanne Zvonkovic, Judith Chirle, Carol Ann Sanleski, Valerie Rogers.
- Grade 1—Larry Baldelli, John Beach, Gordon Bentley, Richard DeSarro, Richard Tousey, Nancy Alexander, Judy Fisher, Linda Neal, Priscilla Sampson, Patty Donnelly, Gretchen Garrity, Nancy Robinson, Mary Sparico, Charlotte Sykes.
- Grade 2—Frederick Dudley, John Cooke, John Quinn, Lee Morton, Robert Sulm, Robert Rovaldi, Russell Cadwell, Ardelle Fisher, Joan Smith, Rose Mary Guano, Connie Borzillo, Mary Margaret Beach, Carol Dahlquist.
- Grade 3—Barry Royden, David Grandel, Michael Amandola, Leah Alexander, Louise Chuidine, Claire Fresco, Beverly Lynch, Barbara Zerkus, Billy Bigelow, Beverly Davis, Nancy Harrison, Joanne Peltier.
- INDIAN NECK SCHOOL**
 Grade 1—Richard Arden, Robert Kusterer, Walter Parcinski, Walter

Given Service Emblem



Edgar Williams, New Haven Railroad towerman, getting his 50-year emblem from Superintendent Benjamin F. Bardo, as Mrs. Williams looks on.

- Schimmel, Verna Ashworth, Nancy Coates, Janice Davis, Alice Jones, Lynn Rand.
- Grade 2—Michael Petela, Wanda Holmes, Mary Jane Pinny, Linda Ritchie.
- Grade 3—Peter Hubbard, Cornelia Broekhuysen, Anne Rourke, Suzanne West, Lenore Howe, Donna Thompson.
- STONY CREEK SCHOOL**
 Kindergarten—Thomas Bernard, Stephen McDonald, Mavis Burne, Judy Mellilo, Patricia White, Suzanne McFarland, Lynn Olverson.
- Grade 1—Robert McLean, Phyllis Hooghkirk.
- Grade 2—Evelyn Clark, Jane McDonald.
- Grade 3—Jerald Greenyall, David Libbey.
- Grade 4—Leocadia Locarno Diana Murphy.
- Grade 5—Richard Williams, Mary Ann Lomatra, Phyllis Mellilo.
- Grade 6—Peter Donnelly, Lee Mallow, Sally Brainerd.
- CANOE BROOK SCHOOL**
 Grade 1—David Stadalick, Carol Zerkus, Aura Gardner, Marion Kasellnas.
- Grade 2—Robert Stagina, Patricia Doha.
- Grade 3—Philip Babin, Carol Carlson, Patricia Kowalski, Linda Huges.
- Grade 5—Teresa Richitelli. Grade 6—Frances Kelley, LaVerne Rodman, Carl Walston.
- HARBOR STREET SCHOOL**
 Grade 1—Gereon Bodner, Gregory Bodner, John Deriso, James Dean, David Neal, David Morawski, Phyllis Kelley, Lianne Lewis, Helen Wagner, Pauline Huzar.
- Grade 2—Elizabeth Armstrong, Janet McKeon, Carol Neely, Rose Saturno, Louise Haddock, Carla Monellus, Noreen Normand.
- Grade 3—Robert Fisher, Robert Pilyens, Katherine Cameron, Geraldine Kaczynski, Ann Morawski.
- Grade 4—John Finnegan, John Kaminsky, Joseph Kilmas, Geraldine Farley, Dorothy Nygard.
- Grade 5—Frank Kaminsky, Richard Stanton.
- Grade 6—Clement Bodner, Robert Knecht, Kenneth Plant, Margaret Jones, Patty Neal, Gretchen Young, Barbara Kaminsky.
- Kindergarten — Thomas Fisher, Robert Colburn, Robert Carsten, John Ikwovic, Edwin Platt, Susan Giordano, Gwonylyn Hines, Ann Kenny, Alexine Laich, Sally Murphy.
- SHORT BEACH SCHOOL**
 Grade 1 — David Cole, Charles Collins, Charles Regan, Arthur Wolfe, Doris Finch, Jocelyn Healy, Linda Shorey.
- Grade 2 — Russell Judd, Lucy Bracken, Judith Eldred, Linda Kamb, Gail Kells, Patricia Smith.
- Grade 3—Mary Lou McBride, Primula Murphy, Carol Woodman.
- Grade 4—Joseph Kilgerman, Barbara Mahan.
- Grade 5—James Springett, Jean Seeley, Nancy Swanson, Margaret Hargraves, Barbara White.
- VIET REVIEW**
 Leatson Landes, Janis Bramble and Barbara Stagna of the Junior High School Reporters Club visited the Review last Thursday.

