

Tax Office

Reports \$1,255.50 In O. A. A. Taxes

4 Building Permits Issued

According to Tax Collector James C. Ogilvie, \$1,255.50 has entered the Tax Office for January from the 1938 Old Age Assistance Tax bills, recently sent out.

Mr. Ogilvie stated that this tax is now due, as of February 1, 1938, and that all persons from 21 to 60 inclusive, must pay this tax. After March 1, 1938, a penalty of one dollar will be enforced.

Tax Collections

Tax collections for January are as follows; current, \$6,012.96; Back Taxes, \$1,490.30 and interests and liens, \$447.71 making a total of \$7,950.97.

Building Permits

Four Building Permits have been reported issued by Building Inspector Frank Redfield for the month of January.

Many To Attend Legion Nite Klub

Over three hundred and fifty reservations, including members of other posts about the State and people from the Naugatuck Valley, have already been made for the Fifth Annual Nite Klub, which is being sponsored by the Harry R. Bartlett Post, 89, American Legion, on Saturday evening, February 12, (Lincoln's Birthday) to be held at Sevenables Inn, Milford, Connecticut, where the ball-room has been exclusively turned over to the local post for the evening.

The same excellent meal that has been enjoyed in past years will again be served this year and an excellent New York Floor Show will be presented in the way of entertainment. Dancing will be enjoyed from 8 p. m. to 3 a. m.

Reservations may be made through Mr. William F. Geenty, chairman of the committee, and tickets may be procured from members of the local post.

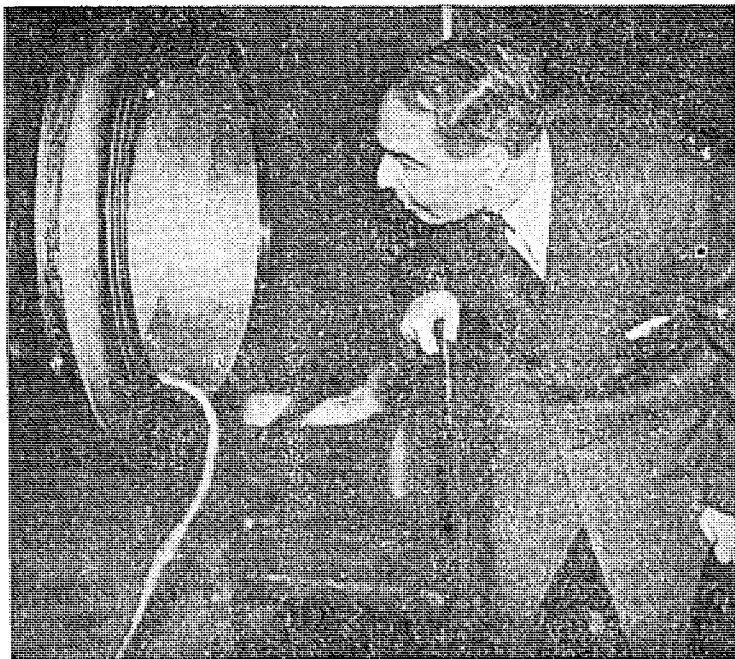
Youths Charged With Entering Cottages

John J. Mager, 21 of 191 Sixth Street and Peter Bendlak, 22, of 25 Steuben Street, Bridgeport, Conn. were arrested in Bridgeport by State Troopers William Murphy and Frank Baylis last Tuesday, who charged them with breaking and entering cottages at Momauguin. Upon searching their houses in Bridgeport police said \$500 worth of stolen goods and three blackjacks, two of which were homemade, were found.

Upon being tried in Guilford Town Court, presided over by Judge Harry White, the two suspects were charged with breaking and entering in the night season, theft and the carrying of concealed weapons, to which both pleaded guilty. Both boys have previous police records and have spent time in Cheshire.

Other thefts committed by the two according to the police include stripping of automobiles in Guilford taking a radio and horns from one and a bag of tools, field glasses and a radio from another.

War Minister Inspects Guns



Leslie Hore-Belisha, British minister for war, peeps down the muzzle of a large-caliber gun during his visit to the Woolwich arsenal recently when he inspected guns and other fighting equipment which England is rushing to completion in its rearmament program. The program costing many billions of dollars includes the strengthening of all branches of Britain's arms—navy, army and air forces. It includes also the training of civilian population to protect itself against attacks.

