

## Audit Explained At Town Meeting

### Library Directors Reappointed.

The outstanding item of the Annual Town Meeting, held at the Town Hall last Monday evening, was the report of the auditor, explained by Mr. Daniel G. Weinstein, C.P.A., of New Haven, which showed outstanding bills as of September 30, the end of the fiscal year, totaling \$24,208.01. a cash balance of \$2,46.67, and a net deficit of \$23,960.43. This included election expenses and payroll of October 5, which Mr. James F. Hines, Democratic leader, claimed should not be included. Mr. Edward L. Reynolds, town counsel, stated that despite this fact there was still a deficit of \$13,900.

Despite the fact that there was quite a little discussion over the report, the recommended budget of \$377,827.90 was unanimously voted and the present tax rate of 20 1/2 mills was not raised.

The three retiring members of the Library Board, namely Mr. Sherwin T. Haskell, Mr. Harold Davis and Mrs. Mary A. Dohna, were reappointed for a new term.

## State Well Represented In Safety Contest

With twenty-six out of twenty-eight eligible communities enrolled in the sixth annual National Traffic Safety Contest the State of Connecticut is well represented. In such a venture, however, the percentage should be 100 per cent.

A recent report from the National Safety Council shows that Waterbury is the banner community for Connecticut, standing in the very enviable position of **Second** in Group III (cities of 100,000 to 250,000 population). Wichita, Kansas, is first in this group with a score 50.0 while Waterbury is right behind with a score of 49.1; Hartford is fourth with a score of 45.4; Bridgeport is tied for seventeenth place with Nashville.

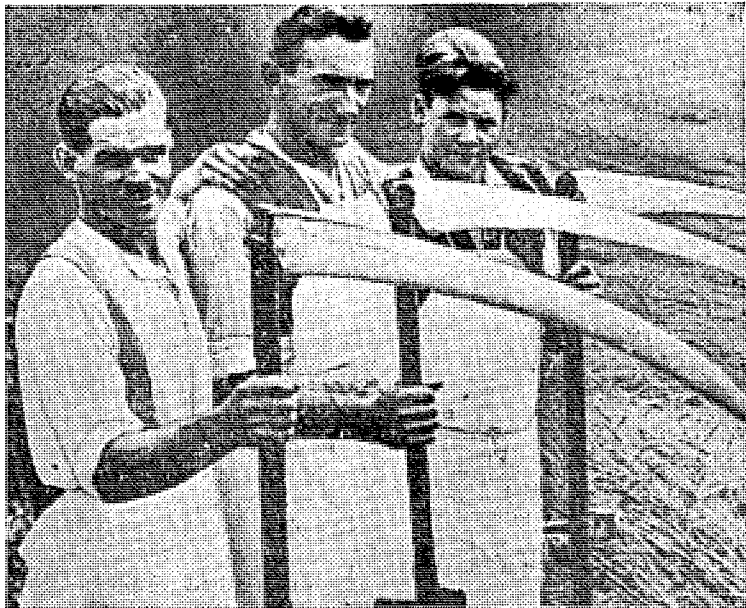
In Group IV (50,000 to 100,000 Population) New Britain is twelfth with a score of 46.2 while in Group V (25,000 to 50,000) Stamford is thirty-ninth with a score of 11.1, New London is forty-third with a score of 3.6 while Meriden is forty-fifth with a score of 0.6.

In Group VI (10,000 to 25,000 Population) Stratford is in seventy-fifth position (in a list of 121 communities) and Danbury is 113th.

These scores are as of July 1st and consider accident records only; the grades take no account of "Safety Activities" which are given equal weight with the accident records. Only Nine (9) Connecticut communities achieve any rating at all out of twenty-six entered. The attention of the Chairmen of the Community Safety Committees is invited to this observation. It may well be that faithful monthly reports from the communities not named would result in their being graded.

**French Indo-China Big Area**  
French Indo-China, in southeastern Asia, with China on the north, Siam on the west and the Gulf of Tonkin and the South China sea on the east and south, is as large as Texas.

## They Cut 14 Square Yards a Minute



A world's record for scythe cutting was set recently by three Austrian farmers who mowed an area of 14 square yards in one minute, in a contest between land workers of Zwettl and Edelfhof Agricultural college in Lower Austria. Left to right are seen Ignaz Hersch, Rupert Hahn and Karl Pemmer of Rudmann, Austria.

## Rev. Wm. H. Nicolas To Be Installed October 22

### Many Prominent People To Attend.

The Reverend William H. Nicolas pastor of the Old Stone Church, will be formerly installed as Pastor and Teacher of the First Congregational Church of East Haven, next Friday afternoon, October 22, at 4 p. m. in the Old Stone Church by the New Haven East consociation of Congregational Churches. The Consociation will also extend to him the fellowship of the ministers and churches.

