Crow

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him and made a cage for him. We fed him for several months until a neighbor complained that the bird was too noisy in the early morning hours—the crow working on the early bird theory, naturally.

"Now by this time the crow was eating out of our hands and we had become fond of him. He had even been christened. His full name is James B. Crow. The B. stands for Bourbon.) Yet, in deference to our neighbor's late sleeping habits, we decided to set James at liberty. But James knew a good thing when he had it. Instead of leaving us he took up residence in the tree nearest our good neighbor's bedroom window where he camped for several weeks. He still demanded to be fed and to this day he still shows up for his three squares a day. Not to mention his daily collections along the Post Road and vicinity.

"He became one of the family, accompanying us on walks in the park and helping with the chores in the garden. We became quite fond of him and rejoiced in many amiable traits of his character. He is intelligent, affectionate, companionable, endowed with a lively curiosity, and enterprising withal. He has dignity and poise, barely deigning to sidestep a passing car. He has a fine sense of humor and his comments are pithy and right to the point. But, and I state it with sadness, he is just not to be trusted. The bald and bitter truth is that our James is a thief!

"It was not so much his pulling out my wife's tulip pegs from his garden, or swiping the crocus and tulip bulbs as fast as she planted them. When he pulled all the putty from around the kitchen windows I put it down to a healthy curiosity. As for the scissors and odd tools and the toys he got from the children in Hall Street, well, boys will be boys. But last month, before I came South, while I was resting from a hard session with the lawn mower, I felt a tug at my hip pocket and there was James making off with my pocketbook. It had thirty bucks in it, too. Fortunately I snagged him before he took to the woods.

"Well, there it is. I hate to run one of my own family down. But there is no use trying to evade the dreary fact. Our Jimmy is an ordinary thief—and a pick-pocket at that! I am making this confession in order that those who may befriend him in the future may be forewarned. Our home will always be his home and we will always share a crust with him, but somehow it will never be the same. He has reverted to the bad repute of his ancestry.

"P.S. At the time of Mrs. Kearfott's letter, James was home in our cellar suffering from a bad case of indigestion. Crank case oil does not seem to agree with him."

Water

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drain while it is warming up. The cooler water you save can be heated on the stove."

Rod Murray, 122 Rockland Avenue, Mamaroneck: "We're doing everything we can. We've, of course, stopped washing the automobile and also, we're fixing all leaks."

Mrs. Daniel I. Browning, 148 Valley Stream Road East, Larchmont: "We'll use closet problem in our house is bathing. We bathe every other day now and the two boys bathe together. Also we're particularly careful about dripping faucets."

Mrs. Joseph Paonessa, 538 Third Street, Mamaroneck: "We've made sure for one thing that our outside water has been turned off, and we use only what water we have in use."

Mrs. George Valentine, 43 Revere Road, Larchmont: "We take showers instead of baths, and not as many showers as we would like. I do all my washing on one day, and when the water doesn't come trickling out of the tap I heat water on the stove rather than let it run till it warms up."

Mrs. George Hamilton, 173 Larchmont Avenue, Larchmont: "We're especially careful about faucets, and do washing twice a week instead of every day."

George S. Morton, 345 Florence Street, Mamaroneck: "My wife keeps a basin under the tap all the time so that water that would otherwise run down the drain can be used for dish washing."

Mrs. Robert R. Dwyer, 48 Mayhew Avenue, Larchmont: "Fewer baths, doing dishes once a day. And I don't let the water run before taking some for the coffee in the morning—as all the recipes say you should. Frankly, I come from a small town where we always had to conserve water, so I never was in the habit of wasting it."

Miss Lucy Gee, 443 Melbourne Avenue, Mamaroneck: "I save herever I can. For instance, whereas I used to wash my stockings every night, I now wait until I have two or three soiled pairs before washing them."

Mrs. Philip M. Greene, 5 Elkan Road, Larchmont: "We've tried to be very careful. We've had a couple of leaky faucets repaired, and avoid any duplication of laundry and such."

OPEN SCHOOL DAY SET TOMORROW AT CENTER

Open School Day will be observed at the Westchester Jewish Center tomorrow at 9:45 A.M., when parents and friends have been invited to see the presentation of two Chanukah plays by the Junior and Senior Dramatic Groups plus an exhibition of hobbies.

All school youngsters will receive Chanukah candles and Chanukah plastic dreidles.

On Sunday, Dec. 18, there will be a gala Chanukah slave benefit, starting at 9:45 A.M. Stanley Burns, ventriloquist, will present an hour of fun and magic and there will be a special Holy Scroll (Torah) consecration service. Refreshments will close the program, to which the public is invited.

India

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tition, and led by men of established ability of whom any nation might well be proud. It has a constitution embodying the superior features of numerous democratic charters, from that of Switzerland to that of the United States, a document that was three years being drafted by the best brains in India, the 400 members of the Constituent Assembly. It guarantees equal rights to all, irrespective of race, creed, color or background; equal pay to women for equal work, and universal adult suffrage, with a voting list of 150 million persons (that this 200,000 pages of foolscap paper."

He spoke of the unification of the provinces or states as they are now called, and the cooperation of the principalities, and of the new mood of hopefulness among the Indian people that has made possible these great social changes.

"We are working," he said, "toward the total elimination of the caste system, assimilation of minorities, and adoption of a national language, Hindi, to take the place of India's numerous dialects.

"The doctor spoke of the 'uphill job of Indian educators working to overcome the legacy of illiteracy left by foreign rulers whose interest it was that the public should not 'taste the fruit of knowledge' and become 'wise and evil'." But he declared that his country welcomes the challenge to courage and ingenuity that this situation presents.

Moreover, he continued, India is on the road to prominence in the field of industry, with a rating of fifth among the industrial countries of the world. He spoke of India's willingness to accept foreign capital investments, with the stipulation that the major share of a new enterprise must be Indian-controlled, that Indians be sent back to the home bases of foreign firms for on-the-job training, and that foreign enterprises must not merely assemble but actually manufacture their products in India.

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The new bureaucracy, however, is pretty much like the old, he continued, quoting a colleague who remarked that "it is just like the old one except on paper, and they can't find the paper." He added that the selection of personnel in the lower levels of government and in private concerns is influenced less by the applicant's merits than by his family connections.

"And there, in a sense, lies the heart of India's problem," said Dr. Mosher declared. "By all the ancient moral codes, it is right to take care of your family first, and your caste second, and your right to follow the ethics that are going to be necessary if India is to become a leading economic force in the world.

"India has great leadership in a stratum of people that make up about ten per cent of the total population; and she has vast resources. But her problem is making the transition to a modern society, not just in the political and economic sense, but also in the sense almost of a repudiation of her former standards of value.

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He illustrated how vast this gap is by saying the Indian equivalent of "where are you going?" as a city dweller would say it and as it would be said by a near-by rural dweller supposedly speaking the same language. "The two utterances sounded nothing alike.

"India's basic obstacles are three," the speaker stated. "The first is the cultural one. The second is the problem of food, to feed India's ever-growing population.

"Food production is rising, but the population is also rising—at least as rapidly. In addition to the problem of production, which by the most modern methods could, ideally, be increased to four times present production, there is in India the problem of distribution of food to the city dwellers. The trouble is that the farm villagers don't exchange their services on a cash basis, or for loans, and for minor services; not for major ones of barbering, blacksmithing, tailoring, and so forth. So he sells whatever he must sell to secure the necessary cash and consumes the rest. During the war the price of wheat went way up, so that the farmer had to sell less than ever to get his cash minimum. Instead of more wheat going to the cities, to get the higher price, the farmer simply ate more than he did before.

"Due to this deficit in the cities, the government is forced to buy food from abroad. This in itself wouldn't be so bad, since it is not sold much under cost in the cities, but the trouble is that the food has to be purchased in the dollar areas. This uses up precious dollar reserves that ought to be used for the purchase of industrial equipment.

"The third obstacle is technical. In the first place, India doesn't need to be made over into another America. We've tried the finest mold-board plows, disk-harrowers, and other equipment that gets top results in the U. S. We've tried them on our land at the Allahabad Institute. We've seen some old peasant across the river get twice the yield we get, using the same method his great grandfather used. Even the sowing times are not the same. In the states you sow when the ground is cool and damp so the seed will germinate; in India you sow when the ground is warm and dry, so it will germinate before it rots in the damp season.

"We bring over Jersey cows to increase the milk yield—and the cows die. We've back-bred them now with the native Indian cattle till we've got a breed that's to overcome the legacy of illiteracy left by foreign rulers whose interest it was that the public should not 'taste the fruit of knowledge' and become 'wise and evil'." But he declared that his country welcomes the challenge to courage and ingenuity that this situation presents.

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Budget

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zining with "drawing a red herring across the budget picture in for 1950 is due mainly to increase-declaring the apparent increase the County Executive's message ed welfare costs and the inclusion of New Rochelle for the first time in the County Welfare District.

Acknowledging that it was the Democratic Party which was created most welfare items, Mr. Garrity stated:

"The revenues of the county have been deliberately under-estimated and from a careful examination of the budget we feel that approximately $928,000 in additional revenues that will accrue to the county during the fiscal year of 1950 that have not been included. In addition, there is a questionable unanticipated revenue from welfare of more than $1 million and if taken together, the total unanticipated revenues that should have been included and added in the reduction of the tax levy would have reduced it to a sum approximately equal to or less than the year 1949. Instead of additional taxes being placed on our communities the rate of tax would have decreased."

Surplus Figures Questioned

At another point the Democratic spokesman called for "watchdog tactics on the unbridled spending of out county officials" and questioned anticipated surplus figures as inaccurate. He further urged more detailed information for the taxpayer in the budget and said that instead of 2,500 county employes as reported his tabulation indicated there are 3,500.

He labeled Grasslands Hospital as a "welfare state!" with 819 employes drawing $1,739,000 salaries. Of county budget costs, he concluded, four-ninths goes for salaries, two-ninths for debt service and three-ninths for all other expenses. His party, he declared, will continue to examine into Westchester's fiscal affairs during 1950.

William C. Fitts Jr. of Mamaroneck, recent unsuccessful Democratic candidate for County Executive, drew one of the loudest rounds of applause when he urged elimination of "unnecessary units of local government" in the county and urged appointment of a "small-scale Hoover Commission" to study this point.

76 Per Cent Budget Increase

He pointed to a county budget increase of 70 per cent in nine years and a 65 per cent tax rate increase in the same period. For the last year in which figures are available from state sources, 1946, he put the total tax levies of all county, city town and village governments in Westchester at $58 million, estimating them now to be $65 million, as compared to $39 million for Nassau and $53 million for Erie counties.

Michael J. Cleary of Valhalla and J. Allyn Stearns of White Plains, speaking for the Civil Service employes of the county, urged restoration of the $75 cut in cost-of-living bonus and that the remaining $120 bonus be merged into base pay permanently. Paul L. Bleakley of Yonkers made the same appeal in behalf of county parkway police. The latter declared the recent Yonkers referendum brought police salaries in the city to $3,800 as against a $3,810 pay for parkway police including the bonus.

