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SALUTE TO THE BRANFORD REVIEW

The East Haven News today is happy to salute the Branford State Convention at East Haven Review upon the occasion of the latter's twentieth anniversary. The School April 26 and27. editor of the News extends his very best wishes to the publisher, Monday April 26 with registration Meyer Leshine, and the whole Review family including Editor Alice at 12 noon. The afternoon session Poterson, and all the other members of the staff. East Haveners have will be devoted to business and long been familiar with the Branford Review, and all the more so round table conferences. Supper during the three and a half years during which the East Haven News will be served in three churches has shared the Review Press.

The Brauford Review first saw the light of day on Friday, April ng sesson will feature Mrs. Bonaro underway. 13, 1928, and has become a regular and welcome visitor to Shore W. Overstreet, as guest speaker. Frank H. Redfield has been kept Line homes each week during the past two decades. The Review has Dr. Harry Overstreet, professor busy since the middle of March Line homes each week during the past two decades. The Review has emeritus of philosophy, at the issuing permits for new buildings of a committee consisting of Miss been an influential organ of public opinion throughout the years. It College of the City of New York, and making inspections on the Carolyn M. Bechler and Miss been an inductial organ of public opinion intringuous the years the College of the City of New York, is the ardent hope of the editor of the East Haven News that the Branford Review will carry on for a great many years to come, and that the News will continue to share its congenial and friendly pages. Working Relations Between P.T.A.'s

A SINGLE BUS FARE TO MOMAUGUIN

Now that the Connecticut Company is paving the way for an increase in its trolley and bus fares would seem to be a good and proper time to renew the suggestion that favorable approval be given e proposal voiced many times in the past that there be a single fare between Momauguin and New Haven. And while we are about it, it would seem to be in order to seek a single fare on the Branford line as far as the Town Line at the bridge over East Haven River at Short Beach.

Monauguin's growth has been stunted because of the double fare which has been so long in affect. The fare limit was placed years ago at the junction of Hemingway avenue and Short Beach road when Momauguin was merely a summer recreation place and Publicity: Mrs. Harry Hines; Pub- A. J. Riccio; one-family house, 3 an extra fare for the day by day vacationers was not out of place. an extra fare for the day by day vacationers was not out of pland Those days have long since passed and Momauguin and Bradford Those days have long since passed and Momauguin and Bradford people are as much entitled to a single fare to New Haven as are the other suburban residents of West Haven and Hamden who are

As we stated previously we do not believe that there will be too strong opposition to the Connecticut Company's plea for higher fared in view of the additional costs which the company has to pay sembly and Banquet Hall: Mrs. one-family frame house, 672 Sliver Milton Morris: Church Support along with all the rest of us. But we do believe that there is room Milton Morris; Church Suppers: for improvement in bus service here and that the town needs a Mrs. Good V Kane; and Reservacross-town service from Foxon to Morris Cove by way of the Airport. We are also convinced that a single fare to Momauguin would be not only a tremendous boon to the growth of that section but that, in the end, it would prove profitable to the Company.

A COUPLE OF REALLY GOOD BOOKS

We always like to read books written against a Connecticut background. Those who remember "Water Over the Dam", a love story set in the period when the Farmington Canal was being built, "All in Good Time," a saga of the clockmakers of the Naugatuck Valley and "Charity Strong", that told of the steamer days along the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower Connecticut River will be as pleased as we have been to the lower connec "Law of the Land", by the same author, Marguerite Allis. Miss read Allis knows her Connecticut history and she has a charm in writing that recreates old days and old ways. Her latest book is set against a realistic backdrop of nineteenth century and she gives many inter-esting glimpses of New Haven of a hundred years ago when the "iron horse", first snorted between New Haven and Hartford. She presents an impassioned and stirring story of American women in the land of steady habits and their early battles for eivic rights. Her heroine, Arabella Barlow, carries the fight into the General Assembly after getting nowhere with her scheming and grasping brother. The story is a really good one and doubly so with its Connecticut setting.

The past winter has been one in which there was much barking W. M. Andrews 4-3022. back to the Great Blizzard of 1888. Therefore we found much inter-est and pleasure in Albert E. Idell's new novel, "The Great Bliz-

Art Exhibit **Programs** Announced For Convention Of P.T.A. Here April 26-27

The Connecticut Congress of Parents and Teachers will meet in

The convention will open on

The annual spring building boom Epscopal, and Cathole. The even- with much new construction work will be traditional index as

and Education." "What Is the Role Of the Listener

Chairman of Radio, will present the Both jobs are being done by Martin answer to this timely queston on Tuesday evening. An associate professor at the University of Wis-Olson consin, School of the Air, Mr. Mc-

weeks by Mr. Redfleld: four one Carty is an expert in his field. Mrs. Raymond Powelson is general family homes to be built by Fred INCREASE VOTED chairman of the convention with Borrmann in Willow Road; onethe following committees assisting; family house for J. Tinari, 68

Vice-Chairman Mrs. Leo B. Kim- Massachussetts avenue; cottage, Brazos road for J. Alberman; one family house, 96 Hughts street for ball; Music: Mrs. Robert Johnson; Program: Mrs. Clarence Bittner; lications: Mrs. William Birrel; Gerrish avenue for Edward Tinari; Tellers; Mrs. Kenneth Easton; one-family house for Jack Amerino,

Milton Morris; Church Suppers: Sands road, for Irving Ellis.

various jobs

East Haven citizens assisting the P. T. A. includes:

Gillis, Mrs. George Kane, Mr. Paul Stevens, Mr. Brent Barker, Mrs. Rose Jacobs, Rev. Joseph Buckley,

Gillis, Mrs. James Parsons, Mrs. the three act play by Rose presided, Mrs. William G. Graves, John Tirpak, Mr. William Fager- Franken-'Claudia''-will be present-

attending are asked to be in their The Junior Guild of Christ seats by that time. Church will hold a Dessert Card Rehearsals have been underway Party evening of April 29th in the for several weeks under the capable Church Hall, Reservations may be direction of Mrs. Lillian Hurder and made with any of the following the stage and production end has committee; Mrs. F. W. Bartiett been prepared by Delmar Dover as-K. Levine 4-3049, Mrs. H. L. Wahn-quist 4-0302, Mrs. H. Levine 4-3430, cherre of the Players in Mrs. Chas. Borrmon. (2012)

Here is the cast for the play 1st and 3rd Mondays except which is being produced by special opened an office at 239 Main street. arrangement with Samuel French: Philip Sherman of the Marine July and August Mrs. Brown, Irene Wilson; David Corps was home from Quantico, Va of each month at 4 P. M. in JUNIOR GUILD The Regular Meeting of the Naugton, Joseph Hawtin; Claudia for the week end. Junior Guild of Christ Church will Naugton, Claire Oskins; Bertha, Twenty-fifth Club House. anniversary East Haven Business Association, of be held at 8 P. M. on Thursday Edith Thomas; Fritz, Harry Johan- Rainbow Girls was observed with April 22, in the Church Hall son; Jerry Seymour, Richard silver tea in Christ Church Hall, Hostesses: Mrs. E. J. Hansen, Mrs. Harvey; Mdme. Damschkia, Vera East Haven Players presented I Honsen Mrs. A Meets Second Monday of month 8 P. M. Town Hall. Narkceta Council, No. 27, Degree East Haven High School "Yes and No" at Foxon Community J. Hopson, Mrs. L. A. Herman, Mrs. Gesner; Julie Naugton, Betty Degree of Pocahontas, second April 22-Old fashioned and fourth Wednesdays, Red Hall. D. Hoare and Mrs. V. Jenkins. French Men's Hall, equot Junior Council, every Chief Urges Home Check - Up For Hazards Thursday, Red Men's Hall. St. Vincent DePaul's Ladies Guild meets second Tuesday, 8 P. M. Church auditoruim. Annual Cleanup Time Brings stoves, furnaces, and pipes. Empty Suggestions Offered On Legion Auxiliary meets Third Friday 8 P. M. Legion Building Wavs Town Hall, 2 P. M. Homes May Be Made Clean And Safe From Fire Appeal For General Coopera hot aashes into metal containers. East Haven Democrats, Second tion By All Citizens Clean chimney and check for Friday, Red Men's Hall. Fire Chief Ernest Hanson has cracks, loose bricks and mortar. Destroy paint rags and oily clean-East Haven Fire Co. No. 1, meets . first Wednesday 8 P. M. Fire Sport night, Town Hall. issued a plea to all citizens of East Place metal screens in front of fireing cloths or put them in a metal laven to cooperate in Spring Clean place. Place portable heaters so container with a cover. Hang up Headquarters. Up to safeguard ' the community they can't be knocked over. against fire, accidents, disease, and Dstribute enough ash trays in oily more so that air can circulate Public Health Nursing Ass'n meets first Monday 8 P. M. convenient places for smokers. See through them. to improve its appearance. For the home check-up, the Chief that matches are out of reach of Inspect all electric service cords Town Hall. American War Mothers, East uggests that the householders: young children and placed in safe and connections on lamps and ap-Get rid of all rubbish and papers containers. In the attic, closets, basemnet, yard Check gas connections on porta-pliances. Use only 15 ampere juses Haven Chapter, meets First Friday, 8 P. M. Hagaman ing Fund. and garage. Tie them into bundles ble heaters. Shut-off valves should for household circuits. Never per-Memorial Library. Christ Church Men's Club meets be located on pipe before rubber mit "bridging" of burned-out fuses Church Hall first Tuesday of each month with wires or coins. Such pracfor salvage. tubing. Check for Hazards 8 P. M. Church Hall. Legion. tices remove all protection against Dont Use Gasoline Check stoves, furneaces and heat Half Hour Reading club First "shorts" or overloading of circuits ers. Have all repair work done new, Never use gasoline, benzine or Canevale's Colonnade. See that floors under stoves are naptha for cleaning. Don't quicken! Self-inspection guides prepared Thursdays, 2:30 P. M. Hagaman protected by metal, bricks, or ce- a sluggish fire by pouring on kero- by The National Board of Memorial Library. ment. Insulate all burnable mate- sene. It may easily flame out of Underwriters are ready now at Fire Installation, Town Hall. Woman's Aid Stone Church Department headquarters. rial subject to heat radiated from control.

