

Gartland Announces Candidacy For DEM Congress Nomination

James F. Gartland, Democratic Town Chairman, today openly tossed his hat into the ring as a contender for the Democratic nomination for Congressman from the Third District.

His announcement followed a declaration by Borough Warden John A. McGuire in Wallingford last Saturday that he would seek to run again for the seat he held in Congress. He served two terms until he was defeated in 1952 by the present incumbent, Republican Congressman Albert Cretella.

Gartland who is state central committeeman for the 12th state senatorial district had previously announced his "interest" in the nomination but this was his first forthright declaration. He told the NEWS yesterday that the "contest" was now "clear" and that his personal and business considerations were squared away to make it possible for him to be an active candidate.

Reports Favorable Reaction
The local Democratic chieftain said that he made an "overall survey" of the district and had sounded out numerous party leaders on the idea of his candidacy. He reported a "very favorable reaction" to his "feelings" and announced that he was "encouraged by what I see."

It would appear that only two candidates have thus far announced their willingness to pursue the Democratic nomination. It is very likely that the Democratic nominee, whoever he is, will have Cretella, who has already given signs of wanting to run again, as an opponent.

Other possible candidates, including Mark Barberio, New Haven Tax collector who might be able to command a sizeable block of votes in the New Haven delegation, have been "mentioned."

Democrats in the state are hopeful of carrying most if not all of the six congressional seats this year. Without the "magic" of the Eisenhower name, candidates are likely to find tougher sledding this year. In the Eisenhower sweep of two years ago, Cretella carried the third district by a plurality of 11,610 votes. He polled 111,018 against McGuire's 99,408.

Has Committee Backing
Gartland enters the race with the full and unanimous blessing of the entire executive and full Democratic Town Committee. It is possible that he is the first East Haven man in recent times to seek a national office.

He has been town chairman of the local party since 1945 and served as a town prosecutor for one term from 1949 to 1951. He has served as state central committeeman for this district since July, 1951.

The local candidate, who is 42 years of age, is married to the former Florence Blake, of New Haven. They live at 126 Hughes St. with their three children: James, 9; Paty Lou, 7; and Michael, 3.

The holder of a bachelor of laws degree from Hartford College of Law (now part of the University of Connecticut) Gartland is claims manager for the New Haven County office of the U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Company.

Gartland was born in New Haven in 1912 the son of Mary Agnes and the late Hugh J. Gartland, former superintendent of charities in New Haven. His mother now resides in East Haven. He was educated in the city attending the Hartland prep course at New Haven High School. In 1937 he was graduated "cum laude" with a B. A. degree in pre-legal study and history from Catholic University in Washington. He next attended Cornell University where he did a year's graduate work from 1938 to 1939 after which he entered the Hartford College of Law and received his law degree in 1941. While at Hartford he taught legal bibliography. He reports that while there he "instituted the moot court system" (for practising on trial cases).

Request For Exec. Minutes Left On Table

The Board of Education took no action Friday on a prior request by the EAST HAVEN NEWS for permission to view minutes of executive sessions. Action was deferred for further study of the request.

A letter was read from Editor Jonathan Czar reminding the board that it had taken no action on his request. Miss Elizabeth Chapkovich, upon whose motion the request had been tabled at an earlier meeting this month, said that she did not wish to rescind my original motion (of tabling).

The majority board member said that the board had not had a chance to consider the matter because of other business. She said that plans were to have the board "as a whole" to consider the matter before making any decision.

In submitting his request, the editor of the NEWS explained that he was interested only in that material in the executive minutes which was not of a confidential and personal nature.

Although he had offered to explain his request, he was not invited to do so at either of the board meetings this month.

Local Democrats To Attend Dinner For Sher. Redding

A large delegation of East Haven Democrats and their wives will attend a testimonial dinner for High Sheriff James P. Redding, of New Haven, Monday evening in the Waverly Inn, Cheshire. The delegation will be headed by First Selectman Frank S. Clancy and Town Chairman James F. Gartland.

Abraham Ribicoff, former U. S. Congressman, will be the guest speaker at the dinner. A special bus will be available for all interested persons, and it is scheduled to leave from in front of the East Haven Green Garage at 6 p.m.

Some 400 local persons have indicated their plans to attend, according to Chairman Gartland. The dinner is being given by Democrats throughout New Haven County.

Revision Of State Constitution To Be Discussed

Revising Connecticut's Constitution will be discussed at the East Shore Unit meeting of the League of Women Voters next Tuesday evening at 8:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Charles Nichols, 11 Carol Drive, Foxon.

Mrs. Robert Cecil will lead the discussion, evaluating our system of representation, nominating procedure, with special emphasis on the executive and judiciary departments.

Revision of the State Constitution through a Constitutional Convention is one of the items on the 1953-55 agenda of the Connecticut State League. Four workshops on the State Constitution have been held this year in the Hamden Community Center.

Representatives throughout the state, including Mrs. Robert Cecil, attended each session.

George D. Braden, town attorney of Plainville and former professor of Constitutional Law at Yale University, spoke before a League general membership meeting recently on the need for a revised constitution.

Members attending the discussion units will be asked to come to general conclusions about changes they would like to see in a revised constitution so that delegates can represent the membership at a Mock Constitutional Convention to be sponsored by the Connecticut League of Women Voters on May 18 in Trinity College, Hartford.

East Haven Nursing Assoc. Meets
The regular monthly meeting of the Public Health Nursing Association of East Haven will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Town Hall.



