

District Meeting American Legion, Set For Dec. 8

Local Post Plans Christmas Party.

The Second District Meeting of the American Legion, will be held in the East Haven Town Hall on Wednesday, December 8, and as hosts to the District, the local post will be called on to provide refreshments, dancing and a general good time. Volunteers are to apply to the Commander for assignments.

Christmas Party

The Annual Post Party will be held in the Capitol Theatre on Tuesday, December 21, and will take the same form as in previous years, namely some article of food as the ticket of admission.

A similar party for Post members will be held at the meeting, December 16, with a toy for some member that can be turned over to the scouts afterwards. The Boy Scout Troop will repair toys and every member is asked to try and bring in discarded toys so that the needy children of the Town will have a Bright and Merry Christmas.

Raffle Winners

Following are those who won turkeys at the raffle prior to Thanksgiving: Sgt. Ed. Priest of the East Haven Police Dept, Edith Sanford, 32 Taylor Ave, E. H.; Emma Lang, 83 French Ave. E. H.; Walter Shiner, Thompson Avenue; D. L. Hoare, 27 Cliff Street, E. H.; Al. Choninz, 765 Grand Ave. N. H.; M. Lambert, 86 Avon Street, N. H.; L. A. Waddington Sr., 55 Marshall Street, West Haven; W. E. Bennett, 242 Front Ave., W. H.; J. R. McArthur, no address. Wm. Male and Wm. Marshall were the winners on the wheel.

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the local Post will be held in the clubrooms on Thursday, December 16.

Music Appreciation Broadened To 40 Compositions

By Mr. A. George Pascale
Director of Music,
East Haven Schools

(This is the second in a series of articles by Mr. Pascale, on Music Appreciation.)

Music appreciation, which was limited to seven or eight compositions, has now been broadened out to forty. The fifth grade have folk-songs and grades 6, 7, and 8 have classical pieces. Due to no records in the schools, the piano has been a big aid to music appreciation.

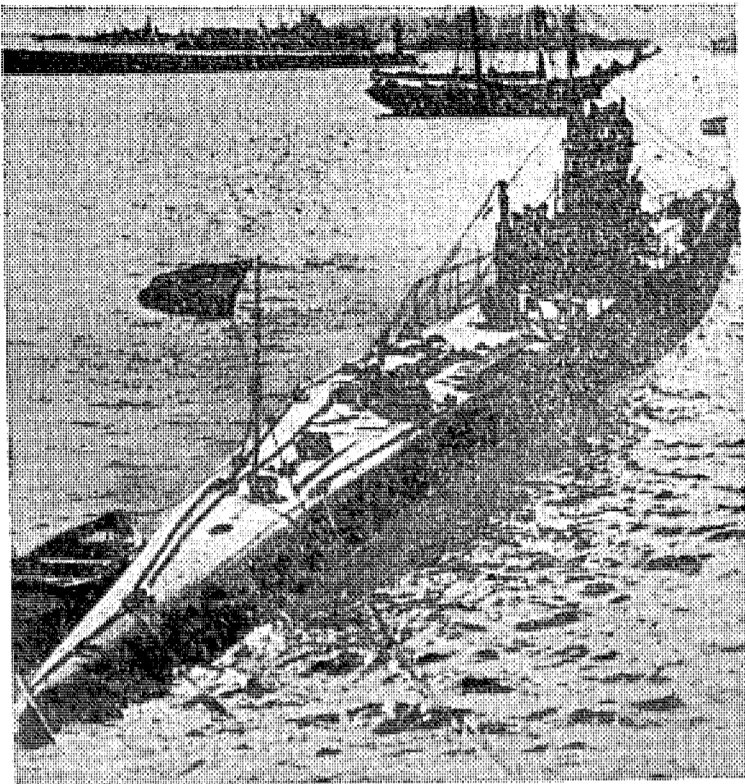
Some of the fifth grade folk-songs include, American folk-song, "Old Black Joe"; Italian folk-song, Santa Lucia, and Russian folk-song "The Volga Boatmen".