Welfare Department Praised

Mrs. Charles Hazelwood of Scarsdale, president of the Westchester League of Women Voters, praised the work of the Welfare Department, urged more help for health and public health nursing services, stressed the need for greater recreation facilities and suggested that there is need for expansion of the County Planning asked that the county abandon Department's activities. She also asked that the county abondon the current blanket policy of creating no new jobs but instead eliminate unnecessary positions and divert such monies to more important departments.

Mrs. Thomas W. Brockbank of Scarsdale, speaking for the Mental Hygiene Association of the county, deplored the small budget for the mental hygiene activities, declaring the sum insufficient even for the three existing clinics in Yonkers, White Plains and Mount Vernon and without provisions for badly needed clinics in Northern Westchester. Salary scales, "he said, should be raised.

"If each of our three clinics," she said, "by helping people before their problems became too severe, kept only one person from entering a mental hospital, they would more than save their financial cost to the county, not to mention the human values involved."

Parkway Route Protested

One feature of the evening was the appearance of seven citizens from the Yonkers and Bronxville sections through which the proposed Sprain Brook Parkway is to be constructed. These protested vigorously the route, declared residential property values would be badly depreciated, and urged new studies of the plan. These included Paul W. McQuillen, Joseph Nye, C. E. Maw, George Macbeth, E. H. D. Bartelink, E. A. Macabee and Elsworth Howell, representing among themselves the Brookside Circle Association, Cedar Knolls Association, 12th Ward Republican Club of Yonkers, and the Neighborhood Association of Lawrence Park West.

Chester A. Smith, chairman of the Peekskill Non-Partisan Citizens Committee, urged strongly inclusion in the capital budget of about one-seventh Jessup Avenue "death curve" in East Main Street, Peekskill, where seven persons have been killed.

Douglas Lockland of Scarsdale presented a six-foot long petition from 750 students in the Westchester workshop at the County Center in White Plains, asking for greater space and more facilities.

Arthur L. Green of Mount Kisco, recently named to the State Housing Commission staff, appeared as president of the Westchester Chapter of the Good Roads Association, with 1,100 Westchester members, and asked for plans for more highways.

2 Posts

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Larchmont Post 347 awarded a third prize in the Mamaroneck High School contest to Donald Wheatley.

Post 90 awarded first and second prizes of $15 and $10 while the Larchmont Legionnaires gave three medals.

Winners from the two schools will compete tomorrow at 4 P. M. at the Larchmont Post 347 Clubhouse, Flint Park, in a zone preliminary against the winners of contests held in Port Chester, Harrison, New Rochelle and Scarsdale. A county final leading to state and national competitions will be held Friday at the White Plains Legion Clubhouse.

Miss Martin, a senior, is president of the Bellows Honor Society, vice president of the General Organization, and a cheerleader. She is a member of the library squad, the staff of the school yearbook, the glee club, the orchestra, and the choir of St. Thomas' Episcopal Church. She has also been active in girls' intramural sports and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin of 515 Wagner Avenue. Her topic was "Our Living Constitution."

A junior, Wyn was a member of last year's Mamaroneck High School tennis team. The son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wyn of 65 Shore Drive, Larchmont, he is also a member of the glee club, the choir, and the Forum, Speech Arts, Engineers, Finance, Latin and French Clubs. Decrying soil erosion and deforestation, he spoke on "Trees or Deserts."

Speeches at both contests lasted from 10 to 12 minutes. Judges at Mamaroneck High School were William Fulcher, Miss Jean Erdoss and John Corfield. Senior High School instructors, while Robert Hanna, Mamaroneck High School teacher, and Legionnaires Ralph H. Mann and Fred T. Wilson gave the verdicts at the Post 90 contest.

Deaths

BAKER—Ella, on December 8, 1949. Devoted wife of Nathaniel Baker, beloved sister of Mrs. Anna Hunter, Mrs. Estelle Adams and Mrs. Minnie Horn. Funeral services at 1:30 P. M. Monday at her late residence, 237 Madison Street, Mamaroneck, N. Y., Rev. Richardson officiating. Interment Beechwood Cemetery. Arrangements by Pryor's Funeral Home, 23 Brook Street, New Rochelle, N. Y.

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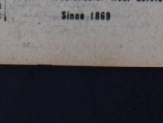
ICC CONCLUDES NEW HAVEN CASE

NEW YORK, (AP)—An Interstate Commerce Commission examiner yesterday concluded hearings on an application by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad for an increase in New York State commutation fares.

Examiner Burton Fuller said he would submit a report to the commission, which will make the final decision. He said the railroad and those opposing the increase could file exceptions to his report.

Opponents include the New York Public Service Commission, the Westchester commuters group, Pelham and other Westchester communities.

Herbert Askwith of Larchmont, chairman of the Westchester commuter group, yesterday asked dismissal of the petition on the ground that the railroad had introduced no evidence to sustain allegations of discrimination against Connecticut passengers.



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3. The newspaper will be the sole judge of the contest and interpreter of the rules. The contestant, with the submission of entry, agrees to abide by the decisions as final. All entries become the property of the newspaper and will not be returned.
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PRAYER FOR TODAY—In Your light, dear Lord, I find enrichment of every good motive, and I find that my difficulties shrivel and dwindle away. Fill my heart with love and consideration, qualities that are more precious than gold. Let me follow proudly and devotedly the glorious vision of American democracy, with all its freedoms and privileges and high responsibilities.

LET'S KEEP IN THE SPIRIT

THERE is in Charles Dickens' immortal "Christmas Carol" reference to a kindly Spirit which hovers over the busy, harried and hurried Christmas shoppers. Whenever tempers flare, or there is a sharp interchange of language, as happens occasionally even among the best of us, the Spirit drops a bit of magic star-dust and peace is immediately restored. Those who had let their tempers loose apologize, agree that it is not proper to become angry over trifles at the Yuletide season, and go their ways in harmony and understanding.

This is an appeal that with the last two weeks of Christmas shopping ahead we all endeavor to obey the Spirit. There will be many of us, naturally, who will be rushed, who will not have the time for many tasks, who will become impatient, irritable and short-tempered.

But this is the Christmas season, dedicated to the birth of the Christ Child. It is for the season for generous giving and for expression of affection. Let us not spoil it for ourselves or for others by thoughtlessness or selfishness.

Especially, let us be observant of the rights of others, in traffic, in parking, in walking upon the crowded streets. Let us remember that the clerks in the shops are themselves over-worked and over-tired, that they have the same problems as have we, and the same human frailties. We can make it so much easier for everybody concerned with a little Christmas cheer and courtesy.

And, the funny thing about it all, is that this kindliness and thoughtfulness will react. Our own happiness is magnified as we make others happy.

Courtesy, regard for rights of others, love of our fellow men—these will make a real Christmas if we remember.

A GOOD AVERAGE

THE Federal Reserve Bank for the Second District, including all of New York State and large portions of New Jersey and Connecticut, reports that for last October department store sales were off 13 per cent as compared to October of 1948.

The drops vary, with that in New York City put at 14 per cent, in Rochester at 16 per cent, in Binghamton at 17 per cent, and in Schenectady at 22 per cent. Even Westchester is down 11 per cent.

But, for the first 10 months of the year, January to October inclusive, whereas the district average showed a decrease of eight per cent, with some points exceeding even that drop, Westchester shows for the 10-month period an increase of three per cent.

And that is the only increase reported for the entire district.

WHO WILL PAY THE PENSIONS?

WASHINGTON advice is that President Truman is almost certain to come out for $100 a month pensions for all workers who reach 65. Labor unions and Fair New Dealers will furnish the hullabaloo to impress Congress. And unless some strong opposition not yet in sight is developed, the movement will succeed.

The cost?

About $13 billion to start off and within a year or two $24 billion. There will be a steady increase because of the needs of our increasing population and the larger number of oldsters.

Who will pay these billions?

Why, not the wealthy, because there aren't nearly enough of them. And certainly not the poor.

So, it boils down to the simple proposition that the same sad sucker who has been getting it in the neck for the last 20 years will have to put up more. He is the white-collar, middle-age, middle-class guy, the chap with a small home, one car, one wife and three or four children, trying to save up enough for a washing machine or a television set, borrowing now and then upon his life insurance to meet household deficits, and always hoping in vain for a cut in taxes.

Now he is to get it again—right where the chicken got the axe!

THERE IS AN IDEA ABROAD among moral people that they should make their neighbors good. One person I have to make good: myself. But my duty to my neighbor is much more nearly expressed by saying that I have to make him happy—if I may.
—Robert Louis Stevenson.

N. Y. Grange to Fight Colored Oleo Program

POUGHKEEPSIE, (AP)—Henry D. Sherwood of Pine Plains, master of the New York State Grange, predicted today that New York dairymen would fight any move to legalize the sale of butter-colored oleomargarine in the state.

"The Grange will not oppose coloring oleo pink or green or any color but yellow," he said.

Sherwood added that his organization would not oppose removal of special taxes on uncolored oleo.

Experience in states where butter-colored oleo is permitted, he said, has shown that its price seldom is correspond closely with that of butter.

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay

"The Authority on Authorities"

CAN'T YOU INFER IT?

A BIDDER who will never call No Trumps, unless he has heard his partner bid any suit in which he himself lacks stoppers, will miss many a nice game contract. There are frequent occasions on which indications are overwhelming that your partner has some kind of strength in the only suit which is neither stopped in your own hand nor bid by the man across the table. Aren't you ever able to infer certain strength in your partner's hand, unless you hear him bid it?

♠ 3
♥ AQ9
♦ 63
♣ AKQ6542

♠ KJ96 ♥ 753 ♦ KQ10 ♣ J8

♠ 32 ♥ KJ10 ♦ 42 ♣ 6754

N / W E / S

♠ AQ10754 ♥ 86 ♦ AJ9 ♣ 72

(Dealer South. Neither side vulnerable.)

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass
4 ♦			
1 ♠	pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 ♦	Pass	3 NT	Pass
1 ♠	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	3 NT	

North ruined his side at Table 1 with that bid of 4-Clubs. It was above the game level for No Trumps and therefore impossible to climb down to the three stage. When South did the only sound thing he could—rebid his six-card spade suit again—North decided to leave it, whereupon South was set two tricks. He could not have taken out the 4-Spades into 4-No Trumps without having South give Blackwood responses, putting the side higher than he meant to go, and feared bidding 5-Clubs to seek an eleven-trick game. That likewise would have been defeated by a trump lead.

Notice how the other two North players inferred some kind of diamond strength in the South hand. It was not sure South had diamond stoppers. But North knew South's side strength, for opening the bidding, could not possibly be in clubs, and it was not likely in hearts. The bidding methods used by the Norths at Tables 2 and 3 were both sounder than that by the unfortunate fellow at Table 1.

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Your Weekend Question

Under what circumstances should a declarer make a plan that includes his refraining from playing the ace of a suit, though he himself makes three leads of the suit?