Lawrence Moore, architect of Technical Planning Associates of New Haven (left) and Charles Miller, chairman of the Planning and Zoning Commission, go over a preliminary "plan-map" of East Haven. Moore is in the process of preparing a revised "plan-map" (general platting of town areas for rezoning) for the entire portion north of the railroad tracks. This, together with a descriptive report, is to be presented to the public for its study and reaction some time within the next few weeks. If satisfactory to the general public, the plan will be implemented with a detailed plan of revised zoning as part of a pilot plan being prepared for the Town. The picture was taken at a meeting last week.

Proposes Law Protect Cops From Personal Liability

A proposed ordinance to protect Town policemen from incurring personal liability for damage to persons or property while acting in the performance of duty was introduced this week by Robert M. Taylor, Jr., prosecutor in the Town Court.

The proposed ordinance, which would have the Town assume the costs of such liability, was submitted to First Selectman Frank S. Clancy. It is scheduled on a statute passed at the last session of the General Assembly.

In submitting his proposed ordinance for the consideration of the First Selectman, Taylor stated that he had been approached by several members of the local police force asking for assistance in securing the passage of such an ordinance. The town prosecutor invited "any comments you might have on either the proposed ordinance or the need for it" and requested a reply to his letter.

Free Police of Worry
The general feeling on the proposed ordinance is that it would free individual police officers from worry over personal involvement and liability in the performance of their duty. The proposed law specifies that "the Town of East Haven, notwithstanding any inconsis-

tent provision of law shall pay on behalf of any duly appointed policeman all sums which such duly appointed policeman shall become obligated to pay by reason of the liability imposed upon such duly appointed policeman by law for damages to person or property, provided (he) x x x was acting in performance of his duties and within the scope of his employment."

The same section (one) specifies that such protection will apply "provided" such occurrence, accident, injury or damage was not the result of any wilful or wanton act of such duly appointed policeman in the discharge of such duty. The proposed ordinance would provide that no action or proceeding could be undertaken against the Town or the policeman "unless at least thirty days" have elapsed since a claim has been presented to the town clerk.

It specifies further that action arising from claims must commence within one year of the date of the incident from which claim is made; and that notice of intention of action on such claim together with time and place of the incident must be filed with the town clerk within six months. (Continued On Page Two)



Edward Spencer, commander of Foxon Post 173, knocks on a door in quest of another member for his American Legion post. Reading his material for the "pitch" is Thomas Henry, of the post's membership committee. The campaign for new members closed yesterday, and Comdr. Spencer announces that the total membership is now in excess of 60.

Traffic Rerouted As Mansfield Rd. Bridge Is Fixed

Construction work began this week on the replacement of an old bridge on Mansfield Rd. crossing a creek near Shepherd's Grove. Traffic to Mansfield Grove must use the sole access by the Bartlett Bridge off the end of Cooley Beach Ave., First Selectman Frank S. Clancy said.

The construction work is being done by Town crews working in accordance with plans and specifications drawn up by the State Highway Department. The work will take an estimated two weeks, according to Clancy.

Commerce Chamber To Elect Five To Board Of Directors

Five new members of the board of directors of the East Haven Chamber of Commerce will be chosen at the group's annual meeting to be held Tuesday, April 13, at 6:30 p.m. in the Adam House.

Committee reports together with minutes for the past year are to be delivered. The board of directors may meet immediately after the meeting to select a new president for the coming year.

The Chamber is presently headed by Elwood Sebode, manager of Knudsen's Dairy Bar, who is completing a term of one year. Members of the 15-man board of directors whose terms are concluding next month are: John Kennedy, D. Charles Beauvois, Robert Schirmer, Dayton Weil, and Eric Curry.

According to the Chamber by-laws the board of directors must meet within 10 days after the annual meeting to elect officers. Candidates for the board of directors were selected by a nominating committee at a meeting held early last week. In addition to the slate of candidates which the committee will present, nominating committee at a meeting held on the floor at the annual meeting or by letter to President Sebode.

Garbage Law Question Is Deferred 'Til Fri.

A decision on whether or not to enact an ordinance prohibiting the bringing of garbage from outside areas has been postponed. It was revealed today. First Selectman Frank S. Clancy was reported to be hopeful that a decision may be reached at a meeting of the Board of Selectmen tomorrow evening.

The Town head said last week that he had hoped to have a decision on the matter by April first. He could not be reached directly for comment today because he was busy supervising the construction of a new bridge on Mansfield Rd., his secretary, Mrs. Mary Sabo, said.

Postponement of the decision was hinted yesterday after Frank Barker, minority selectman, reported, in answer to a query, that he had not been called in, so far, to sign the proposed ordinance. He said he thought the matter might be held up for Friday's meeting. Barker is in favor of passing the measure.

Finance Bd. To Meet With Committee Today On Teacher Salary "?"

Wage Proposal Was Not To Break Contract: Teachers

A proposal advanced by teacher representatives for a salary increase of \$300 for all teachers next year was "not an attempt to violate an existing salary agreement" the joint salary committee of teachers said this week in a letter to Bernard C. Luongo, secretary of the Board of Education.

The letter, copies of which were given to the newspapers, requested that in the interest of the "educational welfare of the town and for the future of its public school system" further conferences be held between the Joint Teachers' Salary Committee and the Board of Education.

The letter was signed by members of the teacher joint committee. It stressed the point that alteration of salaries for the present school year was a "matter of expediency forced by the scarcity of teachers and the higher salary rates being offered by almost all other communities in Connecticut."