Telephone Co. Files Announce Report

Stating that the fourth quarter of business done by The Southern New England Telephone Company directly reflected the general business recession in both volume and earnings, President Harry C. Knight in his annual report this week, said that however the first three quarters of the 1937 volume of business was definite and encouraging. Pointing out that ordinarily telephone activity holds up longer than average business at the beginning of a recession and lags at the beginning of recovery. Mr. Knight said that in the present instance the reaction was immediate and still prevails.

Net earnings of the company were greater however in 1937 with \$3,380,569 or \$8.45 per share of common stock, as compared with \$3,

073,370 or \$7.68 in 1936, Mr. Knight said.

The volume of telephone traffic exceeded that of any previous year however Mr. Knight pointed out. "Local traffic or calls between customers within the same exchange numbered 526 million or 26 million more than in 1936," he said. "Toll or out of town calls increased by two million to a total of 26 and one-half million. Our technical observations and measurements indicate that 99.6 per cent of the local traffic and 98.5 per cent of the toll traffic was handled without error, while the average time involved in the completion of toll or out of town calls was 54 seconds. More than 90 per cent of this latter traffic is handled by the first operator reached and is completed while the calling subscriber remains at the telephone.

STATE REPORTS 422 TRAFFIC FATALITIES FOR 1937

East Haven Reports One Traffic Death For The Past Year

422 traffic fatalities (as of January 10th) represents the Death List of Connecticut for 1937 resulting from traffic accidents according to the Connecticut Department of Motor Vehicles. This is a decrease seventeen or almost four per cent which was the prediction made by the Commissioner during the closing days of the year when the Christmas holidays had passed and New Year's Eve was the only obstacle to a decrease. A ten per cent reduction was recorded for 1936 over 1935 so even this small reduction for 1937 over 1936 is a welcome gift from the hand of Fate.

Thirty-nine out-of-state residents are on the list, almost ten per cent of the total. It will be interesting to check the percentage of responsibility on the part of out-of-town motorists for the accidents which killed visitors. During 1936 one out of every seven cars involved in fatal accidents was an out-of-state vehicle,

but being involved and being responsible is different.

From preliminary figures, Hartford seems to have achieved a splendid reduction for 1937 over 1936, the deaths charged against the capital city for 1937 being thirteen as against twenty-five for 1936, almost a fifty per cent decrease. Waterbury, according to the Motor Vehicle Department's list, is charged with a total of eighteen for 1937, an increase of three over 1936; Bridgeport is debited with forty deaths, an increase of four; and New Haven is charged with twenty-eight, or three more than for 1936. These figures are FATAL ACCIDENT LOCATIONS. As a rule the more populous communities, or cities and boroughs on traffic-packed routes, such as U. S. No. 1 from New Haven to Greenwich, are scenes of the most accidents and where the most accidents are caused there one is apt to find the most injuries and fatalities.

Twenty-six Hartford residents were killed in traffic accidents during 1937, ten of the mishaps being caused in Hartford itself. Seven-

STATE TOTALS \$6,033,429 IN W. P. A. EXPENDITURES

Road Projects Consume Major Portion

Mr. John J. Gelinus Heads Bus. Assoc.

Association To Devise Business Index

Mr. John J. Gelinus was elected president of the East Haven Business and Professional Men's Association at the Annual Meeting of the association last Monday evening in the basement of the Town Hall. Mr. Fred Wolfe, Jr., was elected vice-president; Mr. Frank Hartman, Jr., treasurer and Mr. Graham H. Shiner secretary, all of which were elected unanimously. Mr. William E. Fagerstrom was appointed to the executive committee.

Business Index

A special committee composed of Messrs. George A. Sisson as chairman, George Whelan, Fred Wolfe, Jr., Meyer Levine and Harry Lewis was formed to devise an index of the various business' in East Haven. Upon completion, copies of this index will be sent to every resident in town.

All businessmen, whether members of the Business Association or not, wishing their name to appear in this index are asked to notify Mr. G. H. Shiner, as secretary of the association.