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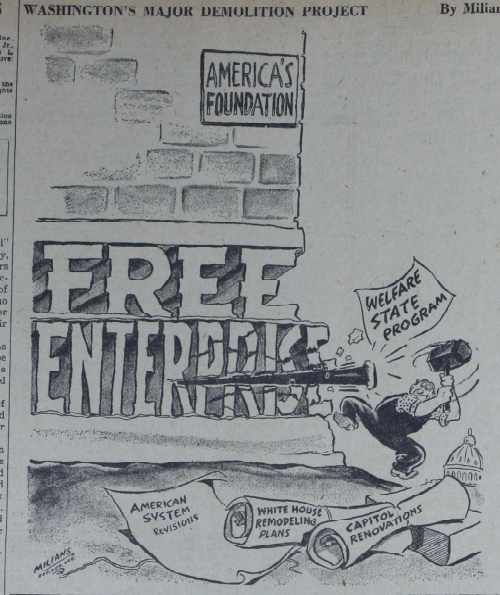
WASHINGTON'S MAJOR DEMOLITION PROJECT

By Milians



Grab Bag

The Answer, Quick!

1. What American humorist attained the greatest international fame?

2. What name is given to an era in Greek history famous for its achievements in science and the arts?

3. For what sin was Lot's wife turned into a pillar of salt, in the Bible story?

4. In warfare, what is a "mortar"?

5. What German count aided materially in the development of lighter-than-air flying machines?

It Happened Today

1817—Mississippi admitted to Union. 1896—Alfred Bernhard Nobel, Swedish chemist, inventor of dynamite, founder Nobel peace prizes, died.

On Sunday, Dec. 11: 1816—Indiana admitted to Union. 1936—King Edward VIII abdicated crown of England to wed Mrs. Wallie Simpson. 1941—Germany and Italy declared war on United States and the United States declared war on Germany and Italy.

Happy Birthday

Christopher LaFarge, author; Morton Gould, radio orchestra conductor, and Dorothy Lamour and Dennis Morgan, motion picture actors, rate happy birthday greetings.

On Sunday, Dec. 11: Giacomo Lauri-Volpi, Italian opera singer, receives birthday greetings on this date.

Folks of Fame—Guess the Name

1—He was an American manufacturer and philanthropist, born in West Overton, Pa., June 17, 1849. He organized his own coke firm, which acquired large coal deposits and operated many coke ovens. In 1892, during a strike, he was shot and stabbed but recovered. He died in New York Dec. 2, 1919. His New York mansion and art collection was bequeathed to New York City after the death of his wife. What was his name?

2—He was an English soldier born on Jan. 9, 1797, in Westerham, Kent, England. In the army his zeal and intelligence won him quick promotion. With rank of colonel he was appointed acting commander to renew the attempt to capture Quebec, Canada, from the French. He scaled the Heights of Abraham and captured the town. He was mortally wounded in the encounter and died Sept. 13, 1759. Who was he?

(Names at bottom of column.)

Your Future

Organizing your duties at this time should help you to accomplish more than you ordinarily would. Look for a forceful, active, hard-working individual to develop from a child born today.

Sunday, Dec. 11: Aspects for your next year are propitious. Force ahead. Born today an individual should have many sterling qualities.

It's Been Said

Cruelty and fear shake hands together.—Honore de Balzac.

Watch Your Language

RECREATE—(REK-ree-ate) — verb; to create anew; refresh; to give fresh life to. Origin: Latin—Recreatus.

How'd You Make Out?

1. Mark Twain (Samuel Langhorne Clemens).

2. The Golden Age of Pericles.

3. For disobeying God's command not to look back in the flight from the burning city of Sodom.

4. A short piece of ordnance for throwing shells at high angles.

5. Ferdinand, Count von Zeppelin.

(1—Henry Clay Frick. 2—Gen. James Wolfe.

A Glance Backward

A DECADE AGO
(From The Daily Times)

The tentative 1940 town budget set before the public after being drafted by the Town Board called for a slight increase in the tax rate despite a reduction in the budget. Approximately $10,000 was saved from town operating costs through salary reductions but that was off-set by losses in estimated revenues. . . Councilman Edward C. Griffin reported that expenditures for home relief had decreased during November. . . New York City acquired the Bronx section of the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway for use in extending the subway system. . . Percy M. Bibas, president-elect of the Westchester Realty Board and director of the consolidation committee of the Larchmont Realty organization, issued a statement setting forth his organization's stand on the proposed consolidation of local governments. . . Albert Kuritzky was reelected president of the Social and Air Society at the Hebrew Institute. . . Howell C. Perrin of Larchmont told the Town Board that a movement was under way to have the Town of Mamaroneck purchase property near the waterfront to create a bathing resort for residents of the unincorporated area. . More than a hundred guests crowded the recreation room of Hook and Ladder Hose Company's quarters as a turkey dinner was held in honor of ex-Chief Edward Donnelly. . . John C. Corgeld was named to direct the Bellows High School senior play. . . William H. Mills, president of the Larchmont-Mamaroneck Sportsmen's Association, announced that Lee Wulff, one of the foremost authorities on salmon, would speak at the group's next meeting . . . and 30 years ago today Capt. Jacob J. Lund returned from a cruise of southern waters aboard the steam yacht Hasperia II . . . and just 20 years ago Ralph Rushmore of Mamaroneck became associated with Redmond & Co., members of the New York Stock Exchange.

YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT

Central Press Writer

John L. is sending his boys back into the mines on a three-day-a-week basis. It's getting so the coal diggers don't know whether to carry a lunch pail or a good book to work.

That three-day work week sounds to Zadock Dumkopf as a sort of soft job for soft coal miners.

Of course, as PEP points out, the miners now have plenty of spare time in which to sell gas furnaces.

Having had his first sample of Winter, the man at the next desk says he would like to cancel the order. Who wouldn't?

Hope our butcher didn't read about that $11.50 a pound paid for a champion steer at that Chicago livestock show.

A toy doll that sleeps has been developed in England. Wonder if the gadget contains a built-in snore!

A New Jersey ordinance limiting dogs, two to the person, has been declared unconstitutional. Far more popular in that state would be a law limiting the number of mosquitos.

Col. Joe Bush Says:

Judgin' from the news comin' out of Key West, Fla., the "State of the Union" message from Prexy Truman to Congress will consist mainly of tributes to the flavor of Florida grapefruit — liberal given the California variety. Compliments on the Weather Bureau's thermometer, and a few style notes on what the well-dressed man will wear next Summer in exposed shirttails.

Harry says he thinks Ike Eisenhower will run for President in 1952. So do a lot of other folks. But the only chap who will make that decision is Ike himself — and he ain't talkin'. Maybe he's waitin' to see if the White House repairs will be finished by then?

Senator Bob Taft says it will take $12 billion a year to start off and $24 billion later to pay everybody over sixty-five a $100-a-month pension. The only way to raise this money is to take it out of the pockets of the others who are workin', he says. Serves 'em right, don't it? Because the Washington viewpoint is that only suckers work.

Lots of husbands are good providers, but the smart gal picks one who don't get caught at it!

There was a little confusion at church after the service last Sunday when the minister asked those who wished to be joined in holy bands of wedlock to come forward. One man and nine women rushed up.

Calendar

TODAY

Barn dance of Agusteeds, St. Augustine's School, 8:30 P. M.

Alcoholics Aonymous, Mamaroneck Methodist Church, 8:30 P. M.

TOMORROW

Corporate Communion and breakfast, St. Thomas's Church, Mamaroneck, 8 A. M.

Legion paper drive, Mamaroneck, noon.

Christian Science Monitor Junior Forum, Simons house, 915 Weaver Street, Larchmont, 3 P. M.

Sunday School Intermediate Department play, Mamaroneck Methodist Church, 4 P. M.

Girl Scout Open House, Weaver Street Fire House, Larchmont, 4 to 5 P. M.

Second Sunday Forum, Mamaroneck Methodist Church, 6:45 P. M.

MONDAY

Mamaroneck Health Center Board, Health Center, 9:30 A. M.

PTA Chatsworth Avenue School, Larchmont, 1 P. M.

St. John's Guild, Chatper Room of St. John's Church, Larchmont, 1 P. M.

Reading Study Group, Murray Avenue School, Larchmont, 3:15 P. M.

Ladies' Night, Larchmont Men's Club, Murray Avenue School, 8 P. M.

Alert Lodge, Masonic Hall, Mamaroneck, 8 P. M.

Sub-deb Section, Mamaroneck Woman's Club, 8 P. M.

Weslevan Service Guild, Mamaroneck Methodist Church, 8 P. M.

Mamaroneck Village Board, Municipal Building, 8:15 P. M.

Larchmont Fire Council, Municipal Building, 8:15 P. M.

VFW and auxiliary, 125 Boston Post Road, Larchmont, 8:30 P. M.

Open House, Joint Brotherhood and Sisterhood Meeting, Westchester Jewish Center, 8:30 P. M.

"MIRANDA" The Naughty Doll

By IVY GIBSON

Chapter VI
HAPPY DAYS

The next morning Miranda awoke bright and early. The sun was streaming in the windows. Ernestine, Imogene, and Gwendolyn were awake, too.

They all ran downstairs to breakfast. No one seemed to get breakfast ready, but there it was on the table. And what a good breakfast it was—raspberries and cream, cereal and muffins, and large glasses of milk!

Chief and Bumper, Thumper and Jumper were there, too.

After breakfast Chief said, "This is Circus Day. We have Circus Day once a week in Never-Never Land. Don't you love to go to the circus?"

"I've never been to one," said Miranda, "but I should like to go."

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After breakfast they started out. On Peppermint Avenue they found a good place to watch the parade. A great many other pixies were there. Everyone was laughing and shouting and having a good time.

Soon the circus parade came down the street. There were elephants and clowns, bareback riders and monkeys, dancing horses and trained seals. There were camels and zebras and kangaroos, too. Of course, there were clowns — funny clowns and sad clowns, old clowns and young ones. A bear was doing tricks. Some little dogs ran up and down ladders and in and out of a toy house. Others pulled a toy fire engine. Last of all came the band in its bright-colored wagon.

Miranda and the pixies followed the circus to a large field at the end of Candy Cane Lane. Here they spent a long time watching the animals.

Then it was lunch time. They ate sandwiches shaped like circus animals and all the popcorn and cotton candy they wanted. They drank pink lemonade, too.

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Later, they all went into the large white circus tent. The ringmaster was very grand in a red coat, a shiny black hat, and high black boots.

The bareback rider rode around on her beautiful white horse. Other horses danced. Acrobats did tricks on the swinging bars. One seal held a red and blue ball on his nose. He threw the ball to another seal who caught it on his nose.

Miranda was so happy she could not speak. She could only clap her hands and laugh. She laughed so hard the tears ran down her cheeks.

The last clown finally left the tent. The ringmaster bowed low, and turned to one side of the tent and then to the other. "Thank you, one and all, for your kind attention," he said in a loud voice.

The pixies clapped their tiny hands and let out little squeals of joy. Then down into the ring they ran. Miranda followed them. Dancing in a circle they sang their jolly little song:

Ha, ha, ha!
Ho, ho, ho!