In referring to his own recommendation of a \$300 increase which would have raised the Bachelor Degree minimum from \$2700 to \$3000 and the maximum from \$4500 to \$4800, the letter cited a Connecticut Education Association report reprinted in last week's issue of the EAST HAVEN NEWS stating that the going rate for B. A. teachers next year will be \$3,000 or more to start with maxima of \$5,000 or more.

Text of the teacher committee's letter follows:

Mr. Bernard Luongo, Secretary of the Board of Education, East Haven, Connecticut, Dear Sir:

In view of the possibility of questions having arisen in the public mind and in order to clarify any misunderstanding which may exist with regard to the problem of teachers salaries in East Haven at this time, the Joint Salary Committee of teachers feels called upon to transmit to the East Haven Board of Education and to make public, the following statement expressing the understandings and concerns of the East Haven teachers regarding the present situation.

(1) It is understood that the existing salary agreement be-

tween the teachers and the Board of Education has another year to run, expiring at the end of the 1954-55 school year, and that provision has been established for any changes to be brought about by a joint committee composed of representatives from the local teacher groups, the Board of Education and the Superintendent.

(2) Any contracts or conferences between the board of Education or its Committee on Schools, and the Joint Teachers' Salary Committee have resulted from a difficult teaching or hiring situation, and from a recognition on the part of both groups that the educational welfare of the boys and girls of East Haven has come to be in jeopardy. The proposal recently submitted to the Board by the Teachers' Committee for a salary increase for all teachers of \$300 for 1954-55, and the consequent raising of the Bachelor Degree minimum from \$2700 to \$3000 and the maximum from \$4500 to \$4800, was not an attempt to violate an existing salary agreement. It was rather a suggestion of the minimum salary scale which the teachers believed would be necessary at this time if East Haven is to compete in the open market for teachers of average or superior quality.

Present East Haven teaching staff. The figures for comparable towns published in the EAST HAVEN NEWS of March 25 clearly indicate that the "going rate" for Bachelor Degree teachers in Connecticut next year will be \$3000 or more for starting salaries and \$5000 or more for the maximum.

(3) Any salary proposal, suggested by the Board of Education for the alteration of salaries for the school year 1954-55 is a matter of expediency forced by the scarcity of teachers and the higher salary rates being offered by almost all other communities (Continued On Page Two)

Meeting To Hash Out Entire Salary Budget

The committee on schools of the Board of Education was scheduled to meet with the Board of Finance at 7:30 for a joint study of the school board's recommendations for a general increase in teacher salaries.

Francis Walsh, chairman of the Board of Education and a member of the committee on schools, said that the entire matter of teacher salaries will be examined at the joint session. The aim of the meeting will be to arrive at a schedule of teacher salaries which will attract new teachers to East Haven and which will have the approval of the Board of Finance.

A meeting had been requested earlier this week, however, First Selectman Frank Clancy revealed yesterday that the meeting would be held tonight.

Miss Elizabeth Chapkovich, chairman of the committee on schools, was reported confined to her bed with a sore throat early this week. She would be at Chapkovich hoped she would be able to attend tonight's meeting.

Walsh said yesterday that the meeting would take place whether or not Miss Chapkovich could attend. He said that it would "go over the whole situation" with regard to teacher salaries. Presumably this would include a review of the teacher shortage together with a comparison of salary schedules offered by competing towns in this general area in the state.

The chairman of the Board of Education said that the committee would also seek to acquaint itself with the general procedure of the Board of Finance in approving this portion of the school budget. As a relatively new member of the school board Walsh said, he was not acquainted with how the Board of Finance handles this type of problem.

Walsh conceded that a conference would be conducted, in effect, with that portion of the educational budget dealing with teacher salaries.

Letter To School Board Expresses Dissatisfaction

Teacher dissatisfaction with a Board of Education recommendation for a salary schedule increase was expressed officially in a letter read Friday before the board. However, at least one point made in the letter was obsolete in view of board pronouncements issued since the letter was written on March 11.

The letter made three points: 1) the salary recommendation was not considered a solution to the problem of needed salary increases; 2) the board's action in recommending the increase was in violation of the teacher salary agreement requiring bilateral agreement for any changes in the schedule; 3) teachers disapproved any change which did not provide for equal treatment for all teaching personnel.

Since the letter was written, Francis Walsh, chairman of the Board of Education has stated in the press the board's recognition that its action was unilateral. Prior to the meeting, in last week's edition of the NEWS Walsh was reported as stating that the board would meet with the teachers in the future to get their consent to any recommended changes in salaries. He said he recognized the need for agreement on both sides before the present contract, a three-year agreement with one year to run, could be altered.

Hall Is Hated
However, the teachers' letter brought a heated reply from Harold Hall, minority member of the board, and a member of the committee studying the salary question. With respect to point two raising the question of the board's "violating" the working agreement by its one-sided action Hall said: "If we are guilty of breaking their contract by doubling the increment that these teachers would receive xxx I would like to see any judge con-

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Dramatization Of Christ's Life To Open Here Friday

Wilfred J. Rafter, of 23 Estelle Rd., will again take the leading role of "Christus" in the annual Passion Play of the Old Stone Church to be shown in the High School auditorium tomorrow, Saturday and Sunday. It will be his fourth appearance in this role.