Christ Church Art Exhibition to be held from May 6 through May 8 in Christ Church Hall, 304 Main Spring Boom Street. The opening reception will be held the evening of May 6 from In Building 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock. This exhibit will feature the work of invited artists from East Haven, Now Underway

May 6 To 8 In

Christ Church

Announcement is made of the

East Haven News

Combined With The Branford Review

East Haven, Connecticut, Thursday, April 15, 1948

Cellars in many parts of town New Haven, Branford, Guilford and flooded as ground water level rises. other surrounding towns. An effort Monday evening, Congregatonal, is well underway in East Haven is being made to include in this lay night at the North Guilford well as the traditional modes of Parish House, Meeting House Hill,

Building Inspector artistic expression. 6 to 8 P. M. Sponsored by the Junior Women's

Forsythia lime!

April showers turned into cloud-

and green.

bursts.

Virginia E, Endriss. The committee favored Now nearing completion is the expects to have some excellent and several others entered for appoint-

handsome new 53-family garden exciting examples of the work being mentt from New Haven. apartment in Main street already done in this general area. Among

partially occupied, and the new those participating will be Clarence in Radio," H. B. McCarty, National bank building with quarters for two A. Brodeur, Frederick L. Sexton, stores, at Main and Chidsey avenue. Ethol Stauffer and Faith Vilas. The exhibit will be open daily from 2:30 to 4:30 P. M. and in the

The following permits have also evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock. according to curb-stone gossip.

IN COSTS OF NURSING VISITS

The regular meeting of the Public Health Nursing Association of East Haven, was held on Monday evening, April 5th in the Town

Hall. Included in the regular routine business of the Association it was voted to raise the cost of nursing visits to mothers and bables following home deliveries to \$1.75 per visit. This increase is due to the additional amount of time which the nurse must necessarily spend with patients during this type of visit.

The vacancy on the Board of At High School Directors, due to the resignation of Reverend William G, West, will be

Members present at this meeting included Mrs. Eric Dohna who Chester Knight, Mr. Joseph Adams, Mrs. Lillian Morgan, schlor nurse

Looking Backward

also attended.

One Year Ago

Military Band was being organiz-

as accompanist and there will be a comedy team of Yale mon, Bill Gardens brighter with yellow Miller and Dick Sndwich. Everybody velcome.

TOWN TOPICS

WHAT'S GOING ON IN TOWN

ADDRESS COMMUNICATIONS

TO P. O. BOX 153

Two Dollars Por Year

Through the efforts of Don Thomas 175 Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts from East Haven will, chioy a prevue of the Model Train she of the New Haven Society of Model Chicken ple suupper this Satur- Engineers this Friday at 7:30 at the society's rooms at State and Court Streets.

Miss Joan Horton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Mautto of 33 issuing permits for new buildings of a committee consisting of Mrs. Branch Post Office continues with a surprise birthday party at her and making inspections on the Carolyn M. Bechler and Miss Insurand Miss Insurand Linus Swanton and Anthony Caruso home on Saturday April 10th Miss from her many friends. Among those present were, The Misses We hear that Democrats at a Sondra Semegran, Nancy Callahan,

recent meeting took steps to remove June Koell, Phyliss Fusco, Roberta at least two party members from Bowdon, Marion Viauso, and Joan the primary lists, Both were form- Horton, Also Messers Bill Wakeer Democratic office-holders. Action field, Buddy Mautie, Chucker is likely to start political fireworks, Thomas, Donald Viauso, Bobby according to surb-stone gossip. Rossettl.

The Community Sings each Sun-Miss Eleanor Savo, assistant at day night in the Parish House Continue to attrack large crowds. Next the Mary Therese Beauty Salon in Sunday Frank Crane will be master Main street is to become the bride of ceremonies with Vincent Fasano soon of Mr. George Marrone.

Dates Ahead

Pequot Tribe, Improved Order of Red Mon, 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 Tuesdays, 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 Pocabontas meets first and third Wednesday, Red Men's Hall.

Princess Chapter, No. 70 O. E. S. Meets second and fourth Mondays, 8 P.M. in Masonic Hall. Harry R. Bartlett Post, American Legion, meets 2nd and 4th

Thursday 8:30 P. M. Legion Buildings. East Haven Assembly, Order of

Rainbow for girls meets first and third Friday, Masonic Hall 7:30 P. M.

South District Civic Association meets second and fourth Tuesdays, 8:30 p.m. 83 Vista Drive. Saltonstall Civic Association

first Tuesday of month B P. M. Hagaman Memorial Library. Momauguin Lodge, No. 138 A. F.

April; 17-Play-"Claudia", High School Auditorum 8:15 P. M. ed by Harry R. Bartlett post. A. M. Stated Communications Dr. P. C. Annunziata, optometrist, Mrs. Chas. Borrman 4-2213, Mrs

Dates Ahead must reach the Editor by Monday evening. meets second Thursday at 2.00 P. M., Parish House. Bradford Manor Auxiliary meets

at the Bradford Manor Hall every first Monday of the month.

Bradford Manue Hose Company meets every last Monday of the month at the Bradford Manor Hall.

St. Clares Guild incets every second Monday of the month in Bradford Manor Hall. East Haven Boys Scout District

Committee meets first Wednesdays at Stone Church 8 P. M. Cub Pack, Committee meets

Cub Pack Contained Internet third Tuesday at Stone Church Jr. Women's Edgué of O. S. C. ist. Wed. of every month at \$100 P. M. In Parish House. Junior Guild of Christ Church meets in Church Hall fourth

Thursday in each month. Women's Republican club meets Third Thursday at clubrooms. Garden Olub mzets fourth Wednesday in Hagaman

Memorial Library. April 16—Social Program, East

Haven Boosters; Town Hall 8 P. M.

April 19-20-Variety Show, Foxon Park Civic Association, Church Lady of Pompeli, 8 P.M. April 22-Ham Supper, St. Androws Chapel 5:30 P. M. Sponsored by Sunshine Assembly April 22-23-9th Annual Blue and Gold Varsity Show, 8 P. M. baked bean supper at Old Stone Church Thursday, at 6:30 p.m. April 23-Fellowcraft Club Ladies Night Annex House, 8:30 P. M. April 26-27-State Convention Connecticut P. T. A. April 27-Well Child Conference April 23 - May 2 -- Spring School Vacation. April 26-Cub Pack, Father-Son April 29-Junior Guild Dessert Card Party Christ Church Hall 8 P. M. May 12- Junior Guild Rummage Sale Christ Church Hall. April 20—Card Party, Foxon Congregational Church Build-May 0-7-8-Art Exhibition, Christ May 7- Military Ball, American May 16—Dinner, Pequot Tribe May 20-American Legion Mass

tions: Mrs. Ralph Hewitt. The convention committee of Players Ready For "Claudia" Mr. James Sullivan, Mr. William

F. McMahon, and Mrs. John Moran. School. The curtain will rise DESSERT CARD PARTY

zard." Mr. Idell, you will remember, wrote "Centennial Summer" and "Bridge to Brooklyn" in which he told the fascinating story of the Rogers family and their assorted kin. He has now brought the Rogers saga a decade further which brings them and the latest book to a climax during those three days in March, 1888, when the northeast was covered by deepest snow within the memory of man. The setting is New York and Brooklyn and we are introduced to new friends including one of the first pitchers of that assembly of ball tossers who later became the Dodgers.

ALL OUT FOR EAST HAVEN PLAYERS

Heretofore the Players has produced only comedies. The play Claudia is a new type of vehicle, and the Players hopes the audience will enjoy its venture into a new field of entertainment.

Much credit for the decorating of the set should go to George Washburn. Del Dover is the stage manager and he has been ably assisted by the aformentioned Mr. Washburn, Bob Thomas, and Dan Bixby.

A number of new faces will appear before the footlights in this play. O. Harry Johannsen who plays the part of Fritz; Edith Thomas impersonating Bertha; Betty French appearing as Claudia's sister-in-law; and Irene Wilson in the role of Mrs. Brown, the mother. Mrs. Wilson is a new Foxonite, having recently arrived from St. Jo. Missouri.

Players who have appeared before are :- Claire Oskins, Claudia. who was seen in Yes and No; Joe Hawtin, David, who it will be remembered appeared in Yes and No and Separate Rooms; Richard Harvey, Jerry, who was the clergyman in Yes and No; and Vera Gesner Darushka, who appeared as the wife in To My Husband, the initial production of the Players.

Eleanor Siemenn, in charge of tickets, anticipates a sell-out.

"East Haven News On The Air" - WNHC 1340 on your Dial Every Thursday 4:30-4:45

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THE BRANFORD REVIEW-EAST HAVEN NEWS

Momauguin News

By Mrs. Blanche O'Connor Masses at St. Clares Guild Monday evening lime celebrate hig seventin Masses at St. Clares Guild Monday evening lime celebrate hig seventin Masses at St. Clares Parish, Mo-mauguin are 8:30 and 10:30 o'cloce Confessions every Saturday after-Confessions every Saturday after-

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Town Topics

work on a combined dwelling house and mechahical laboratory to be built in Saltonstall Parkway op-

This is a much needed improve center. Spring finds the East Haven ing one of these is, that the regular and but a new sturdy guard rall stores becoming increasingly popu- Momauguin passes the Flyer before s needed and ought to be put in lar with Sheppers from far and getting to Short Beach Road. place to safeguard auto travel at wide.

