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Preparation For Branford's Ball Now Complete

Infantile Paralysis Drive Here Approaches A Climax As Ticket Committee Reports Generous Response.

Preparations for the President's Birthday Ball to be staged Saturday evening, January 28th, at the Branford Armory, in the nation's mobilization against infantile paralysis, are approaching a climax. F. J. Kinney, treasurer of the ticket committee, reports not only a generous response from the townspeople, but also from many who live here but two or three months during the summer. This is particularly gratifying since those donors are, without doubt, contributing to the cause in the cities of their permanent residence as well.

H. C. Holman, chairman of the music committee, has been fortunate in securing the services of Berman & Ward's Band. Harry Berman and Roy Ward are two of the best of spelling perfect music. Mr. Berman, in person, will conduct.

Hall decorations will be by Anthony Amendola. Those who attended the Ball last year will remember with satisfaction this firm's work. Castellon Brothers will cater.

Tickets may be secured from the following:

Frank Kinney, Paul Blackstone, Joseph Daly, Frank Williams, Mrs. Elsie Loeber, Miss Marjorie McCarthy, Frank Abiondi, F. E. Howe, Mrs. Winifred Bradoe, Maurice Smith, Stephen Bombolski, Harold Mullin, Adam Bombolski, Arthur Merrill.

In Gullford: White's Lunch, J. J. Sullivan's Store, & Filling Station, and Monroe's Drug Store.

In Madison: Monroe's Pharmacy and J. Thelus.

Ticket reservations may be secured, without extra charge, from Frederick Houde, phone Branford 1100. Those from out of town who do not find a ticket committeeman within convenient reach may make reservations and purchase tickets at the door.

Two Local Men Elected Young G. O. P. Officers

The annual meeting of the New Haven County Young Republican League met at Waverly Inn, Cheshire, Thursday evening.

The meeting was called to order by the president Harry Krasow of Waterbury.

After routine business was disposed of the nominating committee offered the following slate of officers for 1934: President, Clarence Andrews of North Haven; First vice president, Walter Norwask of Naugatuck; Second vice president, Harold C. Hall of East Haven; Third vice president, Mary Zubora of Meriden; secretary, Arlyne Marigold of Milford; treasurer, Murray Upson of Branford; member at large of executive committee, Albert Gessler of New Haven.

The entire slate was elected.

The next meeting will be February 17 at Naugatuck.

Malleable Iron To Create Music

It is expected that the local company will soon be making a new and for them a strange product, namely music. Let us hope that it will be better music than the roar of the tumbling barrels.

Plans are in hand for the formation of a band or an orchestra. The Malleable Iron Fittings Company will provide an instructor and a room for practice. Enlistments are now in order with Mr. Holstenbeck for those who desire to join.

It is not certain whether the abundant talent available can be best grouped into a band or an orchestra, but with the interest already shown it can be predicted that there will be a new musical organization which will compare well with the flourishing ones already existing in the town.

Alfred Ward and family plan to move soon to Short Beach.

East Haven Ball An Outstanding Event Of Year

High School Girls Have Volunteered To Assist In March Of Dimes Campaign On Saturday.

The East Haven committee in charge of the President's Birthday Ball for the benefit of the Infantile Paralysis fund announces that there has been a wide distribution of tickets and that all arrangements have been made for the most outstanding affair in years. Arrangements have been made to decorate both the upper and lower Town Hall. Catering arrangements are being handled by Wolfe's Quality Food Shop. Those desiring reservations for private tables are urged to immediately get in touch with the Caterer.

Commencing at 8:30 p. m. a concert will be rendered by Joe Tansy's Orchestra of patriotic music followed by dancing until 10 o'clock at which time the Grand March will be held conducted by Jack Kerin of New Haven, well known conductor and entertainer, first Selectman James J. Sullivan leading. There will be intermission at 11 o'clock during which time luncheon will be served followed by a floor show consisting of 10 acts by well known talent. Following the floor show the Birthday cake which is now on display in the Wolfe's Quality Food Shop window, will be cut into pieces and distributed among those in attendance. Dancing will then be resumed until 2 a. m.

Today over a local state at 2:45 p. m. Dr. Rocco Bove will broadcast on the medical aspects of Infantile Paralysis. On Saturday, January 28 it is planned to hold a tag day and several young ladies from the High School have volunteered their services to sell buttons for the March of Dimes Campaign.

Federal Savings Set New Record

A total of 960 home loans were made by the 15 Federal savings and loan associations in Connecticut during 1933, setting new records of service to their communities, officials of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board announced today. The statement was based on reports received from the associations and Walter H. Neaves, President of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston.

Federal associations in Connecticut are located in: Branford, Bristol, Danielson, East Hartford, Greenwich, Hartford, Meriden, New Britain, New Haven, New London, Norwalk, Stamford, Waterbury and Windsor.

Old-Fashioned Dance Planned

The Branford Battery is sponsoring an old-fashioned and modern dance to be held in the Armory, Friday evening, February 3rd. The affair is being held for the benefit of the Battery mess fund. A well known orchestra has been engaged for dancing, and Bud Smith will prompt for the old fashioned numbers.

This is the first time in many years that an old-fashioned dance has been held in Branford, although many townspeople attend such affairs in neighboring communities.

Tickets may be obtained from any member of the Branford Service Battery.

ATTEND LEGION BALL

The Harry R. Bartlett Post, American Legion, was represented at the Legion ball at Ansonia recently by Commander and Mrs. Ernest L. Pemberton, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Taibot, Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, Mr. and Mrs. John Danielson, Gus Blockland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leeper, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carlson.

Mrs. George Blackstone, Pine Orchard Road, motored from Branford for her 18th winter to St. Petersburg, Fla and has reopened her home at 2500 16th Ave. North.

James M. Wulpi Speaks On Air Transportation

New England Manager Tells Local Rotary Club of Development of Passenger Lines

A short history of aviation tracing the development from the days when the Wright Brothers proved the practicability of flight with heavier than aircraft was given Monday noon at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club by James M. Wulpi of Short Beach, New England manager of the Transcontinental and Western Air Inc.

Mr. Wulpi spoke briefly of the impetus the World War gave to aviation, early air mail experiments and Lindbergh's flight all leading to the popularity of aviation and development of passenger lines.

"Airlines operate on the principles of safety, passenger comfort and schedule efficiency," the speaker said when he gave a record of safety and efficiency of the lines.

In closing Mr. Wulpi gave a brief description of the flight plan which is made out by a pilot just prior to his flight so that he knows just what weather he will encounter on his flight, what altitude he will maintain and the gas consumption for the flight. He has control by radio as his plane nears a busy airport.

Thirty-nine Rotarians attended the meeting, including visiting Rotarians Clarence S. Landsittel, R. F. Bailey and A. B. King, all of New Haven, Fred H. Holbrook of the Clinton-Gulford-Hadison Club.

Robert H. Cate was inducted into Rotary under the classification, "Linoleums, Distributing."