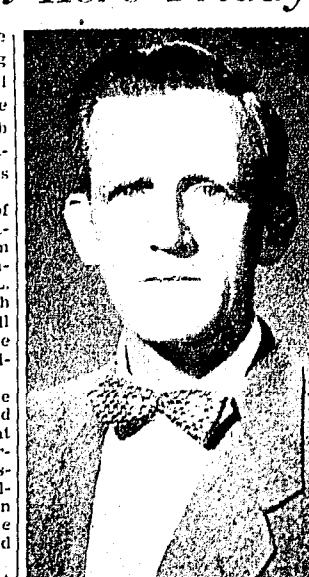
Rafter will head a large cast of more than 100 persons participating in the play, entitled "From Manager to Throne," which is under the supervision of Raymond L. Clarke. This will be the fifth year that the Lenten drama will be enacted by the Old Stone Drama Guild under Clarke's direction.

The drama, a portrayal of the life of Christ, will be performed tomorrow and Saturday night at 8:15 p.m. and on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. No admission will be charged, but a collection will be made to assist in the defraying of expenses. The general public is invited to attend the performances.

Lawrence Madison will be cast in the role of the traitor apostle, Judas. Others who will portray leading figures in the play include: Pauline Johns as Mary, Kenneth Simpson as Joseph, Seward Everts as Pilate, LeRoy Jordan as Simon Peter and Eleanor Johnson as Mary Magdalene.

Tonight a dress rehearsal will be staged in the school auditorium where the stage scenery has already been set up. Rehearsals have been held during the past few weeks. A 20-voice church choir has been practicing under the direction of Mrs. Florence Guthrie June, church organist. The choir will sing a special production.

Erving Stannard is in charge of make-up of the players who will wear costumes specially created for the play.



Wilfred J. Rafter

Clarke has directed the annual passion play at the Plymouth Church in Fair Haven for the 19 years previous to his taking over direction of the local play.

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Named President Of Rotary Club

Dr. Leonard Cianciolo, East Haven chiropractor, was elected president of the Rotary Club of East Haven at its annual meeting last Thursday. He succeeds Louis Mugglore.

Nathan Cohen was elected vice president; Peter Damen, sergeant-at-arms; George McManus, treasurer; and Paul Stevens, secretary.

Cancer Fund Solicitors Will Carry Identification Cards

For the Cancer Campaign Drive was held on Tuesday evening at the East Haven Town Hall.

Chairman Thomas Webster distributed canvassing material to captains of the various districts. Webster issued a word of caution to townspeople that every authentic solicitor will carry a card authorizing him to canvass for funds. The card will bear Webster's signature and will be used for identification purposes. A receipt will be given for every contribution. The card will be returned to local cancer headquarters for recording on a card file.

In issuing instructions to the volunteers, Webster emphasized, "We would like to contact every family in every home. We want to hit every person, every family that lives in the Town of East Haven. We have other spots in this town of \$3000 if every family contributes \$1. I am sure we will exceed our \$2200 quota."

He reminded the house-to-house collectors that all professional and business people will be contacted separately from the general canvass.

Chairman Spauldine, William Jaspers, chairman of the New Haven Cancer Campaign Drive, spoke briefly, stating he enjoyed a "dual role" since as a resident of East Haven, he hoped the local campaign would be successful.

Cancer Society makes no rash statements, raises no false hopes. She revealed that only a small portion of personnel, working for the Cancer Society receive remuneration for their services, most of them contributing services far in excess of their salaries for the "work" and the satisfaction they receive in helping others.

In answer to a question from the audience, Mrs. Johnson stated that there will be no general drive in New Haven factories and business places. The Fund Campaign will depend on contributions from the home. She also revealed that the Cancer Campaign is conducted separately from the United Fund Campaign.

Webster announced two additional appointments. President Don Thomas and the East Haven Auxiliary. The Association will distribute card boxes to business establishments throughout the town. Mrs. John Walker has been named captain of the South End Morgan Point area.

An announcement was made of a film on Cancer, which will be shown at a meeting of Volunteer Fire Co. No. 1 Auxiliary on Monday evening at 8:30. Webster also stated that arrangements are being made to visit a Cancer Institute in East Haven which will study findings in cancer control which are being made in the future of the public school system.

Mrs. William Coyne, mother of Don 12, will bring a flag and prayer ceremony for the induction of Cub Scouts into Den 4 and 8. Assistant Cubmaster Donald Timpe will introduce the following new Cub Scouts: Stanley Osochowsky, Nick Colpa, Joseph Ferrarola, William Lewis, Michael Papagotis and Larry Papagotis.

Proposes Law On Statute Authorizing Municipalities To Undertake Such Liability

The ordinance is modeled closely on a Statute 210 authorizing municipalities to undertake such liability. The action in the General Assembly was spurred, it was reported, by a New Haven case where a policeman became the subject of a private suit as a result of an official action.

Participating schools will include Wilbur Cross and Hillhouse of New Haven and the high schools of West Haven and Hamden.

The local glue club is under the direction of Mrs. John Strandberg, of the High School Street.

Cost Accountants Hear Western Electric Controller

Members of the New Haven Chapter National Association of Cost Accountants heard an address by Carl L. Lindquist, Comptroller of Telephone Organization, Western Electric Company Tuesday evening, at the Seven Cablers Towne House.

Joseph J. Hart, president of New Haven Chapter introduced the speaker. Lindquist spoke on "Office Cost Can Be Controlled." He suggested that office costs can be analyzed, and anticipated just as effectively as factory costs.