The annual Ladies Night of the Rotary. club. which. had. been on the occasion of her minth birth-that point where there have al-a pleasant birthday party was given Joan Mary Stemplek at her non the occasion of her minth birth-Beach Road, turn around around, and return to New Haven amply schedultd for this week, has been day. There were vocal selections by and return to New Haven empty. postponed until after May 1. her sister, Nancy, and accordian Believe me on a storniy night, the selections by her brother, Jack, weather is not alone.

Of course there hasn't been any ervice on Second Ave. or Bradford the last two weeks-the road

So now we wait for twenty-ni

1 but what I'm really getting at s, "Have you missed the Buss" your recent editorial? Herman A. Schar

George E. Munson, son of Mr Mrs. George E. Munson sr., o Park Place, has been accepted as an alternate following examina ions taken in December and February for the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps. A graduate of the East Haven High school class of 1947 George, who is 18 years old, is now an electrical engineering student a the Fort Trumbull Branch of the liversity of Connecticut. He is

MERCHANDISE CLUB The winners in the new Merchan Club, just started last week sponsored by the Woman's Ald Society of the Old Stone Church, were Mrs. G. Kober and Mrs. Mile

William H. Cox is the newly install Don't forget the father-son social planned for this Friday night at 8 in the Town Hall by the East Ha-

dent of the Union School P. T. Mrs. Cornelius Johns is vce presi dent; Mrs. Phylis Flood, secretar and Mrs. Ruth Jacobson, treasure

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the sudden death of her sister Intermittant stretches of Farm Mrs. Joseph Hunt of Hamden. Manager John Flanagan reports from the State Rifle Range north that the Revue held in the High is Bruch Shop Pand in North ford There was a large attendance of that the Revue held in the High to Brush Shop Pond in Northford, High school Junior Prom this area season.

The deputy warden for this area season. Is Engene II, Johnson of C4 Cliff It was a tlustery March day last Saturday along Main street instead has been placed on the fence along Laurel street at the Railroad bridge, This is a much needed improved enter. Spring finds the East Haven shopping This is a much needed improved enter. Spring finds the East Haven ing one of these is that the regular. Casionally you might, as a rule you don't. The next best thing to do is to and the number of families now Handen Plains Methodest Church. Iving here having lots there is not in Miss Levine is a graduate of these is that the regular. Casionally you might, as a rule you centery is a small one, situated of 24 Church Street Hamden, Satur-in the heart of a residential area day April 10th at 3 P. M. at the get on an East Haven Flyer which in the heart of a residential area day April 10th at 3 P. M. at the get on an East Haven Flyer which is a much needed improved enter. Spring finds the East Haven shopping This is a much needed improved enter. Spring finds the East Haven ing one of these is that the regular. Look Ahead to Mothers Day, May 9 BEAUTIFUL CARDS and GIFTS



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It was with a feeling of com-fort and joy that we learned that Blackstone Memorial Library mu-Produce knew no markets ex-On the other hand it was said There was an immense ice box, sion. 8:00-Hope Circle meets at school of Branford, Handen, Comto learn that some of the collec-tions have been claimed by their butter, lard, cream, milk and re-owners, to be sold, loaned clse-lated dairy foods extended its

where or broken up. It has long been our belief that Branford is old enough, rich enough in history, to appreciate its past and that the objects of that past should be cherished, The office was behind a sercen The serve carle C. Hock 9:30 Church school 10:45 Morning service Church Time Nu Kindergarten in safeguarded and protected, just as the library is prompted to do. Original museum pieces includ-ed rare relies of redskin days; when natives round the woods ind beaches and lived well from ind beaches and individual lessons per individual lessons per its fruits and fish and small ani-If there is any satisfaction to supervised.

Only by continual pounding ing businessman. the moment.

away at an idea does that vague idea become something concrete. We repeat, that which we have repeated many times in our 20 years span, that our wealth of school is choice enough to de-serve a dust free shelf on the walls of a museum. Congratulations to the library outlining benefits for dependents

and encouragement in the return of veterans.

one cannot help but recall the ceiving, or entitled to receive com-homey atmosphere of the old time pensation or retirement pay for service-connected disability. These words are not intended Widows or children of deceased have moved from West Main Street Walter Palmer was a member of

local incomprises of thet Frann's fective as of the date the applica-old Main Street. Grocery Store, tion was received by the VA, and Stannard's Hardware Store, Bux-not from the date of the veteran's covering from his recent illness. ter's Meat Market, Bohn's Mark- death.

"Silver Threads Among The child is defined as follows: a per-Gold", "Can She Bake A Cherry son unmarried and under the age Pie?" among others.

just back of the big red, hand cof. certain restrictions. fee grinder nearly always enticed Monthly payments to a widow people to take just a nibble. More alone are \$60; widow and one child, for home consumption. Tea came widow and child is not a determininto the store in bags and was ing factor.

resale by bulk. The pastry case where brother tion Office. Fred placed his fresh bread; pala- Next Week: Burial allowances for table buns; twisted crullers; de dependents of deceased velerans. lectable doughnuts, crammed with jelly; appetizing apple turnovers; chocolate celairs; cream puffs, on Saturdays—coffee cakes that meet Thursday April 22 to confer were out of this world for succu- third and fourth degrees on a group lence, was always a tempting of candidates. sight to the eyes and an equal at-traction with Channel No. 5 as a served at 6:30 and members are

seent of enticement. ples. There was a yellow cookie Jacobs, Mrs. Adelaide Baldwin, case where glass covers swung open for many a pound of snitch- George Dunbar, Ralph Neilson

dicompetance of his youthful diants. FUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY These were haphazardly thrown

11:00 Morning Worship ADVERTISING RATES ON APPLICATION plc always had the time to say Entered as second class matter October 18, 1928, at the Post Office at Branford, that store in half a day than in Conn., under Act of March 3, 1907. Gonn., under Act of March 3, 1807. The Review and The News welcome contri-buttons from readors upon any subject of nuble interest. All communications must be devoted to baseball talks among meat, Anonymous contributions will be dis-the men who would gather there just for argument to pass the PAST SLIPS AWAY time. Rainy afternoons in Sep-tember were rife with hot politi-

scum has been restored and re cept the Branford farmer who The Rev. Emil G. Swanson, Pastor opened to the public. We enjoyed would exchange his garden fresh tel. 739 it first TWENTY YEARS AGO. vegetables and fruits for some Thursday, April 15-3:00-Confir-

owners, to be sold, loaned else-lated dairy foods extended its eapacity. The cover was lifted by THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL day following the regular school BRIARWOOD GOLF RANGE

safeguarded and protected, just The office was behind a sercen

be thist That long after the pro-implements of Sale and the the state of Prann's Gracory Store Here and Party Sto and of all other stores mentioned, based treasured objects to their base of doing busines and memory of their based treasured objects to their base of doing busines and memory of their based treasured based to their based of doing busines and memory of their based treasured based of the bas passed treasured objects to their descendents who in turn have seen fit to loan them to the Black-stone Museum. Not all the interesting collec-tions were of local origin but it is of these we are concerned for the manual strong in the mind of one tions were of local origin but it is of these we are concerned for

VETERAN NEWS

May its future be an historical world War I or World War II society with an eventual home of veteran may be entitled to compenits own, not detracting from the sation if the veteran's service-con- IS NAMED TREASURER

"MEMORIES" tion must have served during the will make returns to her at the the war period, been discharged under and rapid but impersonal service conditions other than dishonorable, and the time of death been re- from anyone. It is not necessary to call before the ceiving, or entitled to receive com- wait for a canvasser to call before P. T. A. will send a Care package to here at the other of the set of the ceiving of retirement pay for making a donation.

to reach the station, but rather the date of the veteran's death, au-they would try to recall definite thorized payments will become ef-Pawson Park. local memories of Chet Prann's fective as of the date the applica-

ter's Meat Market, Bonn's Mark- usadi. et, Reynold's Store and many According to the VA, a widow of Learn How a World War II veteran may be ena World War II veteran may be en-more. Customers entering Chet Prann's Littled to compensation if she was place would nearly always find the stout old gentleman singing. He had his own arrangements for Wife at the time of his death. A He child is defined as follows: a per-Wife at the time of his death. A

"The Horse Marines" of 18 years who is the legitimate others. Huge rounds of cheese placed mate child. The latter, under

Divine Mind" often than not the nibble resulted \$78; and for each additional child, in buying a wedge shaped pound \$15.60. The amount of income of the Florence Middaugh

transferred into a metal bin for For complete information, contact your nearest Veterans Administra-

CONFER DEGREES Branford Grange No. 200 wil

cent of enticement. There were molasses barrels, dishes. Dessert will be 'provided' by vinegar barrels, pickle barrels, the Home Economics committee; Hour barrels and barrels of ap- Mrs. Winnie Cooke, Mrs. Elizabeth

ed snaps. Water was always being Dr. Nicholas' Sharp and Walter heated for the daily bont with the Palmer attend Rotary Charter milk bottles. Two and three a day Night in Plainfield recently. THE BRANFORD REVIEW". EAST HAVEN NEWS

oken, a tribute to the gen-LAUDS STUNTS

7:45 Tuesday mid-week service 3:15 Wednesday Junior Choir All participants showed par-lung her altendant. ticular ability and the older and Mr. William Apfelbeck of more experienced boys and girls Gamanoque, Canada, was the best drew constant applause with their man, Ushers were Frank V. Bigelow, difficult variations of standard Herbert Wade, Edward Gessner and discrete the place.