Meeting

Chief Ernest Hanson, of the local Fire Department will be the speaker at the next meeting on Monday, February 17, at Gus' Main Restaurant at 12 noon.

Devised a "Horseless Wagon"

Three hundred years ago, Simon Stevin, a Dutch inventor, devised a "horseless wagon," a great boat-like wagon propelled by sails which caught the breeze blowing in from the sea.

A total of \$6,033,429 has been spent in Connecticut for materials, supplies and equipment for use on WPA projects since inception of the Works Progress Administration, according to figures released this week by the office of State Administrator Vincent J. Sullivan. Of this total, the federal government has supplied \$2,870,999 as against the total sponsors' contributions of \$3,162,430.

Exclusive of rentals, the cumulative figures reveal that highway, street and road projects claim the major portion of federal and sponsors' funds thus expended. Sums included in this report, which is through the month of November, 1937, and exclusive of payroll, show that the Works Progress Administration has expended a total of \$2,204,357 for highway project materials, of which the federal government paid \$930,528, while the sponsors' contributions totaled \$1,273,829.

Sewer Systems Second

Second in importance from the standpoint of monies spent for materials, supplies and equipment, are the sewer systems and other utilities projects. A total of \$1,214,760 has been spent on such projects. Next in order are public building projects, on which WPA has spent \$1,141,607.

Recreational facilities and airports and other transportation projects are found in fourth and fifth places, the totals being \$358,177 and \$321,482 respectively.

An analysis of the types of materials used shows that WPA spends more for crushed stone than for any other single item. Cement and concrete products take second and third place, with paving materials and mixtures (bituminous), brick and similar clay products, lumber and its products and sand and gravel follow in that order.

A further breakdown of the totals reveals that new construction projects of all types in Connecticut have cost for materials, supplies and equipment the sum of \$4,027,395, a figure which is nearly equally divided between federal funds and sponsors' contributions. On repairs, modernization and improvements projects \$1,260,399 has been spent for which the sponsors' contributions have exceeded federal funds by nearly \$250,000. The balance of approximately \$750,000 is made by all other projects.

Harrison Knew the Indians

"I can tell at once upon looking at an Indian whom I may chance to meet whether he belongs to a neighboring or a more distant tribe," wrote Gen. William H. Harrison in 1801. "The latter is generally well-clothed, healthy and vigorous; the former half-naked, filthy and enfeebled by intoxication, and many of them without arms excepting a knife, which they carry for the most villainous purposes."

Guam Owes Allegiance to U. S.

The 20,000 inhabitants of Guam owe allegiance to the United States but are not citizens. There is no legal provision whereby they can become citizens.

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Editorial

WILL THE SIGNAL BE, RELEASE BRAKES ?

Testifying before the special Senate committee which is investigating unemployment and relief, John J. Pelley, President of the Association of American Railroads, said that with increased revenues and a return of normal traffic, the lines could not only stimulate industrial development throughout the country by resumption of railroad buying in large volume, thus giving employment to hundreds of thousands in a long list of industries, but could also re-employ thousands of their own workers who have been furloughed.

When railway business is good, he added, the lines utilize more than 20 per cent of the coal output of the country, nearly 20 per cent of the fuel oil output, and more than 15 per cent of the iron and steel output, plus tremendous quantities of other heavy goods, such as cement, stone and gravel. If their traffic and revenues returned to a more normal level, he estimates that they could easily install 2,000 new locomotives and 100,000 new freight cars per year. By way of contrast, in 1937 they installed less than 500 new locomotives and but 75,000 new freight cars.

The figures indicate what has happened to the railroads. For the first 11 months of last year, their gross operating revenue was 5.1 per cent greater than in the same period in 1936. Their operating expenses were up 7.6 per cent—and their net revenue was down 5.5 per cent. Diminished railroad buying and employment was the inevitable result. The lines have been carrying more traffic, but earning less money—because of the impossibility of making 1932 rates cover 1937 costs.

The public interest in the decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission on the railroads' request for a 15 per cent freight rate increase—which would partially offset increased costs over which the railroads have no control—is self-evident.