Branford Area Given Improved Phone Service

In a recent survey to determine the telephone needs of the rural section of the Branford area, The Southern New England Telephone Company found that 6 of the 9 families who live beyond existing telephone lines are interested in service. All prospects can have telephone service without construction charges.

O. S. Chapman, manager for the company, said that just as rapidly as manpower and materials become available, telephone service will be extended to all who desire it. He added that the average construction necessary to serve the 6 families will be two-tenths of a mile per customer, and that the cost of the new lines to the company is estimated at \$2,040.

Many of the residents surveyed are taking advantage of new regulations which increase to one-half the free allowance for construction along highways, beyond existing telephone lines. Some may benefit from the "grouping plan" whereby among a group in such a way as to obtain the lowest cost for each one.

Telephone officials point out that 95 per cent of the families and businesses in rural areas of Connecticut which do not have telephones, can now obtain service without paying for the construction of telephone lines. As of the 1940 U. S. census, Connecticut was second only to Iowa in the percentage of its farms which now have telephones. At present, 75 per cent of all farms in the state have telephones compared with 62.5 per cent for families living in towns and cities.

NEW RECTOR AT TRINITY



The Rev. and Mrs. J. Edison Pike will arrive from Worcester, Mass. Jan. 2, to make their home in Montowese Street.

At a Special Trinity Parish Meeting held November 20, 1946 it was voted to call Rev. Pike, Assistant Minister in All Saints Church, Worcester, Mass. Mr. Pike has accepted the call and officiated at services commencing Christmas Eve.

State Booklet May Be Model For Japanese

Connecticut's system of state and municipal government, famous as a model of democratic machinery for more than three hundred years, and vividly portrayed in the booklet, "An Outline of Government in Connecticut," has won another honor.

Japan's Home Ministry has asked permission to translate this booklet. The request from the Japanese Home Ministry, forwarded through the Civil Information and Educational Section of General MacArthur's headquarters in Japan, has been granted by the House Committee on Publication of the Connecticut General Assembly, under whose auspices this outline of Connecticut-style democracy was published two years ago.

Japan's federal government wants the booklet for distribution to its own officials, according to Maj. Gen. O. P. Echols, Chief of the War Department's Civil Affairs Division.

The easy-to-read pamphlet which describes in such simple terms how Connecticut citizens govern their state and their communities was largely the work of a forward looking group of legislators who, subscribing to the "Let The People Know" policy feel that an informed electorate is a vigilant electorate. Acting on the Committee with Charles McKew Parr of Chester, as Chairman, were Isabel C. Rylander, Litchfield, Clerk; Harry Farnham, South Windsor; C. W. Janson Westport, E. Lea Marsh Jr., Old Lyme; Daymond McMullen, East Haddam; and Helen Zblkowski, Bristol.

Since its first appearance in 1944, "An Outline of Government in Connecticut" has run through two editions. Over 85,000 copies have been distributed through schools, service organizations, women's groups and to naturalized citizens by the court when final papers have been given. Most interesting have been comments from naturalized citizens when they were presented with copies.

YACHT CLUB ELECTS
 Winfield Smith has been selected commodore of the Branford Yacht Club. Other officers: Fred Maynard vice-commodore; Perry Curtis, Jr., rear commodore; Edward Smolenski, secretary; Robert Schroeder, treasurer and Karl Knabenschuh, Roosevelt Enquist, Gordon Bradley, Ben Church and Harry Fresenius, board of trustees.

DRIVER IN HOSPITAL
 George Sandford, 32 of Berger St., Short Beach is in the Hospital of St. Raphael after receiving injuries, in an auto accident on the Milford turnpike in Orange Ave in Arlington late Tuesday afternoon.

HARBOR HEARING POSTPONED
 The Board of Selectmen have a communication from Army engineers to the effect that the new hearing on improvements to the Branford harbor cannot be scheduled in January but will be brought up at a later date.

Local Doctors Operate Under Home-Town Plan To Give Veteran Care

Veterans Afflicted With Service-Connected Illness Or Injury Eligible For Service Of Fee-Basis Physician — Washington Gives Approval.