Court Of Honor On February 13

The annual meeting of Branford and the East Shore Scouts will be held Monday, February 13, at the Tryst, on Harrison Avenue, in Branford.

A fine program has been arranged including a Court of Honor and a Scouting, which will be presented by Scouts of the various troops. The twenty-ninth birthday of Scouting will be celebrated throughout the nation February 8th to 14th and the date chosen for this meeting is most appropriate.

An innovation for the Meeting will be a covered dish supper, each Scout Mother and Dad will be invited to be present, bringing one dish of cooked food. This plan has proven to be quite successful elsewhere on the occasion of Scout-Parents Meetings.

Charles E. Bedient, Court of Honor Chairman, requests that all Troops, Ships and Cub Packs, send to him before February 11th a full report of all tests passed since the last Court of Honor. All Scouts who wish to be reviewed on Merit Badges may apply to him, at 14 Bradley Avenue, Branford.

Mrs. Annie Clark, Post Road is staying in St. Petersburg, Fla. for a few weeks.

Many Marriages Recorded Here During 1933

102 Couples Were Joined In Holy Wedlock During Past 12 Months.

Town Clerk Winfield Morgan, to date, has recorded 102 marriages during the past year. The list follows.

January 1—Cornelia T. Frost to Clair Bradley.

January 15—Katherine Taragowski to Anthony J. Moeckewitz.

January 24—Eleanor Helen Lewandoski to Henry Victor Trojanoski.

February 17—Helen Kaura to Julius Joseph Zalonski.

February 14—Rose Benevento to Peter J. Leonard.

February 15—Eleanor Mann to Albert Wettemann.

February 19—Gladys Virginia Linsley to Martin Leopold Steueck.

February 20—Helen V. Russell to Robert George Starr.

SALESMANAGER



Charles Lay, of 98 South Montowese Street, after five years with the Sliney Chevrolet Co. is now connected with the Bronson Chevrolet Co., 276 Main Street.

Mr. Lay was born and schooled in Branford, has had three year's garage service, one year overseas, studied in the Army mechanical school with 10 years government service.

He is now salesmanager for the Bronson Chevrolet Company of 276 Main Street.

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Mansfield Grove Structure Burns To The Ground

Two hose lines, one of them from a hydrant 500 feet distant and the other from the East Haven River failed to extinguish the Rocky Point Hotel fire at Mansfield Point late Sunday night.

Estimated at a loss of \$8,000 the fire was of unknown origin but is believed to have been started by the oil burner.

Built of pine and unplastered, the structure burned rapidly as the flames, fanned by the high wind, spread through the two-story building.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dupuis, lessees of the hotel, were away at the time the fire broke out. Dupuis said that when they returned, with a two year old daughter, the house was burned to the ground.

Dupuis said that a roast had been in the oven and that the family had left shortly before the blaze was discovered. He indicated that there was a possibility of incendiaryism.

The fire was reported by Charles A. Bartlett, owner of the building, which was built in the 1880's.

Yale University Scholarship Is For Local Boys

Scholarship and beneficiary aid for the current year to 750 undergraduates at Yale University totals \$293,534. It was announced today.

Additional awards to graduate and professional school students, together with supplementary employment, are available to needy students by the University, totaling the grand total of such aids to approximately \$1,200,000 for the current year.

Of the \$293,534 granted to undergraduates, 22 per cent or \$63,811 goes to 264 Connecticut students at the University. This vicinity is represented on this scholarship list is Branford: Felix P. Dzwonkoski '42; Samuel Kannel '39 S.; Clarence W. King '40; Ray U. Plant, Jr. '40.

Those who attended were: Mrs. Joseph Zaffino the Misses Ann Goculowski, Theresa Ralalo, Martha Takores, Ann Adams, Katherine Wychowiski and Theresa Goculowski.

Mrs. Charles Messner was hostess. Refreshments were served later in day and enjoyed by the guests.

Miss Frances Meglin will become the bride of Mr. Edward Dennison of Maple Street early next month.

Mrs. Annie Norton is wintering in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Local Girl To Become Bride

A house frock and linen shower was given in honor of Miss Frances Meglin of Jourdan's Farm Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Messner in West Main Street.

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GOD RECEIVES A LETTER

On page four of this issue is a letter written to Dear Little Bobby Lewis by Howard C. Patc. Read it!

Optometrist To Open Office

Dr. Macy H. Battalin, optometrist will open an optical office on Saturday in the Toole Building with office hours on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturdays and by appointment at other times.

Dr. Battalin was born in Middletown and attended Hartford High School.

He is a graduate of the Mass. School of Optometry in Boston, Mass., and is a member of the Connecticut State Society of Optometrists. The doctor will specialize exclusively in the examination of eyes and fitting of glasses. His office will be equipped with newest and most modern optical instruments.

TO GIVE MYSTERY DRAMA
The Congregational Players will present the three-act mystery drama "Night Must Fall" in the Community House Thursday, February 18. The play has had very successful Broadway run and has also been adapted to the screen. The cast, which is not yet completed, will be announced later. The performance will be directed by James A. Neely.

Property Owners Given Important Notice By Fire Commissioners

Selectmen and Board of Fire Commissioners Collect Laws Relating To Fire Hazards—Fire Marshal Will Instruct Those In Doubt.

At a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, held in conjunction with the selectmen, the question of the law relating to fire hazards was thoroughly discussed and it appeared that due to the fact that the town of Branford has no building code that there was a general misunderstanding in town as to how the general statutes applied to the various types of buildings. It was decided that the laws relating to fire hazards be collected, and that public notice be given as to how such laws apply.

A summary of the laws relating to fire hazards applying to various types of buildings may be found on page eight. Notice is also given that the fire marshal of the town of Branford or his deputy, is now authorized to enter any premises for the purpose of making inspection to determine whether or not the law is being complied with, and if he finds that it is not, it is necessary for him to make formal complaint to the prosecuting authorities. If any person is uncertain as to whether or not the statutes apply to property owned by him, he is advised to consult with the fire marshal, who will gladly co-operate in having said property put in safe condition.

The Christopher Publishing House of Boston has just brought to the newsstands "Reflexes" written by Emily White Sandford, of Waterside Road, Pine Orchard.

Emily White Sandford is a cosmopolitan. She writes the language of her world. Of Southern lineage, she is through her mother, a descendant of Thomas Johnson, the friend of George Washington, and first Colonial Governor of Maryland. Her great-grandmother on the maternal side, was a Byrd of Virginia. Her father, John Howard White was named for John White, who was first governor of Roanoke, Va., and grandfather of Virginia Dare.

Mrs. Sandford and her artist husband have spent most of their married life in travel and residence abroad where his work and her writings are better known than in America. A few of her short stories and also a one-act play "Sub Rosa" published by Samuel French have appeared in this country.