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11:00 Nursery 11:00 Junior Church

gacious teachings of an unknow- Wed., 10:00 a.m. Trinity Guild Thurs., 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Fri., 3:00 p.m. Junior Choir ST. STEPHENS A. M. E. ZION Mrs. Egbert Brockhuysen; Trea-The Rev. I. Atkins

21 Rogers Street 9:45 Sunday school

Wed. 7:45 Weekly prayer meeting

These words are not intended Widows or children of deceased to create a picture of the general veterans may file application for have moved from West Main Street the Resolutions Committee at the compensation at any VA office. If to their new home, Twin Pools, Robert Rosenting Robert Rosenting Conference held in while waiting for the daily train the claim is filed after a year from Freshius will pass the summer at Danbury Saturday. Delegates were

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TABOR EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN twists and stunts. CHURCH

mation Class meets for Review Ses- Over fifty girls from the high Street,

sessions. The competition was not marked APPOINTS LUKE LOMBARDI

Pepe, Barbara Baldwin, Jean Cunningham, Mary Zurowski, Holen old Driving Park.

Gives Large Gift

To School Fund the date of the next meeting is wednesday. April 21 and not Tues-The newly elected officers of the day the 20th. The meeting will that 8 in Grange Hall.

Laurel-Harrison P. T. A. which were elected at the April 6. meeting are: President, Mr. E. E. Alexander First Vice-President, Mr. Raymond Holsenbeck; Second Vice President. Mrs. Reginald Asher; Secretary, surer. Miss Ruth Hyman. Tel. 1676 ctresting bits of P. T. A. news before installing the newly elected officers who were present. It was voted to appropriate \$150 of the proceeds from the P. T. A Supper to the various rooms of Laurel Street-Harrison Ave. Schools

A widow or children of either Saturday Junior and senior choir to be used for books, filmstrips and playground equipment. \$25 of the proceeds will be given to the Branford School Scholarship Fund.

Its own, not detracting from the sation if the veteran's service-con-merits of the one now reopened to public view, but adding to its interest and appreciation. "MEMORIES" IS NAMED TREASURER OF CANCER CAMPAIGN Mrs. Lewis Doolittle of Stony the local cancer drive. Captains will make returns to her at the tion must have served during the tion the tion served during the tion the t

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Capacity crowds . Jammed the former Alta Bassett, daughter of chard, entertained the bridal party Thursday, June 10. tranford High gymnasium last Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin B. Bassett of at a buffet supper.

Weddings ,

who is athletic instructor for boys. C. Scherer of West Newton, Mass.,

INPULYPED

Milton Soderberg.

After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. The selectmen and the Town Thorvald Hammer entertained the Clerk acting as a Board for Admis-wedding party at a small buffet sion will be in session in the Town AT HAMDEN PLAYDAY supper in their home in West Main Hall, Friday, April 16 from 5 until 8 to make voters

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IS AWARDED

Place, chief clerk to the assistant G. Binder, of 45 Pardee Place, to Railroad in Waterbury has been Mrs. Charles Weber of 390 Pine Rock completion of 50 years continuous ecremony. service with the New Haven. The Given in marriage by father, the resentation was made by Super- bride was attended by Miss Mary intendent William H. Brooks, in Levy. Mr. William Weber of West the presence of general manager Haven was best man for his brother Stanley F. Mackay and a gathering Ushers were William Binder of East of Mr. Tidgewell's fellow employes Mrs. Tidgewell, also present, wore an orchid which was a gift of the A reception was held in Veteran's

railroaders. Tidgeweil has been commuting back and forth from East Haven daily for the past 17 years. He com-they will reside at 390 Pine Rock mented that while 50 years seems a long time to look ahead it doesn't seem like 50 years in looking back. Born at Middletown, May 1 1882, Tidgewell started railroading befare his 16th birthday, as an ac counting clerk. In 1903 he becam file clerk in the general superin endent's office at New Haven, an is been in the operating depar ment ever since. He served as assist ant chief clerk, acting chief cler and shief clerk in the general man ager's office. In 1926 he moved to vdence and in 1931 to Waterbury

FOXON CARD PARTY SET FOR APRIL 30

A card Party will be held in the on Community Hall on Friday Evening April 30 at 8 o'clock for e benefit of the Foxon Congre gational Church Building Fund Monte Carlo whist will be played but there will also be tables for those who want to play other games. There will be several doo prizes table prizes and refreshments. Players are asked to furnish own tables and cards price 50c. Fo eservations call anyone on the ommittee Mr. and Mrs. Mauni alley, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jack on, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hauso

INTERCHURCH LEAGUE BANQUET ON APRIL The Interchurch Bowling League ended its season on April 14 and the members are now looking fo ward to the annual banquet to b held at the Oasis in Branford or Vednesday, April 28 at 6:30 P. M The members will have their hoice if baked ham with raison sauce, native fried chicken, lobster warmed in butter, broiled tender ioin steak or broiled Block Island word Fish.

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 House, Thursday, April 22, at 6:30 P. M. Tickels are limited to 150 and the stone Church, Ushers serving during pril at e Parker Atwood, the stone Church, Ushers serving during Committee will have strated during Committee will be at stone Church, Ushers serving during Committee will of no Monday, May 2, the stone Church, Ushers serving during Church of Meriden in a Choir Music herbert Coe.
 Makes Plans To State and Mis. R. Bauersfeid 4-1277; Mrs. G. Agrey 4-3388; Mrs. F. Beatson 4-1164 or the stone Church, Ushers serving during April 32, in the cation and Mis. May charted were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Coe.
 Makes Plans To State and Mis. May Church of Meriden in a Choir Music holds were Mr. Herbert Coe.
 Makes Plans Mis. A. Sanford 4-0466. At 7 P. M. on Monday, May 2, the choirs of the First Congregational Church of Meriden in a Choir Music holds of the First Congregational period Civics Class presented an interesting panel discussion on Monday morning, April 12, in the parsist House, with the form the committee on the charter Auditorium. The sub-isch of the discussion group and Mrs. May Church of Meriden.
 ENTERTAIN APRIL 23 Fox O Grange No. 84 BiH will meet of the stone Haven Auditorium. The sociol Civics Class of the stone Church. The charter Auditorium. The sub-isch of the discussion group and Mrs. May Church of Meriden.
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The members of this panel dis-

Other features of this program

"Managua Nicaragua" and the "Coffee Song", accordion solos,

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The Old Stone Church was th 50-YEAR MEDAL Scene Saturday at 3.30 of the mar-John F. Tidgewell, of 17 Pardee daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William superintendent of the New Haven Karl Henry Weber, son of Mr. and taiload in waterbury has been Mrs. Charles weber of see File Rock iwarded the company's half-Avenue, Hamden. The Rev Duane Hatfield performed the double ring

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of song. The three church boards will ters, or highwaymen were charged meet at the church at 8 o'clock with the burial. Mr. Hall "who had next Wednesday night. The Short Beach Loyalty Group will meet Friday at the home of Mrs James Martin, Bradley Ave. Jackson will assist the hostess. Week-end guests of Miss Rith Peek, Westwood Rad were Wanda Peck, Westwood Rad were Wanda 70 years likewise could set no light

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Peck, Westwood Rad were winda 70 years likewise could see no ngre Kosinki, James Hurley and John Murphy, all former classmates at John Kulae of Double Beach showed travel pictures to the Youth or more ago, private families quite trequently used their back yards or a portion of the farm for a treate burlet ground. Guite fre-tributions to the Fund were used

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at the firehouse in Short Beach, zoned. Copies of zoning ordinances boatt. In the outboard motorboat the Immigration Act of 1924. These men discussed good zoning and pointed out requested. They also, will be sub- a plenic. Last summer the Bran-their offenic, on a community of the requested. They also, will be sub- a plenic. Last summer the Bran-Mrs. Richard Brown is chairman At the present time the board

ould not attempt to write any children. with the details of the district and fire, with everyone helping to build fully conversant with as much in- the fire and fix the food, and after-

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Most of these children know nothing at all about flowers and birds and bugs and fish that we take for granted. On the frequent nature walks and on the camp property they were observant and full of curiosity. The writer once listened to a serious discussion between two small boys, their heads bent over a pool in the marsh left by the receding tide, as to whether he little things swimming around vere pollywogs or baby codfish. When I told them they were shiners, and were used for balt, Yowee!" they shouted, tearing off, we'll catch 'em in a bottle and go

To Be Continued

CABARET NIGHT

Branford Grange Dramatic Club plans to conduct a cabaret night in Grange Hall, May 15, with Mrs. Vera Anthonis chairman and Mrs. room, or in a corner. It is 2'-4'' wide x 6'-8'' high. Shelves are 24'' deep Earle Berger director of the floor

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ission, met with the board is studying maps of the area to be were allowed to go out in a row- District. The measure would amend

their effects on a community's ject to study and comparison when ford Yacht Club took the campers of a food sale to be given April 23rd received, At this week's meeting Chairman sailer for a spin on the river— the Workers.





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Rev. Francis J. Smith. Rector. ttee and to transact such other Mrs. Paul R. Hawkins, organist business as may properly come be-Dated at Branford, Conn. this director. 9:30 Holy Eucharist and Sermon for by Mrs. Lucy Baldwin, Mrs. An- Brewing.

11:00 Morning worship

LEGAL NOTICES

Flora K. Goldsmith, Clerk. In the home of members and the April 19. Red Sox vs District of Branford, hath limited -----District of Branford, hath limited and allowed six months from the District of Branford, ss. Probate for renovating and refurbishing the COUPLE SEEKING LIVING date hereof, for the creditors of AUGUST; CALL NASH, 4-0463 and allowed six months from the District of Branford, is. Frontee for renovating and refurbishing the Court, April 7th, 1948. Estate of ROSA AGNES AVERILL to invite a table for cards and contribute two dollars toward the

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apt to surround as large an area as do the discerning searchlights of a big city. Yet, in one score years and two days, Branford can look upon a sports stage crowded with celebrilles-each with his own variation of an act, which on occasion hit the big time of national prominence and at other periods skirted, just as thrillingly, the main show, to a side ring where publicity bands played not as loud and the spotlight shown too briefly before dimming to a fast fadeout. Twenty years ago the athletic arena hereabouts was no sideshow

Through the years, probably because of its constant repetition it has been shunted to lesser areas, rising through obscurity at times, to flare like a rocket, for a brilliant burhing moment before dying anew.

