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PREVUES, VIEWS AND REVIEWS

BY PAUL H. STEVENS

### NON-USE OF TOWN AMBULANCE

We received an anonymous letter this week criticizing the non-use of the town ambulance in the fatal accident shortly after midnight Sunday morning at the junction of Main street and Saltonstall cut-off. It is our policy not to print anonymous letters, and we are not doing so at this time. We do feel, however, that this is a matter calling for comment. The letter claimed that Joseph Mosowich, recently returned war veteran of Foxon, lay at the side of the highway, still alive, for approximately 45 minutes in the bitter cold of 4 degrees above zero before a New Haven ambulance took the man to a hospital where he died soon afterward. "In the name of humanity," the letter queried, "why is not our town ambulance used in emergencies of this kind?"

We presume the reason the town ambulance was not used was because of the rules established some time ago by the town authorities which provide that it can be moved out of the Main street fire headquarters, where it is kept, only on order of a physician. Police have found from experience, so we were informed this week, that it is quicker to get the services of a New Haven ambulance than an official order to use the ambulance in the wee small hours of the morning. Chief Farrel told us that the New Haven ambulance usually reaches here within 15 minutes of the time it is called for. Another reason for the non-use of the town ambulance, officials informed us, is because it is not wise for untrained persons to handle seriously injured persons.

The rules governing the use of the town ambulance were arrived at after long and careful study, and we see no reason for questioning their efficacy. However, it would seem feasible, in view of the opportunities for first-aid training, to instruct public safety employees in the techniques necessary for the handling of critically injured persons, to the end that they would be qualified to use our own town ambulance in such an emergency as occurred here Sunday morning.

### LOOKING BACKWARD FROM 1946

We have always been a believer in the philosophy of looking forward. But it is not always wise to plan ahead without taking a glance backward at the past. We were pleased, therefore, to receive from one of our readers a clipping from which we quote excerpts elsewhere this week. It seems that twenty years ago, a generation as time marches on, forward looking East Haveners, many of whom are still among us, were looking ahead and planning. Some must have thought that they were over-optimistic when these visualized a busy East Haven of from ten to fifteen thousand inhabitants by 1950. But most of their rosy expectations came true, even though the Great Depression which descended in 1929, did much to hamper the progress.

Today, twenty years later, we are faced with many of the problems that confronted the town in those days. At that time a Chamber of Commerce seemed to open the way for town development. Yearnings then were for a new Town Hall, a Town Library, better transportation facilities, and so on. These objectives were realized even though the town did unfortunately lose its bank, but that was true of other towns because of the depression. Errors, of course, were made, but it is only through errors that new courses can be charted.

Now in 1946 the community is confronted with other needs. Much has been said of the need for a Post Office Building, the need for a town Bank is as urgent now as it was in the 1920's a sewer system is greatly to be desired. Above all the town needs men and women of vision who can heed the lessons of the past in their building for the future. We believe the town has such citizens and that even the most rosy of their visions for the next twenty years will come true by the time 1966 rolls around.

### MODERN POLICE PRACTICE

We were pleased to report last week that two members of our East Haven police force had just completed the four months of training at the F.B.I.-State Police school which concluded in Woodbridge. We hope that more of our local police officers will be able to have the advantages of this training in modern police practice. We note that the response from the cities and towns of this area has been general and as a result more and more of our guardians of the law are learning the new scientific approaches to crime prevention.

The school sessions were given over largely to fingerprinting and photography. Both of these branches of police work have proven of tremendous importance in police departments across the country. Fingerprinting is a method of placing identity that in many places has become routine. Every police department small or large should have complete facilities for fingerprinting and men who are trained and skilled in this identification system. Photography is another aide in modern police work and it means more than just the taking of pictures. Every modern police department should, we believe, have at its disposal proper cameras and the other necessary paraphernalia to carry on this important work. It is also necessary that the policemen be skilled in the proper way of taking pictures so that evidence may be preserved.

These are stepping stones to other modern police aides and we recommend to our Board of Public Safety that when budget time comes around they endeavor to persuade the town fathers to provide the equipment necessary so that our newly trained policemen may have the proper tools with which to perform their duties. These days the copper needs more than a night stick and flashlight.

### OUR APOLOGIES, PLEASE

This paragraph is directed to subscribers to the EAST HAVEN NEWS only. As of January 1 we sent out subscription statements to many of our readers whose subscriptions expired in the period between September and the close of the year. The response, we are glad to report, has been most satisfying. To date cancellation requests have been less than a half dozen. But here is the rub. Unfortunately, bills were sent to some four or five good readers who are in perfect standing on our list, they having already paid for their renewals. This was a regrettable error, but in a way, a beneficial one because it has taught us the necessity of better bookkeeping which we have taken the steps to provide. If there are others who had already paid and who received bills this month we sincerely hope they will let us know about this so there will be no need for misunderstanding. Too all those who have renewed we extend our thanks for making possible East Haven's community weekly.

## East Haven To Be Reo Distributing Center

Lansing Firm Leases Main Street  
Property For Five Years For  
Connecticut Headquarters.

Announcement was made this week of a new industry for East Haven. Reo Motors Inc. of Lansing, Michigan has leased from the Sullivan Company, Inc., the brick building next to the Fire Headquarters in Main street.

The company plans to establish here the direct factory distribution center for the state of Connecticut. The local manager, Mr. R. W. Richards has already arrived and is now living at 27 Park Place. Other staff members are preparing the place for the opening of business. The lease which was executed as of January 1 is for a

period of five years.

During the recent war the premises were occupied by the Lewis Manufacturing company, makers of covered wire. Before the war the building housed the Sullivan Company's trucks and equipment, and previously had been used as a general garage, first by Bergeron's a score or more years ago and later by Tacy's Garage which was succeeded by Roy Perry.

The building has floor space approximately 50 by 100 feet. Establishment of this direct factory distribution center in East Haven is one of the many post-war enterprises which points toward the business and industrial development of the town.

## East Havener Probes Crash For Air Lines

George Youngerman, formerly of Tyler street, who for the past eight years has been a pilot for the Eastern Air Lines, was sent to Cheshire Friday immediately following the fatal airliner crash which took 17 lives, to investigate the accident for his company. As pilot he had made the New York-Boston flight a great many times and had only recently been transferred from the New England flight to the New York Miami route.

It became Mr. Youngerman's painful duty to inform the families of the pilot and other members of the crew of the ill-fated liner of their deaths. He also cooperated with the state investigating agencies as representative of the company into probing the cause. As soon as word of the accident reached New York headquarters Mr. Youngerman was dispatched from LaGuardia Field and was at the scene before 1 P. M.

George has been flying since his graduation from college and served three years in the Army Air Force before entering the commercial flying field as a pilot.

### GRAY LADIES

Mrs. Blanche O'Connor and Mrs. Catherine Shepard, two East Haven Gray Ladies of the Red Cross, have considerable service to their credit between 1942 and 1945 in St. Raphael's Hospital. Mrs. O'Connor wears four bars and has served a total of 1,174 hours. Mrs. Shepard wears one bar with a total of 161 1/2 service hours.

## Working Plans For New Sewers Are Underway

Working plans for the new post-war sewer system for East Haven are rapidly taking form. It was learned this week. Town Engineer Charles Miller reports that plans have been drawn and surveys made for most of the Center District of the town and some thought also has been given to the plans for the Shore and Foxon Districts.

Local officials are working closely with city Engineer W. Vincent Barry of the city of New Haven which is also planning to install sewers and a sewage disposal plant covering the three New Haven wards east of the Quinnipiac River and adjacent to East Haven.