The author's deep interest in the theatre induced her to lay aside the idea of "Reflexes" for some years and devote her time to play writing. There were two Meccas, two goals before her—one to set forth in a book the cherished idea of "Reflexes" and the other to go on with her plays to an ardently desired success on Broadway. Her husband and their great friend, his Excellence, Monsieur des Portes de la Fosse, French diplomat and scholar, urged Mrs. Sandford to complete her novel before she became too much absorbed in dramatics.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandford spent many winters in Tunisia. The Bay of Tunis, decorated her with the "Order of Nisham Iftakkar" for her dramatic work there through his Excellence, Monsieur Bonzon, Minister Plenipotentiary of France.

"Reflexes" is a novel in which one can lose oneself in the entrancing pictures of this country and of Europe while following the thread of a story that holds one's interest to the last pages.

Vasa Star Lodge Installation Is Well Attended

District Deputy Charles Benson of Middletown installed the following officers of Vasa Star Lodge last Friday night in Vasa Hall, chairman Francis Hart; vice-chairman, Fred Fosse, French diplomat and scholar; recording secretary, Helmar Holmes; assistant, Hamlet Bjork; financial secretary, Maurice Montelius; treasurer, Geo. Hansen; chaplain, Mrs. Estelle Anderson; master of ceremonies, Axel Mickelson; assistant, Howard Carlsson; inside guard, William Ashworth; outside guard, John Wester; trustee for three years, Carl Ericson; auditor for three years, Otto B. Anderson. Following the installation a very fine supper was served by the following committee: Otto B. Anderson, Peter Dahl, Albert Coates, Mrs. John Swanson and Mrs. Otto B. Anderson.

Rainbow Order Being Formed

About 50 girls and their parents and friends attended a meeting Thursday night in the Masonic Temple in the Community House when plans were made for the forming of an assembly of Order of Rainbow for Girls. Mrs. Grace Childsey, supreme deputy of Connecticut, addressed the meeting and explained the ideals and aims of Rainbow.

Any interested girl between the ages of 13 and 18 may get in touch with any member of the following advisory board, instituted at last Thursday's meeting: Mrs. Hugh MacLeod, Mr. and Mrs. William Willson, Mrs. John C. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tossy, Mrs. Harold Smith, W. W. Ham, G. A. R. Hamre, Mr and Mrs. Ralph Nielsen.

TO BROADCAST SATURDAY

Miss Jane Mattson will broadcast the following program of songs over WELI Saturday at 3:30 p. m.; "You Are The Rose"—Caporossi; "Home on the Range" a favorite of the President; "N'appari Tutt" Amoroso; "Fotow, from the opera Martha, sung in Italian, with biography; "My Dearest Prayer"—Tandie.

Miss Jane Mattson will accompany Miss Mattson on the piano.

The adjourned meeting of the Congregational Church society in North Gullford will be held in the church this evening at 7:30.

All In The Day's Work

By E. C. and N. H. CARRESTER

LEGISLATIVE MATTERS

Quite a number of bills have gone into the legislative hopper that are of some interest to East Haven and nearby towns. Some are in final form, and some are in preliminary stages, and some may be misleading.

One of them is a bill to provide for the relief of some of the town debt, possibly to take advantage of lower interest rates.

One is to raise the debt limit. The hurricane cut off a good amount of income, and without this permission the town might find itself embarrassed.

Another bill relates to sidewalks. Probably for the purpose of protecting the town against unreasonable damage suits.

Another bill would enlarge the powers of the zoning commission. Bills went in for the nomination of Clifford Blunck for judge of the court, and Edward Reynolds for deputy judge. Also a bill for the re-nomination of Judge Connor.

A bill that will create much interest, especially among the school teachers, is one granting the East Haven teachers a tenure of office. All of the details are not as yet worked out, but its purpose is to give them the same privileges that teachers have in the larger cities. After a period of successful teaching, they will have a permanent position if they continue to perform their duties in a satisfactory manner. This will address the feelings of security to those working town employees. It is hoped that this kind might be done for all of the regular employees of the town.

Another bill relates to automobiles. A very large number of school buses have been introduced, and it is likely none of them will finally emerge from the committee exactly as introduced. The bill provides that no auto shall be driven on any highway faster than 40 miles per hour, and in cities, below 30 miles per hour. It also provides for the establishment of a rate of speed by the court overruled the city. New Haven established such a limit by ordinance, but it became a dead letter. This bill would establish that rate for the whole state. The bill would provide drastic penalties for drunken driving, and for the eventual elimination of the drunken driver entirely.

Another bill relates to citizenship. Applications for citizenship now are kept in the hands of the federal government from seven to twelve months before they are returned. This bill requests the Department of Labor at Washington to expedite some way for more prompt action. This is a matter of vital interest to the foreign born.

E. C. C.

A CHASTENED PETER

Judas made his failure final with suicide. Peter "went out and wept bitterly," but he still loved his Lord and had no thought of casting him to do so. This week we see him eager to be with Jesus when John whispers that the stranger on the road is more than he thought of casting him to do so. This week we see him eager to be with Jesus when John whispers that the stranger on the road is more than he thought of casting him to do so.

Even the world about us, which has been, if not denying the Christ, at least following him very far off, begins to show signs of waking up to its own sinfulness and turning back to the ways of righteousness. Not only the President in his address to Congress, but Governors, Senators, Representatives and members of the Cabinet have recently recognized and emphasized the dependence of free institutions upon religious faith. The ethical leadership of the church is being called upon with the decrease in churching in the East this year. Another evidence of a awakened public conscience is the recent royal edicts of the National Broadcasting Company to decline all liquor advertisements for its radio networks. We common people can see in this the most important return to a higher plane of living by renewed faithfulness of our own hearts and minds, and a united effort to answer the call of the "Kingdom of God, which is at hand, and is in Heaven."

SHORT BEACH

UNION CHAPEL

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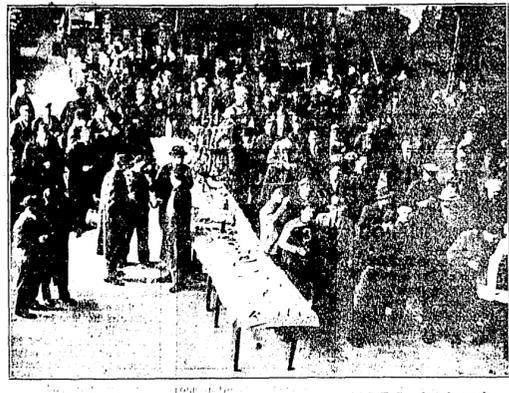
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The prices and terms can be arranged to meet the needs of any thrifty buyer, and Branford people who are planning homes should take the opportunity of buying now before the expected increase of real estate values and before the desirability of residing in Branford is greatly increased by the completion of the East Haven cut-off.

Any persons interested may apply to J. J. Walworth or to the office of the company.



Good fellowship is so strong in the steel foundry of the M. I. F. Co., that the workers there are not satisfied with a summer picnic only but must hold another in mid-winter, indoors. Here the group is shown with their invited guests making merry right on the foundry floor at the Christmas Party held December 23, 1938.

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B. H. S. Notes

By OSCAR ROGANSON

The mathematics classes of the Branford High School, under the direction of Mrs. Florence T. Royal, presented a program in the auditorium Friday.

