

Thousand Miles of Trails Await U. S. Skiers In Canada's Laurentians and Lac Beauport Areas



The Laurentians area is rapidly reaching throughout the winter by special snow trains from Montreal over the Canadian Pacific Railway.

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EAST HAVEN

RACHELA G. QUATTARO Funeral services for Rachela Gambardella Quattaro of 54 Prospect place extension, East Haven, will be held Friday morning.

College Notes

Genevieve Stephenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Stephenson, 22 Sidney St., East Haven, a sophomore at Bates College,

Deputy Great Pocahontas Helen Tryon of Minnoka College, West Haven, and her staff installed the following newly elected officers of Navajo Council, Degree of Pocahontas, last evening in Pythian Hall.

The East Haven Red Cross Roll committee, has called a meeting of all canvassers for the coming Red Cross Drive, beginning February 17.

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Assessors and members of the Board of Tax Review have been notified of a meeting for Assessors Monday, Jan. 27 at 2:00 P. M. in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

William Osborne, general manager of the Tuttle-School, P. T. A., "Star Step-Club" which will be presented in the High School auditorium on Wednesday, February 19.

Advertisement for Johnson's Old Fashioned 85c Chicken Pie 85c Dinner, with a picture of the pie.

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Attendance List

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Large advertisement for First National Super Markets featuring a 'January Canned Fruit and Vegetable Sale' and various food products like corn, peas, tomatoes, pears, pineapples, and eggs.

120 Marriages

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- 20—John Thomas Shea, Adelade Margaret Honold
21—Richard Andrew Jackson, Rosalind Jane Bowden
22—John Anthony Zaffino, Katherine Barbara Stiglia

24—Mildred Herth to Frank Bogacki

- 27—Tetta Dallas to Ralph Carmine Cavallaro
27—Rose Marjorie Moran to Alfred Howard Superior
27—Rose Elizabeth Van Egghen to Robert Francis Hardenburgh

JULY

- 2—Florence Agnes Francis to Salvatore Joseph Aceto
2—Mavis Wilfred Barnes to Oscar Joseph Messing

AUGUST

- 3—Jane Anne Desiderio to Armando Ernest Manita
5—Helen Ruth Stappius to LeRoy Scott Reynolds

SEPTEMBER

- 2—Veronica Magdalen Tamulevich to Sam Cipriani
5—Susan Elizabeth Dederzyński to Nicholas James DeCilla

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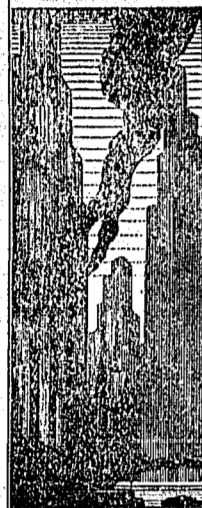
OUR DEMOCRACY—by Mat

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SHORT BEACH

ST. ELIZABETH'S PARISH Fr. William O'Brien Sunday School at 10.45 a. m. Confessions—4.00 p. m. Saturday preceding first Sunday Sunday Mass at 10 A. M.

UNION CHAPEL

Sunday, January 28; 11 A. M. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. E. C. Carpenter. Topic: Being Careful for the Most Needful and Necessary Things. Anthem by the Choir. 9:45 A. M. Sunday School. George Brown, Superintendent. Lesson Topic: Christ's Concern for the Lost: Why Christ Seeks Me. Friday, January 24, 8 P. M. Choir Rehearsal. Sunday, February 2; Communion at close of sermon. Thursday, February 6, Public Social by Chapel Workers. Howard Gebel, Westwood Road, who is with the Branford Battery at Camp Edwards was home for the week-end.

Walter J. McCarthy and James Sullivan are among those on the sick list.