Town officials are studying the Board of Finance Act of 1915, which is the town's legislative charter to see if it contains powers for proceeding with the laying of sewers. If not it is probable that special action will be asked of the next session of the General Assembly in order that the plans for sewers may be carried out here.

The sewer problem will be one of the issues to be brought to the attention of the Town Board of Finance when it meets next summer to prepare the budget for 1947.

### HEAD OF NURSES'

CORPS VISITS HERE  
Col. Florence A. Blanchfield of Washington, superintendent of the Army Nurses Corps, and Lieut. Ann Claypool were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Whyte.

## New President Of Young G. O. P.



RUSSELL ROSE

## Russell Rose New Head Of Young GOP's

Russell Rose, returned World War II war veteran was elected president of the Young G. O. P. club at its annual meeting last week. Other officers elected are 1st vice president, Rudolph Schmidt, Jr., 2nd vice president, Arthur Proto; treasurers, Fred Dahl, and secretary, Louis Ferrucci.

It is notable that beside the president, both vice presidents are returned veterans from the recent war. Many returned veterans are taking interest in this organization. Plans are now underway for the installation of officers at the meeting to be held in February.

Many members of the club will attend the New Haven County Young Republican installation this Thursday night in the Waverly Inn, Cheshire when John Cutts will be installed as head of the country organization and former East Haven president, Herman Hackarth, will be installed as delegate.

### WOMEN'S AID OFFICERS

The Woman's Aid Society of the Stone church has elected the following officers for 1946: President, Mrs. Joseph Holt; 1st vice president, Mrs. Donald Chidsey; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Frank Barker; secretary, Mrs. Ernest L. Pemberton; and treasurer, Mrs. Roy Holchikiss.

### FLYING SOUTH

Fred Wolfe, Jr., will leave by plane Tuesday for Florida where he will

## TOWN TOPICS

FROM OUR REPORTERS' NOTEBOOKS

### Winter here in earnest!

Snow, ice, sleet and frigid weather prevails.

Happy is our East Haven contingent which fled away to sunny southland.

Glad to learn Dan Parilla is home again after operation in hospital. Doing nicely and expects to be back on deck at busy package store next week. Son, Dick, has been at helm during dad's absence.

We note more enterprise along Main street and welcome Manager Richards of new Reo distributing center to Main Street business circle.

Big time scheduled at High school this Thursday night when 250 will attend Victory Banquet for Rangers Football team which won Park Recreational League Trophy. Sports Moguls Dan Mulvey and Bill Harding expected, also Judge Ellisworth Foote and First Selectman Sullivan. Leo Hibson is toastmaster.

Legion also schedules big time this Thursday night with class initiation in Town Hall and award of Legion citations to families of 21 East Haveners who gave lives in recent war.

Annual meeting of Past Matrons and Past Patrons association of Princess Chapter, No. 70, O.E.S. will be held next Wednesday night at 8 in Banquet Hall of Masonic Building. Refreshments at close of meeting.

Bernard Cohen of Community Alleys, 204 Main street, had high praise for efficiency of local firemen at fire which threatened alley.

## Veteran Dies Of Injuries In Auto Crash

Joseph Mosowich, 22 year old recently returned war veteran of 10 Rose street, Foxon Park, died Sunday in New Haven Hospital after the car he was driving went out of control at the intersection of Main street and Saltonstall Cut-off, turned over three times, and landed against the rocky side of Saltonstall hill. Three companions, Edwin Walsh, John Tytko and John Clancy, all of Fair Haven escaped with minor hurts.

The accident occurred just before 1 A. M. Nearby residents telephoned police and a radio call was picked up by the squad car which was cruising in Sanford street about three blocks from the scene of the accident. Sgt. Edwin Priest and Patrolman Wesley Stepper investigated. The injured man was removed to the hospital in a New Haven ambulance.

Although the hour was late a large crowd gathered at the scene of the accident.

Join his wife and daughter at their winter home at West Palm Beach. Happy Landings Fred!

keys Monday. Says he never saw such efficiency as was shown, even in a community five times our size. Firemen had blaze under control in ten minutes flat and showed real consideration in preventing excessive damage, he adds.

John Craig has returned home from the Armed forces in which he has served since 1944 and is now on terminal leave. He has been a warrant officer with service first at Fort Terry and later in New Caledonia, New Guinea and the Philippines. Welcome home Johnny!

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wenek are in Vermont for a week visiting Mrs. Wenek's brother, Pasquale Riccitolli.

Mrs. Ruth Judge Jenkins formerly of Dodge avenue, now of Pine street, Fair Haven, was given a birthday party Saturday night by a group of friends.

Beverly M. Hogan has been discharged from the armed forces after serving in the Medical Detail, Brook General Hospital in Texas and is now at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Munson of Park Place.

Master Sgt. John W. Camp who has been stationed in the postal service in New York has received his discharge and is now at the home of his wife, the former Charlotte Page of Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Barker of Elm street were called to Charlotte, N. C. Sunday, because of the critical illness of Mrs. Barker's brother, Edwin Johnston.

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## Down Memory Lane 25 YEARS AGO

Jan. 25—Jan. 31, 1921

The A. K. A. O. Society met with Jane Sanford at her home in Edward street and surprise aluminum shower was given Mrs. Wallace Moyle.

Word came from Harrisburg, Pa., that a daughter, Eleanor Louise, had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holbrook.

The East Haven Maslons were making plans for a dinner Feb. 22 and the committee in charge was H. E. Hallock, Edgar S. Bacon and R. E. Goodwin.

At an enthusiastic meeting the Fire Department Association was organized as an auxiliary of the East Haven Fire Department. Officers elected were C. A. Chipman, president; Ernest Hansen, second vice president; Leroy Chidsey, secretary, and W. Ritchie treasurer. Plans were made for the 21st anniversary observance.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blakeman and Mr. and Mrs. James Malcolm were hosts and hostesses at the Saturday Assembly Dance.

Frank Hartman Jr., was ill with chicken pox.

Mrs. Rose Hoxsey, wife of Irvin Hoxsey, died at the age of 56 years.

## Town Once Had Chamber Of Commerce

Interesting Clipping Tells Of  
Move Toward Progress Made  
Here By Citizens In Early '20's

One of our readers has sent us a yellowed clipping from the New Haven Register back in the early 1920's which tells the interesting story of the formation of a town Chamber of Commerce at a time when the town's population was 5,000 and when public spirited citizens looked forward, as they are today, to boom times.

One citizen is quoted in the clipping as saying "East Haven will have a population of from 10,000 to 15,000 by 1950." We are already within that bracket.

"Progress with a capital 'P' is written in the very phase of this embryo town's busy daily life," says the article. "Its affairs are heavily charged with that element of push and activity that has raised it from a village of 900 souls in 1890 to its present respectable size. And that activity is clearly discernible in every part of the town, from Main street to the back roads."

A new Town Hall was one of the objectives in those days, just as a new Post Office Building is today. "Most East Haveners declare that the transformation will be complete with the erection of a new Town Hall to replace the present ramshackle frame structure that offers poor protection for the valuable records stored within," the article continues.

"Working quietly a group of

citizens are forming a Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of boosting the resources of the town.

"Henry B. Hunt, member of the firm of Miller & Hunt, real estate dealers, on July 8 called a meeting of East Haven business men and property owners for that purpose. Acting as temporary chairman of the meeting Mr. Hunt saw Clifford Weaver, a chemist in the employ of the United States Rubber Co., and named a committee of one to draw up the by-laws of such an organization.