With Fred Courtaal as chairman, the following program was given: "America the Beautiful"; Biographical of Lewis Carroll, written by Randolph Bishop and read by Patricia Boutelle; "Mathematical Recollections," Alice Wilson, song, "A Song to Six Points," Glee Club; "Code to Geometry," Diana Polanski; "Fythogoras," written by Mary Fitzgerald and read by Roberta Crawford.

A one-act play, entitled "The Case of Matthew Matrix," was given by the following cast:

Gina Meneguzzi, Doris Polanski, Carol Bradley, Ruth Bergquist, Gordon Terwilliger, Carolyn Glance, John Erickson, Fred Collins, James Melior Charles, Baldwin, Stephen Kobak, George Dickinson, Harriet Peck, Anna Gale Nancy Fitzgerald, Donald Wulpi Harold Damborg, William Schwanfelder John Moorey, Howard Spear, Owen Cole, Robert DeJon and Norman Plant.

Mid-year examinations will be given at the Branford High School during the week beginning January 30. Exams in typewriting and stenography will be given Monday and Tuesday, with regular classes in other subjects on those days. On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday the regular class periods will be omitted. Students will report for examinations only, and may absent themselves for such a period, when they are not taking tests. The school buses will be run on the regular schedule.

All Junior High examinations will be given in the home rooms. All Junior High pupils will also be excused from attendance at the time when they are not taking the test.

WORK IN INDIA

A meeting of the Missionary Society of the Congregational Church was held Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Royal N. Harrison of South Main Street. Mrs. F. T. Ayer read an introduction to the study for the next six months, missionary work in India. Mrs. F. T. Ayer read a paper "As Christ Looks at India," Mrs. George Page read a paper "The Miracle of Madras," written by the leader, Mrs. T. Stanton. Mrs. Ayer was unable to be present because of illness. Mrs. Herbert B. Harrison read a story on "The Birds Nest," written by the former Helen Gajoyard, a one time resident of this town. The February meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. G. Herbert Foote of Averill Place.

Attorney and Mrs. William J. Kennedy, their daughter Ethel, and their son William J. Kennedy, Jr., have returned from a visit to Havana, Cuba. They motored to Miami, stopping at points of interest along the way, sailing for Cuba on the Evangelina from Miami.

Dr. Macy H. Battalin

Optometrist

announces the opening of his office on Saturday, January 28th in the Toole Building

where he will specialize exclusively in the examination of eyes and the fitting of glasses

TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY or by Appointment

Telephone Branford 807

New Haven Office — 865 Chapel Street

Crock 'O' Smacks

Meal Pudding, Prepared From Left-Over Roast Beef

Hoorary for good left-over recipes. Now to some of us but very old in Germany, this recipe, when adapted to American cookery is the grandest thing imaginable for using up that left-over roast beef.

1 1/2 pounds left over roast beef
1/2 cup rice
2 tablespoons grated Swiss or Parmesan cheese
1/2 tablespoon flour
1/2 teaspoon chopped onions
2 tablespoons butter
1/2 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup left over gravy
1 pint boiling water
2 eggs yolk
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup sugar

Chop the roast beef, but not too fine, and stew in a pan with the butter, and onions. Mix the gravy with the flour, and let it cook a few minutes, until the gravy thickens.

Roll the rice until soft, in the water or boiling. Rinse, add grated cheese and lastly the yolks of two eggs. Season to taste with salt.

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4 eggs

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News Of General Interest To Women

Crock 'O' Smacks

Meal Pudding, Prepared From Left-Over Roast Beef

Hoorary for good left-over recipes. Now to some of us but very old in Germany, this recipe, when adapted to American cookery is the grandest thing imaginable for using up that left-over roast beef.

1 1/2 pounds left over roast beef
1/2 cup rice
2 tablespoons grated Swiss or Parmesan cheese
1/2 tablespoon flour
1/2 teaspoon chopped onions
2 tablespoons butter
1/2 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup left over gravy
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Platter Young People When You Serve Grownup Refreshments

Whether or not you are entertaining the "going on nineteen" set, your own friends, a coffee cocktail party is a novelty that will establish you as a resourceful hostess.

Coffee shaken up in a cocktail shaker with ice cream or whipped cream is a refreshing beverage that coarsely happily with any assortment of canapés. Make these cocktails of decaffeinated coffee. Remember that a little longer brewing is necessary to bring out all the rich flavor, if you use the pot or percolator method; extra strength is necessary for cold coffee drinks.

Coffee Cocktails

Use 1 cup decaffeinated coffee, regular grind, for each quart (4 cups) of water to make the coffee. Pour over cracked ice to cool. Use a heaping tablespoon of ice cream or whipped cream, and stir thoroughly with a coffee. Put coffee and cream in cocktail shaker and shake well.

Apple-Cranberry Casserole

Put 4 cups apples, that have been sliced one inch thick, in a large pan. Remove water and place with sliced apples in a buttered casserole. Sprinkle about a tablespoon of brown sugar over the top, dot with butter. Bake in moderate oven until apples are tender and sugar has melted through.

Garden Notes

With gray skies the order of the day, thus making it necessary to turn on the lights in the very early afternoon and frequently to burn them most of the day. It takes a bit more than ordinary ingenuity and imagination to give the living room a gay and cheerful atmosphere.

In the surest way to achieve an atmosphere that makes your friends exclaim "how charming" when they enter your living room is to make use of growing plants and the many bright, bulb plants that bloom so prolifically at this time of year. In fact, you can easily plant an indoor garden by making use of plate glass shelves that can be installed in your window or on a table in a room.

This is an ideal way to keep your plants indoors for they not only give you a feeling of a garden can be realistically obtained if the plants are concentrated in groups. Also, treated by window drapes they make a charming effect that can easily become the focal point of interest in your room.

Many department stores now carry hanging shelves of plate glass that are designed to hold window plants. In fact, you can buy them in your own department or hardware store the glass dealer in your neighborhood undoubtedly can suggest the best material.

Among plants which will grow well indoors in pots and which are to be found in almost any florist's shop are cyclamen, Spanish pepper, ivy, all of the ferns, geranium, aryllis, paper narcissus, gardenia, the salmon colored patience (an old favorite of grandmother's day) and the Arctian violet.

DIANA GOES TO TOWN

Although Dr. A. A. Dunlap who formerly conducted such culture experiments at the New Haven Station is now in Texas, the work has been continued at New Haven by Mr. Gabriel Nuttle.

During the fall, chrysanthemums, geraniums, and other plants were decorated with ruffles, ribbons and bows. Knots were not strictly used, too sweet, designers concentrated on styles for southern people. The use of ruffles and ribbons was a very popular feature. The use of ruffles and ribbons was a very popular feature. The use of ruffles and ribbons was a very popular feature.

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IT'S A FACT

More than a million dollars worth of silver foxes were sold in this country in the past two weeks, with top grade furs selling for \$120.

Two recently built planetariums may very well be the main cause for a small, low, recommended, whole wheat, rye or other dark bread and butter in addition.