MEETING ON ZONING The Community was invited to the firehouse Friday evening for a meeting to discuss zoning in Branford. It is the purpose of these group gatherings to explain zoning and to report back to the main committee any pertinent comments or suggestions. It will then be up to the zoning committee to consider submitting an ordinance for the approval of a special town meeting. Mrs. C. Haskell Bush has closed her school this week because of illness. A regular meeting of the Short Beach Hose, Hook and Ladder Co. will be held Friday evening. After the business the entertainment committee will serve refreshments. The Short Beach Sunshine So-

What Nots BY GITA ROUND

Associated Business worried about location of bus stops when trolleys are discontinued. Suggest they turn into Montowese Street. Elmer Tyler, Jr., of Pine Orchard Road in Miami, Fla. Will take plane to Havana. Students cram for mid-years.

Charles Gell, Jr., convalescing after an appendectomy at New Haven Hospital.

Willis H. Pratt, Jr., rates a front page picture in latest Telephone Bulletin. James J. Sullivan, Short Beach, completes 15 years service with SNET Co. Margaret Halley, Jim's next door neighbor's picture is on page 7 with repair service clerks.

State report shows 1718 cases of influenza reported to Department of Health in Conn. for past week.

Old age assistance bills out. Tomlinson bridge opened for 9442 boats during year. We waited for most of them to pass! 7552 were power boats; 1475 barges and scows; 270 sloops and 107 schooners. Average—about one an hour.

District Deputy H. Holroyd and staff of Branford were installing officers in Southington Tuesday eve. at meeting of Knights of Pythias.

John R. Waters, Rogers Street, doing jury duty in Waterbury. Associated Business considering an old-fashioned spelling bee. Remember the one in the library several years ago? Mrs. Collins not only won the spelling honors but gave definitions of the words for full measure.

Trinity Men's Club to hear Harold D. Larrabee, chief torpedoman in the U. S. Navy speak at a supper meeting tonight in the parish house.

Branford Shared

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ed ravine near Wourne.

Rest was interrupted when guns were set up in a depression 800 yards behind the front lines. Under camouflage the heaviest artillery will meet for a card party, Jan. 30 at the home of Mrs. Eric Swanson.

Legal Notice

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Tax Review of the Town of Branford, Connecticut, will meet in the Town Hall in said town on said town on Saturday, February 1, 1941, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon to act upon appeals from the doings of the Assessors and that they will meet by adjournment thereafter until they have completed said duties or until the last business day of February, 1941. Dated at Branford, Connecticut, the 18th day of January, 1941. G. IRVING FIELD HAROLD G. BALDWIN JOHN HENDRICKSON Board of Tax Review

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DISTRICT OF BRANFORD, SS. PROBATE COURT, January 18th, 1941. Estate of Lillian Hulsapple, late of Branford, in said District, deceased.

Upon the application of James J. Walworth, Executor on said estate praying that he may be empowered to sell and convey certain real estate belonging to said deceased as per application on file more fully appears, it is—

ORDERED—That said application be heard and determined at a Court of Probate to be held at Branford, in said District, on the 1st day of February, 1941, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that public notice of the pendency of said application, and of the time and place of the hearing thereon, be given by publishing this order one time in some newspaper having a circulation in said District, and by posting up a copy thereof on the public sign-post in the Town of Branford, in said District. EDWIN R. KELSEY, Judge

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 October 1, 1940 will be due and payable on February 1, 1941. 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. C. A. TERHUNE, Collector of the Old Age Assistance Tax 1-23,2-7-24

CAVALCADE OF AMERICA

Thomas Cooper

By Dr. Frank Monaghan Historical Consultant for Cavalcade of America



Thomas Cooper

FREEDOM of the press and freedom of speech are rights vitally necessary to guarantee the orderly operation of democratic institutions. They are justly and deeply cherished by Americans, for they have long been foundation stones of the American way of life. They were won and maintained by the exertions (even the sufferings) of many good and brave men. By and large, we have enjoyed these rights ever since they were written into the Federal Constitution. Several times, in the midst of grave emergencies, it has been necessary to modify them temporarily for the common safety. But once, in 1798, they were notoriously curbed and abridged without justification. It is in connection with this episode of the Alien and Sedition Acts, passed by the Federalist Party under John Adams, that we encounter one of the most interesting men in the long struggle for a free press in America, Thomas Cooper.