"The forty men who originally pledged themselves to back and boost East Haven are working to secure for the town a bank which will have the endorsement of New Haven banking institutions, a new town hall which they feel is sorely needed, a high school, more railroad stops, an express office, a telephone office, a library and possibly a modern theatre.

"It was pointed out by Mr. Hunt that the 30 stores on Main street as against the four that were here five years ago, are a good indication of the manner in which the town has grown. He declared that over two hundred homes had been constructed in the past three years—another barometer by which the growth of the town is gauged. The construction of the Tomlinson Bridge and the paving of Forbes avenue will, it is claimed, add materially in the building of East Haven's population."

Town Had 5,000 Population Then  
But Leaders Predicted Steady  
Growth Which Came True.

Objectives Gained

From the vantage point of 1946 it is interesting to read of the efforts put forward in East Haven 20 or more years ago looking toward improvements for the town. The Chamber of Commerce was organized and for a time was instrumental in aiding the achievement of some of the objectives for which it had been formed. The handsome Town Hall came into being on the site of the old E. Foote Thompson mansion at Main street and Thompson avenue. Later the Hagaman Memorial library was built through funds provided in the will of the late Isaac Hagaman. A town Bank was established and lived a useful life until the Great Depression which began in 1929 put and end to its career. As to the hope for more railway stops for East Haven, the town lost out. The railroad abandoned its East Haven station entirely. But in its place, motor travel reached a stage where the railroad stops were no longer necessary. A new four lane motor highway now parallels the railroad through East Haven. Growth, although hampered during the years of depression, unseen in the early twenties, continued and the forecasters of that day were right in predicting an early passing of the 10,000 population mark.

# Fight on!

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## Town Topics

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Urquhart of Hemingway are having as their guests last week Mrs. Urquhart's cousin, St. James Nelson and Mrs. Nelson and family of Tampa, Fla.

Miss Audrey Wisting was hostess at a birthday party in her home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Hammond, mother of Mrs. Clifford Sturges of Hotchkiss road, with whom she makes her home, sustained five fractured ribs in a fall last week and is now confined in the New Haven Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Thomas Onofre of Tommy's Furniture Store in Main street were in New York City this week to attend the annual Furniture Show for the trade.

Three ancient elm trees along Main street opposite the Hagman Memorial Library felt before the march of progress this week to make way for the bringing of the sidewalk there to grade in front of the block of stores under construction by Martin Olson.

Louis Magliore sent cards from

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Editor Tells Roll  
Of Weekly Paper  
In Town's Growth

Editor Paul H. Stevens of the weekly newspaper in community development at the meeting of the South Side Civic Improvement Association Tuesday night at 83 Vista Drive. He said:

To the emigrant approaching the new world of hope and opportunity, America is embodied in the glimmering caucade of stone and steel, that affords a backdrop to the drama of New York. Later as for- lunt Imps, the new American will see other great cities.

Bradford Manor House company sponsoring a Valentine Dance night of February 16 and 17 at the Hotel Hamilton in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wenek are in Vermont for a week visiting Mr. Wenek's brother, Pasquale Ricci, toll.

Mr. Chester Knight of Frank street left this week for a week's visit with a former school mate in Lisbon, N. H.

Corp. Raymond W. Glow and bridge called on his Cousin Gene Glow a few days ago. Corp. Glow has just returned from overseas where he has spent two and a half years and reports conditions over there as to clothing and housing are beyond comprehension the suffering there is intense he has secured a good firm position with a big private firm in Orange, N. J. and permanent discharge, is looking and feeling fine.

Paul Billings of Monmouth has been on the sick list but is up and about again now.

Bussy Willows are putting out two little girls with bunches of them. Welcome dear old Spring.

Mrs. Earl Thomas of Elm Court returned yesterday, four a business trip thru Mass. and reports very cold and snow, say he doesn't want to see any more snow until next August.

Dr. Vincent Bellotti of Thompson avenue who recently returned from the Armed Forces resumed his medical practice here Monday.

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al and world affairs. Covers Different Field. The community weekly, such as the East Haven News has an entirely different field. Also, I would point out that the weekly paper has a style all its own. The editor can feel a closer bond between himself and his reader than is ever remotely possible on any big city daily. His readers do not appear in his mind's eye as a vague, impersonal mass. From his acquaintance with them, he can visualize them as individuals, and write to them rather than at them. And with all due respect to the gods of newspaper style, this manner of writing has appealed to more readers than all the reams of coldly impersonal statements with which we are bombarded.

This advantage of the weekly has not been overlooked by the paper. Year after year sees the addition of more and more features which are designed to give to the readers of the large city dailies the enjoyment of personal reading. All that is lacking in such features is the true kinship between the writer and the reader. They do not enjoy in common certain familiar sights. They cannot hold a mutual concern for necessary civic improvements. They are attuned to different harmonies. Especially, inasmuch as their lives the common ground of thought is not for them.

Community Builder. Here in our own town, during the past year, the News has worked year after year toward many improvements. A new post office building, a town bank, improved schools, a sewer system, better roads, better transportation, improved police service, to cite only a few. We have concentrated upon the need for our East Haven business people to organize for town betterment. We have urged that our townspeople take locally in order that a live modern shopping district may come into being along Main street. We have put the searchlight of publicity upon many matters which would not otherwise have been brought to light. Consistently the News has worked and

will continue to work to develop a real community spirit in our town. This then, is your weekly newspaper, a voice of our community. As a well placed mirror, it reflects those things that are of special interest to us as East Haveners. It reflects, I like to believe, the spirit and the ideals which we possess as a community. It offers a weekly reminder that East Haven has a heart. Not merely a geographic center, but a living organ.

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Clipping Tells Of  
200th Anniversary

One of our readers has sent us an interesting clipping from a New Haven newspaper of Sept. 11, 1911 which gave some interesting information about the plans which were being made then for the 200th anniversary of the Stone Church. The clipping includes a seldom seen view of the Church Corner showing the white picket fence on the side where Holcombe's store stands today, and the wide branched elm trees surrounding the ancient structure. The clipping says: "With its 200th anniversary near the plans are being completed for an interesting celebration of the founding of the Old Stone Church in East Haven. Organized in 1711, the church parish will be 200 years old this fall and the present building itself is over 127 years old, having been built two years before the Revolutionary war."

Pequot Tribe To Hold Dinner For Veterans

Pequot Tribe No. 71 will hold a Pequot dish dinner Monday Jan. 28 in Red Men's hall at 3 P. M. The members have an evening of entertainment planned and also a service to the veterans of the tribe will receive a gift. At the regular meeting Monday evening all chiefs were called to their respective stations. Sachem, Harold R. Ham, Senior Sagamore, Earnest Castellan; Junior Sagamore, Raymond Rogers; Prophet Joseph L. Ryoler; Collector of Wampum, Walter Langobardi; Keeper of Wampum, George Nash; P. S. Keeper of Records, Charles Slocum. The chiefs are looking forward to a very active and successful term of office.

**ACCEPTS CALL TO SIMSBURY**  
Rev. William H. Nicolas, a former pastor of the Stone Church who resigned in 1941 to become a chaplain if the 102nd Infantry, has accepted a call to be pastor of the Congregational Church at Simsbury. Mr. Nicolas was discharged, not long ago after long service in the South Pacific and later in the European War Areas.

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ANSWERS?  
WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS  
THINK ABOUT IT.

Crisp Dollar Bills are on the way to the writers of the Answers below.

The Question. If the Trotter Company were to extend its business here what parts of areas of East Haven not served would you like to see included?

The Answers. Mrs. Henry DePalma 564 Laura Street "I firmly believe that Laura Street and North High Street should be considered as two of the streets that should be equipped with bus service."