Who can forget the devestation wreaked by the Branford Laurels of two decades ago; the swivel-hipped, jigging, bandy-legged dances of Dave Hylenski; the buildozing rushes of Mickey Cooke, his zooming punts and accurate passes; Charlie Jones and his deft aerial catches, his brainy signal calling; the oxen-liko plunges of Alex Struzinski, Bob Taylor, John Kelly and Merritt Taylor played the ends. Fritz Swanson and Johnny Walsh handled the tackle berths. Big, fast, ruthless Chet Tisko with Art Leach were in the guard slots. Dugan McCarthy had first call at the snapper-back post. Chief utility man was Johnny Cudgma, who easily belonged on the first eleven but because he was able to cover any spot, at any time, was relegated to important relief duty.

Branford High had just finished winning its first C.I.A.C. basket-ball tournament and its team had been scattered. Pat McGowan to Yale; Brud Mischler to St. John's Prep; Wid Clapp claimed a forward spot with the Branford Tanks. Rudy Johnson went to Upsala College. Bub Reynolds started a whiriwind athletic career that covered a half dozen prep schools and colleges. Aldy Clapp sought the busintss world. Lou Uhl carved out a niche as a salesman. The team was coached by Ray Schimmel yet it was a quintet that laughed at authority for it born beneath an apple tree in Clapp's back yard where durability was the only asset and only the best men survived. It was a dirt court that was the birthplace of many a later star. That unit met all comers and denied no challangers. Their managerial fortunes were in the ambitious hands of Tom Williams whose faith in his mates was undying.

In the baseball world, particularly the Middlesex County Lengue, the local entry was burning up the circuit behind the pitching of Bill Clancy, George Fair, Harry Noyes and Pinky McTrottes among others. Clancy and McTrottes were right handers and the former's burning speed was the talk of the state. The other two twirlers tossed them from the port side and George, became the exception to the rule when he showed unusual control and none of the eccentricities commonly associated with a lefty. Both Clancy and Fair went to the pro ranks and signed contracts with organized ball. clubs but the uptowners retired from the mound when he became associated with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company where he advanced rapidly. Today he holds a district manager's post in New Haven. The southpaw had the misfortune to break his arm two days before he was to report to the Boston Red Sox and never regained his fast ball. In later years, he pitched for North Branford where he led his mates to many pennants in the Shoreline loop.

Behind the bat, Clarance Wannamaker, Yale hockey coach, was credited with developing many of the Branford hurlers and few, who ever saw the slim athlete, will ever forget his slow roundhouse throw to second base. It was a toss which did not appear capable of breaking a pane of glass yet it was pegged with an unbellevebaly fast motion and its accuracy was legend. A broad-shouldered, wasp-waisted, towheaded, freckled-faced kid with pep all about him was another of the team's receivers. He answered to a nickname of "Wheels". Remember Stu Clancy? Al Aguzzi, big and blocky, took over the mitt, in later years

and carned a reputation, in comparison with the former two. At first base, two fielding and hitting artists, manned the sack-Dave Leach, powerful right hander, broad and lethal with the mace and a picture in the field, succeeded Vin Carney, Harrison Avenue's pride, a cool field tactician who batted from the right side and threw left and matched Leach in all departments. Carney went to the outfield before he took off in professional ball to the Northern League and other associated whistle stops.

Charlle Jones was the major operator at the keystone bag but various others took a hand at the post since Jones was a handy man and Alled many other spots when the need arose. Ernle Feldman, French teacher at the high school, was capable. Roy Steenhoff appeared at the a firey exhibitrating lineman to watch. Another was Pete Huzar. teacher at the high school, was capable. Roy Steenhoff appeared at the sack many times under an assumed cognomen. Pat McGowan, Yale athlete, also showed in the lineup at 2b. But Jones was the boy. Small and a choke hitter, he had a knack of "hittin' them where they ain't". Curlously enough it was while playing centerfield against Higganum in that the Bristol West Ends and finally the Hartford Pros. In one game play town, one Sunday, that Jones pulled the greatest catch the league ever ed at the Yankce Stadium, he created such favorable comment that saw. One of the home players had driven a tremendous fly ball into New York writers wrote many lines on the unsung back. The Philadelright center where it became entangled among the limbs of a gnaried and twisted, wild apple tree. Jones, timing the hit, raced to the spot and then dodged and reached and turned and finally caught the ball before Bob Donnelly was blocking for Branford High when he weighed but it hit the ground. Considering that the tree was in full leaf and that The net the global contact may that the view was so far away that no one ever his greatest stir, however, when he joined up with John Yuslevlez, to thought that a ball would go that far on the fly and thus made no lead Connecticut to its most sublime moments of basketball supremacy. rule to cover the situation.

Dave Hylenski, a converted pitcher, nalled down shortstop early in his career and combined fluid fielding with flawless hitting to become

(BY BILL AHERN) In a small town athletic spollights are not as bright nor are they Review came into being, the Branford Tanks had the paying public by the tail and had some fine players in the Montellus brothers, Gun Holmes, etc. Who can forget the town championship games between the Laurels and the Tanks? Hylenski, J. Clapp, Jones, Bomboliski, Clancy, Vin Carney would oppose the Tanks who featured George Heyer, Russ Fleming in addition to the above players. In later seasons the units combined to give excellent accounts of themselves against major Con-

ecticut opposition. In 1929, John Knecht came to Branford as the physical instructor in the high school. From that day on the lown's court fame grew in proportion to its instruction, which was strictly big time. Ed Bobinski

later to go to Hillhouse High and Providence College, held down the pivot berth with Mink Swirski and Harry Williams, the first string forwards. The guard posts were handled by Joe Purcell and the ill fated Paul Pauk, who carved out an envious gridiron reputation at Princeton That team took the class C title of the C.I.A.C. in Storrs, Conn. in 1930. Battler Lalch and Birdle Hart were on the squad that year and in a few years the fabulous Branford Alumni basketball team was born John O'Tell and Bud Fisher had the forward spots. George Laich was at center and Swirski and Hart were the elever backcourt duo.

When Joc Resjan joined the unit, his 6' 4" allowed Lalch to be shifted to forward and Walt Brannigan and Carl Montellus moved up to the squad from the Tanks to start the group on its victorious trek the state title. Stuart Clancy, by then moving along in fine shape with the New York Football Giants, played a dual role as coach and player. Many moments of thrilling sports history could be retold on the team's ability but none would off-set the night Lalch came out of a blizzard to rally his mates to a sensational 50 to 40 win over the West Haven Red Devils.

Over the huge sport spectacle, one figure stood forth like a block of granite, big, human Bob Kelly. A man whose heart like his body, was so all-encompassing that the whole town turned to him-for consolation in time of trouble; for praise in moments of triumph. All athletes in every field knew that behind them was the well wishes of the one nan that the town could iil afford to lose.

He moulded, the Branford Laurels from the time that they were a group of kids of about 14 until their matured style took Connecticut by storm. He actively engaged in baseball coaching and threw in a bit of basketball master-minding on the side. As time ran out on his Athletic direc life, he was forced to take his body away from the scheduled tilts but lt was a helpless gesture.

The Clancy brothers might tell of a time when their lives were threatened by a mob angered by an injury to a key pitcher as he was sliding into home plate. Fully 500 surged upon the field intent on harming the local battery. No one who saw the Portland game knew how it happened but before the milling people could reach the plate, the huge figure had thrust the boys behind him and single-handedly cowed that nob into submission.

Old time athletes from all corners of Connecticut poured condollences to his family when he died. The first public memorial to a Branford individual was crected at Hammer Feld shortly after. The drinkng fountain placed there was the glft of Branford people to a mar who proved to the tewnspeople that sports were worthwhile.

The photographic album would not be complete if word was not forthcoming on the special ability of one Harry "Heb" Williams, un doubtedly the greatest broken field runner and quick kicker that Connecticut high schools have ever witnessed. His cutback through tackle was hig time and his sensational ability to start and stop gave the locals four years of heart-carressing action. He was geared for speed. He played all sports but it was football that made him outstanding. Many clever players assisted "the Hebber" during those high school

years of the early thirties. Walter "Mugsy" Parcinski; Tony Mott, Joe Klimovicz, who died in an auto accident following a Yale game, Chick Ahern, Fudy Ilig were the backfield brilliants of that era. In the line Tony Cinquanta, Frank Brown, Ducky Harrison, Ray Neal, Bill Dennison, Mike Dykun, Al Mason, Ralph Cavallaro, George Jackson, the broth-er of Levi Jackson, of Yale fame, the Batrow brothers, Pete and John Jack Salvin, Ed Rice, Tom Ahern, John Red Anderson, John Gudimus

among others, paved the way for the fast stepping backs. Most of the above moved into semi-pro football with the Laurels who by this time were coached by Johnny King of Fordham and West

Later Fritz Petela moved into contention as a back. During his high school days he was big and used a good starting speed to advantage. From there he went to the Laurels and then to the Danbury Trojans, phia Eagles wanted him to play for them but the big boy, knowing that

80 lbs, and moved into the collegiate picture at the University of Con-Yusicvicz today is a Major in the air corps, but none can but remember his versatile style of bail handling.