Cream Vegetable Chowder

1 1/2 cups finely chopped pork or bacon
1 medium pepper
1/4 cup diced potato
1 medium diced onion
1 cup diced turnip
1 cup diced carrot
1 quart milk
4 tablespoons flour
1/2 cup butter
Cook vegetables and pork until tender. In just enough water to cover. Add this mixture of vegetables and milk to the chowder, and made from milk, flour and butter.

CREAM CANNED SALMON AND

1/2 cup minced onion
2 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca
1 No. 2 can tomatoes (2 1/2 cups)
1 1/2 teaspoon salt
1 No. 2 can red station
1 No. 2 can peas, drained
2 1/2 cups milk
1/4 cup mayonnaise
1/2 cup chicken meat
1/4 cup celery
1 tablespoon green peppers
1/4 cup mayonnaise
Mix the chicken, celery and green peppers. Mix with mayonnaise and spread on buttered bread. The onion will tender in

How To Avoid Colds

By Marlon Cunningham

Now with this cold weather is the time to begin building up your child's resistance against that winter enemy, the common cold. Colds can be prevented by following a few simple rules, and the ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

Most colds are contracted by too close association with persons who are infected, and no mother should expect her child to be extremely susceptible to germs. Every one knows, of course, that to use the same drinking glass and table water as some one who has a cold is a bad idea, but simply breathing the same air can be just as dangerous. Wipe down several of the smartest and most important methods of prevention as they can be inflamed by the slightest irritant, children and adults alike should have special attention at the least. Six glasses of water every day and a diet that includes plenty of milk, eggs, fruit and fresh vegetables.

At no time should children be allowed to breathe through their mouths, as this carries the germs straight into the throat. The nose, on the other hand, acts as a filter for the air it breathes. Keep it open, then, by pinching up your nose. It is another important, preventive measure, and this can be done most effectively by having the walls and ceilings insulated. Be sure, too, that your child cools off slowly after strenuous exercise on a winter day.

Youngsters Away From Home

If any of your children are at college, be sure that they have plenty of good warm clothing for out-of-door wear and suitable light things for indoors. College students are apt to think that if they let a cold "run its course" it will disappear, and you can't impress upon them too strongly the necessity for prevention. After all, they're the ones to suffer if they get behind in their studies for this a big item.

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GIVE A DIME WEAR A BUTTON

BUSINESS
 At last reports, business activity on the average was at a level more than 20 per cent above a year ago. Signs of the universally anticipated winter decline—which some economists term a "corrective recession in the upswing"—was appearing. It is felt that this decline will be moderate, and that improvement should again get underway by April or before. If the attitude of Congress is friendly, that will, of course, be beneficially.

HIT AND RUN DRIVERS
 We do not admire hit and run motorists here in Branford. Be it person, dog or mail-box we take a violent dislike to the cowardly driver who smacks when the back is turned, then dashes down a side street under cover of midnight darkness endangering other persons or property in a mad ride to evade responsibility.

CHARTING THE COURSE
 Gov. Raymond E. Baldwin in an address at the 61st annual meeting and banquet of the Connecticut Editorial Association in the Taft Hotel Saturday said, "We go there at the State Capitol looking especially to the country newspapers in charting the course of the state's life."

JUST HATTY
 If there is one topic which has been worn so utterly threadbare during the past two years that there is not a strand left to hang a thought on, it's women's hats. How anyone can find another word to say about them is, frankly speaking, beyond us. For eighteen months at least the newspaper columnists, the college playwrights, the night club entertainers, the rhytmists, the cartoonists, have been telling us that women's hats are humorous.

LIFE AFTER FORTY
 A survey has been made among the industries of America on the question of whether older employees are being replaced by younger men. The findings show that a greater proportion of workers over 40 years of age are employed now than in pre-depression days.

THEY SAY.....
 "After nine years of depression, America still has its number one problem—to get men back to work. This is the essence of sound recovery."—Howard Cooney, chairman of the Warrenton Company.
 "Without a free and well informed press, particularly one that is not under the tacit intimidation of prosecutors, courts and legislatures, a democracy cannot function."—Editor and Publisher.



SO SAY WE ALL

THE PENALTY OF SUCCESS
 It is likely that almost everyone is addicted to occasional "day dreaming," and probably the most popular dream of idle dreamers is that some day they will be successful business men; that their worries will be minimized; that they can just sit back and take life easy while the business carries on.

LET'S STOP AND THINK
 No one will deny that the United States government is a great institution; that it has done things that no other government in all history has ever accomplished. For instance, during the fiscal year of 1938 it collected in taxes approximately \$5,659,000,000, which is the largest sum any government ever collected in any year.

NEW PREMIER IN JAPAN
 It is customary to write of Japan as a dictatorship without a dictator. There is a Dictator, who is still elected by the people, and his Cabinet more or less responsible to the Diet. But for years past all these representative institutions have been a facade behind which the militarists have been running the country. Thus the change in the Premiership does not alter the essential facts about political life in Japan.

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WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS
 By JAMES PRESTON

GOD RECEIVES A LETTER
 The other day postal inspectors found a touching note penned by a young boy of Minneapolis. The boy, Bobby Lewis, was heartbroken because his four-year-old friend, Floydie Highstrom died following an operation on his eyes. Missy Bobby heard a minister say that Floydie would find peace "upstairs in heaven." Hence Bobby, in a childish scrawl, addressed "God in Heaven in the Sky" expressing a wish to see his departed friend.

THE CONSUMER SPEAKS
 Throughout our nation a great drive for funds is under way. Citizens are contributing their dime and dollar for a common cause—to fight Infantile Paralysis.

LET'S STOP AND THINK
 A new kind of game is being played in the Capital, but there are limitations on who can play. It is limited to members of Congress, and the game, for want of a better name, can be called "Wait and See."

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Calendar Of Events

- JANUARY 27th**
 Bings-Benefit St. Mary's Rectory Fund—Tryst—8-30.
 Exhibition, Fashion, Hagaman Memorial Library.
 Fun, Frolic and Food, Ladies Sewing Society, North Branford.
- JANUARY 28th**
 Branford's Presidents' Ball in Armory
- JANUARY 30th**
 Rotary—12:15—Congregational Church Parlor.
 East Haven's Residents' Ball in Town Hall.
 Short Beach Men's Club, 8:00 in Claremont.
 Allegru Club meets with Miss Doris Weeks of Hamden.
 Luncheon, East Haven Business and Professional Men's Ass'n.
- JANUARY 31st**
 Supper 6:30, Past Patrons and Matrons, Princess Chapter, O.E.S. Church Supper, Guilford Chorus in No. Guilford Parish House.
- FEBRUARY 1st**
 Union School PTA Public Bridge in Town Hall.
- FEBRUARY 3rd**
 Branford Battery Dance in Armory.
- FEBRUARY 6th**
 Motion Picture sponsored by North Branford PTA's in Northford Community House, 7:30.
 Testimonial Dinner to Rev. J. Broderick at Claremont Hotel. Sponsored motion picture, Capitol Theatre by Brotherhood of St. Andrew's.
- FEBRUARY 7th**
 Gerriah School PTA Barn Dance in Town Hall.
- FEBRUARY 9th**
 Founder's Day, East Haven Parent Teacher Council.