In 1798 the United States felt that war with France was imminent, and the dominant political party, the Federalists, took this hysteria as a fine opportunity to muzzle the political opponents by muzzling the press. The Sedition Act made it illegal for any reason to speak or spread "false, scandalous or malicious" writing against the government, the Congress or the President. Federalist judges interpreted this to mean that one could not poke even a little mild fun at governmental officers. It was one of the most healy and unresolvable measures ever enacted into law.

Cooper published a perfectly valid criticism of President Adams, and was prosecuted. After a long trial in 1800 he was found guilty and sentenced to six months in jail and a fine of four hundred dollars. The fine was paid and the six months were served. There was grave doubt about the constitutionality of the law under which he had been convicted. It expired by limitation and Cooper began the long fight to get Congress to admit that the legislation had been unwise and void. Year after year friends petitioned Congress to repay the fine with interest. Finally in 1850, fifty years after the trial and eleven after Cooper's death, Congress repaid his heirs. Cooper was dead, but he had won his fight for the freedom of the press.

lery fire of all time and the most sensational was maintained for seven hours.

The troops started down a rough woody road where guns had to be carried by hand most of the time. This was about 8 o'clock in the evening of the 12th of September. There was sound of occasional vehicles somewhere across rain-drenched woods. Preliminary bombardment had commenced at midnight the previous day and was steady. Sergeant John Coolac was in command. Later, position was changed to a roadside situation on a bluff.

Arriving at Vignoulles off schedule—too early, the First Division Airman mistook them for enemy and bombed them wounding 30. But the real enemy was soon fleeing from the Nutmeg scrappers. They liked in mud, they quartered in dugouts and were shelled out and moved into Verdun. Four days later found them in engagements at Meuse and there they stayed until Sept. 11 1918.

The Battery returned to the States in April of the following year after final ceremonies in France being discharged on the 28th.

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Stony Creek

by Jean Altermatt

Patricia Ricotti is reported ill in the St. Raphael's Hospital

Roland Magee, who fell last week and broke his left arm is doing nicely.

The Women's auxiliary of Christ's Church will hold a meeting Thursday afternoon at the church. The music for Sunday at the Chapel will be Anthem.

The greatest of These in Love by Jacobs. Offertory sung by Miss Lois Hounce. "God is a spirit," by Scott.

The friends of Lester Hill will be

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glad to know he is recovering from a La Grippe.

The P. T. A. is planning a Public card party for February 11th, to be held in the Stony Creek School.

Marietta Ablondi is ill with La Grippe.

A meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Beatrice Kelsey at 2 o'clock Saturday for Red Cross Work.

Any News will be appreciated by Jean Altermatt. Phone 205-4.

Mike Palma has returned to work after a 15 week lay off.

Mrs. James Aceto is a hospital patient.

Sorry to learn that Harold Brainard is ill.

Rene Nimphi is confined to her home by grippe.

Mrs. George R. Adams, Indian Neck has returned home from New Haven Hospital.

Personals

Mrs. Burton Shepard left this week for Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson have returned from a southern trip.

Elizur R. Monroe, Bradley Street is in Chicago, Ill. the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William George.

First Lieut. Ralph Cavallaro, D. D.S. has been assigned to the Dental Corps for duty with Company G.

He replaces First Lieut. William A. Rosenfeld of New Haven who has transferred to inactive duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. Reinke of 883 Quinnipiac Avenue, New Haven, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane, to Mr. Robert Lee Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Johnson of Taylor Avenue, East Haven.

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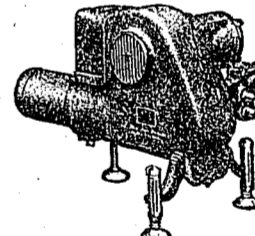
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