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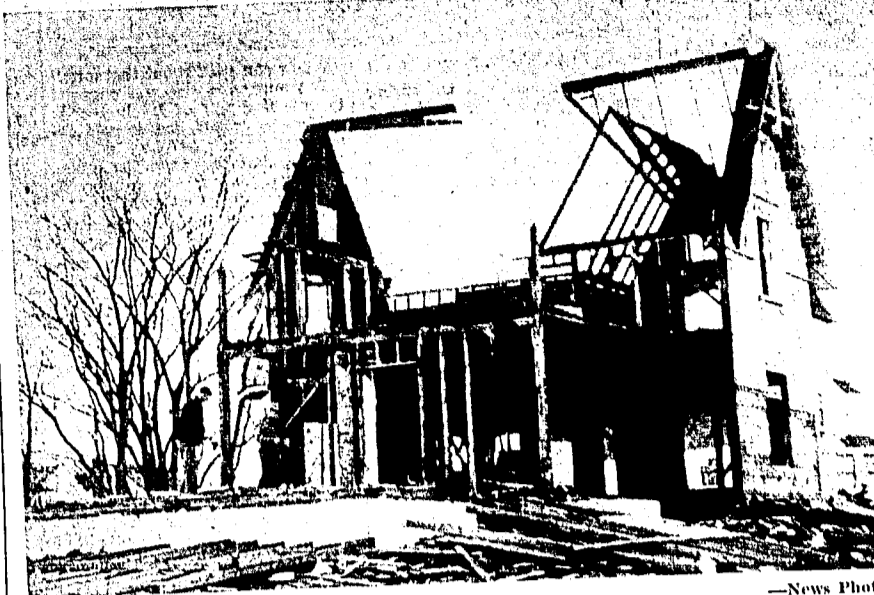
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Women GOP Hold Rummage Sale In Offices Thurs.

Final plans for a rummage sale at the club's meeting last Thursday, sponsored by the East Haven Women's Republican Club were made today. The sale will be conducted at headquarters at 10 High St. between 9 a.m. and 12 p.m.

The committee in charge consists of: Mrs. Thomas Webster, and Mrs. Edward Kronher, Mrs. Arthur J. Gustafson, Mrs. Vincent J. Fasano, Mrs. Charles DeWitt, Mrs. Raymond Moore, Mrs. Vincent E. Cusano, Jr., and Miss Alice Conway.

Articles for the sale may be left at the headquarters next Wednesday evening.

School Board To Be Represented At State Conference April 7

In order that representatives might be sent to a conference of the Connecticut Association of Boards of Education on April 7, the local Board of Education has advanced its next regular meeting date to Wednesday, April 7.

The conference will be held at the University of Connecticut in Storrs. Mrs. John Sullivan and another member of the board together with Supt. R. Vernon Hays are expected to attend.

The school board has also scheduled a meeting with the Park Commission on April 5. The committee on school and supply plans have been invited to attend the session which will deal with plans to use school facilities for recreation.

Strike back at cancer which takes a life, every two and one-third minutes. Support the American Cancer Society Crusade.

Mrs. Hlatch has attended New Haven State Teachers College. She has taught in the Lincoln-Lewis School in Southington.

Resignations

The resignations, effective next June 30, were submitted and accepted by the Board of Education. Names of the teachers, but in the absence of approval by the board, the names of the resigning teachers are withheld from publication.

However the first resignation, that of Mrs. Margaret Kottage, a teacher in Grade 5 at Highland School, was accepted on Wednesday. Mrs. Kottage has a long teaching experience, amounting to a total of 18 years. Mrs. Kottage is now receiving \$3,150 per year. Miss Jane Brown, March 20, Foxon Grade 1-2, to be married. Mrs. Doris Carlson, March 24, Quill Grade 1, to return to San Francisco with her husband. Miss Charity Swigg, March 9, High School Grade 9, to be married.

Mrs. Fionella graduated from Hillhouse High School and attended the New Haven State Teachers College, a summer session at Yale University and Stone's Business College. She taught in the Washington and Woodward grammar schools in New Haven and instructed in commercial subjects at Wilbur Cross High School, Fair Haven.

Adm. Re-Study

Supt. R. Vernon Hays asked the board to re-study an old regulation which, he said, in 1941 placed "punished" teachers who leave the marked an end of the meeting.

Plan 'Clinic' For Dem. Registrars In 12th Sen. Dist.

A "clinic" for recently-elected Democratic registrars in the 12th Senatorial District aimed at coordinating party campaign activities in the district was established at a meeting earlier this month. Town Chairman James F. Gardland announced this week.

The town chairman said that it was possible that the first of the regular monthly meetings of the "clinic" will be held in East Haven on Saturday, April 10. John Smeal, local registrar, will head the clinic.

The "clinic" is aimed at better acquainting registrars with their duties and functions and to help them in registration work. Gardland said. He said he hoped to have Thomas Keyes, New Haven registrar, attend the meeting next month.

The district includes the towns of East Haven, Branford, Hamden, North Haven, North Branford, Wallingford, Madison and Guilford.

Henry Luzzi And Betty De Palma Head Junior Prom

Henry Luzzi and Miss Elizabeth DePalma were named co-chairmen of the annual Junior Class Prom of the High School. The annual dance will be held at the Lawn Club in New Haven on Friday evening, May 31.

The Spring Fantasy will be the prom theme. The Rotary Club of East Haven will hold its second Junior Jamboree immediately following the dance.

A Junior Prom Preview in the form of a fashion show will be held at 11 a.m. next Wednesday in the High School auditorium. Boys and girls of the Junior class will model gowns and tuxedos.

New 8-Cent Stamp To Be "Introduced"

The Post Office Department will introduce its first regular 8-cent United States stamp bearing the motto "In God We Trust" and depicting the Statue of Liberty. The stamp is being introduced to a nation-wide television and radio audience on Thursday, April 8, 1954 in a program emanating from the Postmaster General's office.