Those of the upper grades include, sixth, "Anitra's Dance", by Grieg; Shubert's "Serenade"; seventh, "Pilgrim's Chorus", Wagner; "Stars and Stripes", Sousa; and eighth, "Narcissus", Nevin; "Moment Musicale", Shubert, and the "March Militaire", Shubert.

The high school is now the possessor of a set of bass drums, acquired through the co-operation of the high school students.

Last year, Mr. Pascale gave 319 music certificates in connection with music appreciation to the students

Loyalist Sub Stranded at Brest



Pictured above in the harbor of Brest, France, is the Spanish loyalist submarine C-2, left stranded by its crew which divided into Red and anti-Red groups. A rebel plot to seize the submersible failed and the boat is now awaiting a new crew to take it back to Valencia, Spain.

Grange Members Attend New Haven County Meeting

FOXON NOTES

By Miss Doris Warner
(Foxon Correspondent)

A group of Foxon Grange members attended the New Haven County Pomona Meeting, which was held in the Branford Town Hall, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Warner entertained a group of friends at a dinner, Monday evening, at her home. Those present were; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Herr of Foxon, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Viola of East Haven, Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis of New Haven, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hotchkiss of Foxon, Misses Marjorie Hotchkiss and Evelyn Hotchkiss of Foxon and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Warner.

Mr. Merwin Bailey has returned to Brown University after spending the holidays at his home in Pleasant Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter. Damen spent the holidays in Middletown with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brainard.

Mrs. Lesill Tower of East Long Meadow, Mass. has returned home after a visit with her son, Mr. Ernest Tower, of Maple Street, Foxon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Webb of Springfield, Mass., spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Damen, of Maple Street, Foxon.

Mrs. Henry Floyd, of Richmond, Maine, will return home today after spending the week with Mrs. C. Robinson, of Hunt Lane.

Washington Inherited Estate

Washington inherited Mount Vernon from his brother, Lawrence. He remodeled it and brought his bride, Martha Custis, from Williamsburg, to live there in 1759. He visited Mount Vernon only twice during the Revolution, returned for a short time and was made President (1789 to 1797). He spent his last two years there.

and this year intends to break that record.

Fifteen E. H. H. S. Graduates Seek Higher Education

A remarkable record for the first graduating class of East Haven High School is revealed in the fact the fifteen members of the class of 1937 have chosen to continue their studies at advanced schools and colleges. New Haven and vicinity seem to have attracted a majority, while a few have chosen to register in institutions away from home.

Among the many who have taken to higher education are the Misses Doris and Vera Blakeman, of Pardee Place, who are attending New Haven Junior College; Miss Grace Rocco who attends McKeown Secretarial School and Janet Daniels, Larson Junior College. The Misses Helen Shoemaker, Helen Malone, Helene Orlando, Louise Didow and Georgina Hawtin are first year students at State Teachers College at New Haven.

Miss Loraine MacArthur, of Kimberley Avenue and Mr. Fred Clemens are attending Connecticut State College. Miss MacArthur has been made a member of the College Glee Club. Ray Bartlett, whose family moved to Massachusetts entered Northeastern on November 19; and Harry Kiernan is studying dentistry at the University of Maryland. Miss Sylvia Abrams and Miss Ethel Chapkovich are attending secretarial school in New York, and training at the Norwalk Hospital, respectively.

Here at East Haven for another year are eight post-graduates, including the Misses Doris Warner, Helen Burwell, and Alfred Dohna, William Cowles, Clayton Buttsteadt, Morton Goodwin, Miss Daphne Young, all East Haven graduates, and Miss Lois Miller, a graduate of the New Haven High School.

Famous Land Mark

Telegraph hill, famous San Francisco landmark, is so called because in early days news of ships' arrival was flashed from its summit by heliograph.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING SCHEDULED FOR DEC. 7

Town To Take Action On Momauguin Firehouse

CHRISTMAS MUSIC

Churches wishing to have their Christmas Music published in THE CITIZEN, must have their copy at THE CITIZEN office by Wednesday, December 15.

Work Started On Licensing Of Bicycles

Plan To Go Into Effect In Early Spring.

It was learned recently from Mr. Frank M. Dooley that preliminary work has been started on the licensing of bicycles of school-children here, and that the plan is expected to go into effect in the early spring.