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SUNHELMET SUE
By Erick Berry

Sue May wanted to go to Africa she wanted to be an archaeologist but she had to stay home and make a parachute demonstration—or at least she thought she had to stay home. Actually she did get to Africa as a secretary to Professor Derling and before the story is over she is well launched on the way to being an archaeologist.

Here is a vivid, swiftly moving tale for girls from twelve to sixteen. The adventures that Sue May experiences are exciting and the courage and ingenuity with which she faces and solves her problems, makes her a real and likeable person.

I HEAR AMERICA SINGING
By Ruth A. Barnes

Here are the words to rollicking songs sung by sailors, trappers, and shanty boys at their work, rhythmic verses sung by cowboys on the Western ranges, and songs chanted by the Negroes of the South while cottonpicking. Here are trail ballads of the Oregon and the Santa Fe, ballads of homesteaders, and Southern mountain ballads of the East—each told in the colorful language of those who sing them.

CALICO
By Ethel C. Phillips

Calico was the new little black and white pony at Pocky Farm. He was a very mischievous little pony, but Roxy and Oliver always forgave him for his pranks. He had such a merry twinkle in his eyes. He was a wise little pony, too. He found Mother's gold birthday thimble. And he saved the whole Peters family during the flood. What fun the children had riding on Calico's back? They had a little green cart for him to pull. And—but this is a secret. Calico knew how to dance on his hind legs.

Christ Church To Present Recital

The third in a series of Sunday afternoon Recitals, being given by Christ Episcopal Church, under the direction of Mr. Harold Crist, organist, will be presented on Sunday, February 27, at 4 p. m. in the Church.

Guest soloists for this recital will include Mrs. Lillian Wood, contralto the Misses Marjorie Senigo, violinist; Patricia Lang, cellist; Florence Guttlein, pianist; and Mr. Lewis Lubenow, baritone.

Benefit Show

Members of the Choir of Christ Episcopal Church will sponsor a benefit performance of "The Hurricane" at the Capitol Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, February 7 and 8, the proceeds of which will be used for the organ fund and purchase of new hymnals.

Birthday Ball Social Success

The East Haven Town Hall presented a colorful scene last Saturday evening, when some 200 gathered for the celebration of the Presidents Birthday Ball in the Town Hall. Mr. Bertram Weil, chairman of the affair stated that it was a success both socially and financially in that over \$200 was taken in.

Churches

Sunday, February 6
OLD STONE CHURCH
(Congregational)
Main and High
Rev. William H. Nicolas, Pastor,
Mrs. Joseph Hall, Organist
9:45 a. m. Church School
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship
7:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor.

Eveready Group, Parish House,
Tuesday, February 8, 2:30 p. m.
Men's Brotherhood, Parish House,
Tuesday, 6:30 p. m. (Supper Meeting)
Parish House Helpers, Parish House, Thursday, February 10, 7:45 p. m.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
306 Main Street
Rev. Alfred Clark, Rector
Mr. Harold Crist, Organist
8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.
9:45 a. m. Church School.
11:00 a. m. Holy Communion and Sermon.
2:30 p. m. Confirmation Class.
7:00 p. m. Fireside Fellowship (Rectory).

MOMAUQUIN
101 Dewey Avenue
9:30 a. m. Holy Communion and Sermon.
10:45 a. m. Church School.

Momauguin Junior Choir, 101 Dewey Avenue, today, 3:30 p. m.
Bible Study and Hymn Sing, tonight, 7:30 p. m.
Adult Choir, Church, tonight, 8 p. m.

Young Men's Service League, Rectory, Monday, February 7, 7 p. m.
Girl Friendly Candidates, home of Mrs. Chester Knight, Frank St., Tuesday, February 8, 4 p. m.
Girls Friendly Society, Rectory, Tuesday, 8 p. m.
Vestry Meeting, Church, Tuesday, 8 p. m.

Women's Auxilliary, Memorial Room, Wednesday, February 9, 2 p. m.
6:30 p. m. Boys Meeting, Momauguin, 101 Dewey Avenue, Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.
Junior and Boys Choirs, Rectory, Thursday, February 10, 3:30 p. m.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL'S
Masses 7, 8:30, 10, 11:00 a. m.

MOMAUQUIN MISSION
Mass 9:30 a. m.
ST. ELIZABETH'S
Short Beach
Mass 10:00 a. m.