At about the same time that the above pair were cutting athletic

Fight Crowd Council Looks For Hot Fight Awaits Compo In Loop Race Bout Tuesday

Two of boxing's ablest teachers, If the blckering that featured the pre-season meeting of the Johnny Dundee and Abe Attell, are ing the afternoon workouts of the managers, who intend to enter the taking turns preparing young Eddie Branford High baseball team this Community League play this year. [Compo for his ten round bout with April but Coach Warren Sampson is any criterion then this should be Phil Terranova next Monday even has high hopes of taking the first the fiercest softball season of them ing at the New Haven Arena. The hurdle of the season on Friday all. Council members believe.

Stout arguments over eligible daily at Stillman's Gym in New Mary's Academy of New Haven at players nearly brought the recent York. conclave to a riotous conclusion Somehow these two experts are

with manager Buck Torello of the Sportsmen team vigorously defending the right to use Tex Black on youngster, who as yet is short on the hill for his array. The Croatian experience, The art of feinting and Sobolewski, Dick Dolan and Frank team opposed his usage during the loop season. Michael G. Laich, Paul Ward and Jack Salvin were the by Dundee and Attell. ringleaders of the opposition. Indications point to a 10 team

ctrcuit and clubs desireous of entering should forward their applications to Frank J. Kinney, Jr., president of the Council before April 22. of course, is a past master at this

sort of thing and may give Compo VETERANS TAKE more trouble than anticipated next Monday. VARSITY SPOTS Several boxers from Connecticut will appear in the undercard of the

FOR CROATIANS show. Billy Morris of Waterbury goes against Vince Morello of Phila A short but intensive practice at delphia in a slx round weiterweight Hammer Fleid last Monday opened affair and Eddie Drake of Meriden the C F.U. bid for another town meets featherweight Willie Carryon softball title and maybe state re- of the Bronx in another six. Two

ognition when all members of last other six rounders and an opening year's aggregation reported for the four are also on the slate. workout under the coaching rein

Athletic director Michael G. Laich will leave no stone unturned in his

AT TONY'S BAIT SHOP effort to have the boys win the The long trip for bait will be a back was the high spot of the perstate Croatian crown in the softthing of the past in Branford this formance for the veteran accountball field and thus cop the laurels for the third time in succession. year if Tony Everich has his way, ed for five touchdowns with his Already the inveterate fisherman slingshot passing arm. The team has already been entered has dally supplies of fresh sand in the Community League.

Many are the names of those who attended colleges, who are atnding colleges, who will attend colleges.

Many are those who will appear no more on the sports pages. They heard their country's call-served with the same diligence that they served the town in athletics and bowed out with the same hard sacrifice block that endeared them to all who knew.them. A partial list would include Jimmy Barba, Jackle Clark and Buddy Montelius.

Even the girls were efficient enough to win national and state recogltion. Catherine Laich won her spurs in swimming and basketball. Her sister Eleanor, paired with Hazel Smith, of this town and Guilford, to tour the world with the All-American Redheads, a professional quintet. Barbara Barker, long after her marriage, displayed such a sharp tennis game that she was able to hit the runner-up berth in the state titular matches.

Clapp, Jack Holman and Charlie Lake were the trio.

amateur circle, Frank Petela won the state heavyweight crown. Profes-sionally ten years ago a scrappy kid with a ring moniker of Maxle Grove was knocking them down like ten pins. Today people might know him as Dan Cosgrove, constructionist. More recently, Johnny Corbett, was in the picture and with a lethal punch in both fists created a short lived stir before learning that he cut too easily and hore the marks too ong. Others have had bitter experience in the game.

team and even the present day Branford Hockey Club, one star will stand out for his play while attending Pennsylvania. We give you, Tom Ward.

life. Little has been said of the fishing grounds, the hunting areas; the wling teams, both duckpin and big pin. Room forbids the wild tales

fallen to the wayside. It would ever be thus for this is the brightest page of that biggest book-Life.

Hornets Face St. Mary's In **Opening Clash**

Rainy weather has been hampercourse of instruction is being held when his 1948 nine opposes St. Hammer Fleld.

Bob Vishno or Jack Bryan will going to have to impart a lot of take the mound for the locals with their ring stvvy to the Fair Haven either Bob Bouteller or Louis Locarno receiving the slants. Bob know-how on the in-fighting are Reynolds are three returning letterthe two blg points being stressed men and will commence the season by Dundee and Attell. It is pointed out that Compo Third base is still a doubtful spot might have lost his last bout to with many capable candidates try-

Jock Leslie had the Flint fighter ing for the slot. Captain Dave Marsh will hold been able to produce more damage down left field. Steve Finta will be with his inside blows. Terranova

in right and Joe Chandler is the starting possibility in the center garden

INTENSIVE SCRIMMAGE FEATURES B. C. TRAINING

Five days after reporting for spring training, the Boston College football team was put through an intensive scrimmage by Coach Denny Myers last Saturday. All

fifty four aspirants for positions including Branford's highly touted Ed Petela showed well in the three hour workout. The brilliant passing of Butch -Songin, recently converted from fullback to guarter-

worms being delivered to his home on Hopson Ave. and sait water addicts are welcome to get their supply from him at any hour after 5:30 a. m. Cold water has kept the fishing slow thus far, Tony explains, but two or three days of warm, sunny weather will warm up the water for flat fishing, he advises. Use Tony's balt for that fishing date, is his slogan.



ALL BAIT FRESH DAILY

an important cog in the skein of Branford victories woven ever the didoes at state, a youngster, Walt Tamulevich, was again moving h span of time. Phil McKeon worked the shortfield in later years. So well school to the fore, like his predecessor, Williams, in the football picture. that he was given a tryout with the Washington Senators.

Game after game he won for the pigskinners with his speedy running Chet Prann, a third baseman at Yale during the days of Mac Aldand hard blocking. In addition he was the best passer ever to graduate ridge, was a brainy fixture at the dizzy corner. Influenced by his dad from the Eades Street institution. Jim Crowley liked the lad so well to play with the local array, his affection for the youngsters was so that he enrolled him at New York Military Academy where he won great, that he never left the club thereafter. Chet was team captain starting spurs. The final game against Admiral Farragut Academy and a fine clutch player. His best asset however was his ability to make knocked him out of the collegiate show when he suffered a torn carti-his team rise above itself and to get the best out of it. He was never ledge in his knee. A year later he played some for the Branford Rams known to hit at the first pitch but maintained a .300 average despite under the aegls of Nick Weted but heard the bugle blowing when the being constantly in a hole. Afield he had a whiplash arm and his one war started. motion throw to first has never been equaled hereabouts since. One of the best three sport athletes was Pete Naimo, who was a

Many and great were the athletes who graced the outfield. Stu natural, especially in baseball and football. He was ably assisted in the latter game by easy going Connie Matson. Bob Linden, Howle Gebel and Henry LaCroix formed the school quintet at the time and their games, Clancy was there when he was not catching. So also were McTrottes and Jones. Vin Carney roamed the pastures when not at the initial sack. Joe Clapp, Sld Monroe, Karl Michaels, Aubrey Harrison, Garfield especially against Stratford, in the Housatonic League, and Meriden, MacKenzle all served apprenticeship there. But of the whole crew, the Chapman Tech and Naugatuck in the state title play will long be remost colorful was a small, aging man with high knee action to his tiny nembered in the annals of B. H. S.

steps, who was superb in reaching base. He was not a good hitter but a greater competitive fire never raged in the human breast than the surging conflagration which burned in the heart of Terry Brannigan. In later years, left-handed, laconical, Waiter Brannigan replaced his dad. His was the exact anti-thesis of his father's flaming play. The boy could hit; he could field; he could throw. His reaching stride fooled many an unwary inficider into a late play. He never wasted energy, nor used two steps where one would do. As time rolled by he came into the infield at first base and then took a southpaw turn on the mound where his slow disposition never allowed him to become ruffled.

They were the days when Branford could do no wrong. They were a great team and the fans knew it. Hundreds would travel to out of town games. The grandstand would be packed at Hammer Field. Automobiles would line v-shaped along the foullines as the fans vocally exhorted the team to pennant after pennant, Frank J. Kinney, Sr. and Jr., connotated the innings with mysterious figures, dots and dashes, always in purple ink, the mark of royalty.

Yet in their moment of greatness out of the Anchorage Farms of Pine Orchard came a bunch of dead end kids led by the Thomas brothers, Johnny O'Connor and Klinky Klarman on the hill, to convincingly sting them in a two game town series.

When the Anchorage nine broke up many sought and won places on the town team. Where ever one turned there were good athletes. The betting gentry cleaned up many hundreds of dollars as the town took its seasons in stride. There was no spring, summer, autumn or winter, instead it was baseball, football and basketball,

Only LaCroix remained the following year but out of the dust of that quartet's footsteps came the smooth functioning team of Yusicvicz, Lukawsky, LaCrolx, Ward and Butch Nalmo. That unit won the B crown and then went to Burlington in quest of the New England title only to lose when Captain LaCroix sprained an ankle in the second period of the first game.

When LaCrolx, Vic Lukawsky and Johnny Yusievick bade farewel to the unit Lou Desi, Abble Torino and Steve Hylenski wrested out an undefeated season and capped it by taking the state championship.

Their departure from the halls of Branford High brought a tempor ary gloom that was soon dispelled by the appearance of Stan Petela on the scene. Accurately called the smoothest player ever to represent the town, the down-town kid paced a fine aggregation consisting of Apple Lipkvich, Buddy Montellus, Tony Hynovich, and Pop Duell. That five bowed out in the finals to a star studded Manchester Trade guintet. Petela currently stars for Michigan State U.

It could go on for pages. When Knecht left the school to take a fine job with the M.I.F., its athletes carried on, Warren Sampson's abil-Ity has proven no less, on the record book. In four years in town he was able to win three state championships. He turned up fine baseball teams and working with a minimum of material appears to have a winning combination set for next year's football.