NORTH BRANFORD

Morning worship in the local churches on Sunday will be as follows:
 St. Augustine's R. C. Church, Rev. James Goughlin, pastor, Mrs. Edward Day, organist and choir director. Mass will be celebrated at 9:15 o'clock. Sunday School will follow with instructions by Dominican Nuns from New Haven.
 Zion Episcopal Church—Rev. Francis J. Smith, Rector, Mrs. Paul R. Hawkins, organist, and choir director. Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 9:30 o'clock. Church School will follow.
 North Branford Congregational Church, Rev. G. D. Lesley, pastor, Mrs. Douglas B. Holabird, organist and choir director. Morning worship will be held at 11 o'clock. Sunday School will convene in the chapel at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Vernon Gedney, superintendent.

Timekeeper
 JANUARY 24, 1939
 Mr. and Mrs. Milton J. Warner, Pine Orchard were among the passengers removed from the steamship President Garfield which was grounded on a reef near Bahama Islands.

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EAST HAVEN

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew of Christ Church will sponsor a motion picture at the Capitol Theatre February 6 and 7 for the purpose of purchasing new floor covering in the church.
 Dr. O. A. Grenon, Thompson Ave. spoke over the radio Tuesday afternoon in behalf of the infantile paralysis research work accomplished with funds obtained from the President's birthday balls.
 Nearly 50 resolutions naming judges throughout the state have been received and tabulated for consideration in Hartford House Speaker's matter House.
 Miss Doris Patterson of 39 Deerfield Street was given a birthday party at her home Saturday evening. Those present were: Misses Muriel Beebe, Dorothy Fitzsimmons, Phoebe Lang, Beverly Munson, Tina Rose, Barbara Waldorf, Jean Jean O'Neil, Mary Weber, Ruth Wilson, and Doris Patterson and the Messrs Bob Taylor, Bill Clancy James McCormack, Donald King, Howard Snyder, Bob Frey, Theodore Poria, Douglas Pierpont, and Bob Cumpston.
 The Sunshine Society will hold a supper this evening in the chapel.
 The young people of the Old Stone Church will attend the Congregational Michigan Branch New Haven tomorrow evening. They will be accompanied by the Rev. William Nicholas.
 The auxiliary of the Arc company meets this evening in the home of Mrs. Ernest Bedding, Sanford Street. Mrs. Helen Augur, Mrs. Lewis Bedding will assist the hostess.
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Calendar Of Events

- JANUARY 27th**
 Bings-Benefit St. Mary's Rectory Fund—Tryst—8-30.
 Exhibition, Fashion, Hagaman Memorial Library.
 Fun, Frolic and Food, Ladies Sewing Society, North Branford.
- JANUARY 28th**
 Branford's Presidents' Ball in Armory
- JANUARY 30th**
 Rotary—12:15—Congregational Church Parlor.
 East Haven's Residents' Ball in Town Hall.
 Short Beach Men's Club, 8:00 in Claremont.
 Allegru Club meets with Miss Doris Weeks of Hamden.
 Luncheon, East Haven Business and Professional Men's Ass'n.
- JANUARY 31st**
 Supper 6:30, Past Patrons and Matrons, Princess Chapter, O.E.S. Church Supper, Guilford Chorus in No. Guilford Parish House.
- FEBRUARY 1st**
 Union School PTA Public Bridge in Town Hall.
- FEBRUARY 3rd**
 Branford Battery Dance in Armory.
- FEBRUARY 6th**
 Motion Picture sponsored by North Branford PTA's in Northford Community House, 7:30.
 Testimonial Dinner to Rev. J. Broderick at Claremont Hotel. Sponsored motion picture, Capitol Theatre by Brotherhood of St. Andrew's.
- FEBRUARY 7th**
 Gerriah School PTA Barn Dance in Town Hall.
- FEBRUARY 9th**
 Founder's Day, East Haven Parent Teacher Council.

NORTH BRANFORD

Morning worship in the local churches on Sunday will be as follows:
 St. Augustine's R. C. Church, Rev. James Goughlin, pastor, Mrs. Edward Day, organist and choir director. Mass will be celebrated at 9:15 o'clock. Sunday School will follow with instructions by Dominican Nuns from New Haven.
 Zion Episcopal Church—Rev. Francis J. Smith, Rector, Mrs. Paul R. Hawkins, organist, and choir director. Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 9:30 o'clock. Church School will follow.
 North Branford Congregational Church, Rev. G. D. Lesley, pastor, Mrs. Douglas B. Holabird, organist and choir director. Morning worship will be held at 11 o'clock. Sunday School will convene in the chapel at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Vernon Gedney, superintendent.

Timekeeper
 JANUARY 24, 1939
 Mr. and Mrs. Milton J. Warner, Pine Orchard were among the passengers removed from the steamship President Garfield which was grounded on a reef near Bahama Islands.

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EAST HAVEN

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew of Christ Church will sponsor a motion picture at the Capitol Theatre February 6 and 7 for the purpose of purchasing new floor covering in the church.
 Dr. O. A. Grenon, Thompson Ave. spoke over the radio Tuesday afternoon in behalf of the infantile paralysis research work accomplished with funds obtained from the President's birthday balls.
 Nearly 50 resolutions naming judges throughout the state have been received and tabulated for consideration in Hartford House Speaker's matter House.
 Miss Doris Patterson of 39 Deerfield Street was given a birthday party at her home Saturday evening. Those present were: Misses Muriel Beebe, Dorothy Fitzsimmons, Phoebe Lang, Beverly Munson, Tina Rose, Barbara Waldorf, Jean Jean O'Neil, Mary Weber, Ruth Wilson, and Doris Patterson and the Messrs Bob Taylor, Bill Clancy James McCormack, Donald King, Howard Snyder, Bob Frey, Theodore Poria, Douglas Pierpont, and Bob Cumpston.
 The Sunshine Society will hold a supper this evening in the chapel.
 The young people of the Old Stone Church will attend the Congregational Michigan Branch New Haven tomorrow evening. They will be accompanied by the Rev. William Nicholas.
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MIDDLE RIBS Mildly Cured Corred Bone LB 19c
SMOKED HAMS Whole or Either end LB 27c

Tea Sale
GOLDEN ROSE A QUALITY BLEND OF PEKEE AND ORANGE PEKEE 1/2 LB CTN. 25c
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PEACHES FINEST SLICED 2 1/2 doz 25c
FLAKORN MUFFIN MIX 2 pkgs 29c
BABY FOODS CLAPP'S 4 4 oz cans 29c
HONEY LAKESHORE In the Honeycomb Bottle 16 oz bottle 19c
MAPLE SYRUP CO-OP. PURE 8 oz bottle 21c
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SLICED BEEF FINAST 3 1/2 oz can 17c 6 oz can 25c
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CHASE & SANBORN COFFEE 1 lb can 23c
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SCOT TOWELS 10c HOLDERS each 19c
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Basketball Hockey Wrestling