As a parent and president of Laurel School P. T. A. I feel it would be a great privilege in providing the people of this particular community with transportation.

The people of North High and Laura Street would also like to be considered as welcomed citizens of East Haven, and not Black Streets.

A bus service on these two streets would also ease the problem of traffic, especially on cold winter months.

The teachers mean so much towards the welfare of our children. A service would mean better health, better attendance for school and work and above all a better community.

Miss Mary Ann Huns, 649 Main Street "If the trolley company were to consider extending their bus line in East Haven, I believe that a route over North High Street and thru the Foxon Area would certainly be a great improvement and meet with the approval of the many residents of this section. Altho' the trolley company has been in operation for a long time, it has not been able to extend its line in this district, thru Foxon is more in need of bus service than any other part of our town."

Mrs. Steve Mustakas, North High Street "I feel that if the trolley company does decide to have buses in areas that do not have buses already they should have one on North High Street."

It would be very convenient for everyone. Many people have to walk to and from the bus line it would be convenient for the teenagers too because they can go into more of the school and town activities such as the Korner Club and the basketball games May of the housewives that live on this street could shop more often and save time if we did have the bus.

I strongly believe that a bus on this street will promote the general welfare.

Mrs. Frank Pellegrino, North High Street "I think that if the trolley company does extend its bus lines, I should like to have a bus on North High Street. We were told when we asked for a bus during the war we were to wait till the post-war. Well, its the post-war now, and there still is no bus! We would like to see some action!

It will be of help and convenience to everyone.

Mrs. Blanche O'Connor, 84 Casey Beach Road "If we are to have bus transportation, the area that would be very essential is the continuation of the Airport section up Townsend Ave. to South End Road, and to Casey Beach Road to Dewey Ave into Coe Ave. to Mansfield grove returning Coe Ave back to the city."

The population in this territory is in the neighborhood of 1500 persons.

Next Week's Question. A Crisp Dollar Bill will go to the writer of each letter printed in next week's issue. Please limit answer to 300 words and mail before Monday to East Haven News Box 193, East Haven.

What is your opinion of the proposal heard many times in the past of having a Town-owned Bathing Beach along our shore front? If you favor such a project, where would you like to see the Town-Owned Bathing Beach located?

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## Gen. Knox Says

I see where our genial tax collector Mr. Ogilvie is on our trail again with bills for the new assistant tax which according to the bills he sent out last week are now due and payable. Of course I am over the age limit for the taxes to apply to me being as I am pretty near to the point where if the cost of living climbs much higher toward the clouds of heaven I may have to go on the receiving end and put a claim in for some of the benefits you younger sprouts have been providing the wherewithal for. Well let's send our genial tax collector his mailed out these tax bills and with a population in our snug little town of 1500 people I should say that those bills must have taken quite a sizeable sum for postage. Now somebody has called my attention to the post mark on those tax envelopes. The post mark is New Haven. Now I didn't like to jump at conclusions but I took a look at the envelopes and the tax office on the general subject of mailing in New Haven at a time we are trying to get a new post office building in town so I'm around a little and found that the fact that the envelopes were postmarked in New Haven doesn't necessarily mean that the mailing was done there. I learned that sometimes when there is a bulk of mail posted here in the late afternoon it is sent, one to New Haven to be mailed postmarked because the usual cancellation done in East Haven is by hand and a media job. This point in this and all other mailings is whether or not the stamps are bought here. The financial business of an office is what will count when the Washington post office boys come checking up here to see if our post office takes in enough shingles to warrant the expense of sending funds for a new post office building. There's a hint to all of you that help the move to get a new post office building be sure to buy stamps here. And if we get a new building '71 water there will be a cancellation machine come along with it and local mail would have to take a trip over to the city.

General Knox

**Two Local Boys Arrive In Frisco**  
Two East Haveners arrived on the West Coast last week after long service in the Pacific and have returned home all the way across the continent. Conrad Hanson SN 3-c of Laurel street came in on the U.S.S. Tachibana which was formerly the transport ship Oshichi. The vessel in service 22 years is to be decommissioned and Conrad who came through the typhoon in Okinawa expressed his desire to be home soon. Both men were subscribers to the New but their papers, or most of them, are piled up somewhere Uncle Sam's mail bags.

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**Service Group Of Stone Church Had Busy Year**  
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A total of 135 birthdays cards were sent during the year. Mrs. Joseph Hight being in charge of the project.

Prayer books are still being sent with a picture of the interior of the church, to those entering the service.

Christmas boxes to the number of 163 were sent out or delivered. Due to a very successful card party, individual donations, and two other committees giving very generous donations during the year, the Service group was able to keep up the work for members in the armed forces and hopes to keep the work going as long as the young people enlist or are drafted.

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## Garden Notes

Sponsored by Branford Garden Club  
Mrs. M. D. Stanley, Correspondent

Mrs. Donald Sawtelle, president of the Garden Club, announced a change in the usual time of board meetings the last Friday of each month, to the first Friday in February, at 10 A.M. at her home. All board members note the change of time.

The regular meeting of the club will be held on Friday, February 8th at 2:45 P.M. Subject "Birds." Miss Madeline Zacher is Program Chairman.

Nearly 6,000,000 pounds of sunflower seed were grown in the United States in 1945. Its products are table oils and animal feed.

House plants, which are making little or no growth should not be fed during the winter. Such plants are undergoing their natural winter rest, and are not able to make proper use of stimulants.

The 1946 seed and nursery catalogues will give you a fair chance to make an appraisal of prospects for gardening this year. There was a time when a standard joke ran something to the effect that if the

products in the garden could look like the pictured subjects in the catalogue, what a garden that would be. Not so today, as modern printing and engraving have brought about a state where most of the pictured items are faithful reproductions of vegetables, flowers, fruits and berries as they are grown.

Shortages will be present in many items, but the total supply will be larger than any time during the war. Shortages are likely to occur in flowers and some nursery stock. Seed and nursery catalogues reveal the source of supply and contain invaluable information as to the habits and culture of plants.

It would be impossible to plan properly a planing without referring to these catalogues. Gardeners are advised to procure them early, and to order early. The only thing likely to be plentiful is vegetable seed, the rest will be sold under the system of first come, first served.

The new seeds for 1946—All my usual catalogues have not arrived—my very special one has not come, as yet, but we will look over the one I have at present.

Now that you have all decided to be considerate in your purchases of seeds, be sure and include some of the new varieties in your order. It is such a thrill to have something really new in your garden, and to be sure and save some seeds to share with others next year. I do not have very good luck saving seeds from my garden plants, but I forget where I put them or forget I have them, until I suddenly come across them and planting time is right. My friends are very generous and I am looking forward to lovely blooms this year from a generous friend, when I bestowed my seeds were put.

New seeds for 1946—Terin Snaps—Giant, ruffled, terrapin snapdragons, the largest flowered of all snapdragons, beautiful colored and combinations many distinctly and attractively ruffled—every color seen in this glorious flower plus some new ones. Sweet peas, "Waves" a lovely early flowering sweet pea, overall color is mid-blue, was named Waves with the permission of the Navy Department. Diameter, Westwood Beauty, flowers are large, color crimson, rose and some edged with white. Showy in beds and borders, later for cutting.

Marigold, Victory—trilly, carnation, flowered of a charming light golden or yellowish orange color with loosely placed ruffled petals which give grace and daintiness to the exquisite blooms. Plants grow 2 feet, tall and are of sturdy, upright habit.

Aldoube Petunia—Colossal shades of rose. First giant alldouble petunia ever created in America, and the biggest double petunia ever known, many flowers growing over 5 inches across. Valuable for beds, borders window boxes and cutting.