Mr. Nicolas is the only minister of the Consociation, who is following the practice of being installed.

The churches and individuals invited to the council are as follows:

The First Congregational Church, New Haven, Conn.; The Grand Ave. Congregational Church, New Haven, Connecticut; Trinity Congregational Church, Beachmont, Massachusetts; The First Congregational Church, Monson, Maine; Trinity Congregational Church, Neponset, Massachusetts; The First Congregational Church, Revere, Massachusetts; President Charles Seymour, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut; President Harry Trust, Bangor Theological Seminary, Bangor, Maine; Dean Luther Weigle, Yale University Divinity School, New Haven, Connecticut; The Reverend Frederick E. Charrier, Sanford, Maine; The Reverend Frank E. Dunn, Peabody, Massachusetts; The Reverend James English, Supt. Congregational Churches, Connecticut, Hartford, Connecticut; The Reverend Edwin D. Harvey, New Haven, Connecticut; The Reverend John E. Morgan, Boylston, Massachusetts; The Reverend Watson Phillips, New Haven, Connecticut. The Churches represented at this council shall constitute a quorum.

The Committee of the Old Stone Church for this occasion consists of the following: Deacon Edward A. Cooper, Deacon Winchester Munro Andrews, Deacon Floyd Blakeman, Deacon D'Orville Buell, Deacon William Babcock, Deacon Lewis Belding, Deacon Grant Briggs, Deacon Samuel Russell, Mr. Sidney

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## Diner Rejected By Zoning Board

At a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals held in the Town Hall Wednesday evening, the petition of Mrs. Cuneo for the erection of a diner at 301 Main Street was refused.

There were no objectors, in fact, all outsiders present were in favor but the Board turned the petition down on the grounds that Section 4, item 19, of the Building Code definitely states that "Lunch Cars, affixed and not affixed," are not allowed in the business zone. Although the petition was for a diner, the board ruled that a diner and lunch car were one and the same.

**New Fence**  
Highland School, Foxon, is the recipient of a 482 ft. chain link fence which is now under construction through W. P. A. labor. A concrete retaining wall is being erected on the west side of the school along with the grading of the school yard.

# REYNOLDS APPOINTED TOWN COUNSEL

## Other Appointments Made

### Night School To Open Monday

#### Safety Meeting Held

It was recently announced by Superintendent of Schools William E. Gillis that evening classes in "Americanization" will open Monday evening, October 18, at Gerrish School, under the direction of Miss Katherine Kalinosky. Classes will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week at 7:30, for a period of 75 evenings, with the provision that if less than ten enroll these classes will be discontinued.

These classes are being held for non-English speaking people of the town and citizenship purposes. Mr. Maurice Fitzgerald will act as janitor.

**Safety Meeting**  
A meeting on Safety Education was held at Gerrish School at 1:30 p. m. last Wednesday. Mr. Peter Weber and Mr. Wilfred J. Talbot of the local post and representatives of the various schools attended.

Governor Wilbur L. Cross of Connecticut, is expected to present a radio talk on safety education next week to which all the local schools will listen.

In honor of Fire Prevention Week which was observed throughout the country last week; two or more fire drills were held by all the local schools.

Momanguin School has been presented with a radio by the 1937 Graduating Class.

**French Beans From India**  
French beans do not come from France. They come from India.

**Conquering rate**  
Those who await no gifts from France have conquered fate.

Mr. Edward L. Reynolds, prominent New Haven attorney and resident of East Haven, was recently appointed town counsel by the Republican administration here during the week, along with various other appointments. He succeeds Mr. Bertram Weil as such.

Mr. Reynolds is very active in local politics, holding the position of Republican Town Chairman. He retired from four years on the bench here last July.



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Other appointments made are as follows: Mr. Frank Redfield succeeding Mr. William J. Hogan as Building Inspector; Mr. L. A. Madison succeeding Mr. James Malone as electrical inspector; Mr. George M. Chidsey succeeding First Selectman James J. Sullivan on the Board of Assessors; Mr. Charles Poirot succeeding Mr. Arthur Briggs as Plumbing Inspector, and Mr. Allan Knight succeeding Mr. Ellsworth Katell as janitor of the Town Hall.

Other appointments are expected to be made next week.

**Attends Consociation**  
Deacon Edward A. Cooper, Miss Nellie Thompson, Mrs. Arthur Leete, Mrs. William Sholz, Mr. Donald Kirby, and Rev. and Mrs. William H. Nicolas attended the 228th Annual Meeting of the New Haven East Consociation of Congregational Churches on Tuesday, October 12, at North Branford. Mr. Donald Kirby was appointed historian of the Consociation.