"We have Circus Day once a week in Never-Never Land."

We are the jolly pixies, oh!

After a while, they grew tired. One little pixie called out, "Come, let us go home now. It's almost bedtime and we must be rested for tomorrow."

They hurried home. Soon they were fast asleep in their soft little beds.

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Early the next morning Ernestine, Imogene, and Gwendolyn pulled Miranda out of bed. "Come, sleepy head," they called. "It's time to get up. The boys were up long ago."

After breakfast Chief said, "Miranda, this is Party Day. Will you be ready for some fun this afternoon? Every week we have a party in Never-Never Land. It's always someone's birthday."

"Yes, indeed!" answered Miranda. "I love parties!"

In the morning they went for a walk. They walked through Lollipop Forest, and listened to the beautiful birds singing. They saw red squirrels and white rabbits in the forest, too. The animals were not a bit afraid. They ran up and down the paths, and in and out among the trees.

In the afternoon Miranda and the pixies went to Chocolate Square. On one side of the square was a long low building. The outside walls were painted red and white like a peppermint stick. The roof was painted gold and glittered in the sun. "This is our Party House," Thumper said. "We have all our parties here."

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Inside, the largest room was trimmed with colored crepe paper. It looked beautiful and gay. But everything in Never-Never Land was pretty. Miranda was getting used to that.

As they went into the room, each pixie was given a pretty paper hat to wear. Soon they were playing games. They played Musical Chairs, Looby Loo, Pin the Tail on the Donkey, Squirrel in the Tree, the Farmer in the Dell, and many other games.

When it was time for refreshments, they sat down at a long table. Great dishes of ice cream were at every place. There were fancy cakes of every kind and candies, too.

Miranda looked at the food. Then she looked at Ernestine, Imogene, and Gwendolyn. She looked at Chief and Bumper, Thumper and Jumper. They were all eating busily.

"Oh, dear!" she said to herself. "How can I eat another mouthful? I'll have to, though. The pixies won't like it if I don't."

After they had eaten, they played more games. When it was time to go home, the pixies gathered around Miranda.

"Happy birthday, Miranda," they cried. "We decided that today should be your birthday. So this is your birthday party. Happy birthday!"

They all danced around Miranda and sang:

Ha, ha, ha!
Ho, ho, ho!
We are the jolly pixies, oh!

"Dear me," thought Miranda. "I'm getting just a bit tired of that little song. I wonder what Trix and the brownielites are doing. They must be finishing their work in the Doll House. Soon they will be going home and the lights will be turned on in all the houses. I wonder if Mrs. Santa misses me."

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That night, as Miranda was falling asleep, she thought of Mrs. Santa and Trix and the brownielites again.

"Maybe I'm homesick," she said to herself. "No, I guess I've just eaten too much rich food. Mrs. Santa always says too much rich food isn't good for anyone, especially little girls. I'll feel all right in the morning."

Soon she was sleeping. She was dreaming about Skeezicks and Trix and her other friends. She dreamed about Mr. Monk and Santa and Mrs. Santa. She dreamed, too, about Christmas Eve and the packs of toys. She saw it all in her dreams, but she wasn't there. Miranda had run away!

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Monday: Miranda Is Unhappy

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The Counselor

GLOVES

Question: Does a woman have to remove her gloves before she shakes hands? Mrs. W., N.

Answer: She not only does not have to remove her gloves, but she shouldn't remove them.

TECHNICIAN

Question: What is the difference between a technician and an engineer? I have heard about a course that trains students to be a construction technicians, and I am curious to know what this is? A. C.

Answer: An engineer is a person who has had four years of training in an accredited engineering school and has a bachelor's degree in engineering. A technician is a person trained for a semi-professional position on the level of employment. For example, the New York State Institute of Applied Arts and Sciences in White Plains, trains technicians. Graduates of the building construction technology course will be qualified for positions as architectural draftsmen, engineering assistants, construction superintendents, estimators, assessors, and plant supervisors. The technician in building construction is trained to act as liaison administrators working between the skilled craftsmen on the one hand and the constructional-civil engineers on the other.

SECURITY CREDITS

Question: How can I check my Social Security credits? N. I.

Answer: You can get a Request for Statement of Wages card at your local Social Security office. Complete this and send it to the Social Security Administration in Baltimore, Md. You will then receive a report of all wages credited to your account since Jan. 1, 1937.

Crossword Puzzle

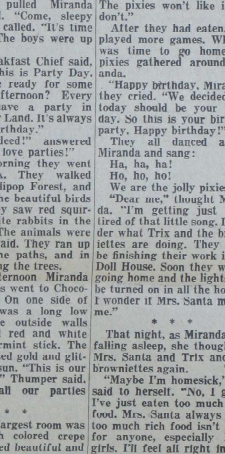
ACROSS

1. King with the Golden Touch
6. City (Pal.)
10. Ascended
11. Leave out
12. Repression
14. Summer month
15. A famous university
16. Like ale
17. Bog
18. Storage place
19. Masurium (sym.)
20. Mongrel dog
21. Happy
22. Pale
23. American author and poet
24. Scars
26. Feline
27. River (It.)
29. Still
30. An age
31. Cut, as grass
32. Tough, flexible palm stems (var.)
34. Extent of canvas
35. Changes in a constitution
37. Tidy
38. Egg-shaped
39. Real
40. Wise men

DOWN

1. Spot
2. Sarcasm
3. Accomplished
4. Donkey
5. Kind of dog
6. End aimed at
7. Friendly
8. State flower (Ind.)
9. Wait upon
10. Flow
14. Crowd
17. Merriment
20. Head covering
21. Obtained
22. French painter
23. Kettle
24. A despot
25. A reaming tool
26. A flower
27. Balances
28. Nocturnal bird
30. Conclude
31. A dull surface
33. Poker stake
34. Jagged protuberance
36. Girl's name

Yesterday's Answer



ST. CLAIR BAYFIELD who played the title role in "Admiral Peters", one-act play which was one of the highlights of the December dinner program of the Couples Club of St. John's Episcopal Church, Larchmont, last night at the church, is shown above at right arranging his false beard prior to the performance. Looking on are Miss Holly Hollis and John Robb, supporting members of the cast. About 160 members and guests attended the dinner program, followed by an election of officers with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse M. Van Law named co-presidents.

Larchmonters Attend Meeting At Grasslands

Mrs. Benno Elkan, Mrs. Edwin E. Berliner and Mrs. A. Metcalf Morse, Jr., all of Larchmont, attended the December meeting of the Social Service Committee of Grasslands Hospital yesterday at Westchester Hall, faculty and student residence of the Westchester School of Nursing.

Miss Anna Ryle, new director of nurses, spoke on the operation and curriculum of the school, which now has 72 nurses, including five male nurses, and capacity of 160 nurses. All branches of nursing except obstetrics, are offered, Miss Ryle said, adding that the three-year course is approved by the New York State Education Department. Her talk covered conferences of councilors held during the Fall and interviews with high school students.

A brief talk on the problems of the school of nursing library was given by Miss Gordo Willem, chairman.

Recital Will be Given By Mrs. Helen Keith

A costume recital will be given tomorrow at 3:30 P.M. at the Emanuel A.M.E. Zion Church by Mrs. Helen Keith, who will give the welcome address. Mrs. Keith's program will include "Billie's Rose", a group of three selections, "Little Boy Blue, "Don't," and "The Doctor's Dream," a reading, "Anna's Tickets," and "Everlasting Memories."

Winner of the tiny tots contest held recently by the church was Janice Lord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lord. She was sponsored by Mrs. Joseph Edwards.

WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

Mrs. Asbury G. E. Stromberg will be hostess Monday at 8 P. M. in the parsonage of the Mamaroneck Methodist Church, to the Wesleyan Service Guild of the church, at its annual Christmas party. Members will exchange Christmas gifts.

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Jesse M. Van Laws Are Elected To Doubles Club Presidency

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse M. Van Law were elected co-presidents of the Doubles Club of St. John's Church, Larchmont, last night, following the December dinner program in the Undercroft of the parish house. A program of entertainment followed in the auditorium.

Other new officers unanimously elected after the presentation of a slate by the nominating committee were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Porterfield, vice-presidents; Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hepworth, secretaries, and Mr. and Mrs. William Seefield, treasurers.

Directors elected to assist the officers are Mr. and Mrs. G. Gordon Biggar, Mr. and Mrs. John Worden, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Biddle and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Maggard.

About 160 members and guests attended the dinner program and election followed by Christmas carols led by a group of seven club members, and a one-act play, "Admiral Peters," with St. Clair Bayfield, Doubles Club member, in the title role.

Members who led carols, and offered a humorous number, "All I Want for Christmas is My Two Front Teeth," were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gubar, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Albert Telschow, Harry Hampton, F. Howells Coffin and Mrs. Ralph Shockey. Mrs. Fred Yocum accompanied the group at the piano.

The play, by W. W. Jacobs and Horace Mills, featured Miss Holly Hollis and John Robb in supporting roles. Following its presentation, Mr. Bayfield presented a group of three monologues.

Roland Tree as Santa Claus distributed gifts to members and their guests. Dancing to records followed the program.

Decorations featured silver stars and Christmas trees, to carry out the holiday motif. Members of the decorations committee were Mrs. Yocum, Mrs. P. G. Stroh, Mrs. Shockey and Richard Pond.

Mrs. Warren Kipp and Mrs. Paul Stearne were co-chairmen of the dinner committee, assisted by Mrs. Biddle, Mrs. Kenneth Cruppsey and Mrs. Maggard.

100 Attend Christmas Dance Of Church Club

About 50 couples attended last night's annual Christmas dance of the Counles Club at the Mamaroneck Methodist Church parlor, with Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Cole as general chairmen and Howard Crane as master of ceremonies. Patio decorations, with a large Christmas tree, were featured and Thomas Grannells and his orchestra played for dancing. The program of entertainment included specialty dances and gifts from a grab bag, following a grand march.

County ORT To Hear Talk By Composer

Professor A. W. Binder, musician and composer of sacred music, will be guest speaker at the meeting of Women's American Organization for Rehabilitation through Training, Westchester Chapter, to be held at 8:15 P. M. Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Maxwell Jamco, 15 Trevon Place.

The speaker will illustrate his lecture recital both vocally and instrumentally. He is professor of liturgical music at the Jewish Institute of Religion, musical director of the free synagogue and director of music at the 92nd Street YMHA in New York City. His music for the synagogue has become standard in synagogues throughout the country.

Mr. Binder was born in New York City and received his musical education at Columbia University where he was awarded the Mosenthal Fellowship in composition. His orchestral works have been played by leading symphony orchestras in this country as well as by the Palestine Symphony Orchestra.