Board Receives Citation Letter From President

President Harry Truman has sent a letter of citation to local members of the War Price and Rationing Board. It reads:

"On behalf of the grateful people of the United States, I thank you for your selfless service in your country's need as a volunteer worker for the Office of Price Administration. With your help our Nation has been able to protect its economy against the impact of total war and to assure its consumers fair prices and a fair distribution of needed goods.

"As a patriotic citizen, you have demonstrated your loyalty and devotion in a period of great national danger. Your community and your country will not forget your contribution to victory over our enemies and look to you now for leadership and example in the continuing fight against inflation."

Corps Invited To Guilford

At a recent annual meeting of the Mason Rogers Women's Relief Corps in the Academy on the Green the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Bessie Oliver; senior vice president, Florence Whitcomb; junior vice president, Anne Crookshank; treasurer, Carrie Lounsbury; chaplain, Nellie Buell; conductor, Robina Zvonkovic; guardian, Louise Brundriff. Other officers will be appointed.

An invitation has been received from Parmalee Corps, Guilford, to attend a meeting of the latter group January 15.

Gustave C. Uhl Dies Suddenly

Gustave C. Uhl, 55, a former New Haven County deputy sheriff, died suddenly yesterday of a heart attack in his home in Quinipiac Avenue, North Haven.

A prominent political figure in North Haven, he had served at various times as justice of the peace and constable for that community. At the time of his death he was engaged in making cigars.

Husband of the late Edith Williams Uhl, he is survived by two sons, Lewis E. and John P. Uhl of Branford; and four sisters, Miss Elizabeth Uhl, Miss Edith Uhl, Mrs. Ross B. Judd, and Mrs. Herbert Robinson, all of Montowese.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2:30 in the parlors of Beecher and Bennett, 100 Broadway. Interment will be in Montowese Cemetery, North Haven.

DESIGNS DORMITORY

Douglass Orr, well known architect of Stony Creek, is the designer of a new dormitory at Mount Holyoke College. Mr. Orr is also the designer of the college's newest dormitory, Abbey Hall.

HORNETS TO PLAY

On January 3 the Branford high school Hornets will meet Boardman Trade and on January 7, Madison. Both games will be played here.

League contests start January 10 and continue through February 21. Branford is defending champion in class B.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kilgerman have returned from a trip to New York. While there they heard Miss Elise Kilgerman sing at a benefit concert at Manhattan Center.

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The main emphasis of the plan is the development of medical care for veterans in their own communities; 100-percent participation in the program by the more than 2600 physicians in Connecticut; and establishment of a fee schedule for payment of veterans' medical services by the VA.

The approximately 800 doctors throughout the state who are already fee-basis physicians under individual agreements with the VA will be automatically enrolled in the new plan, and State Medical Society will promote participation in the plan by its more than 2200 physician members, according to the statement.

Doctors who participate will be paid for their services according to a fee table which is made a part of a signed agreement between the Medical Society and the Veterans Administration.

Any war veteran afflicted with what he has cause to believe is a service-connected illness or injury may go to any doctor in his community who has enrolled as a fee-basis physician with the Veterans Administration.

Children Enjoy Holiday Party

Children of Indian Neck attended the annual Christmas party held in the firehouse Thursday evening. Held each year under the joint sponsorship of the Indian Fire Company and the Women's Auxiliary, the party attracts a large number of children, who enjoy games, refreshments, and a visit from Santa Claus. It is limited to those under 12.

The committee in charge was as follows: Mr. and Mrs. John Whitcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Carsten, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reed, Richard Brown and Louis Lounsbury.

Hansen Funeral Held Tuesday

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon from Tabor Lutheran Church for Oscar E. Hansen, husband of Julia, Peterson Hansen of Rogers Street. Interment was in Tabor Cemetery. Arrangements were made by the W. S. Clancy Memorial Home.

Mr. Hansen died at his home Saturday following a long illness. He was the son of the late Richard and Gustine Nerson Hansen and is survived by his widow, three daughters, Barbara, Alice and Doris, a son, Donald; two sisters, Mrs. Alex Seastrand and Mrs. Ethel Thompson and three brothers Alfred, Hans and George.

Bearers were: Carl Carlson, Hugh Rofbeck, Edward Col, Anthony Street, Arnold Hart and Timothy Hannford.

A delightful and entertaining Christmas Program in charge of Miss Mary West was held at Harrison Avenue Kindergarten, December 18th for the parents of the 1946 Kindergarten class.