Peach Red Petunias and Bright eyes Petunia. Dwarf Ageratum—Pine Flower. Rare Golden Ageratum—An outstanding new Alyssum, Anoda laceratoides—Extra long 'Spurred Aquilegia.

TRAFFIC CHANGES  
At a meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners held January 23, 1946, the following changes were made in the traffic regulations on some streets in Pine Orchard.

Installation Is Held By Assembly  
Installation exercises of the Rainbow Girls were largely attended Saturday night in Masonic Hall. Miss Virginia Endress, installing officer, assisted by Madelyn Slason, Elsie Nanklett, Arletta Doten, and Evelyn Eberth, installed the new officers after which Rev. William G. West gave a brief address. Miss Barbara Bernier was installing soloist and Mrs. Rose Broghitt was installed as mother adviser. Officers for the new term are:

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## North Branford

Services in the local churches on Sunday will be:

Mass at 9:15 o'clock at St. Augustine's Catholic Church, Rev. John J. McCarthy, pastor. Frank Frawley, organist and choir director.

Morning service will be held at the Rectory of Zion Parish Church at 9:30 with Rev. Francis J. Smith, Rector, Mrs. Paul R. Hawkins, organist and choir director. This will be observed as Rheological Education Sunday. A special offering with particular reference to Berkeley Divinity School of which the Rector is an alumnus will be taken up.

Representation at the Archdiocesan meeting on Tuesday included the Rector and Mrs. Francis J. Smith and Mrs. Catherine Godfrey. This meeting was held at St. John's-by-the-sea at Colonial Park, West Haven. It was an all day meeting with luncheon at noon.

Sunday worship service at the Congregational Church will be at 11 o'clock. Rev. Roger Cummings, pastor, Mrs. Douglas B. Holmberg, organist and choir director.

The public is invited to attend the annual meeting of the North Branford Public Health Nurse Association which will be held on next Tuesday evening at the school where a very definite welcome is always extended.

Repayment of Coe avenue from the State Road to Coe Beach is expected to start early in the spring. According to information reaching First Selectman James J. Sullivan in a letter last week from the Highway Department, funds have been waiting to carry on this project since before the war. The Connecticut company trucks will be removed from Coe avenue and buses substituted for trolleys.

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Services Sunday  
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Sunday next, January 27, marks the beginning of National Pilgrim Fellowship Week. The young people of our Pilgrim group will have charge of the 11 A. M. service. In addition to our adult attendees, we hope to have all young persons of junior age and above, attending.

Speakers will be George Jean Galvane and William Kennerly. The receptionists will be Rhoda Carol, Marian Rowley, Doris Jean Galvane and Albert Nelson.

The next membership date is Good Friday, April 19. The Minstrel Show of the Men's Club is scheduled for February 22 and 23. Ladies Night will be February 12, with a fine program planned.

This Sunday morning at 9:45 the Old Stone Church Sunday School opening exercises will be conducted by the Young Peoples' Fellowship under the leadership of Mr. Albert Nelson. A very interesting program is expected. During the months of January and February the Sunday school is making an intensive drive to enroll new members, and an appeal is made to all parents of East Haven children who do not already have a Sunday School connection to bring them to the Old Stone Sunday School where a very definite welcome is always extended.

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In the Braille Edition of the Readers Digest, which was loaned me, I read with great interest the story of the flyers who were shot down in Pacific and who were rescued and fed by Natives and then converted to the Lord Jesus Christ. Fuzzy Wuzzles who had once been Caribbians, and Christians, and an appeal is made to all parents of East Haven children who do not already have a Sunday School connection to bring them to the Old Stone Sunday School where a very definite welcome is always extended.

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## Church Guild Has Election Of Officers

Mrs. Alfred Clark was hostess at a recent meeting of the Women's guild of Christ Church, this meeting taking the form of a Calendar party. Also election of officers for the ensuing year was held. Those elected were: President, Mrs. George Swartz; Vice President, Mrs. Robert Schroeder, Sr.; Secretary, Mrs. C. C. Skinner; treasurer, Mrs. Ray Alderman; Publicity, Mrs. C. D. Arthur. Refreshments were served by the postess.

First anniversary mass in memory of Sgt. Dominick Melillo Jr., was held Tuesday morning in St. Vincent de Paul's church. Dominick, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Melillo of 19 Prospect

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**MARCH**  
 18—St. Patrick's Day Dinner

**TABOR EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
 Friday, January 25—Children's rehearsal at 3:30 p.m.  
 Saturday, January 26—Confirmation Class meets in the vestry at 9:00 a.m.  
 Third Sunday after Epiphany, January 27—9:15 Sunday School. Theme: "Heroes of Faith." 10:30 Morning Worship. Sermon: "Humble Faith." 5:00, Swedish Vespers.  
 Thursday, January 31—Tabitha Society meets at the home of Mrs. Elise Gibson, 47 Rogers Street at 2:30 p.m.

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
 3rd Sunday after Epiphany  
 8:15 Holy Communion  
 9:30 Sunday School  
 10:45 Morning prayer and sermon  
 6:30 Young Peoples Fellowship

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 11:00 Morning Service  
 4:00 Loyalty Song Hour, leader, Mrs. Grasper Matson.  
 The Chapel choir plans to meet this evening for a supper party at the home of Mrs. Matson.

Mrs. Leon Storey, president of Loyalty Group announces the following committee appointments: telephone squad, Mrs. George Quinn, 87, chairman; Mrs. Herbert Merriam, Mrs. Carl Anderson, Mrs. Fred Hahn; devotion, Mrs. Charles Halstead, chairman, Mrs. George Trapp, Mrs. Edward Boyle, Mrs. Ruth Philz, Delbert Bassett. Children's work, Arlene Evis, chairman, Janice Meek, Franklin Meek, Linda Shurey, Edward Evis.

## Church Elects Year's Officers

At the annual meeting of the Short Beach Union Church held last Friday in the chapel, the following officers were elected: to the meeting by Mrs. M. D. Stanley, chairman of the nominating committee, and were duly elected: Board of Directors: Elmer Cuss, Alan C. Curtis, Herbert S. Jackson.

## Basketball at the Community House

**SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE LEAGUE**  
 Friday, Jan. 25—3:00, 8-3 vs. 8-5; 4:00, 8-1 vs. 8-4.  
 Tues., Jan. 29—3:00, 7-2 vs. 7-5; 4:00, 8-2 vs. 8-5.

## COMMUNITY BASKETBALL

Mon., Jan. 28—7:00, Granite Bay vs. Wire Mill; 8:00, Globe Trotters vs. East Sides.  
 Wed., Jan. 30—7:30, MIF vs. Big Five; 8:30, Granite Bay vs. East Sides.  
 Mon., Feb. 4—7:00—Globe Trotters vs. Big Five.  
 Wed., Feb. 6—7:00, Tiskos Market vs. MIF.  
 Mon., Feb. 11—7:30, Trojans vs. Wire Mill; 8:30, Globe Trotters vs. Granite Bay.  
 Wed., Feb. 13—7:30, East Sides vs. Big Five; 8:30 M.I.F. vs. Trojans.  
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## COMMUNITY LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L	Pct.
Trojans	2	0	1.000
Tiskos Market	1	0	1.000
East Sides	1	0	1.000
Pawsons Big Five	1	0	1.000
Granite Bay	1	0	1.000
M. I. F.	1	0	1.000
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Wire Mill	0	0	.000
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M. I. F.	0	0	.000
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## EIGHTH GRADE LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
8-4	3	0	1.000
8-3	2	1	.667
8-1	0	1	.000
8-2	0	1	.000
8-5	0	1	.000

## 5th GRADE LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
7-1	4	0	1.000
7-4	2	2	.500
7-3	2	2	.500
7-5	1	2	.333
7-2	0	3	.000

## 5th and 6th GRADE LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Cape Brook	3	1	.750
Laurel St. (Raiders)	2	1	.667
Laurel St. (Y)	2	2	.500
Harbor Street	0	3	.000

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## MISS SOFIA CARGILL

**FUNERAL RITES TODAY**  
 Services for Miss Sofia Cargill, 68 who died Tuesday morning in the New Haven Hospital after a brief illness, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the funeral home of Norman V. Lamb, with the Rev. J. Edward Newton, pastor of the Short Beach Union Church, officiating. Burial will be in East Lawn Cemetery, East Haven.