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No Time to Fight

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Interest in Planning Needed

East Haven may have missed the boat on industrial development that has been going on in other parts of the state...

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Thanked For Aid In Fighting Grass Fire

A letter of thanks together with a gift of \$100 for the local fire department to use in any way it wished was sent recently by Frank J. Callahan...

EH Rod & Gun Club Directors To Meet

The board of directors of the East Haven Rod and Gun Club, Inc., will meet in the home of Mrs. William Gelin...

Columbiettes Plan Dessert Bridge For Monday, April 26

A dessert bridge is being planned by the Columbiettes of the Knights of Columbus auxiliary...

"Mind Of Christ" Sermon Topic At Old Stone Church

The topic "Have the Mind of Christ" has been chosen for the sermon to be delivered Sunday...

Momauquin Baby breezes! Many motorists visiting shore over weekend.

Congratulations to our engaged couples whose announcements were made recently: Mrs. William Hasse, Jr. and Mrs. Wilfred Ford of 195 Cove Avenue...

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Foxon Legion Post Completes Drive For New Members

A "successful" conclusion of a recent membership drive conducted by Foxon Post 175, American Legion, was announced this week by Senior Vice Comdr. Eustachy Ruffino...

President Of Columbiettes

Transfer of the management of Florida's Restaurant at 274 Main St. to Umberto Tomello, of 340 Port Hill Rd. took place recently...

Santa In April?

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Second Fiddle Tunes

The Love Bug - No less attention in the spring-time is given to the matter of love than in the winter...

The girl had been trying with success to bring the young man to a declaration, so she finally decided to drop a hint...

A bit of proffered advice from an older man to a younger woman - "I can't say much more than I have already said, but this is the first time I'm not sure I've ever entered into it."

An opinion which is shared by many is that if a young couple spend too much time together for too long a time, they are bound to get bored...

A straight-laced old lady was annoyed by the amorous couple in front of her. She was unable to contain her annoyance...

It was another old lady, from the back country, who rarely comes to the big town...

Another was that, however limited the space for industrial buildings, this town now faces competition with other municipalities which desire of attracting tax-paying businesses...

One of our little folk-tales also was by the board. It now turns out the excitement of the New Haven Municipal Golf Course and other similar properties...

It is his considered opinion that no mistake has been made on both sides of this issue. First of all, the committee on schools did not explore the problem of salary needs as fully as it might have before drawing up its recommendations...

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A fashion show sponsored by the Bradford Manor Auxiliary for the benefit of the Knights of Columbus...

On Monday, 7:30 p.m., the quarterly meeting of the Women's Council will be held in the church parlor with Mrs. Donald Chidsey presiding...

On Tuesday, 10 a.m. the sewing group will meet in the fourth grade room in the Education Building...

On Wednesday, 11 a.m. the Adult Bible Class will meet in the main parlor. A sick lunch and fellowship hour will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

As April is the month for the Cancer Fund Drive, Momauquin will be represented by many volunteers to solicit funds for this worthy cause...

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The total membership of the post has now attained the figure of 62 members. The total membership of the post has now attained the figure of 62 members...

A film entitled, "Lord that I may see depicting the passion of Jesus Christ, will be shown in the Lady of Pompeii Church Hall, the Tuesday of Holy week...

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Topics

Nature play her own April Fool joke today with a light snowfall on the area. Despite the mild winters, snow in April is not so rare...

Put a temporary damper on local auto-owners who had been taking advantage of the warm weather to get their various errands in shape for the coming season...

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Wanted To Buy - WANTED TO BUY used bedroom sets, sewing machines, refrigerators, rugs, all household items. Phone LO 2-3374.

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Apartment? Tenants?

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Letter To School —

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vic of breaking the contract." "It seems to me a very arbitrary stand is being taken here xxx I think it's absurd," he concluded.

Mrs. John Sullivan, majority member, said of the letter: "They sound as if they misunderstood." She suggested that the board write a "business letter" explaining its position.

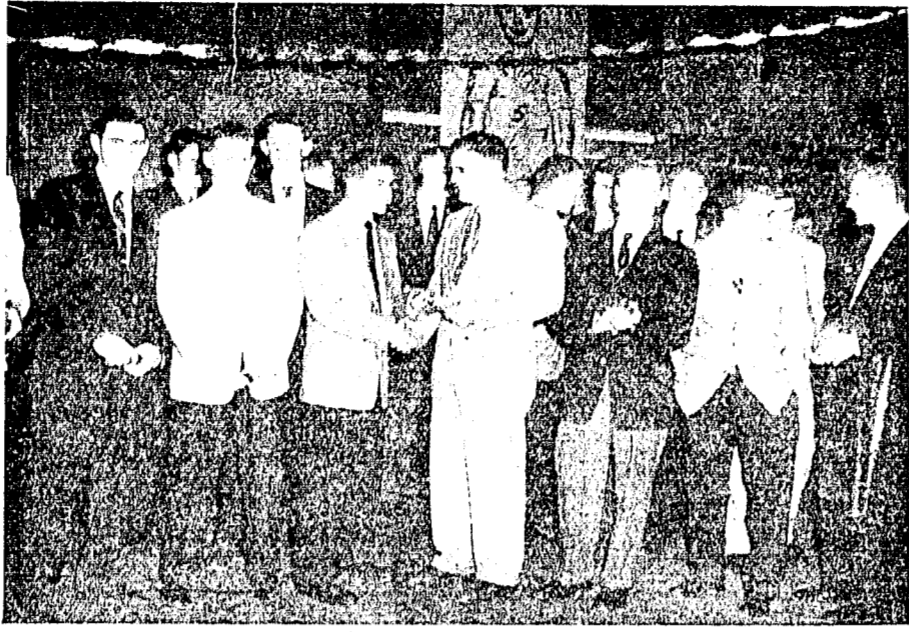
Chairman Walsh, speaking for the committee on buildings which handled the discussions on the salary question, reviewed the committee's position. The teachers had been told the board's recommendation for increases and that the Board of Education would go to the Board of Finance to discuss the matter. "We feel as a committee that we cannot sit down with the teachers until