Chatsworth Youngsters See Planetarium Show

Two third grade classes at the Chatsworth Avenue School visited the Hayden Planetarium yesterday to see the Christmas show, "The Christmas Star." They were accompanied by their teachers, Miss Helen Dolan and Miss Genevieve Edwards. Mothers who assisted with the group were Mrs. Donald Coon, Mrs. Jerome Adler, Mrs. Cornelius Wells, Mrs. Sidney Josephson, Mrs. Thomas Robey, and Mrs. Mortimer Reinlick. The trip was arranged with the cooperation of the visual education committee of Mrs. Raphael Elias, chairman of the visual education committee of the Parent-Teacher Association.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Lester A. Epstein of 820 Halstead Avenue, Mamaroneck, are the parents of their first child, a daughter, Lora Joy, born Dec. 4 at New Rochelle Hospital. Mrs. Epstein is the former Phyllis Egerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Egerman of Yonkers.

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Bellows Group To Perform In All-State Event

A group of 28 Bellows High School students will participate tonight in the All-State Concert to be held at the County Center in White Plains, with J. Ellsworth Olsen in charge of the chorus of 385 voices.

Students appearing in the band are Ann Brown, Jane Martin, Josephine Puleo, Joy Schlapprizzi, Noel Emelin, Barbara Decker, Josephine Marino, Patricia Kildare, Mary Mayers, Carol Lawrence, Jean Bono, Gail Donaldson, Marion Stephens, Virginia Chick, Isabel MacDonald, Nancy Savage, Kenneth Dalher, Richard Patterson, Salvatore Paillace, Vincent Mandracchia and Kenneth Downer.

Band members include Michael De Ponce, Donald Tag, Roland Kohloff and David Hackett, and members of the orchestra are Victor Griffin, Judith Burchell and Carolyn Olsen.

New Cub Scout Pack To Meet At Holy Trinity

The first meeting of the newly-formed Pack Three-A of the Mamaroneck Cub Scouts, sponsored by Holy Trinity Church, with the Rev. Bartholomew Singleton as institutional representative, will be held Friday, Dec. 16 at 3 P. M. at Holy Trinity School.

James Hogan is cubmaster, founder and organizer of the group. Members of the pack committee are William Marion, chairman; Arthur Evans, Anthony Sanino, Andrew Bouchard, and Edward Robinson.

Den mothers for the three dens in the pack are Mrs. Leo Heilhaus, Mrs. Albert Sigert and Mrs. A. R. Funk. Den chiefs will be selected from Troop Three of the Mamaroneck Boy Scouts.

Bridge Series For Hadassah Is Instituted

The first of a series of New Rochelle - Larchmont "Hadassah Bridge Days" was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Judd Bockner, New Rochelle, with 25 persons attending. Mrs. Ernest Biehl of New Rochelle and Mrs. S. D. Gershovitz of Larchmont are cochairmen of the bridge functions. The proceeds will be used to purchase fabric and yarn to be made into garments by the sewing group, under the chairmanship of Mrs. David Anchin of Larchmont, for the Hadassah hospital and the youth of Israel.

Hostess for next Friday is Mrs. Gershovitz, 140 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont, and Mrs. Alex Hoffeckman, 15 Ranger Place, New Rochelle will have the Dec. 23 meeting. The parties are to be held each Friday afternoon alternately at homes of New Rochelle and Larchmont members.

DAR Regent Is Guest At Program Of JAC

Mrs. Philip Holden, regent of the Larchmont Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and Mrs. Paul Gunsalus, chairman of the Junior American Citizen's Clubs sponsored by the D.A.R., were guests of honor yesterday at a J.A.C. program in the Chatsworth Avenue School.

The program, based on the pledge to the flag, was given by a group of sixth grade students. Plans were discussed for a coloring books collection for children at Grasslands Hospital and a quiz contest on the history, meaning and rules for use of the flag. Fred Young, J.A.C. president, conducted the meeting. Other officers are Berk Van Beever, vice president, and Barbara Winton, secretary.

A SUM OF $600 was roughly estimated today as realized from the bazaar held yesterday from 2 to 10 P. M. by the Catholic Woman's Club in the clubhouse in New Rochelle. The fair was held to benefit the Club's philanthropic projects. Portrayed above, are left to right, Mrs. H. C. Smith of Scarsdale, Mrs. George C. Fanelli of New Rochelle, chairman; Mrs. D. J. Calderazzo of Mamaroneck, and Mrs. E.M. Heinbolthom of Pelham. —Staff Photo

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS for residents of the County Home and the Jennie Clarkson Home were wrapped yesterday by the philanthropic committee of the Woman's Club of Mamaroneck. Pictured above at the home of Mrs. Franz Kurth, 510 Cortlandt Avenue, Mamaroneck, where the committee spent the day at work on their annual gift project, are left to right, Mrs Donald B. Abbott, Mrs. S. Charles Hanna, chairman; Mrs. Walter L. Stevens, Mrs. Kurth and Mrs. R. B. Portuin. —Staff Photo

Harold Britts Return Home From Vermont

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Edward Britt Jr., who were married Nov. 26 in Harrison, have returned from a wedding trip to Hyde Park, Vt., and are residing at 83 Sterling Avenue, Harrison.

The bride is the former Ruth Vivian Rayles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Bayles of the Harrison address. Mr. Britt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Britt of 221 Frank Avenue, Mamaroneck.

A reception for 75 guests was held at the Colonial Inn following the ceremony in All Saints Church with the Rev. George E. Keith officiating. Given in marriage by her father, the bride had her cousin, Miss Peggy Smith of Canton, Conn., as maid of honor. David F. Britt of Mamaroneck was best man for his brother.

Mrs. Britt, a graduate of Harrison High School, is employed with an insurance firm in New Rochelle. Her husband, Bellows High School alumnus, is employed at Kemtone in Mamaroneck.

Cradle Roll Youngsters To Be Guests At Party

Mrs. Harold Schapiro of Mamaroneck will entertain the three and four-year-old youngsters of the Cradle Roll of the Westchester Jewish Center Tuesday at 2:30 P. M. at a pre-Chanukah party at her home, 125 South Barry Avenue. Candlelighting, songs and gifts will feature the program. Mrs. George Garfunkel, Mrs. Leo Bustin, and Mrs. Irving Koslowe will assist Moe Krieger, educational director who is in charge of the program.

VISIT PLANETARIUM

More than 75 members of Grades 8a, 8b and 8c at Bellows Junior High School traveled by bus yesterday to the Museum of Natural History in New York City. During the afternoon they attended a lecture at the Hayden Planetarium. Teachers who accompanied the group were Miss Mary Monson, Mrs. Wilma Jubert and James Duggan.

James Smith Is Honored Guest At Murray Ave. Fathers Night

James Smith, physical education teacher at Murray Avenue School, was honored last night at the second annual Father's Night program presented by Fathers of the Parent-Teacher Association at the school.

More than 400 parents and upper grade students attended the event, which featured a sports panel depicting the various types of sports. Guest at the program was T. James Ahern, superintendent of schools.

Members of the panel were Mr. Smith, Russ Hodges of Tuckahoe, Arthur Knapp of the Larchmont Yacht Club, and Edwin B. Dooley of Mamaroneck.

Mr. Smith outlined the school program and told the audience that the best teaching comes after school hours. He presented a group of 36 upper grade students in a demonstration of tumbling, climaxed by pyramid formations.

Mr. Hodges, noted sports announcer on radio and television, paid tribute to the school's athletic program, which he said "teaches coordination." Well known yachtsman, Mr. Knapp spoke on personal sports, citing sailing as the ideal sport for all ages.

Former Dartmouth football star, lecturer, writer and former Village trustee, Mr. Dooley spoke on college sports, stressing the importance of maintaining a balance in college between academic studies and sports.

Following a short sports quiz for children prepared by fathers, Robert Garlock, who opened the meeting, commended Mr. Smith for his "excellent influence and work with Murray children," in addition to organizing an evening basketball league for high school boys.

He presented Mr. Smith an honorary life membership in the New York State Congress of Parents and Teachers on behalf of the PTA, and a line drawing portrait of the instructor made by Robert Kuwahara, artist and member of the fathers' planning committee. Skipper Rowland, president of the Student Council, presented a stop watch to Mr. Smith on behalf of the students. The meeting was conducted by Jasper Rowland as program chairman.

65 New Books Purchased By Free Library

Sixty-five new books have been added to the collections at the Mamaroneck Free Library, with 26 on the non-fiction list and 29 new fiction titles.

The fiction list includes "Call It Treason," by Howe; "Never Dies the Dream," by Landon; "Cry and the Covenant," by Thompson; "Woman of Rome" by Moravia; "The Lonely," by Gallico; "One on the House," by Lasswell; "Prepare Them for Caesar," by Mabie; "Dardanelles Derlict," by Mason; "Merry Miracle," by Mian; "Graveyard to Let," by Dickson; "It's Raining Violence," by Du Bois; "The Right People," by Huston; "World Next Door," by Peters; "Corpse With the Missing Watch," by Walling; "Peaceable Kingdom," by Kennelly.

"Man With the Golden Arm," by Algren; "Voice and the Light," by Fadiman; "Loving," by Green; "Bass Derby Murder," by Knight; "Earth Abides," by Stewart; "Second Confession," by Stout; "Medical Meeting," by Walker; "Eye of God," by Bemelmans; "Invisible Gate," by Beresford-Howe; "Rogue's March," by Chapman; "Bridget Malwyn," by Boyd; "Let Love Come Last," by Caldwell; "Long Love," by Sedges; "Rage to Live," by O'Hara.

Non-fiction books are "South Pacific," by Hammerstein; "We Went Thataway," by Smith; "Country of the Blind," by Counts; "Christina Rossetti," by Zaturenska; "These Are Our Children," by Jenkins; "Best in Baseball," by Showmaker; "Road to a Richer Life," by Pitkin; "Jane Austen," by Jenkins; "Shrubs and Vines for American Gardens," by Wyman; "Thread That Runs So True," by Stuart; "Constructive Use of Atomic Energy," by Rothmann; "Peter Cooper," by Mack; "Life Among the Doctors," by De Kruif; "Dark Tides to the Wind," by Carmer; "How to Beautify and Improve Your Grounds," by Aul; "Treasury of Southern Folklore," by Botkin; "Challenge of Parenthood," by Dreikurs; "Queen of New Orleans," by Kane; "Best Plays of 1948-49"; "How to Make Braided Rugs," by Allpriet; "This I Remember," by Eleanor Roosevelt; "Masonry Simplified," by Dalzell; "The Potomac," by Gutheim; "Yankee's Wander Year," by Johnson; "Boat Building in Your Own Back Yard," by Rabl; "Case of General Yamashita," by Rell; "Treasury of Early American Homes," by Pratt; "China Shakes the World," by Belden; "Methods and Techniques for Gouache Painting," by Blanch; "Modern Football," by Crisler; "Desperate Men," by Horan; "Parent and Child," by MacKenzie; "Not So Long Ago," by Morris; "Dateline Washington," by Philips; "Roosevelt and the Russians," by Stettinius; "Jewish Cookery," by Leonard.

"MIRACLE OF CHRISTMAS"

"The Miracle of Christmas" is the title of a film to be shown tomorrow at the 11 A.M. service of the Harrison Presbyterian Church Sunday School.