J. Sullivan lead the Grand March followed by Mr. and Mrs. James F. Hines, which was conducted by Mr. Jack Kerin. An excellent buffet lunch was served by a local caterer. The feature of the evening was the cutting of the huge birthday cake, weighing 600 pounds by Mr. Fred Wolfe, a piece of which was distributed to everyone present.

The committee wishes to extend its appreciation to all who aided in its success.

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The supervisor should also see that the paper is properly laid over the under floor and this paper should be black waterproof paper not less than 15 lbs. It should be lapped, not butted.

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It does not pay to use another kind of flooring for kitchens, halls, etc., as that makes waste on two kinds of material and saves nothing. It is better to set that all poor pieces and discolored strips are thrown out when laying the main floors and have them used for the kitchen.

(To be continued)

LINOTYPE

Plastered
"You say this house is double plastered?"
"Sure. Once by the plasterers. Once by the mortgage company."

A Long Wait
A retailer, on receiving the first delivery of a large order, was annoyed to find the goods not up to sample. "Cancel my order immediately," he wired to the manufacturers.
They replied: "Regret cannot cancel immediately. You must take your turn."

Alaska a Territory
Alaska is organized as a territory. Territories do not elect congressmen, but each sends a delegate who sits in the house of representatives and has all the privileges of that body except the right to vote.

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Pratzner-Johnson Nuptials Attract Social Set

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Nicolas To Entertain Choir

By Miss Doris Warner, Society Editor

Miss Edith Crane Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herve Shepard Johnson of 48 Taylor Avenue, East Haven, was married to Mr. Carleton Edward Pratzner, son of Mrs. Laura M. Pratzner of 337 Elm Street, New Haven, on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Old Stone Church, East Haven. In a setting of palms and lilies, Rev. William H. Nicolas performed the ceremony. Mrs. Joseph Hall and Mrs. Helen Hasse presented the nuptial music which included, "O Promise Me," and "I Love You Truly."

Miss Janet Beatson of East Haven was maid of honor, and the Misses Doris Male and Helen Pierson also of East Haven acted as bridesmaids. Serving Mr. Pratzner as best man was Mr. Wesley Fiske Pratzner, Boston University 1938. The ushers included Messrs. Franklin and Shepard Johnson, Donald Cooke and Walter Malloy of New Haven.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a princess gown of white slipper satin made with a V neckline and outlined with braiding, long sleeves and a train. Her tulle veil was draped from a brocaded Juliet Cap and she carried gardenias and lilies of the valley.

Miss Beatson wore an aquamarine taffeta jacket dress made with a long flared skirt finished with bandings of aquamarine and brown. With this she wore a cluster of flowers and veil and carried spring flowers. The bridesmaids wore dresses of rose taffeta trimmed like that of the maid of honor, and they too, wore floral head-dresses with veils and carried spring flowers.

The parents of the bride and the bridegroom's mother assisted at the reception in the Old Stone Church Parish House, which was decorated with hemlock and lilies. Mrs. Johnson wore navy blue alpaca, a matching hat and corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Pratzner wore a light blue dress trimmed with silver grey accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

When Mr. and Mrs. Pratzner departed for a wedding trip to New York and Washington the latter wore a brown suit with a Chesterfield coat and brown accessories. They will live at 133 Fountain St., after February 6.

Choir Rehearsal

The Choir of the Old Stone Church will rehearse at the home of Rev. and Mrs. William H. Nicolas, pastor of the church, this evening at 7:30 p. m. Following the rehearsal Rev. and Mrs. Nicolas will entertain the members.

Returns From Hospital

Mr. Wayne Harrington returned to his home in Chidsey Avenue, last Monday, following a long confinement in the hospital.

Returns From Vermont

Mr. Leo Charnes of Thompson Street has returned from a weekend in Vermont.

Mr. Merwin Bailey of Foxon has returned to Brown University after spending a week at his home.