Branford High Quint C East Haven High Five Face Strong Hillhouse And Seymour Teams

Lyman Hall Saturday Fray Set For Wallingford; Milford Here For Game With Locals Next Tuesday

Community Red Men Beat Ramblers To Get In Win Column

Wetted Barbers Edge Out M. J. F. In League Fray

Great Interest Being Shown In Mann-Gainer Tilt

Community League Clubs To Battle Sunday

Hornets Lose One At Stratford But Come Back To Trim East Haven Five

RIGHT DOWN OUR ALLEYS

Branford High School Team Lost Their Powerful Start Friday, Losing a Tough Game To The Up-and-Coming Stratford Quintet

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State And Local Services Mark Brilliant Career Of Brainard

Police Chief Murphy Praised; Gives Branford Ideal Service

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Atlantic Wire Company Employs 150 People; Great Asset To Branford And Whole Region

Trade Schools For Youth On State-Wide Plan Urged By Hamre, Dean Of Paiting Line Here

Ideal In American Enterprise Typified Here By New Haven Trap Rock Quarry Operations

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Law enforcement and safety measures have received a new impetus in Branford through the alert program of protection afforded to the citizens through the activities and efforts of James T. Murphy, chief of Police of Branford

People who are discerning in their tastes and appreciate the services of an establishment which is known for excellent food are prone to accord regular patronage to the establishments of the Post Road, Route No. 1, three miles east of Branford

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Attention, motorists! The complete automobile maintenance services are met with every expert coverage by the Central Garage, 64 Main Street, Branford

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There are at present only 11 such trade schools in the state. Under the sponsorship of Mr. Hamre, who is presenting a petition in behalf of the movement, this project would be on a state-wide basis

It is hoped that favorable reaction will occur and the proper steps will be taken to establish these schools throughout the entire state, so that boys and girls may be afforded sufficient training in order to get and hold jobs

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Other leading quarries operated by the company are situated at Middletown, Plainfield, Granby, and Shelton

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Meanderings of a Book Worm



Emily White Sanford of Pine Orchard, in "Reflexes" makes her point in a vivid sequence of incidents. Disillusionment does not always embitter. Sorrow can build a bridge to better things. The great soul does go forward by the very hardships endured. This is the theme which Emily White Sanford so absorbingly develops in her novel "Reflexes."

Some of the incidents in the book are real and provide a place to take off from the tender story of Martha Lane and her preux chevalier, Cyrus Linton, newspaper man of the scarred face and the knightly heart. There is a small town, southern wedding—how skillfully the author has sketched in this familiar scene!

"Cyrus Linton" was the name he had chosen out of the four-word tag his father had pinned on him at birth. "If you want to be beneficent, a brightness, a peaceful liver, Cyrus you are. But if you gird up your loins and go out to battle, call your self Theron, the hunter."

So he had chosen brightness, a peaceful life, love. "Old Jeff, the family servant, confided to another: "Marse Cy shore do carry on when he's happy!" But Journalism is a long and not too lucrative career. The demands of a gruelling job come between the lovers. And amidst the gayeties, the frivolities, the flirtations of Martha Cyrus stands firm, armed protector of that little Sylvia who represents the consummation of their passion. In his ravaged home one love is still left to him, one rose blooms solitary in the garden of his heart.

It is the Russian, Androwsky, who says to his luncheon partner, Lydla: "One does not aim one's arrow at the stars to be content if it fall upon the house-top!"

Martha goes far in her search for selfish happiness. Cyrus gives her a final, dramatic chance in the closing scene of the book. The idea of "Reflexes" has its origin in an actual case of certain reactions produced in a great soul by the object of its love. The incident of the closed room is one of the real incidents related in the book and is an eerie story.

The James Blackstone Memorial Library has on hand a supply of 1939 booklets containing photographs of the library, of James Blackstone, Timothy B. Blackstone, Bronze entrance doors, paintings in the dome, reading room, stair case and lecture hall and a short historical sketch of the library.

Several nephews and nieces and grand-nephews and grand-nieces survive, including Paul P. Ives, Mrs. Hope Ives Collins and Mrs. Eugenia I. Stannard of New Haven and Mrs. John C. Barnes of Branford; Donald I. Higley, of Branford, and C. P. Ives, Mrs. Jack W. Schaefer, Frances I. Whitteman, Angelina Collins and Mrs. Robert Phillips of New Haven.

Riverside News

Riverside Fire Department responded to an alarm early Sunday evening to extinguish a fire in Booth's Garage, Hilton Cliff, believed to have been of incendiary origin.

Only slight damage was done. Sometime ago the Robert Booth home burned and the garage has not been used for the past three years.

BEARERS were: Paul P. Ives, George W. Andrews, Charles Ives and Homer M. Griffin.

Legal Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Relief of the Town of Branford, Connecticut, will meet in the Town Hall in said town on Wednesday, February 1, 1939 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon to act upon appeals from the doings of Assessors and that the will meet by adjournment thereafter until they have completed said duties or until the last business day of February, 1939. Dated at Branford, Connecticut, the 16th day of January, 1939.

CHARLES S. AVERY, JOHN HENDRICKSON, G. IRVING FIELD Board of Relief

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.....

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all taxpayers liable for payment of the Old Age Assistance Tax (all persons between the ages of 21 and 60 years inclusive) that the tax on the enrollment of 1938 will be due and payable on February 1, 1939 A penalty of \$1.00 will be added to each person's tax which is not paid within 30 days after the due date.

I will be at the Town Hall in Branford each day except on legal holidays, (February 22) from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. and on Saturdays from 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 Noon: on February 16 and 23 I will be at Falne's Store in Stony Creek. D. F. DALY, Collector of the Old Age Assistance Tax.

PERSONALITIES

by S. FAYETTE CARTLEDGE

KELSEY'S OFFERS IN BUILDING AID

Having conducted his own enterprise for the past 45 years and attained a wide recognition as one who is thoroughly dependable for service and satisfaction, O. C. Kelsey, of Linden Point Road, Stony Creek, enjoys the deserved esteem of a large clientele. Mr. Kelsey offers the highest-calibre service in the building and contracting line. He gives person-

al attention to every job undertaken and sees it through to the full and proper completion. No matter what the size of the task, he exercises his entire expert abilities to achieve the best results. There are 35 capable workers on his staff and the efficiency is kept at the top level of successful coverage.

This expert handles the complete line of best-grade building supplies and makes prompt fulfillment of every order the policy.