Youth Groups Schedule 3 Programs Next Week

Chanukah programs will be featured at forthcoming meetings of the Youth Groups of the Westchester Jewish Center. The Young Judeans will have their program Monday afternoon with the JYL's, TYL's and AZA programs scheduled for Tuesday evening. The program of the Triple J's will be given Wednesday afternoon.

Club Women Wrap Gifts For County Homes

The philanthropic committee of the Mamaroneck Woman's Club met yesterday at the home of Mrs. Franz Kurth, 510 Cortland Avenue, Mamaroneck, to wrap Christmas gifts and plan holiday parties for residents of the County Home, Grasslands, and the Jennie Clarkson Home in Valhalla.

Members of the committee, headed by Mrs. S. Charles Hanna, as chairman, gift-wrapped 60 pairs of knitted bed-socks for Ward C-1 of the County Home, 15 pounds of candy and candy canes, and 28 woolen head scarves for girls at the Jennie Clarkson Home.

The committee will sponsor a Christmas party Dec. 16 at Grasslands and Dec. 20 at the Jennie Clarkson Home, providing refreshments and entertainment at both events.

Committee members include Mrs. Irving Fischer, Mrs. Loring Pratt, Mrs. Donald Abbott, Mrs. Walter Stevens, Mrs. Cecil Taylor, Mrs. R. B. Portuin, Mrs. R. E. Machan, Mrs. Kurth and Mrs. Hanna.

John Middleton Junior Is Born To Farnsworths

Mr. and Mrs. John Middleton Farnsworth of Norwalk, Conn., have announced the arrival of a son, John Middleton Jr., born Nov. 29 at Norwalk Hospital. Mrs. Farnsworth is the former Gloria Mulcahy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Mulcahy of 180 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont.

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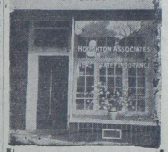

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The Weather

Scattered showers tonight, low near 40. Clearing and colder tomorrow, afternoon temperatures near 40, much colder tomorrow night. High tides today at 3:46 P. M.; tomorrow at 4:27 A. M. and 4:52 P. M.

Combing The Town

No Complaints

Joseph Lampl of 33 Glen Eagles Drive, Larchmont, could not complain about the service he got from the town police when he reported his car stolen at 12:34 A. M. yesterday.

When the police arrived at his residence, a short time later, they were driving the missing car. They had spotted it on Rockingstone Avenue between Glen and Spruce Roads, as they were driving to the Lampl residence to get more data.

The keys were in the glove compartment, but the battery was dead, so the police had to push it with a police car to get it started. A search of the area revealed no trace of anyone who might have stolen and abandoned the auto.

Article on Church

Featured in a story in yesterday's New York Times was Dr. Irving A. Marsland of 135 Beach Avenue, Mamaroneck, whose historic church at Georgetown, Conn., was the subject of the article.

Dr. Marsland, a dentist devotes part of his time to directing the activities of the Connecticut Church, which is currently being refurbished. He was named a lay minister last Spring by Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam of the Methodist Church.

Lucy Freeman, the former Lucy Greenbaum and a former member of the Daily Times staff, wrote the story. Her husband, William Freeman of Rye, took the picture.

Couldn't be Safer

An alarmed resident of the Hummocks section in Larchmont phoned town police yesterday to complain of two men in the reeds who were obviously intending to do some duck shooting.

The complainant was reassured, however, when the police shortly after reported that the ducks couldn't be any safer. The two men were from the State Conservation Department, and were just checking up to see that no one was doing any duck shooting.

Drops Wasted

They would have complained even if there hadn't been a water shortage.

Two diners at the Town House, restaurant at 127 Mamaroneck Avenue, yesterday noon became mildly disturbed when some one's profligacy with water resulted in drops seeping through the ceiling on to their coats.

Mamaroneck police and the superintendent of the building determined that a leak had developed in an upstairs office, vacant during the weekend.

Uncertain Fate

It's enough to make you wonder sometimes what women's fur coats are made of—the ones with those deceptive names.

Police found a muskrat trap yesterday in the woods off Griffin Avenue, Larchmont, that had caught a dog by one foot.

Whether the dog would have ended up in someone's fur wrap will never be known, however, since the police released the animal and took him to a veterinary for treatment of the injured paw.

To Light Tree

The Mamaroneck Methodist Church Youth Fellowship last night elected Miss Dorothy Primrose as youth representative to light the church Christmas tree at ceremonies Saturday at 4 P. M.

It marks the second year that such a representative has been chosen. The custom arose in the church when the living tree was given in memory of William H. Johnson Jr.

Named Chairman

Edgar B. Ingraham of 740 Soundview Drive, Mamaroneck, has been named chairman of the industry division in the 1950 campaign of the Greater New York Council, Boy Scouts of America.

Mr. Ingraham is president of the National Electrical Wholesalers Association. The campaign will open Jan. 4 and has a goal of $2 million.

Easy Come—

Usually, people complain about vandals taking things, but one resident of Florence Street, Mamaroneck, called police yesterday to report that pranksters had brought him something.

He had acquired, he said, two anonymous lawn chairs sometime Friday night.

DINNER TO HONOR BELLOWS H. S. SQUAD

Fathers of the Bellows Community Club will stage a football dinner honoring the Bellows football team, at the school gymnasium Thursday at 7:30 P. M.

Chairman of the dinner is William Stein and Stephen Johnston is chairman of the entertainment committee. Football, movies and a speaker, whose name will be announced later this week, will be features of the program.

The dinner will be prepared by Fred Feldt and Salvatore Fallace and girl cheerleaders will serve it. Reservations are limited to 100. Any man wishing to attend may contact William Fitts Jr., 304 South Barry Avenue.

PEAK SAVING HIT IN CONSUMPTION OF WATER HERE

Residents Cut Use 14.3 P. C. Friday But Weekend Figure Drops

The drop in water consumption reached a high of 14.3 per cent Friday, but weekend figures declined to about 13.5 per cent per day, statistics compiled by the Westchester Joint Water Works and released by Supervisor Owen A. Manderville of the Town of Mamaroneck, chairman of the Water Board, revealed today.

While the savings were within two per cent of the daily goal considered necessary by the New York City officials to stretch reserves, they represented a substantial increase over the drops reported during the first part of last week. The percentages, compiled in comparison to daily consumption figures for the last eight weeks, showed a savings of about 8 per cent for the Dec. 4th weekend. The figure rose to 10 and 12 percent on Tuesday and Wednesday, culminating in a 14.3 per cent drop Friday, 13.8 Saturday and 13.3 yesterday.

Despite the rise in percentages Saturday and Sunday consumption by gallons indicated a continuing decline. Residents used 3,023,000 gallons Friday, 2,996,000 Saturday and 2,926,000 yesterday.

The rain which fell yesterday "means little or nothing at all," Mr. Manderville warned today. Indicators at the Water Works revealed that about a quarter of an inch fell during the day, and while this was mainly absorbed by the ground, it may prove helpful in stemming diminishing reserves if rain continues to fall, Mr. Manderville pointed out.

The rain that falls here, however, has little value when compared to the rain that falls in northern Westchester and the Catskill watershed. Most of the sections of the communities serviced by the Westchester Joint Water Works, the Town and Village of Mamaroneck and the Town of Harrison, do not lie within the watershed of their own reservoir.

RESIDENT HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Slater Suffers Head Gash As Collision Catapults Cars On Post Rd.

James Slater of 142 Fulton Road, Mamaroneck, suffered a serious gash over the left eye early yesterday morning, when his car collided on the Post Road with one driven by Louis Paul Rosa of 15 Stevenson Boulevard, New Rochelle, as the Rosa car pulled out of the driveway of the Post Lodge and made a left turn on the Post Road.

Mr. Slater was taken by Town Patrolman Eugene De Veau to New Rochelle Hospital where two stitches were required to close the cut in his forehead. He was released after treatment.

Mr. Slater told the town police that he was driving East on the Post Road about 2:15 P.M. when the Rosa car, coming from the drive on his left, cut in front of him as it turned east and that he was unable to avoid colliding with the rear of the Rosa car.

Both autos were badly damaged as the force of the impact sent the Slater car wobbling out of control across the Post Road, over the north curb, and down the sidewalk, where it finally came to rest against a light pole.

The Rosa car was hurled over the south curb, and stopped with its rear wheels in the road and its front section on the sidewalk. The rear of the Rosa car and the front of the Slater car were demolished. Both vehicles were towed from the scene.

U. S. Rests Case In Hiss Trial

NEW YORK, (AP)—The government rested its case in the second Alger Hiss perjury trial at 12:27 P. M. today.

The prosecution's 45th and final witness was Mrs. Hede Massing, former wife of Communist fugitive Gerhart Eisler, who stood by her story that Hiss was a Communist underground worker when he held high State Department office before the war.

Mrs. Massing, formerly a Vinnese actress, said under cross-examination she believed Hiss had broken with the Communist Party since that time.

Hiss' second trial began Nov. 17 and the government rested its case during the 15th court day.

AT A BRIEFING SESSION Saturday on Scout strategy in the current water conservation campaign, Larchmont District Scout Commissioner John B. Forrest points to a map of the village and indicates the section through which scouts of Troop Six were to deliver conservation circulars. Looking on, center, is Mayor Walter B. C. Washburn, as scoutmasters and scouts of various troops lined up the "Save Water" cards which were delivered throughout the village.

SCOUTS AID DRIVE IN WATER CRISIS

100 Boys Distribute Cards In Larchmont Urging Rigid Economy

All houses, apartments, restaurants and drugstores in Larchmont received water-conservation notices Saturday morning by 100 Boy Scouts from Troops Three, Six, Seven and Eight, canvassed every section of the village to distribute more than 1,500 envelopes containing information and instructions on saving water.

The volunteers gathered at the fire house at 9 A. M. and started on their rounds at 9:30 after receiving final instructions from Scout Commissioner John Forrest.

Troop Three covered the east side of Larchmont Manor from Larchmont Avenue to the Flint Park area; Troop Eight covered the west side of the Manor, toward New Rochelle; Troop Seven spread out in the area from Nassau Road to Larchmont Avenue that includes the Colony and Brompton Apartments; and Troop Six distributed employees in the section between Larchmont Avenue and the Post Road on the north side of the Post Road.

The entire operation was completed at 10:45, an hour and a quarter after the Scouts deployed from the fire house.

Distributed to all water consumers were cards designed to be hung over water faucets and captioned "Save Water" in bold type across the top and bottom. The cards warn householders to repair drips and leaks in plumbing, take short showers instead of baths, not to leave water running while shaving, washing clothes or peeling vegetables, and to conserve on laundering.

On the envelope containing the cards is the message: "Please cooperate to save water as the Boy Scouts of Larchmont have by delivering this."

The drafting of the emergency Scout detail followed prolonged discussion of the water crisis by the Mayor and Board of Trustees earlier in the week.

WHITE PLAINS ORATOR WINS LEGION CONTEST

Welthy Halstead of the White Plains High School was the winner in the zone finals of the American Legion oratorical contest held yesterday at the Larchmonth Post 347 Clubhouse, Flint Park. Miss Halstead won over Jane Marlitt of Bellows High School; Ronald Wyn, Mamaroneck High School student and Port Chester, New Rochelle, Harrison and Scarsdale winners in preliminary contest held last week.