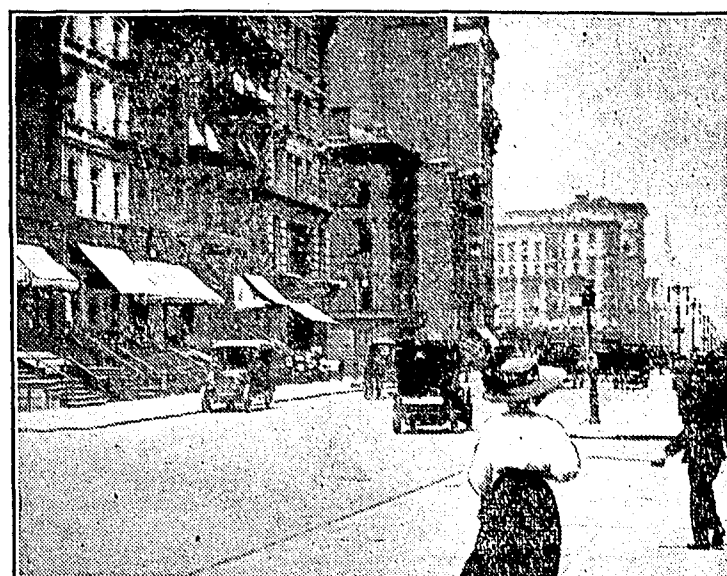
Mrs. David Kelsey attended the New Haven County Grange meeting in Guilford, where all lecturers met and furnished a number for the program.

Valentine Social

The East Haven Democratic Club are planning a Valentine's Day Social for February 14, to be held in the club rooms.

There will be a Valentine's Dance at the Foxon Community Hall on Monday, February 14. Old fashioned

World's Busiest Street?



JUST LOOK at that traffic roaring by! Yes, sir, that's New York's famous Fifth Avenue looking toward 42nd Street. And the lady in the stylish white shirtwaist and the snappy little straw skimmer had better be careful when she gets to the corner, because you know how those horseless carriage drivers swing around the turns. With the national automobile show approaching, Consumers Information dug out this picture, taken in 1907, to show what a difference 30 years can make. The picture below shows Fifth Avenue as it is today. Advertising, which created the demand, and research, which perfected the



product, are credited with changing the picture from that of 1907, when only a few thousand cars were on the country's roads, to that of today, with almost 30,000,000. The few small manufacturers of 30 years ago advertised to sell their primitive cars, which cost around \$3,000 for a "medium-priced" model. They created a bigger demand than they could fill, and so bigger factories, increased employment, and constantly better automobiles resulted. And today we can buy an infinitely superior car for about one-fifth of the price, while half a million men are directly employed in the industry, compared to a few thousand at the time this picture was taken.

THE HAT-BOX

The Derby
For the first time in some months, "The Derby," a decidedly different sport hat, is shown.

The first impulse one has when trying a derby on for the first time is to laugh. But, after looking at it well and long from all angles, almost all women find it very becoming and particularly comfortable. It is so secure on the head that a hat elastic is unnecessary.

The ladies derby is somewhat like a man's derby in that it is made of soft pliable felt. The edge of the short rolled up brim is bound with grosgrain ribbon, and around the crown is a band of ribbon with a tiny stick-up feather at the left side.

The derby is worn on the back of the head by the Miss and on top of the head, tilted a little to the right by the matron.

It is shown in beige, pearl gray, and all the dark winter colors.

Butter Used by Romans in Treating Afflicted

Butter has not always been used for nourishment. The Greeks and Romans used it most largely for medical purposes. Describing the making of butter in the Second century, one authority claimed that it was more satisfactory when used externally. As late as the Seventeenth century butter was sold by apothecaries in Spain for use as an ointment. It is rumored that the good looks of many of the Spanish beauties was due to the use of butter as a cosmetic, just as Cleopatra is said to have bathed in milk.

Concerning the part which butter played in commerce in the early days, the Wisconsin department of agriculture and markets makes the following statement:
"Little is known of the part which butter played as an article of commerce in ancient times. However, an early historian states that in the first centuries butter was shipped from India to ports of the Red sea. In the Twelfth century Scandinavian butter was an article of over-sea commerce. The Germans sent ships to Bergen, in Norway, and exchanged their cargoes of wine for butter and dried fish. It is interesting to note that the Scandinavian king considered this practice injurious to his people, and in 1180 compelled the Germans to withdraw their trade.