Miss Cargill, who was the daughter of Roger and Catherine Cargill, is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Benjamin Knapp of Plainville, Mrs. Elizabeth Bruce of Fair Haven and Mrs. Charles Scovill and Mrs. Charles Halstead of Short Beach, also a brother, John Cargill, of West Haven.

## BIRTHDAYS

Philip Charles Olson—Jan. 25  
 Guy Steuck—Jan. 27  
 Martin Steuck—Jan. 22  
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## Stony Creek

Floyd Tolerman has returned from the Pacific.  
 A recent guest of Miss Minnie Boardley was Mrs. Albert Van Loan of Stamford.  
 Richard Howd is ill at his home.  
 Mrs. Howd is convalescing after her recent illness.

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## GRANITE BAY

Josiah G. Venter of Johnson's Point president of the DeForest and Hotchkiss Company, was elected vice president of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association at a recent meeting of the Board of Directors.  
 Venter, a 1912 graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy, saw service in both world wars. He is also president of the New Haven Reserve Company.

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# Branford's News — Review

## Branford Joins State Veteran Aid Set-Up To Assist Returnees

Local Center At Town Hall Will Continue Under Direction Of Mrs. Dorothy Neal Who Will Refer Men To Proper New Haven Service.—Association Elects New Officers

Things are moving fast this week for Veterans of World War II, in their own association they have elected the following slate of officers: president, Walter Reynolds; vice president, Joseph A. Donadio; secretary, Vincent P. Ralola; and treasurer, George Noble.

As for the town: At a meeting of the executive committee of the Veterans' Advisory Committee the following persons were added to the membership: Clifford Collins, Roy Enquist, John Carr, Maj. Winthrop Townner, William Ahern, I. C. Jacobs, Dr. Ralph Cavallaro, Dr. Charles Gaylord, Dr. Nathan Levy, Herbert Holman, Elbert Pearson, Clarence Minger, Sherwood Boyd, Frederick Houde, John Silney, Reginald Baldwin, Dars Froman, Cornelius Driscoll, Maj. Robert Cate, William Van Wilgen, Solly Donadio, and Mrs. Dorothy H. Neal.

The executive committee accepted with regret the resignation of Mrs. Constance T. Myers as executive secretary and appointed Mrs. Dorothy H. Neal director of the center, as executive secretary to succeed Mrs. Myers.

John Brainerd, chairman, announces that funds are made available for Branford to participate in the Veterans Service Center located in the Cedar Street School, New Haven. By the town's participating in the center, vocational counseling will be available to all veterans desiring this service.

This service is conducted by the state and twelve surrounding towns contribute to its finance. Branford's share is approximately \$600.

In addition to joining the New Haven Center, the committee will continue to operate the local center in the town hall. Mrs. Neal will help veterans with their questions or problems, with special reference to queries concerning mustering out pay, securing medical care, education, filing a claim for compensation or vocational training and will assist in making out forms.

It is hoped that all veterans will visit Mrs. Neal with problems. If they then consider it necessary to consult with the state authorities in New Haven, the necessary appointments will be made before the veteran goes to the New Haven Center.

## Used Greeting Card Collection Goes Very Well

The Christmas Card collection started last week is proving a success. Many cards are coming in from all over the state. Those wishing to contribute may do so by bringing used cards to George Myron at the Review office or send them to his home Route 80, North Branford. The distribution of these cards will be made through the "Save the Children Federation" where they will be shipped to various hospitals according to their need. Arthur Godfrey of Station WABG has done a great deal in behalf of these children by making this appeal on his program. All cards will be shipped January 31st.

**TRIFOLIUM CARD PARTY**  
Thursday, February 7, Trifolium will hold a card party in Trinity Parish House at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Archibald Hanna, general chairman has the assistance of Mrs. Philip McKeon, tickets and refreshments; Mrs. Joseph Fisher, refreshments; Mrs. Robert Sanzaro, publicity; Mrs. Frederic L. Murray, table prizes; Miss Dorothy Beach, tables.

**IN SESSION**  
The Board of Tax Review will be in session in the Town hall Friday, February 1-21 to act upon appeals from the doings of the assessors.

**SENT TO ATHENS**  
Harry Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, Montowese Street, leaves this week for Athens where he joins the staff of the American Ambassador to Greece.

## Democrats Plan To Hold Annual Silver Social

The Woman's Democratic Club held their monthly meeting January 16 at their headquarters on Main Street. A special meeting was called for Wednesday evening January 23 at 8:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fred George.

It is to be announced that the Annual Silver Tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Alfred Chmielecki 62 Rogers Street, Sunday afternoon January 27 at 4:00.

The committee for the tea are as follows: Mrs. Charles Callahan, Mrs. Joseph Zukowski, Mrs. Sanford Semegran, Mrs. Fred George, Mrs. Bernard Ericson, Mrs. Alfred Chmielecki, and Mrs. Stacy Ward, Jr. Mrs. Sanford Semegran is to pour, assisted by Mrs. Charles Callahan. The guests of honor are to be First Selectman Clifford Collins and Mrs. Collins, and Second Selectman Louis Atwater and Mrs. Atwater.

## Railway Museum Receives Gifts

The Branford Electric Railway Association Inc. meets frequently in the interest of the National Trolley Museum project. An October 7 about 35 men enjoyed a shore dinner at Wilcox's Pier and adopted by-law and outlined general plans Mr. Charles Rufus Harte, one of New England's foremost electric railways civil engineers and historical authority was guest. The meeting adjourned early in order that a trip over the Branford line might be made.

Nov. 11 in the James Street Barn officers were elected. The offer of the Connecticut Railway Historical Society to donate two sets of trolley line signals was accepted. Here again the meeting adjourned with a ride over the Branford line.

The Five mile Beach Electric Railway Co. of Wildwood, N. J. has donated one of their single track, nine-bench open cars.

## Sgt. R. Chapman Former Bataan Prisoner Talks

Fifty members attended the regular weekly noonday luncheon of the Branford Rotary Club held Monday at the Old Town restaurant. Sgt. Richard S. Chapman of Guilford was guest speaker. Sgt. Chapman was taken prisoner by the Japanese on Bataan and was in a prison camp on Luzon for three years. He spoke of the disease suffering and brutality throughout the prison camps. Stressing our country's lack of preparedness at the time of our entry into war, Sgt. Chapman is an able speaker and one of the comparatively few survivors.

Among the visiting Rotarians were: Rev. E. C. Hochwald of the Conway, N. H. Rotary Club, Elton Wetmore and W. J. Everett, both of Hamden; A. O. Worthen of New Haven, and Louis Rocheleau of East Haven. Also Mr. B. S. Wilford, formerly of Branford, and now of Cornwall who was the guest of her brother-in-law, Mr. William Hitchcock, Sr.