Miss Halstead, who placed first in the elimination contest at White Plains High School last Wednesday, will compete Friday night with other zone winners throughout the county at the County Court House in White Plains.

Dr. Herman Hoffman of the American Legion was chairman of yesterday's program.

Toole Fined $25

John C. Toole, twenty-one-year-old Stamford, Conn., bartender, was fined $25 for reckless driving by Judge Henry T. Hornidge in Mamaroneck Police Court Saturday.

Toole was arrested early Saturday morning by Mamaroneck police after a chase that ended in a deadend street in Larchmont.

Economic Immaturity Charged By Banking Expert At Forum

A plea for "economic maturity" on the part of individuals and government was voiced last night by Leroy Lewis of Larchmont, educational director of the American Institute of Banking, at the second Sunday Forum of the Mamaroneck Methodist Church. Mr. Lewis decried the "economic illiteracy" which he claimed is markedly evident today and said that it is intellectual dishonesty to think of budgets which don't have to be balanced because of a theory of "compensatory spending." That philosophy, he said, considers deficit spending justified as an aid to morale.

"We must recognize and understand the economic facts of life," Mr. Lewis declared," keeping ourselves informed about economic factors not only in our homes and in our local communities but also in the state, the country and in international relationships.

"An intellectually mature person sizes up the situation, makes decisions on the basis of known facts, and assumes the responsibility for those decisions."

In the light of the Hoover Report on government, he claimed, this country has not reached this maturity on government spending but has developed a mental attitude of dependence upon government and a lack of self-reliance.

"During the last 30 years we have developed a collectivist philosophy of life. We appear to have lost the concepts of self-reliance and of opportunity for the individual, he continued. "Opportunity is, however, still part of our birthright but too many of us merely want security. We have little idea of the facts of life with regard to profits and taxes and many of us must be educated on the economic facts facing us."

Knowledge, however, Mr. Lewis pointed out, will be of little value without emotional-economic maturity. "People today must live more in terms of realities than in terms of desires, prejudices, or wishes," he said. "Accordingly, it is of little value to desire something and then just hope that it will come about. For economic

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FOOTBALL LAUDED AS IDEAL SPORT

Snavely Stresses Benefits Of Game In Address at St. Thomas's

Football as an important part of a youth's education was stressed yesterday by Carl Snavely, gridiron mentor of the University of North Carolina, in a speech before 150 men and boys of St. Thomas's Episcopal Church at an annual breakfast in the Parish House.

"We need something in education today that emphasizes muscular strength, agility and stamina, something that will build character, loyalty, teamwork, cooperation and fidelity to a cause," Mr. Snavely declared. "If football is properly supervised, it can contribute something to education along those lines."

The sport can prove an antidote, Coach Snavely contended, for the relatively easy physical life a boy leads today." Contrasting the modern youth with his farm-choring counterpart three decades ago, Mr. Snavely pointed out that boys today have not the opportunity either to develop the physical or the moral strength that

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Truax Again to Head Brevoort Shore Ass'n

Earle T. Truax was reelected president Friday night of the Brevoort Lake Shore Association at its annual meeting at his home, 240 Brevoort Lane, Greenhaven.

Named to serve with him for the year's term were Dr. Harold Freund, vice president, and Maurice Brannigan, secretary-treasurer.

The officers told the 25 members who attended that they have committed themselves to take a more active part in affairs affecting Rye Neck and the City of Rye to secure better education for children and to protect against constantly rising taxes in Old Greenhaven.

EXTOLLING football's educational merits, Coach Carl Snavely, mentor of the University of North Carolina tarheels, spoke yesterday before the men and boys of St. Thomas's Episcopal Church in the Parish House at the annual breakfast following corporate communion. Pictured, left to right, are Arthur E. Allen Jr., the Rev. Arnold A. Fenton, rector; Mr. Snavely, Dr. Charles Mann, president of the Church Men's Club; Earl Nelson and the Rev. William Springer, assistant.

—Staff Photo

ANGUS WARD SAFE ON RESCUE SHIP; HITS TREATMENT

Calls It Hellish; Jokes With Newsmen After Signing Paper On 'Safety'

TIENTSIN, (AP)—Consul General Angus Ward and his 19-member party boarded Lakeland Victory, the evacuation ship today and declared he had suffered "hellish treatment" at the hands of the Chinese Communists.

The United States Official, who was caught at his Consulate by the fall of Mukden to Chinese Reds more than a year ago, declared his final freedom made him feel just as one would "after St. Peter lets you in."

It was the first time in 13 months Ward had been able to move without an armed escort. And 28 days of that time he was in a Communist jail, in solitary confinement, in Mukden. On 24 of those days he was kept in unheated quarters in freezing temperatures.

Bread and Water Diet

He lost 25 pounds. His jail menu was six slices of bread daily and hot water.

"That's not a very strengthening or fattening diet," he quipped.

For all members of the party, including Mrs. Ward, several women and some children, it was the first time they had not been under Red surveillance since Nov. 20, 1948. On that date the Reds closed the Consulate and clamped such secrecy on their movements and fate that even the U. S. State Department knew virtually nothing about them. Even their final departure, under Red deportation orders on phoney charges, was delayed by red tape.

For some time today, only Ward was permitted to board the ship.

Before they would permit the

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WEATHER BALKS YIELD OF PAPER

Post 90 Collects 35 Tons, However, Before Fog Sets In

Although fog and early darkness interfered, Legionnaires of Mamaroneck Post 90 yesterday collected approximately 35 tons of newspapers, magazines and corrugated paper in their second drive of the year, James V. Kerry, chairman, announced this morning.

Although the return was less by 17 tons than the net from the Oct. 16 drive, Mr. Kerry pointed out that yesterday's drizzle had discouraged total cooperation from residents and had hampered workers. Also the Oct. 16 drive was the first held in seven months, during which time, homeowners presumably amassed greater quantities of waste paper.

The fleet of trucks began their canvass of the village as noon and used Donnelro's 513 Waverly Avenue, for a disposal point. The 30 workers were served refreshments by the auxiliary.

Any bundles the canvassers may have missed will be picked up tonight provided they are still at the curb, Mr. Kerry said.

Trucks for the drive were led by Salvatore Quadrini, Al Bender, Mayor B. J. Santoro, Clifford Goodliffe, J. B. Holland and Richard Anthes.

Mid-West Cold Wave To Strike East Tomorrow

Temperatures to Fall Tonight; Fog Perils Driving Here

The cold wave that is crossing the Mid-Western states is due in Westchester by tomorrow night. The Weather Bureau says the temperature will drop to 34 to 38 tonight but the forecast for tomorrow night is "much colder".

After a weekend of rain, snow, ice, and fog, it was reported that only between 13 and 25 inches of water fell on Westchester—only enough to supply county residents with water for a few hours.

Driving conditions were bad over the weekend, Saturday night and early Sunday morning, police reported badly iced roads in many sections. This, according to weather observers at the Westchester County Airport, was due to mist, warm air and a ground temperature below freezing.

Last night and this morning presented a problem in the form of a fog blanket over the metropolitan area. Automobile traffic and airports in the area did not have enough visibility for safe operations.

The rain and fog are due to end by late tonight, when the temperature will turn somewhat colder. The temperature will climb to a high of 40 tomorrow before the cold wave strikes this area, the Weather Bureau said.

NEW YORK, (AP)—Heavy fog enveloped New York City for the second successive day today,

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CENTER OBSERVES SILVER JUBILEE

Celebration Will Coincide With Chanukah Holiday Festival

In observance of the 25th anniversary of its inception, the Westchester Jewish Center has scheduled nearly two weeks of activities which began yesterday and will last until Dec. 23.

The anniversary celebration has been planned coincidentally with the Chanukah religious observances, lasting from the 15th to the 23rd.

The anniversary, however, began four days early yesterday with Open School Day, featuring a hobby show and two Chanukah plays produced by the Sunday School.

Tonight the Sisterhood and the Men's Club joinly sponsor an open meeting at 8:30 P. M., when Dr. John C. Payne, professor of education, New York University, will discuss "A Christian Views Israel." In addition, a candlelight drill will be presented by the TYLs Youth Group.

At 2 P. M. tomorrow a Westchester Jewish Center Cradle Roll pre-Chanukah party for two-to-four-year-old youngsters will be held at the home of Mrs. Harold Shapiro, 125 South Barry Avenue.

The late Forum-Service Friday at 8:30 P. M. will feature a special 25th anniversary program, while at 9:45 A. M. Sunday a special Chanukah show with puppets, magic and ventriloquism will be staged.

The Sisterhood theater party will see "I Know My Love," with Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne, Monday evening.

Driver Fails To Get Away After Crash

Maybe Arthur Leon, twenty-three, of 2 East Main Street, New Rochelle, thought no one would notice him as he proceeded "very slowly" down the Post Road toward Mamaroneck at 3:24 A. M. yesterday.

But he forgot that an automobile is a pretty conspicuous object in the first place, and even more conspicuous when it has just uprooted a police booth about 20 feet from Larchmont police headquarters.

Mr. Leon seems to have thought things over for a few minutes, however, before he departed from the scene of the crash for, according to the police report, his car spent two or three minutes on the north side of the municipal building, its right rear section flush against the west panel of the police booth, which had been seriously damaged as the auto careened into it after skidding on the slippery Post Road.

The car was then seen to proceed slowly across the lawn, cross the sidewalk and curb, pass to *about the center of the Post Road,* and abruptly turn east and start for Mamaroneck. It had gone about 100 feet before it was stopped by a police radio car which had been notified from headquarters to investigate the driver for leaving the scene of an accident.

Mr. Leon was hailed into the police station and booked for damaging village property and leaving the scene of an accident.

He was also booked on a third charge, which may or may not shed some further light on his deliberations while leaning on the police booth. He was driving without a license.

All three charges are returnable in Larchmont Police Court Dec. 13 at 7:30 P. M.

VANDALS RANSACK HIGH SCHOOL OFFICE

The Mamaroneck Junior High School was entered sometime Friday night or early Saturday morning and although vandals thoroughly ransacked one of the offices, dumping papers on the floor and disturbing the contents of drawers, they found nothing of value.

A. E. Tuttle, assistant to the superintendent, who reported the break to Mamaroneck police at 8:31 A. M. Saturday, said after an inventory of his office that nothing had been taken.

Entry was made through a broken window in Mr. Tuttle's office, which faces the Boston Post Road.

O'DONNELL LAUDS U. S. ROLE ABROAD

Larchmonter Raps Claim Of Imperialism In Selling Democracy

By MAUREEN McKERNAN

The United States program of "selling Democracy" is not imperialism, speakers were agreed on yesterday's Sunday afternoon Westchester Newspapers Radio Forum which was broadcast over WFAS from 4 to 4:45 o'clock.