"Toward the end of the Thirteenth century among the enumerated wares of commerce imported from 34 countries into Belgium, Norway was the only one which included butter. In the Fourteenth century butter formed an article of export from Sweden. It may be fairly inferred that butter-making in north and middle Europe, if not indeed in all Europe, was introduced from Scandinavia."

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Miss Ellen Anthonis Classbook Head

Senior Hi-Y Plan Program

Senior teachers have completed appointments to the staff of the 1938 edition of the "Pioneer," senior classbook, naming Ellen Anthonis editor-in-chief and Phyllis Freer business manager.

Assisting Miss Anthonis and Miss Freer are the following: assistant editor, Virginia Germond; associates, Kathryn Mintz, Celia McGuire, Rhoda Leshline, Helen Gillis, Virginia Cox, Dorothy Stocum, John Moran and Peter Orlando; photography editors, Helen Pollock and Ray Pratt; art editors, Aina Wahlstrom and Marjorie Cianciolo; assistant business manager, Catherine Norwood; business associates, Robert Male, Marie Blanchard, Jannie Eldridge, George Reinwald, Burdett Page, and Jacqueline Malcolm; typists, Fred Vercillo, Henry Saranecki, and Vinca Paladino. Miss Miriam G. May will serve as faculty adviser.

Senior Hi-Y

The Senior Hi-Y, under the able supervision of Jim Wood, Yale Divinity School leader, has definitely swung into action. Skating, sliding, and theatre parties have been included in the full program to date. Members who enjoy indoor sports are meeting at the Y. M. C. A. each Wednesday afternoon for basketball and swimming.

During the winter months the club will compete in swimming and basketball against local Hi-Y groups and the Yale Divinity School. Other activities include a joint dance with the Hillhouse Sophomore Hi-Y, and a snow train excursion, to Brattleboro, Vermont.

Name Contest

The Athletic Association announces a contest for a name for the super-colossal variety show to be given in April. All pupils interested must submit, before Friday, February 11, from one to three suggestions on contest blanks which may be secured from home-room teachers. The winning name will be chosen by a committee of judges, including Mr. William E. Gillis, Mr. William Carr, Mr. John E. Maher, Mrs. Thomas Thompson, and Miss Celia McGuire.

Typing Classes

Twelve pupils in Miss Farrell's Typing classes have submitted typing award tests, recently taken for 15 minutes on unfamiliar material. Those who qualify will be awarded seals and emblems which designate the net rate of speed per minute. Helen Hilse is the proud owner of a pin awarded to her recently by the Woodstock Company for typing 40 words per minute for 15 minutes.

Notes

Members of the Girls' Dramatic Club presented a one-act comedy, "Tom's Arrival," to the eighth grades in a special assembly on Monday. The cast included M. J. Carter, Dorothy Fitzsimmons and Gloria Palmieri. Miss Dorothea Murphy acted as coach. The Boys' Dramatic Club will present "Under the Skull and Bones" as their next dramatic offering.

The high school will close today so as the heads of the departments may attend the Curriculum Confirmation at Troup Junior High School, New Haven. Other staff members will enjoy a visiting day.

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Jeffs To Meet West Haven Sunday

E. H. H. S. To Play Return Game With Stratford

By Eddie Munson, Sports Editor

The East Haven Jeff teams will return to their old schedule this Sunday night, when they will meet the West Haven Red Devils in a return game. The match has aroused great interest because the Red Devils handed the Jeffs their only unavenged defeat this season in an overtime contest a few weeks ago.

In the other end of the double bill the Jeff girls will oppose the Shelton Sportsmen Grill, formerly the Olympic Girls.

The officials will be Albie Booth and Fred Gheradini.

Jeffs Wallop Olympics

Last Sunday the East Haven Jeffs whipped the Waterbury Olympics in one of the most spectacular basketball games ever played in Waterbury.

After trailing 38-29 with only six minutes of play remaining, the Jeff big guns suddenly came to life and scored 22 points while holding the Olympics to a mere 3 points.

Following the example of the big team the Jeff girls tripped the Stamford All Stars in thrilling fashion by a 26-18 count.