**AIRPLANE CONTEST**  
Ude & Murray's model airplane contest opens Monday and continues through February 11. Any boy interested may contact Bob Comer at Firestone Store, Main Street for information.

## Post 47 Seeks Win Over Vets In Sunday Tilt

A renewal of old time Branford versus New Haven rivalry is slated for the spacious state armory court on Montowese Street next Sunday afternoon when Eddie "Shrimp" Flynn, well known Elm City publicist, brings the Post 47 basketball team to town to oppose the once defeated Vets.

Heading the visiting array is player-coach James Verinis, famed co-pilot of the Memphis Belle and a former teammate of Majors Bob Donnelly and Johnny Yulovitz at Connecticut University.

Equally brilliant in a playing capacity are the Sheehan brothers, Johnny White, Paul Semekovitch, Kilger and Kroop.

It will be a hall and farewell engagement for the Vets who will welcome Bob Linden into the fold after serving over three years with the U. S. Navy and bid farewell to Stan Petela who enters the University of Connecticut next Monday. Old timers rate Petela as the best shot ever to appear on a local floor.

Teaming with the eagle eye will be Howie Steffens, Paul Ward, Steve Hylenki, Bill Fortune, Vic Lukawski, Bill Owens, Mink Swirsky, Paul Lipkovich and Bill Clancy.

The Vet-lets will meet the Post 47 seconds in an early attraction.

## Work Clothes Sadly Needed In War Areas

Relief workers in all the bombed, mined, burned-over countries report a desperate need for work clothes and shoes.

Most acutely lacking are overalls, boots, work shirts, jeans, and rough warm clothing suitable for farmers who must work in the fields and barns in all weather, or for their families who must trudge long distances to market, school, or church.

Keep in mind the serious plight of farm families the world over when you ransack your closets, attics, chests for the Victory Clothing Collection for overseas relief. In a large measure, the well-being of any country depends on the farmer's ability to produce food. He must have clothing to enable him to carry on his work.

Mrs. John Waters, chairman of the Victory Clothing Drive said last evening that the local response has been "marvelous." She spoke especially of the number of shoes sent in—a sorely needed item.

## Lt. Eliz. Howell Speaks To Club

At a meeting of the Women's Republican Club held last Monday at the home of Mrs. Irving N. Harrison East Main Street, the speaker was Lieut. Elizabeth A. Howell, recently discharged from the United States Army Air Corps, having been stationed at Randolph Field, Texas.

Lieut. Howell spent thirty-two months in the service, including time spent at Officers' Training School, being one of forty chosen out of five thousand for training. Her experiences ranged from general executive to finding quarters for servicemen's wives and families who visited camp.

In spite of inclement weather the large attendance was well repaid by Lieut. Howell's talk, as she brought out the fact that the WAC capably filled a definite need in the services of our country, which has been warmly acknowledged by high ranking officials.

**JOHN BARRY PASSES**  
John Barry, of 83 Hopson avenue, husband of the late Bridget Egan Barry, died Tuesday morning in New Haven hospital after an illness of one month. Funeral services will be held from the William S. Clancy Memorial Home Friday morning at 8:30 and at 9 a regular high mass will be sung at St. Mary's church. Interment will be in St. Agnes cemetery.

Democratic Club members will meet at headquarters Friday night.

## Physical Ed. Tests Given To Children

Community Council Director Roger Clark spoke Monday night at the January meeting of the Short Beach P. T. A.

Director Clark, through arrangements with Superintendent of Schools Raymond Pinkham and the Board of Education is conducting a battery of five tests in all elementary schools. They include various jumps, a race, and basketball throw. Results taken now will be compared with those he expects to take at the close of school.

Because of weather conditions and room limitations he gave standing broad jump first and recorded the distance made by each pupil. He visits each class once a week for a 25 minute period. It will take the first month to complete the battery.

In connection with his program to improve upon first tests he is teaching coordination, rhythm and group games. Most of the rooms have no music or physical education equipment. By taking these physical achievement tests at various times he hopes to find marked improvement by June.

## Eastern Stars State Officers Come To No. 48

Georgia Chapter No. 48, O.E.S., welcomed visiting matrons and patrons Monday evening in Masonic Hall.

Officers of the evening were Mrs. Lila Mears, Mr. Harry Penniman, Mrs. Elizabeth Mahon, Mr. Edwin Quick, Mrs. Dorothy Hanover, Mrs. Edith Schoeffler, Mrs. Glenna Crook, Miss Mabel Gunn, Mrs. Lois Mallinson, Mrs. Jane Barnes, Mrs. Dorothy Colmore, Mrs. Alice Benoit, Mrs. May Harris, Miss Evelyn Gibson, Mrs. Grace Ordway, Mrs. Agnes Smith, Mrs. Nellie Harris, Mr. Frank Smiler, Mr. Andrew Schoeffler.

## Rev. Hochwald Begins Church Service Here

Rev. E. C. Hochwald with Mrs. Hochwald and their little daughter are settled in the Manse Rogers Street.

Rev. Hochwald has already taken up his work as pastor of First Congregational church. He was discharged December 30 after three and a half years in the Army, two years of which were with the Infantry in the Pacific.

In connection with his Army career he was twice decorated for heroism. He wears the bronze Star medal with oak leaf cluster for gallantry in action he received the silver star. He was twice wounded and has the purple heart.

Rev. Hochwald is a graduate of Brown University and Andover Theological School. He received his masters degree at the University of N. H.

Before entering service he was pastor of the Second Congregational Church Conway, N. H.

## Paralysis Drive Is In Progress

Branford has never raised money enough to care for its own victims of infantile paralysis, but hopes are high that the drive will go over the top this year. Checks should be mailed to Mrs. Roger A. Benton and made payable to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Charles N. Baker is chairman to raise funds for the National Foundation of Associated Business. He is field representative for the Connecticut Veterans Reemployment and Advisory Committee.

**TO SPEAK HERE**  
Lt. Col. Charles Egley of New Haven will speak at the February meeting of Associated Business. He is field representative for the Connecticut Veterans Reemployment and Advisory Committee.

## Two Men Given Police School Certificates

Fingerprint and Photography Course Diplomas Received By Chief Woehrlé and Officer Commerford.

At the final exercises of the Central Fingerprint School, held at the Colonial House Thursday evening, January 17th, Chief Christian G. Woehrlé and officer Francis T. Commerford of the Branford Police Department were awarded diplomas for completion of a fingerprint and police photography course. Twenty-three officers from Ansonia, Derby, East Haven, Hamden, Meriden, Shelton, Wallingford, Woodbridge and New Haven Annex were awarded similar certificates.

The course was sponsored by Chief Kenneth Howland of the Woodbridge Police Department and organized with the assistance of the Connecticut F. B. I. Office at New Haven. The fingerprint instruction was given by F. B. I. Special Agent Lionel Y. Meunier, a well-known lecturer on the subject. Police Photography was taught by Special Agent Arthur Bourque of the New York F. B. I. Field Office.

When presenting the diplomas, Chief Kenneth Howland complimented the officers for their keen interest and enthusiasm in the course. He added that a course of this type will promote a standard system of classifying of fingerprints in the various police department so that identification will be more easily obtained. He stated that such training will decrease deficiency of police investigations. He added that the officers had applied themselves to the instruction and grasped the subject readily.

The main speaker of the evening was Roger F. Gleason, Special Agent in Charge of the New Haven F.B.I. Office. Mr. Gleason, who has assisted many police departments in their police training program, also praised the officers for their interest in fingerprinting and added that a knowledge of fingerprint identification is essential in police work. Innumerable cases, he added, were solved through fingerprints.