we have something to offer," the local Education Association, and a member of the teacher committee handling the talks, said that the committee had been informed of the board's recommendation which in effect would double this coming year's increment. Since the committee could not speak for the teachers but merely relay this information back to them the two teacher unions did not get a chance to express their feelings before the school board went ahead and announced the recommendations.

The suitability of the recommendation and the "discrimination" between the two classes of teachers, i.e. those who are to get \$100, due to the recommended doubling of increments, were matters which had to be "ironed out."

Custodians' Request
Copies of a request by the custodian's union for a \$300 across

At Victory Cotillion



Couch Frank Crisafi is shown being presented with a wallet by Nick Vaisio as a gift of students of the High School at a "Victory Cotillion" held Saturday night in the school gym. Grouped around the two are members of the successful school basketball team. The team members were presented with miniature golden basketballs as tokens of admiration from their schoolmates. The occasion of the dance was the team's winning of the state and New England Class "A1" basketball crowns.

Redevelopm't Agency Gets 'Impetus' From Decision

A decision by the state's highest court declaring constitutional a state statute authorizing redevelopment projects has "given impetus" to the local Redevelopment Agency, according to D. Charles Beausoleil.

The director of the local agency said that the ruling would now make the agency eligible for the balance of a \$6,300 grant from the Federal government. Of this amount \$1,300 has already been received to complete a survey on the "feasibility and marketability" of the proposed Bradford Cove redevelopment project.

The additional money will be used to complete surveys and to pay for the administrative expenses incurred by the local agency, Beausoleil said. The next "stop" after the necessary surveys are completed and the required information has been submitted, is approval of the project by the federal government.

Once the approval is granted, and this will depend upon the case that the local agency can make, the next step will be to secure the approval of the Town.

However, before the reports are all in, it will be necessary for the Town itself, to complete a pilot plan and a sewer survey now being conducted. The New Haven firm of Technical Planning Associates estimates it will need until next summer to complete its "pilot plan."

The court's decision that the redevelopment statute is constitutional "has really given us the impetus to go ahead," the director said. Without it, the agency was never sure that it could not be strangled by legal contest.

The Gould Realty Company owns property in a two-block area in Hartford which was to be redeveloped by the Hartford Redevelopment Agency.

The company wanted answers to three questions. These were concerned with: 1. whether the redevelopment agency had power to acquire privately owned property. 2. whether it was constitutional to use public funds for redevelopment. 3. If it was an unlawful delegation of legislative power to permit a redevelopment agency to choose the purchasers or lessees of property in a redevelopment area and determine the price to be paid.

The court, in a unanimous opinion written by Chief Justice Ernest A. Inglis, answered yes to the first two questions and no to the

last. The Supreme Court of Errors ruled Monday that the Connecticut Redevelopment Law was constitutional. The statute permits cities and towns to condemn and rebuild slum areas.

Passed by the 1945 session of the General Assembly the law had been challenged by the Gould Realty Company of Hartford on the claim that it was unconstitutional and that it granted too much authority to local redevelopment agencies to condemn privately owned property.

The Supreme Court ruled that the General Assembly was acting within its constitutional limits when it granted local communities authority to rebuild their slum areas.

Under the State Redevelopment Law local redevelopment agencies are authorized to buy buildings in areas of sub-standard housing to have them demolished with a view to rebuilding streets and public utilities and then selling or leasing the land to private agencies for rebuilding.

In addition to Hartford and East Haven there are redevelopment agencies in New Haven, Shelton, Stamford, Norwalk, New London, Waterbury, Middletown, Norwich, Willimantic, and Bridgeport.

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Boys 13-15: Register For Babe Ruth League Sunday

"Registration Day" for all boys 13 to 15 years of age who are interested in playing in the East Shore Babe Ruth Baseball League will take place Sunday afternoon between 2 and 4 o'clock in the lower Town Hall.

All boys residing in East Haven, the Annex and Morris Cove are eligible. Each registrant must bring a \$2 fee to cover insurance protection. The League will handle all other foreseeable expenses, according to present plans. The insurance fee will be refunded to the registrants who do not succeed in qualifying for a place on one of the teams.

The young registrants are asked to use the Thompson Ave. entrance to the Town Hall.

All coaches, assistant coaches and team managers, as well as others interested in filling these posts are also asked to be present Sunday afternoon for a short meeting.

Try-outs April 24
Try-outs for the 13-year-old players will be held on Saturday, April 24 at Memorial Field, according to Frank Messina, league president. Similar try-outs will be held on succeeding Saturdays for the other age groups.

The four-team league will provide supervised recreation for boys in the East Shore area. A minor league will be operated for boys who do not qualify for the "major" league teams. Every effort will be made to assist youngsters to participate in this summer sports program.

To be eligible boys must be 13 years old before August 1 this year and not have attained their 16th birthday before that date.