East Haven vs. Stratford

East Haven will try to get back in the win column tonight when they take on Stratford on the local court. Last time these two outfits came to grips Stratford came out on the losing end of a 35-27 score, so tonight they will be out to prove that they are no setups.

The home team's line-up will probably be as follows: Hanson and DeFilippo forwards, Glynn center, with Rowley and Thomson holding down the guard positions.

The Jayvees of the two schools will take the floor at 7:30 sharp.

Branford Taks East Haven

An overflowing crowd jammed the Branford gymnasium last Tuesday evening and saw East Haven's hopes of winning the Housatonic League championship seemingly doomed when the Branford High five dropped them by the score of 30-18.

Even though the boys of the Blue and Gold were fired by the return of Captain Glynn they couldn't do much toward halting the Hornett's sharpshooting forwards, Torino and Naimo, who garnered 10 and 8 points respectively.

The East Haven seconds were soundly trounced, 22-7, by the Branford subs in the opening fray.

Commercial Trims E. H. H. S.

The local high school gym was crowded to near capacity last Friday evening when Commercial's basketweavers nosed out East Haven's quintet 30-28 by virtue of a sensational two pointer in the last seven seconds of play. The Mahermen, missing Captain Jimmy Glynn, put up a stubborn battle throughout the contest and it took the best that was in Commercial's warriors to subdue them.

Thomson was the top scorer of the evening with 13 points.

Track Team

East Haven High School's track squad will start spring practice in the very near future. Although Coach Tierney has not named the date, he hints that it will be about the first of February.

The services of Captain Bob

Copperthite and Gordon Stevens, ace performers last year, will be sorely missed; but with lettermen Bruce, Bahnsen and Buechele forming the nucleus of the 1938 team, the outlook for the running end of the team is bright. Lower-classmen are urged to try out for the team.

Two or three indoor meets will be scheduled, the first to be held at Wesleyan in the latter part of March. Several outdoors meets will be arranged at a later date.

(Items for this column may be telephoned to Eddie Munson at 4-2017W.)

Capitol Presents "The Hurricane"

"The Hurricane", which is expected to be one of the most outstanding film successes of the year, will play the Capitol Theatre, starting Sunday, for three days.

Dorothy Lamour and Jon Hall, who play the leads are ably supported by Mary Astor, C. Aubrey Smith, Thomas Mitchell and Raymond Massey in the greatest of South Sea adventure dramas, written by the authors of "Mutiny On The Bounty."

As the added attraction, "Love Is On The Air" with Ronald Reagan and June Travis will be shown.

Danielle Derriex Plays Lincoln

"The Depression is Over" (La Crise est Finie) is a gay French musical featuring the lovely Danielle Darriex, star of "Mayerling" and "Club de Femmes," and Albert Prejean who will be remembered for his brilliant work in "The Rooftops of Paris." The plot is amusing telling the experiences of a theatrical troupe disbanded without pay in a small town.

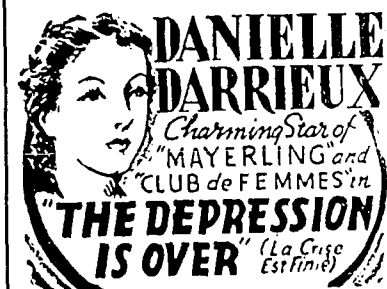
On the same program is a thrilling picture of an expedition through Tibet, commentated by Lowell Thomas.

Starting Tuesday "Amphytrion 39" (The Gods at Play) a delicious French musical fantasy with Alfred Lunt and Lynne Fontane, will open for a week's run.

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Alongside the record of the man with the tick-tock head at Edward Hines, Jr., Memorial hospital near Chicago now stands the case of the man with the whistling eye. He is Henry L. Baker, pictured above being examined by Dr. Edward Wagner. A stethoscope applied to the eye records a low moaning sort of whistle. Doctors at the hospital said the trouble was caused by a tumor behind the eye.

Once "Gibraltar of America" The Virgin islands' capital, St. Thomas, or Charlotte Amalie, was once termed the "Gibraltar of America." St. Thomas is the home of the bay rum industry, but the trees grow on a neighboring island. There the work of coaling steamers is done by women. Each one carries approximately a basket of coal nicely balanced upon her head.

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