This plan is in connection with the Safety Program that is now being carried out in the East Haven Schools. This plan of licensing bicycles is now a great success in Hartford and is sure to meet with the same here. Mr. John Maher is assisting Mr. Dooley in the work.

Traffic Signs

Traffic signs have been placed near Foxon and Highland schools through the untiring efforts of Mr. Dooley in connection with the Safety Plan.

MINSTREL SHOW

The Riverside Volunteer Fire Department, No. 6, will sponsor a Minstrel and Dance, tonight and tomorrow evening, December 3 and 4, at Riverside Hall in Short Beach Road. The curtain will rise at 8:15 Music will be furnished by Charley Wells and his Hot Five Orchestra.

TO COUNT JOBLESS



John D. Biggers of Toledo, Ohio, administrator of the unemployment census, who announced that registration blanks will be distributed to the nation's 31,000,000 families on November 16 and 17. The blanks will be passed out by postmen. Persons out of work or on part-time jobs will be asked to fill them out and mail them to Washington by November 20.

A special Town Meeting has been called for Tuesday, December 7, at which time the voters of East Haven will vend their way to the town hall to vote on the following items: to authorize the Selectmen to borrow or issue bonds in a sum not exceeding \$35,000 to cover the deficit of the past fiscal year; to authorize the Selectmen to sell at public or private sale, the following piece of property:

All that certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and all other improvements thereon, situated in the Town of East Haven, County of New Haven and State of Connecticut, at "No Man's Land," so-called, and is known as Lot No. 7, on a certain map on file in the East Haven Town Clerk's Office and bounded:

NORTHERLY by proposed highway, now known as Cossey Beach Avenue;

EASTERLY Lot No. 6 as shown on said Map;

SOUTHERLY by Lot No. 8, as Sound, 50 feet; and

WESTERLY by Lot No. 8, as shown on said Map.

and to execute and acknowledge on behalf of said Town of East Haven a deed necessary to convey and transfer said piece or parcel of land; to take action upon the acceptance of Grant, Treadwell, Leonard and Barker streets; and to take action on a petition submitted to the Board of Selectmen in connection with the repairing of the Bradford Manor Hose Company of Momauguin, to install a new pumping engine and to borrow a sum of money not to exceed \$20,000 for the above purposes.

Bradford Manor Auxiliary To Meet Monday

MOMAUGUIN NOTES

Bradford Manor Ladies Auxiliary will meet Monday evening, December 6, at 8 o'clock in Knights of Pythias Hall. All members are urged to attend.

The Bradford Manor Ladies Auxiliary will resume their weekly card parties this evening at the home of Mrs. Henry Schmidt, of Coe Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Harder entertained for Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quick, and daughter, of Guilford over the Holiday.

Miss Anna Schaff of Henry Street was at home for the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Downer, of 13 Bradford Avenue, announce the birth of a son, November 30. Mother and son are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirtse and family of New Haven have moved to Henry Street.

China's First Railroad

China's first railroad was built paralleling the Whangpoo river from Shanghai to the Yangtze river.

E. H. H. S. OPENS SEASON TONIGHT

Jeffs To Meet Springwoods Sunday

By Eddie Munson, Sports Editor

This evening at 8:30 in the high school gym East Haven High's basketball team will take on a crack Alumni five. Although the high school will have six letter men on the squad they look to have a hard battle on their hands.

The school hoopsters have been practicing for three weeks and although they will be minus the services of Captain Jimmy Glynn, they look to be in fine shape. Coach Maher plans to use many team combinations, playing both zone and man to man defense.

The Alumni, which boasts several stars from last year's team, have been practicing the new dual defense under the coaching of Frank Messina and have high hopes of upsetting the Mahermen.

At 7:30 P. M. the preliminary contest will go on with the J. V.'s opposing an unselected opponent.

Dancing will follow the two games with music furnished by Harmon Keller's orchestra.

E. H. H. S.—Right forwards, Vercillo, Hanson; left forwards, Rowley, Messina; centers, Lynch, Thomson; right guards, DeFilippo, Douglas; left guards, Figlewski, Tyler, Clark.