Levi Jackson, now famous Ell athlete, got his football start in Branford. His perseverance netted him his triumph. He was paired with Ed Petela, a plunging ramrod, whose athletic destinies will be shaped at Boston College in the next three years.

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(BY BILL AHERN)

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In a small town athletic spotlights are not as bright nor are they apt to surround as large an area as do the discerning searchlights of a big city. Yet, in one score years and two days, Branford can look upon a sports stage crowded with celebrities-each with his own variation of an act, which on occasion hit the big time of national prominence and at other periods skirted, just as thrillingly, the main show, to a side ring where publicity bands played not as loud and the spotlight shown too briefly before dimming to a fast fadeout. Twenty years ago the athletic arena hereabouts was no sideshow.

Through the years, probably because of its constant repetition it has been shunted to lesser areas, rising through obscurity at times, to flare, like a rocket, for a brilliant burning moment before dying anew. Who can forget the devestation wreaked by the Branford Laurels

of two decades ago; the swivel-hipped, jigging, bandy-legged dances of Dave Hylenski; the bulldozing rushes of Mickey Cocke, his zooming punts and accurate passes; Charlie Jones and his deft aerial catches, his brainy signal calling; the oxen-like plunges of Alex Struzinski. Bob Taylor, John Kelly and Merritt Taylor played the ends. Fritz Swanson and Johnny Walsh handled the tackle berths. Big, fast, ruthless Chet Tisko with Art Leach were in the guard slots. Dugan McCarthy had first call at the snapper-back post. Chief utility man was Johnny Cudgma, who easily belonged on the first eleven but because he was able to cover any spot, at any time, was relegated to important relief duty.

Branford High had just finished winning its first C.I.A.C. basket ball tournament and its team had been scattered. Pat McGowan to Yale; Brud Mischler to St. John's Prep; Wid Clapp claimed a forward spot with the Branford Tanks. Rudy Johnson went to Upsala College. Bub Reynolds started a whiriwind athletic career that covered a half dozen prep schools and colleges. Aldy Clapp sought the busintss world. Lou Uhl carved out a niche as a salesman. The team was coached by Ray Schimmel yet it was a quintet that laughed at authority for it was born beneath an apple tree in Clapp's back yard where durability was the only asset and only the best men survived. It was a dirt court that was the birthplace of many a later star. That unit met all comers and denied no challangers. Their managerial fortunes were in the ambitious hands of Tom Williams whose faith in his mates was undying.

In the baseball world, particularly the Middlesex County League, the local entry was burning up the circuit behind the pitching of Bill Clancy, George Fair, Harry Noyes and Pinky McTrottes among others. Clancy and McTrottes were right handers and the former's burning speed was the talk of the state. The other two twirlers tossed them from the port side and George, became the exception to the rule when he showed unusual control and none of the eccentricities commonly assoclated with a lefty. Both Clancy and Fair went to the pro ranks and signed contracts with organized ball clubs but the uptowner retired from the mound when he became associated with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company where he advanced rapidly. Today he holds a district manager's post in New, Haven. The southpaw had the misfortune to break his arm two days before he was to report to the Boston Red Sox and never regained his fast ball. In later years, he pitched for North Branford where he led his mates to many pennants in the Shoreline loop

Behind the bat, Clarance Wannamaker, Yale hockey coach, was credited with developing many of the Branford hurlers and few, who ever saw the slim athlete, will ever forget his slow roundhouse throw to second base. It was a toss which did not appear capable of breaking a pane of glass yet it was pegged with an unbelievebaly fast motion and its accuracy was legend. A broad-shouldered, wasp-waisted, towheaded, freckled-faced kid with pep all about him was another of the team's receivers. He answered to a nickname of "Wheels". Remember Stu Clancy? Al Aguzzi, blg and blocky, took over the mitt, in later years, and earned a reputation, in comparison with the former two

At first base, two fielding and hitting artists, manned the sack-Dave Leach, powerful right hander, broad and lethal with the mace and a picture in the field, succeeded Vin Carney, Harrison Avenue's pride, a cool field tactician who batted from the right side and threw left and matched Leach in all departments. Carney went to the outfield before he took off in professional ball to the Northern League and other asso ciated whistle stops.

Charlie Jones was the major operator at the keystone bag but various others took a hand at the post since Jones was a handy man and filled many other spots when the need arose. Ernie Feldman, French teacher at the high school, was capable. Roy Steenhoff appeared at the sack many times under an assumed cognomen. Pat McGowan. Yale athlete, also showed in the lineup at 2b. But Jones was the boy. Small and a choke hitter, he had a knack of "hittin' them where they ain't". Curlously enough it was while playing centerfield against Higganum in that town, one Sunday, that Jones pulled the greatest catch the league ever saw. One of the home players had driven a tremendous fly ball into right center where it became entangled among the limbs of a gnarled and twisted, wild apple tree. Jones, timing the hit, raced to the spot and then dodged and reached and turned and finally caught the ball before it hit the ground. Considering that the tree was in full leaf and that the catch was blind, it was amazing. Arguments on a ground rule home run were unavailing since the tree was so far away that no one ever his greatest stir, however, when he joined up with John Yusievicz, to thought that a ball would go that far on the fly and thus made no lead Connecticut to its most sublime moments of basketball supremacy. rule to cover the situation.

b to cover the shundon. Dave Hylenski, a converted pitcher, nalled down shortstop early in career and combined fluid fielding with flawless hitting to become At about the same time that the above pair were cutting athletic his career and combined fluid fielding with flawless hitting to become an important cog in the skein of Branford victories woven over the didoes at state, a youngster, Walt Tamulevich, was again moving he span of time. Phil McKeon worked the shortfield in later years. So school to the fore, like his predecessor, Williams, in the football picture. that he was given a tryout with the Washington Senators. Game after game he won for the pigskinners with his speedy running Chet Prann, a third baseman at Yale during the days of Mac Ald and hard blocking. In addition he was the best passer ever to graduate ridge, was a brainy fixture at the dizzy corner. Influenced by his dad from the Eades Street institution. Jim Crowley liked the lad so well to play with the local array, his affection for the youngsters was so that he enrolled him at New York Military Academy where he won great, that he never left the club thereafter. Chet was team captain starting spurs. The final game against Admiral Farragut Academy and a fine clutch player. His best asset however was his ability to make knocked him out of the collegiate show when he suffered a torn cartihis team rise above itself and to get the best out of it. He was never known to hit at the first pitch but maintained a .300 average despite ledge in his knee. A year later he played some for the Branford Rams under the aegis of Nick Weted but heard the bugle blowing when the being constantly in a hole. Afield he had a whiplash arm and his one var started, motion throw to first has never been counled hereabouts since. One of the best three sport athletes was Pete Naimo, who was Many and great were the athletes who graced the outfield. Stu natural, especially in baseball and football. He was ably assisted in the Clancy was there when he was not catching. So also were McTrottes latter game by easy going Connie Matson. Bob Linden, Howie Gebel and and Jones. Vin Carney roamed the pastures when not at the initial Henry LaCroix formed the school quintet at the time and their games, sack. Joe Clapp, Sid Monroe, Karl Michaels, Aubrey Harrison, Garfield especially against Stratford, in the Housatonic League, and Meriden, MacKenzie all served apprenticeship there. But of the whole crew, the Chapman Tech and Naugatuck in the state title play will long be remost colorful was a small, aging man with high knee action to his tiny membered in the annals of B. H. S.

Excellent basketball teams were a major part of the era. When the Review came into being, the Branford Tanks had the paying public by the tail and had some fine players in the Montelius brothers, Gun Holmes, etc. Who can forget the town championship games between the Laurels and the Tanks? Hylenski, J. Clapp, Jones, Bomboliski, Clancy, Vin Carney would oppose the Tanks who featured George Heyer, Russ Fleming in addition to the above players. In later seasons the units combined to give excellent accounts of themselves against major Connecticut opposition

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In 1929, John Knecht came to Branford as the physical instructor In the high school. From that day on the town's court fame grew in proportion to its instruction, which was strictly big time. Ed Bobinski later to go to Hillhouse High and Providence College, held down the pivot berth with Mink Swirski and Harry Williams, the first string forwards. The guard posts were handled by Joe Purcell and the ill fated Paul Pauk, who carved out an envious gridiron reputation at Princeton That team took the class C title of the C.I.A.C. in Storrs, Conn. in 1930 Bathler Laich and Birdle Hart were on the squad that year and in a few years the fabulous Branford Alumni basketball team was born John O'Tell and Bud Fisher had the forward spots. George Lalch was at center and Swirski and Hart were the clever backcourt duo.

When Joe Resjan joined the unit, his 6' 4" allowed Laich to be shifted to forward and Walt Brannigan and Carl Montelius moved up to the squad from the Tanks to start the group on its victorious trek to the state title. Stuart Clancy, by then moving along in fine shape with the New York Football Glants, played a dual role as coach and player. Many moments of thrilling sports history could be retold on the team's ability but none would off-set the night Laich came out of a blizzard to rally his mates to a sensational 50 to 49 win over the West Haven Red Devils.

Over the huge sport spectacle, one figure stood forth like a block of granite, big, human Bob Kelly. A man whose heart like his body, was so all-encompassing that the whole town turned to him-for consolation in time of trouble; for praise in moments of triumph. All athletes In every field knew that behind them was the well wishes of the one man that the town could ill afford to lose.

He moulded, the Branford Laurels from the time that they were a group of kids of about 14 until their matured style took Connecticut by storm. He actively engaged in baseball coaching and threw in a bit of basketball master-minding on the side. As time ran out on his life, he was forced to take his body away from the scheduled tilts but It was a helpless gesture.

The Clancy brothers might tell of a time when their lives were threatened by a mob angered by an injury to a key pitcher as he was sliding into home plate. Fully 500 surged upon the field intent on harming the local battery. No one who saw the Portland game knew how it happened but before the milling people could reach the plate, the huge figure had thrust the boys behind him and single-handedly cowed that nob into submission.