**Doctors, Nurses Service**  
A Doctors and Nurses Service will be observed at the Old Stone Church this Sunday, October 17. Doctors, Nurses and Red Cross Nurses from East Haven, New Haven and Branford are invited to attend. Miss Peggy R. Reeves, R. N., is in charge of the program.

**Card Party**  
The Choir of Christ Episcopal Church will sponsor a card party to be held at the home of Miss Charlotte Sperry of Hemingway Avenue, on Thursday evening, October 21.

## ENTER THE "CITIZEN'S" WORD CONTEST - - 8 PRIZES

1st Prize \$3.00 in cash; 2nd Prize \$2.00 in cash; 3rd Prize, \$1.00 in cash. And five prizes of six months free subscription to THE CITIZEN, starting January 1st, 1938.

Readers of THE EAST HAVEN CITIZEN are invited to participate in a WORD contest. RULES: From the letters in the title: THE EAST HAVEN CITIZEN, see how many five (5) letter words you can get. The letters may be used in a word only as many times as they appear in the title. For example: state; chase; haven; etc.

Only five letter words will be considered. Only common words will be considered, and those found in Webster's Unabridged Dictionary. No proper names will be allowed. No proper nouns like names of places will be allowed. No abbreviations accepted. No contractions of words acceptable. No plurals.

This contest is open to any reader of the CITIZEN to enter as many times as he wishes. This contest will close practically four weeks from the date of this issue.

Words must be hand-printed or typed to avoid any chance of error on the Contest Editor's part. Submit list on separate paper and place your name at the bottom of the sheet along with your address.

To enter, one must only clip a copy of this or any future announcement from any issue of the CITIZEN and enclose it with the answers.

Address answers to "CONTEST EDITOR, EAST HAVEN CITIZEN, Room 8, 265 Main Street, East Haven, Conn.," and mail or deliver to said address before 12 midnight, Saturday, November 13, 1937.

All winning answers will be published in THE CITIZEN following the closing date of the contest.



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**"Stella Dallas" Plays Capitol**

Human fury unleashed is the theme of "Dead End", the current picture at the Capitol today and tomorrow, with Sylvia Sidney and Joel McCrea in the leading roles. "It Can't Last Forever", with Ralph Bellamy and Betty Furness is the second feature. Saturday evening is Bank Night.

Barbara Stanwyck in "Stella Dallas", a story of a woman from the other side of the tracks, with John Boles and Anne Shirley, is the main screen attraction for Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Jacqueline Wells and Charles Quigley in "Girls Can Play" is the added hit.

An all request program is scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday in "Manhattan Melodrama" starring Clark Gable, Myrna Loy and William Powell in a story of a

lady torn between love and loyalty. As the co-feature, the unforgettable Will Rogers will be seen in "Handy Andy." Ladies Gift Night is featured both evenings.

**"Mayerling" Held Over At Lincoln**

"Mayerling", which has met with the same enthusiastic response in New Haven as it still is in New York, will be held over through Monday at the Lincoln Theatre. Charles Boyer is at his best in this picture and is ably assisted by the lovely Danielle Darrieux, making the story of the tragic love affair of the Archduke Rudolph of Austria into a notable motion picture.

Following this production the

Lincoln Theatre will continue its policy inaugurated last spring of showing from time to time revivals of outstanding Hollywood productions. "The Guardsman" with Lynn Fontanne and Alfred Lunt, probably the two best actors of the present day American stage, will be shown on Tuesday and Wednesday. This picture version of the Theatre Guild of New York's most successful production is a satiric comedy in which a man successfully makes love to his own wife in an endeavor to test her fidelity. Thursday and Friday "The Scarlet Pimpernel" with Leslie Howard and Merle Oberon, will be shown. This dramatization of one of the most exciting stories of the French revolution is one of the best of its kind and well worth bringing before the public again.

The Lincoln Theatre offers spe-

cial low rates to all high school students who should apply at their own school office for special identification cards.

**Forecastle of a Ship**  
The forecastle of a ship is the enclosed portion forward on the main deck, generally used for seamen's quarters.

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**STELLA DALLAS**

With Barbara Stanwyck,  
John Boles, Anne Shirley

— also —

Charles Quigley,  
Jacqueline Wells in  
**GIRLS CAN PLAY**

Wed.-Thurs., Oct. 20, 21  
Clark Gable, Myrna Loy,  
William Powell in

**MANHATTAN MELODRAMA**

— also —

Will Rogers in  
**HANDY ANDY**

LADIES' GIFT NIGHTS

Also Selected Short Subjects

**THE HIT PARADE**

Wednesday, October 13

1. That Old Feeling.
2. Remember Me.
3. The Moon Got In My Eyes.
4. My Cabin Of Dreams.
5. Whispers In The Dark.
6. Harbor Lights.
7. Have You Got Any Castles, Baby?
8. Afraid To Dream.
9. One Rose.
10. You Can't Stop Me From Dreaming.


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