Alumni—Right forwards, Hartlin, Vercillo; left forwards, Male, Grasso; center, Howard, McLoughlin; right guards, Scobie, Johnson, left guards, Goodwin, Cowles.

Ansonia Defeat Jeff's

Last Sunday evening in the high school gym the Ansonia Blue Devils tripped the Jeff Big Five by a 39-36 count. Although the Jeffs rang up the curtain of their 1937-38 season on the short end of the

score they gave a sterling performance and showed that, again this year, they will be a team to be reckoned with when the Greater New Haven Championship is decided.

The Jeff offense clicked soon after the opening whistle, but shortly after the beginning of the second half the Blue Devils were in front by 10 points. Paced by their captain, "Mink" Swirsky, the home force soon rallied to tie the score, but the Devils came back and by some fine team-work together with the sharp shooting of their captain, Harry Kelly, eked out a close win.

Kelley was the outstanding star of the Ansonia team while Swirsky, Lindun, J. Sheehan and Red Sheehan played good ball for the Jeff quintet.

Box score:

E. H. Jeffs			
	G.	F.	T.
Iwanski	3	0	6
Soko	1	0	2
Lindun	3	0	6
J. Sheehan	4	1	9
Swirsky	3	3	9
C. Sheehan	1	2	4
Pyrdol	0	0	0
Total	15	6	36

Ansonia B. D.			
	G.	F.	T.
Sepkaski	4	3	11
Kelley	4	0	8
Fair	4	1	9
Pawchuk	1	1	3
Stocking	1	1	3
Mustante	1	3	5
Total	15	9	39

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Jeff Girls

In the preliminary match the Jeff Girls swamped the Shelton Olympian Girls by the score of 31-17. Good team work combined with accurate shooting accounted for the home five's win. H. Smith and S. Peters starred for the victors.

Jeffs To Play Springwoods

Next Sunday, December 5, the Springwood team of Bridgeport will invade the high school gym to play the Big Jeff Five.

The Springwoods compiled a marvelous record last year and have an even better array this season. The Woods' have on their roster "Rabbit" Nemerget, who, in one game last year accounted for 50 points.

The preliminary game which will go on at 7:45 P. M. sharp will see the Springwood Co-eds opposing the Jeff Girls.

The Jeffersonian Club has donated the use of the Jeffersonian Hall for Physical Education activities of the elementary schools. The program will be supervised by Mr. John Maher, Director Physical Education, East Haven Schools, who will be assisted by young men from the N. Y. U.

Joan Crawford To Play Capitol

"Lancer Spy," the current feature for today and tomorrow at the Capitol, with Dolores Del Rio, George Sanders and Peter Lorre, is a story of the worthlessness of women spies due to love. Eleanore Whitney, Johnny Downs and Lynne Overman in "Blonde Trouble" is the co-feature. Saturday is Bank Night.

On Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Irene Dunne will be seen in "High, Wide and Handsome" with Randolph Scott, Dorothy Lamour and Akim Tamiroff, in a romantic drama of black gold. Carol Hughes and David Carlyle in "Meet The Boy Friend" is the added treat.

Joan Crawford in "The Bride Wore Red," the story of three who played with love with Fanchot Tone and Robert Young, will be shown here on Wednesday and Thursday. Fibber McGee and Molly, radio favorites, make their debut in "This Way Please" with "Buddy" Rogers and Mary Livingstone as the second hit. Ladies' Gift Night will be featured.

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Lincoln Presents "Lower Depths"

The big event at the Lincoln Theatre this week, will be the personal appearance of Uncle Don, radio favorite, at the theatre on Sunday afternoon, December 5. There will be three shows at 2, 3:30, and 5 and the program will include, on the screen, short subjects such as Mickey Mouse, and Popeye.

"Lower Depths", will be shown daily through Monday. There are many amusing scenes, much sarcastic humor, and Junie Astor, who plays Natasha, is one of the loveliest young women to be seen today on the screen.

Starting Tuesday "Fire Over England" the great English picture will open a week's first run in New Haven. This Korda production, featuring Flora Robson as Queen Elizabeth, Raymond Massey as Philip of Spain, and other well-known actors, will be presented under the auspices of the League of Nations Association of New Haven.

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