Three East Haven business firms, Metcalf's Drug Store, Proto Bros. Service Station, and East Haven Cleaners will each sponsor a major league team. The Riverside Fire Department will sponsor a fourth.

Funds to assist in defraying the League expenses are now being solicited for the minor league. Many local business firms are displaying the Babe Ruth League emblem as sponsors of this activity. Contributions from the general public are invited and may be mailed to Frank Messina, League president, at his office at 328 Main St. in East Haven.

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The American Cancer Society Crusade goal this year is \$20,000,000.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Why do we need Social Security? This was one of the chief questions discussed Monday in the auditorium. The Future Business Leaders of America under the supervision of Miss Margaret Lowe presented a film sponsored by the Social Security.

After each showing of the film there was a discussion and question period. The following field representatives spoke to the groups: Nando J. Zamurech, John J. Egan, and Albert F. Ragozzino, Manager.

The movie showed the finer points of Social Security. It pointed out the advantages to all working people of having this insurance. Items such as pensions for retirement and death were discussed. In addition, it showed what an assortment of cases came before the Social Security operators from youngsters just filling out a card to oldsters collecting their payments.

Then the speaker brought out points that were not answered in the film. They also answered the questions of students.

"Fore!" In other words, watch out for the golf balls which may soon be flying. Under the direction of Mr. Mark Fiorello and Mrs. Joseph Whellon, our school will soon have a golf team. All this started April 1. Seems like our school is beginning to branch out into different activities, and we like it!

Guess what! Our own Terry Parlo was on "T.V." Monday morning. Ennis Lou Nelson of the show "The Yankee Peddler" had a chat with her. D.A.R. representatives from Branford, Hillhouse and Wilbur Cross were also honored. Heard you looked and spoke just right, Terry. Although you are already on the road to success, here's wishing you "good luck."

Orchids go to all who helped make the Victory Cotillion the wonderful success it was. The Varsity Club and the Comet Staff split the profits 75-25. The former received \$101.56 for their trophies and the latter received \$33.86 for their treasury.

Rehearsals for the Varsity Show are held Wednesday and Thursday nights. It looks like the show is really progressing.

"Mm, I'm stuffed," one of our basketball players announced. This Thursday the whole team was honored at a dinner by the Rotary Club.

Entertainment plus-is the only way to describe the assembly given by the University of Connecticut's band. Under the leadership of Mr. Andrew McMullan, the instrumentalists gave the students something to talk about.

The U-Conn. pupils were neatly clad in blue uniforms with gold buttons. The orchestra minus the string section blended together to produce an English and then an American March. This was to show the audience the contrast in style. A suite and symphony were also played.

When "Yankee Doodle" was played, the students all began to tap their toes. They really attracted our attention with the demonstration they put on. The band members showed us how the song, Swanee River", would be played in different parts of our country. They entertained us by putting on different styles of dress while they played the tune.

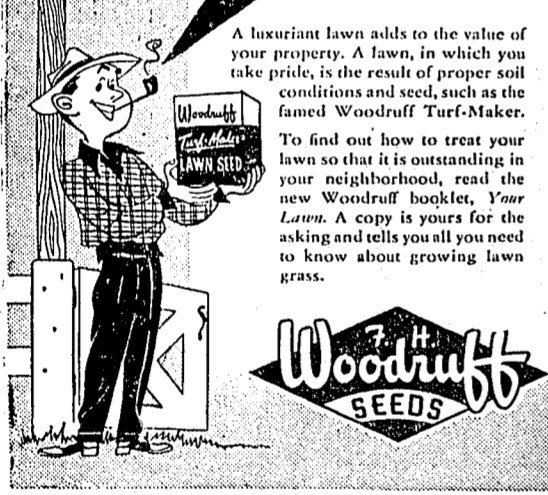
All in all, we had a very entertaining assembly.

"Yea Team!" Many people shouted this cry last night in our gymnasium. What took place? Why it was the annual fun night or the night basketball was played just for the fun of it. The men's faculty played the Varsity and the cheerleaders joined in a game with the top contending boys teams engaged in a serious battle for the crown. Laughter and shouts filled the gym and a good time was had by all.

A concert was held in Woolsey Hall tonight, under the supervision of Mrs. Strandberg. Those students who sang at Deep River participated in the program.

St. Vincent Ladies Guild To Meet Tues.
Due to Holy Week the regular meeting of St. Vincent de Paul's Ladies' Guild will be held one week earlier. The meeting will be held next Tuesday at 8 p. m. in the church auditorium. A social hour will follow the business meeting.

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High School Students Visit Officials At State Capitol

A group of 51 students at the High School recently traveled to Hartford where they were the guests of State Comptroller Fred R. Zeller and Republican Town Chairman Mathew Anastasio, assistant comptroller.

Members of Rooms 107 and 109, accompanied by their teacher, Mrs. William Delmar, and by Mrs. James Scarpace, representative of the High School P.T.A., made a tour of the state capitol building. There they were introduced to Governor John Lodge and to Mrs. Charlotte Miller, of East Haven, executive assistant to the Secretary of State.

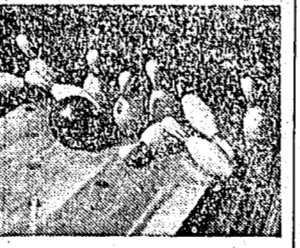
The party also visited the state library, the Supreme Court building, the state museum, the Wadsworth Atheneum and concluded their trip with a tour of the WTIC broadcasting facilities.

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