Old time athletes from all corners of Connecticut poured condollences to his family when he died. The first public memorial to a Branford individual was crected at Hammer Feld shortly after. The drinkng fountain placed there was the gift of Branford people to a man who proved to the townspeople that sports were worthwhile.

The photographic album would not be complete if word was not forthcoming on the special ability of one Harry "Heb" Williams, undoubtedly the greatest broken field runner and quick kloker that Connecticut high schools have ever witnessed. His cutback through tackle was big time and his sensational ability to start and stop gave the locals four years of heart-carressing action. He was geared for speed. He played all sports but it was football that made him outstanding.

Many clever players assisted "the Hebber" during those high school years of the early thirtles. Walter "Mugsy" Pareinski, Tony Mott, Joe Klimovicz, who died in an auto accident following a Yale game, Chick Athern, Rudy Illig were the backfield brilliants of that era. In the line Fony Cinquanta, Frank Brown, Ducky Harrison, Ray Neal, Bill Dennison, Mike Dykun, Al Mason, Ralph Cavallaro, George Jackson, the brother of Levi Jackson, of Yale fame, the Batrow brothers, Pete and John, Jack Salvin, Ed Rice, Tom Ahern, John Red Anderson, John Gudimus mong others, payed the way for the fast stepping backs.

Most of the above moved into semi-pro football with the Laurels, who by this time were coached by Johnny King of Fordham and West Haven. One notable exception on the big green wave was Nick Dykun a firey exhilarating lineman to watch. Another was Pete Huzar.

Later Fritz Petela moved into contention as a back. During his high school days he was big and used a good starting speed to advantage. From there he went to the Laurels and then to the Danbury Trojans, the Bristol West Ends and finally the Hartford Pros. In one game played at the Yankee Stadium, he created such favorable comment that New York writers wrote many lines on the unsung back. The Philadelphia Eagles wanted him to play for them but the big boy, knowing tha he had tarried too long, refused his contract.

Bob Donnelly was blocking for Branford High when he weighed but 89 lbs. and moved into the collegiate picture at the University of Connecticut as a running back. It was in the court game that he created Yusicvicz today is a Major in the air corps, but none can but remember

In Loop Race If the blekering that featured Two of boxing's ablest teachers, pre-season meeting of the Johnny Dundee and Abe Attell, are managers, who intend to enter the Community League play this year, [Compo for his ten round bout with April but Coach Warren Sampson

Council Looks

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ll, Council members believe. players nearly brought the recent York.

VETERANS TAKE

VARSITY SPOTS

workout under the coaching reins

of Jack Salvin.

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onclave to a riotous conclusion Somehow these two experts are with manager Buck Torello of the going to have to impart a lot of take the mound for the locals with Sportsmen team vigorously defend- their ring stvvy to the Fair Haven either Bob Bouteller or Louis ing the right to use Tex Black on youngster, who as yet is short on Locarno receiving the slants. Bob the hill for his array. The Croatian experience. The art of feinting and Sobolewski, Dick Dolan and Frank team opposed his usage during the know-how on the in-fighting are Reynolds are three returning letterloop season. Michael G. Laich, Paul the two big points being stressed men and will commence the season Ward and Jack Salvin were the by Dundee and Attell. ingleaders of the opposition.

Indications point to a 10 team might have lost his last bout to with many capable candidates tryircuit and clubs desircous of en- Jock Leslie had the Flint fighter ing for the slot. tering should forward their applica-been able to produce more damage tions to Frank J. Kinney, Jr., presiwith his inside blows, Terranova dent of the Council before April 22. of course, is a past master at this in right and Joe Chandler is the sort of thing and may give Compo starting possibility in the center

more trouble than anticipated next Monday.

Fight Crowd

Several boxers from Connecticut will appear in the undercard of the show. Billy Morris of Waterbury A short but intensive practice at delphia in a six round welterweight

the C. F.U. bid for another town meets featherweight Willie Carryon softball title and maybe state re- of the Bronx in another six. Two cognition when all members of last other six rounders and an opening year's aggregation reported for the four are also on the slate.

> ALL BAIT FRESH DAILY AT TONY'S BAIT SHOP

Athletic director Michael G. Laich will leave no stone unturned in his effort to have the boys win the state Croatian crown in the softball field and thus cop the laurels year if Tony Everich has his way. ed for five touchdowns with his Already the inveterate fisherman slingshot passing arm. for the third time in succession. The team has already been entered has daily supplies of fresh sand on Hopson Ave. and salt water

Many are the names of those who attended colleges, who are attending colleges, who will attend colleges.

Many are those who will appear no more on the sports pages. They heard their country's call-served with the same diligence that they served the town in athletics and bowed out with the same hard sacrifice block that endeared them to all who knew.them. A partial list would include Jimmy Barba, Jackle Clark and Buddy Montelius.

Even the girls were efficient enough to win national and state recognition. Catherine,Laich won her spurs in swimming and basketball. Her sister Eleanor, paired with Hazel Smith, of this town and Guilford, to tour the world with the All-American Redheads, a professional quintet. Barbara Barker, long after her marriage, displayed such a sharp tennis game that she was able to hit the runner-up berth in the state titular matches.

amateur circle, Frank Petela won the state heavyweight crown. Professionally ten years ago a scrappy kid with a ring moniker of Maxie Grove was knocking them down like ten pins. Today people might know him as Dan Cosgrove, constructionist. More recently, Johnny Corbett, was in the picture and with a lethal punch in both fists created a short lived stir before learning that he cut too easily and bore the marks too

stand out for his play while attending Pennsylvania. We give you, Tom Ward.

ife. Little has been said of the fishing grounds, the hunting areas; the bowling teams, both duckpin and big pin. Room forbids the wild tales of the grifters and the horse players.

Awaits Compo St. Mary's In **Opening Clash** Bout Tuesday Rainy weather has been hampering the afternoon workouts of the

Hornets Face

is any criterion then this should be Phil Terranova next Monday even-has high hopes of taking the first the flercest softball season of them ing at the New Haven Arena. The hurdle of the season on Friday course of instruction is being held when his 1948 nine opposes St. Stout arguments over eligible daily at Stillman's Gym in New Mary's Academy of New Haven at Hammer Field.

Bob Vishno or Jack Bryan will

at first, second and shortstop. It is pointed out that Compo Third base is still a doubtful spot

Captain Dave Marsh will hold down left field, Steve Finta will be starting possibility in the center garden.

INTENSIVE SCRIMMAGE FEATURES B. C. TRAINING

Five days after reporting for spring training, the Boston College football team was put through Hammer Field last Monday opened affair and Eddie Drake of Meriden an intensive scrimmage by Coach Denny Myers last Saturday. All fifty four aspirants for positions including Branford's highly touted Ed Petela showed well in the three hour workout. The brilliant passing of Butch -Songin, recently converted from fullback to quarter-The long trip for balt will be a back was the high spot of the perthing of the past in Branford this formance for the veteran account-





steps, who was superb in reaching base. He was not a good hitter but a greater competitive fire never raged in the human breast than the Only LaCroix remained the following year but out of the dust of that quartet's footsteps came the smooth functioning team of Yusiesurging conflagration which burned in the heart of Terry Brannigan. vicz, Lukawsky, LaCroix, Ward and Butch Nation. That unit won the In later years, left-handed, laconical, Walter Brannigan replaced his dad. His was the exact anti-thesis of his father's flaming play. The boy only to lose when Captain LaCroix sprained an ankle in the second could hit; he could field; he could throw. His reaching stride fooled period of the first game.

many an unwary infielder into a late play. He never wasted energy, nor When LaCroix, Vic Lukawsky and Johnny Yusievick bade farewell used two steps where one would do. As time rolled by he came into the to the unit Lou Desi, Abbie Torino and Steve Hylenski wrested out an infield at first base and then took a southpaw turn on the mound undefeated season and capped it by taking the state championship. where his slow disposition never allowed him to become ruffled. Their departure from the halls of Branford High brought a tempor-

They were the days when Branford could do no wrong. They were ary gloom that was soon dispelled by the appearance of Stan Petela on a great team and the fans knew it. Hundreds would travel to out of town the scene. Accurately called the smoothest player ever to represent the games. The grandstand would be packed at Hammer Field. Automobiles town, the down-town kid paced a fine aggregation consisting of Apple would line v-shaped along the foullines as the fans vocally exhorted Lipkvich, Buddy Montelius, Tony Hynovich, and Pop Duell. That five the team to pennant after pennant. Frank J. Kinney, Sr. and Jr., con- bowed out in the finals to a star studded Manchester Trade guintet. notated the innings with mysterious figures, dots and dashes, always in Petela currently stars for Michigan State U. purple ink, the mark of royalty.

Yet in their moment of greatness out of the Anchorage Farms of Pine Orchard came a bunch of dead end kids led by the Thomas brothers, Johnny O'Connor and Klinky Klarman on the hill, to convincingly sting them in a two game town series.

When the Anchorage nine broke up many sought and won places on the town team. Where ever one turned there were good athletes. The betting gentry cleaned up many hundreds of dollars as the town took its seasons in stride. There was no spring, summer, autumn or winter, instead it was baseball, football and basketball.

It could go on for pages. When Knecht left the school to take a fine job with the M.I.F., its athletes carried on. Warren Sampson's ability has proven no less, on the record book. In four years in town he was able to win three state championships. He turned up fine baseball teams and working with a minimum of material appears to have a winning combination set for next year's football,

Levi Jackson, now famous Eli athlete, got his football start in Branford. His perseverance netted him his triumph. He was paired with Ed Petela, a plunging ramrod, whose athletic destinies will be shaped at Boston College in the next three years.