Important Notice to all Persons Owning Property in the Town of Branford

At a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, held in conjunction with the selectmen, the question of the law relating to fire hazards was thoroughly discussed and it appeared that due to the fact that the town of Branford has no building code that there was a general misunderstanding in town as to how the general statutes applied to the various types of buildings. It was decided that the laws relating to fire hazards be collected, and that public notice be given as to how such laws apply. The following is a summary of the laws relating to fire hazards applying to various types of buildings. Notice is also given that the fire marshal of the Town of Branford or his deputy, is now authorized to enter any premises for the purpose of making inspection to determine whether or not the law is being complied with, and if he finds that it is not, it is necessary for him to make formal complaint to the prosecuting authorities. If any person is uncertain as to whether or not the statutes apply to property owned by him, he is advised to consult with the fire marshal, who will gladly co-operate in having said property put in safe condition.

Section 2613 of the General Statutes, Revision of 1930 provides that "Each story above the first story of a building used as a schoolhouse, orphan asylum, insane asylum, reformatory, opera house, hall for public assemblies, hotel, boarding or lodging house, accommodating more than 12 persons or tenement house, occupied by more than two families, or a workshop, manufactory, or store in which more than 10 persons are employed above the first story, or of a building used in any way not named above, but which has a similar need of such protection, shall be provided with more than one way of egress by stairways on the inside or fire escapes on the outside of such building. Such stairway and fire escapes shall be so constructed in such manner of such size and in such location as to give in the opinion of the officer charged with the enforcement of this section, safe adequate and convenient means of exit in view of the number of persons who shall need to use such stairway or fire escape, shall at all times be kept free from obstruction and shall be accessible from each room in each story above the first story. A ladder affixed to any of the premises here-in described shall not be considered a fire escape within the meaning of sections 2614 and 2615 (i. e. 2614 relates to factories, and section 2615 provides that if any building specified in section 2613 or any workshop, manufactory, boarding house, tenement house or other building used in whole or in part for any of the purposes therein specified shall be more than 3 stories in height, or, if more than 6 persons shall be employed above the 3rd story in any other building, such building shall be provided with at least one fire escape of iron or other incombustible material on the outside of such building, and if such building shall be more than 150 feet in length it shall be provided with one such fire escape for each 150 feet or fractional part thereof exceeding fifty feet, and such fire escape shall be conveniently accessible from each story of such building, and if such building shall be a tenement house, the fire escape shall be directly accessible from each apartment without passing through any public hall.

Any hotel or other building connected therewith which shall be more than 2 stories in height and shall contain sleeping accommodations for more than 10 persons shall be provided with one such fire escape for each 150 running feet or fractional part thereof exceeding fifty feet in the perimeter of such hotel or other building.

Section 2308 provides for the investigation of every fire by the local fire marshal and also provides that whenever a local fire marshal shall have reason to believe that there exists in any building or upon any premises combustible materials or inflammable conditions dangerous to the safety of such building or premises he shall forthwith notify the Commissioner (of State Police) of all facts pertaining thereto.

Section 2598 provides that no owner, proprietor, manager or agent of any theater, concert or music hall or assembly hall, or of building, auditorium or rooms used for public gatherings, shall permit any person to occupy any aisle in any such theater, concert hall, music hall, assembly hall or other building used for such purpose or permit any person to occupy the back or sides or any such building or room used as aforesaid to such an extent as to prevent the free and unobstructed passage to and from the entrance to any aisle or any of the exits in such place.

Section 2599 provides that each theater, nickette, school house, or hall, except a town hall, in which people commonly assemble in larger numbers than 100 shall be provided with one or more exits, each exit consisting of a door so hung as to open outward and in case any passageway from such theater etc., to such exit shall contain one or more doors, each door shall be so hung as to open outward.

Dated at Branford this 16th day of January 1939.

GURDON BRADLEY, JOHN S. ROGERS, F. R. WILLIAMS,

Board of Selectmen

THE MOVIE GUYED

HOT TIP FOR THE WEEK:

The long-awaited "Jessie James", which was two years in the making, received a wildly enthusiastic welcome at Loews Poll for the past week, so great that it is held over for a second big week at Loew's Poll College for another week. Although Hollywood has frequently spent as much as two years in producing a movie, never before have the fruits of their labor been so apparent as they are in "Jesse James". It is undoubtedly Zanuck's greatest production, and that tribute, paid to the man who gave us "In Old Chicago" and "Alexander's Ragtime Band," is considered praise indeed.

Old timers of the Ozark mountains region of Missouri told Henry King, director of the picture an amusing story during the filming of the picture.

They said that a posse of 15 men set out to capture the outlaw and his brother, Frank, who were staying with their mother. While discussing the exploits of the brothers on the way up they decided they had better return to town and get a few more men. They were only

15 against 2 and the odds weren't sufficiently in their favor.

Director Henry King still doesn't believe it! Miss Claire Du Brey arrived in Pineville, Missouri, early one morning, acted one scene with John Carradine, motored over to Kansas City and arrived by plane in Hollywood that very night.

But she did, and the other members of the cast refer to her now as "Miss Mercury."

Dennis O'Keefe walked into the MGM studios to make a test for a bit part. Instead, he found he had been catapulted into one of the most important leads of the year and was hailed as Hollywood's newest discovery in romantic leading men.

The how and why of this are interesting. The young actor, son of a famous vaudeville star, played a bit in "Saraboga", and Clark Gable and Director Jack Conway noticed him. They called the attention of studio executives to him and Dennis was given a test, then placed in stock.

Harry Rapp was looking for a leading man with Wallace Beery and Virginia Bruce in the epic of pioneer days, "Bad Man of Brimstone," and couldn't find the right combination of virility, dramatic acting and romantic appeal. When he went with Pete Smith to view one of the latter's shorts in a studio projection room, O'Keefe's test happened to be running. "That's my man", decreed Rapp. Which was how, next morning, Dennis O'Keefe discovered that he was a discovery. See You in the Movies..... Your MOVIE GUYED.....

Fred Wolfe, proprietor of the Quality Food Shop in Main Street, East Haven was elected president of the East Haven Business and Professional Mens Association at the annual meeting held Monday evening in the town hall. Dr. Frank H. Igo, who is secretary of the East Haven Fathers' Club was elected vice president; Frank Messina was chosen as secretary; and George Sisson, treasurer.

The association will hold a luncheon meeting next Monday noon. Mrs. Paul MacLean, of Averill Place has been ill for the past three weeks.

Capitol Theatre

81 Main St., East Haven

Mon., Tues., Jan. 29-30-31

"BARMARINE PATROL" WITH Edward Greene, Naney Kelly

Also "Benny, Joan Bennett in 'ARTISTS AND MODELS ABROAD'"

Wed., Thurs.—Feb. 1-2

"The LADY OBJECTS" with Lanny Ross, Gloria Stuart

Also "The Jones Family in 'DOWN on the FARM'"

Fri., Sat.—Feb. 3-4

"HEART of the NORTH" ALSO "SPRING MADNESS"

Maureen O'Sullivan, Lew Ayres PLAY HONEY SATURDAY NITE

Pequot Theatre

Fri., Sat.—Jan. 27-28

Jane Withers in "ALWAYS in TROUBLE"

Also "PRIDE of the WEST" with William Boyd

Sun., Mon., Tues., Jan. 29-30-31

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