He traced the history of fingerprint identification and stated that at the present time millions of fingerprint cards are on file in the F. B. I. Identification Division in Washington, D. C. This file enabled law enforcement agencies throughout the nation to identify criminals.

Other guests included were Special Agents Stanley S. Chmiel, Lionel L. Meunier and Arthur Bourque, as well as the chiefs of police from the various police departments and Mayor Thomas Nillegan of Ansonia.

## Auto Accidents Show Increase

Auto accidents for 1945 increased 30 percent over the previous year. There were three fatal accidents causing the death of two pedestrians and one occupant of a car. Seven pedestrians received injuries and 55 occupants. Three bicycle riders were injured.

Eighty automobile accidents were reported this year compared with 62 in 1944.

Police Chief Christian B. Woehrlé in speaking yesterday of the 30 percent increase warned against pedestrians walking with traffic. They should walk on highways facing traffic and should take the precautions of wearing something light colored to be visible at night.

Bicycle riders should, he said, learn the rules of the road and obey them. Drivers should always drive with caution to prevent unnecessary accident. "If not sure, stop." It is better to be safe than sorry.

**RECEIVES GIFT**  
Boys of the Cherry Hill 4-H Club recently presented their leader, Mrs. John McCabe with an earring set.

**INTENT TO SELL**  
Eugene R. Grenier of Townsend Ave., New Haven has recorded a notice of intent to sell the White Way Fish Market, 294 Main Street, to Teresa Iodice.

## Nine Year Old Violinist Robert Dew, Receives Julliard Scholarship

Student Of Harry Berman Begins Study In New York This Week —Will Appear In Woolsey Hall Next Month.

## Sea Scout Ship To Get Charter In The Armory

Twenty-Eight Members Of Flying Cloud Entered Armed Forces—Sponsored By Corcoran-Sundquist Post.

The official presentation of the charter for Sea Scouts of S.S.S. Flying Cloud will be made at the State Armory, Friday, March 1st.

This ship has seen 28 of its members enter the armed forces during the war and is sponsored by Corcoran-Sundquist Post, American Legion. An attractive program for the year is being mapped out and the presentation ceremony will be a colorful affair.

Plans for the ceremony are being completed by Skipper Walter Haller and Mate Jerry Giordano of the S.S.S. Flying Cloud; Delos I. Blanchard and Phelps Wall representing Boy Scouts of America and Commander Charles Bedlent, Robert Richardson, Ernest Albertine, Charles Viard, George Hanson, William Kremsler for Corcoran-Sundquist Post.

All members of Boy Scouts and persons interested in scouting are invited to witness the ceremony. Membership is open. Interested boys may contact Skipper Haller.

## Youth Planning Fellowship Week Church Service

The young people of the First Congregational Church School will conduct the 10:45 service in celebration of Youth Fellowship week. Representatives of the Young People will conduct divine worship. This Fellowship Week program is conducted in Churches of the nation.

Participating will be Lura Ellsworth, Grant Briggs, Donald Court, Ronald K. Devine, Herbert W. Thayer, Donald L. Thayer, Robert C. Stevens, Mary J. Armstrong, Nancy J. Noel, David P. Nygard and John E. Nygard.

The sermon will be entitled "Youth-Respecter of tradition," delivered by Youth Director Paul Pruitt.

## Women Elect New Officers

At a recent meeting of the Women's Republican Club the following officers were elected, and the following committees were appointed to serve for 1946.

President, Mrs. A. W. Bowman; vice president, Mrs. Reuel O. Lindberg; secretary, Mrs. Arthur D. Boutilier; treasurer, Mrs. William F. Smith; publicity chairman, Mrs. Reuel O. Lindberg; hospitality chairman, Mrs. Thomas J. Hopper; reception committee chairman, Mrs. George J. Fouser; membership committee, Mrs. Arthur D. Boutilier; Mrs. Addyn W. Beach, Mrs. Bertha M. Lounsbury, ways and means committee chairman, Mrs. E. L. Bartholomew; telephone committee, Mrs. Winfield R. Morgan, chairman, Miss Olive L. Pratt, Mrs. Frank L. Lowe, Mrs. Albert R. Fenn, Mrs. Roland F. Geier.

**SAND AVAILABLE**  
Sand boxes have been placed near Brewer's Store, on the Green and at Tuckers for use by the general public during this slippery weather.

The selectmen invite you to use it and suggest you take a small box of it home.

Branford's talented young violinist, Robert Dew has been given a scholarship by the Julliard School of Music, New York City.

The nine year old lad is an honor student at Hamden Hall, and because of his age will continue there until other arrangements can be made for schooling. Upon the insistence of the Julliard School, young Dew will go to New York Saturdays for special work.

Robert expects to be a concert violinist and toward that end studies two hours daily. He is also interested in art and chemistry and dabbles at composing. One composition, at least, he is ready to play in public.

At Julliard he will learn theory and harmony in addition to his regular violin study. Credit for his accomplishments are largely due to his instructor Harry Berman.

The New Haven Symphony Orchestra has announced that he will appear in Woolsey Hall, February 9th in the Young People's Concert series, playing "Violin Concerto No. 4 D Major," first movement—Mozart.

He played Monti's "Czardas" and Borowski's "Adoration" in the Victory Concert at Library Hall in September. In a post-lenten concert he appeared there with "Concerto Opus 12, Adagio, Allegro risoluto"—Seltz. He was featured in the Johnson Junior Symphony in Woolsey Hall at the age of seven.

A year later he played "Concerto in A Minor" in the Musical Art Society Christmas program.

The National Federation of Music Clubs said "excellent and superior." "The boy should be watched for he is certainly promising." At that time at the age of 8 they awarded him the Scroll of Congratulation.

Robert comes from a family of music lovers on his paternal side. His brother Henry is an accomplished pianist but is not ambitious to making it his life work. His father, Albert, plays both violin and piano and an aunt was an opera singer.

## Mrs. Lounsbury Heads Relief Corps For 1946

The annual meeting of Mason Rogers Women's Relief Corps was held Thursday, following a luncheon served by Mrs. Nellie Rice, Mrs. Elizabeth Saunders and Mrs. Louise Brandriff. The following officers for the coming year were elected:

Mrs. Bertha Lounsbury, president; Mrs. Florence Whitcomb, senior vice president; Mrs. Anna Crookshank, junior vice president; Mrs. Nellie Buell, chaplain; Mrs. Carrie Lounsbury, treasurer; Mrs. Catherine Page, secretary; Mrs. Robina Zvonkovic, conductress; Mrs. Elizabeth Oliver, assistant conductress; Mrs. Louise Brandriff, guard; Mrs. Maud Walker, assistant guard; Mrs. Abbie Close, patriotic instructor; Mrs. Catherine Page, press correspondent; Mrs. Abbie Close, musician. Color bearers were named as follows: first, Mrs. Nellie Rice; second, Mrs. Elizabeth Saunders; third, Mrs. Susan Palmer; fourth, Mrs. Harriet Forbes.

Mrs. Bertha Lounsbury was the installing officer and Mrs. Robina Zvonkovic was the conductress.

**KITCHEN BAND PROGRAM**  
The regular meeting of the Branford Grange No. 200 will be held to night at 8 at Svea Hall. The lecturer's program will consist of a "Kitchen Band" with the following members taking part: Mrs. Arthur Hallden, accordionist, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hart, Mr. and Mrs. James Sebald, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baldwin, Mrs. Ruth Ryan, Mrs. Marlon Berger and Mrs. Laura Doeblick.

Homemakers meet Friday morning at the Academy.