A warning against precedent diplomacy that could lead to "dollar imperialism" was sounded by Mrs. Henry Wilcox Johnson of New Rochelle. One such danger, she says, faces America if she takes over Britain's responsibilities in the Near East, thereby gaining economic power in that area.

Harold Kronenberg, White Plains attorney, condemned the accusations of dollar diplomacy by citing the manner in which the United States insisted that the Mexican expropriation of oil lands was for the courts, not the Army to settle. He outlined America's course of decades, tending to "give the fruits of our Democracy to the world" through Wilson's 14 points", open covenants openly arrived at", lend-lease, the United Nations, the Marshall Plan, UNESCO and the other world wide betterment programs.

Frank X. O'Donnell Jr., attorney of Larchmont, declared America's unpreparedness for war in 1939 was hardly characteristic of an imperialistic people. He cited the equalmindedness the Marshall Plan, the Bretton Woods "Point 4" plan of industrial aid through private means to backward nations, and America's aid in creating the United Nations at a time when her national strength would have made it possible to dictate to the world.

In her summary, Miss Frances Marlatt of Mount Vernon who is *permanent moderator of the forum,* did not attempt a summary but stated that America's critics say the nation will seek military and political control of the nations now being helped but that others see in the American program the most humanitarian program of all time.

11 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS!

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PRAYER FOR TODAY—Heavenly Father: Day by day and week by week, men and women fall by the wayside, their lamps of light and love and service dimmed by death. While the veil hangs dark between, let not the bell be tolled, but sounded forth from the distant hills: "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord. They rest from their labors and their works do follow them." I chant my praise for the imperishable certainties that sing on forever and foretell the morning of earth's fairest day. Make me too worthy of such a requiem.

CENSUS 'SNOOPERS'

REPRESENTATIVE Clarence J. Brown of Ohio has announced that the Truman administration proposes to introduce a new element into the 1950 Federal census taking. The instructions from Washington to the census crews, he reveals, are that they are to ask every fifth individual the amount of his earnings.

Says Congressman Brown:

"The Truman administration has turned the 1050 census into a super-snooping invasion of the American people's sacred right of privacy."

But, the average citizen will ask in return, by what right can Washington do this to me?

The answer, replies Mr. Brown, is in the provisions of the census act which provide penalties of a $100 fine or sixty days in jail for refusing to answer, and $500 or one year in jail for giving a false answer.

"There it is," sums up Congressman Brown. "A perfect example of Socialism in action. You have no right as an individual. You tell all to Washington. You knuckle under to the government or go to jail."

For our part, we do not believe the government has either legal or moral right to snoop into the private affairs of its citizenry to this extent. There is a right, we admit, to obtain an honest estimate of incomes where taxation is the issue. But merely for the sake of prying curiosity, this would be just one more encroachment upon the individual liberties which have suffered so heavily during the 20 years of the Fair New Deal. This is particularly embarrassing, we suggest, when it is recalled that the census takers will, in most cases, be neighborhood people, and not necessarily bound to the secrecy which their oath of office may pledge.

Is there no personal privacy at all left to Americans?

PREVIEW FOR THE PALATE

THE Society of Restaurateurs of New York City has announced a new trick to titillate the appetite. It is called the "Viand Visualizer," or "VV" for short, and consists of a compact plastic device or viewer, somewhat like the old fashioned parlor stereoscope through which an earlier generation gazed with awe at tinted pictures of Niagara Falls, the Statue of Liberty and Eliza Crossing the Ice.

This "VV" is handed the patron who is uncertain of his menu choice. Full-color transparent slides are inserted, showing in three dimensions the restaurant's offerings from the kitchen. It may be crisply fried Southern style chicken, or a life like mutton chop, or a sizzling charcoal-cooked steak, or any other major course, along with a baked Idaho potato in which a lump of butter seems to melt before the eyes, or the contrasting colors of succulent succotash, or the deliciously glazed bronze of New England brick-oven baked beans with slice of bacon oozing its fat into the juices.

The idea, you see, is to intrigue the patron into ordering a bit more than ordinarily might be the case, since it is axiomatic that the eyes are always hungrier than the stomach.

It sounds like good psychology. But, we venture, it may prove to be a boomerang.

For, what item, whether the girl in the nylon stocking advertisement, the square-shouldered gent in the dinner jacket, or as, in this case the mutton-chop and baked potato, ever looks as glamorous, as desirable, as appetizing in actual appearance as it did in the pictures?

AMBULANCE, BUS RAM; COP, 2 OTHERS HURT

NEW YORK, (AP)—An ambulance driver, an attendant and a policeman were injured this morning when an ambulance and a bus collided at 116th Street and Madison Avenue.

The injured were Joseph Canpola, twenty-four of the Bronx, ambulance driver for Mother Cabrini Hospital, Harry Kellogg, thirty-two, of 433 East 119th Street, an attendant, and Patrolman William Powers, of 130 West 166th Street.

Police said the driver of the Madison Avenue bus, Joseph McCormick, of the Bronx and 25 passengers were shaken up but escaped injury.

An ambulance patient, being taken to Bellevue Hospital for psychiatric examination, walked away from the scene of the accident during the attendant confusion, police said. All the injured were taken to Mother Cabrini Hospital.

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CHEVROLET

The Counselor

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Question: There was an article in your column from C. C. asking for pamphlets about Alcoholics Anonymous. For your future reference, the intergroup of the A. A. has moved to a new address at 114 Lexington Avenue, New York 16. Also you can tell your readers that there are groups in almost all of the towns and cities of Westchester. All they need to do is ask any judge of their town and he will give them the meeting place.

Answer: Thank you for sending us the new address. We would like to quote from a folder that we received from Alcoholics Anonymous in reference to the purpose of the organization.

"Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism.

"The only requirement for membership is an honest desire to stop drinking. A. A. has no dues or fees. It is not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, organization or institution; does not wish to engage in any controversy, neither endorses nor opposes any causes. Our primary purpose is to stay sober and help other alcoholics to achieve sobriety."

SAFEGUARD

Question: I hesitate to let my youngsters have any wooden toys this Christmas because of the danger involved from splinters. My youngest puts everything in his mouth and wooden toys can be perilous. Is there anything we can do to protect them and yet let them have such toys?

Mrs. D. J.

Answer: An application of several thin coats of white shellac to the toys will eliminate this hazard. Shellac is non-toxic, so you will not have to worry about the children getting it on their tongues.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS

Question: I am a new comer here and am interested in learning more about the Christmas carol program which, I understand, is planned for Dec. 18 at the County Center. Is everyone invited?

Mrs. M. W.

Answer: "Peace on Earth," a Christmas program sponsored by the Westchester Recreation Commission, will begin at 3 P. M., Sunday, Dec. 18 at the County Center in White Plains. The program will include Yuletide music and dances, a Nativity pageant, United Nations singers, and carol singing. Everyone is welcome.

FOSTER HOME CHILDREN

Question: Will you please give the address of the society that is collecting Christmas gifts for children in foster homes? I have misplaced it.

Mrs. H. C.

Answer: The Westchester Children's Association, 7 Lake Street, White Plains, is making such an appeal. The children range in age from infancy to sixteen years. Toys, dolls, sleds, sport equipment, costume jewelry, etc. will all be appreciated.

Col. Joe Bush Says:

One of the remarkable things about the climate of Washington at this time of the year is the large number of White House secretaries and assistants and clerks and aides and generals and admirals and experts who simply cannot bear to be away from the Big Boss. They tear themselves from the bosom of their families to answer the call to Duty—but none of 'em forgets to take along his bathin' suit.

They can talk all they want about "holidays" and "vacations" and the like but they won't save water in any big way 'till they start chargin' for it by the gallon. And that means everybody has got to be metered. You don't see folks wastin' Scotch or gasoline, do you?

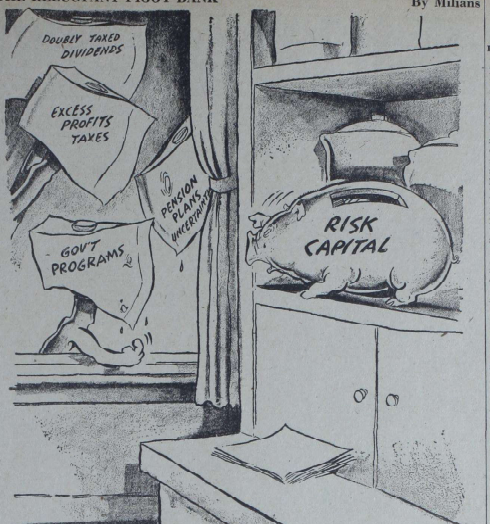
There really ain't much reason for bein' nervous or upset about Hisconer Bill O'Dwyer goin' off on a vacation and leavin' the Big City and all its problems behind. Here comes Mike Quill, buckety-buckety, to take over the responsibility and settle everything with his shillelagh. Ain't we lucky?

Most of the folks who attended the Superiors' public hearing on the Westchester County budget last Friday night wanted cuts in everything except their own pet projects. Nobody has yet found a way to change human nature.

These are the days when Poppa is the kin you love to touch!

THE RELUCTANT PIGGY BANK

By Milians



Grab Bag

THE ANSWER QUICK!

1—Which of the United States touches only one other state?

2—What is the purpose of the "dimples" on a golf ball?

3—What European nation is governed by the House of Orange?

4—Into which of the Great Lakes does the Niagara River flow?

5—What is the nickname of the state of New Hampshire?

It's Been Said

He who is not contented with what he has, would not be contented with what he would like to have.—**Anonymous**

IT HAPPENED TODAY

1745—John Jay, American statesman and jurist, born, 1787—Pennsylvania ratified United States Constitution. 1800—Washington, D. C., became permanent capital of United States. 1936—George VI proclaimed king of England, as Duke of Windsor leaves country following abdication. 1941—In World War II, Japanese seized Guam, attacked Midway and Wake Islands.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Among those who are celebrating birthday anniversaries today are Edward G. Robinson, actor, Frank Sinatra, crooner and actor, and Henry Armstrong, boxer.

GUESS THE NAME

1—This noted author was born in Oak Park, Ill., July 21, 1899. He covered the Spanish civil war as a war correspondent, was war correspondent in China in 1941, and in the European theater and on the Western front in World War II. A Farewell to Arms, Death in the Afternoon, Men Without Women, To Have and Have Not, For Whom the Bell Tolls, are some of his many books. He lives at San Francisco de Paula, Cuba. What is his name?

2—He was born in Eisenbach, Germany, March 21, 1685. His parents died when he was 10, and a brother brought him up. He studied music constantly—church music being his special forte. At 19 he became an organist for a church at Arnstadt. It was in Leipzig, however, that most of his life was spent and most of his music written. He was for years organist and choir master of the Thomaskirch. His wife died, leaving him with seven children. He married again and had 13 children by this wife. His most colossal musical achievements—his Passion According to St. Matthew and his B Minor Mass, date from this period. He lost his sight as he grew older, and died of apoplexy July 28, 1750. What was his name?

Your Future

A good day to meet responsibilities instead of avoiding them. Your fortunes should revive in the next year. Watch for strength of character in the child born today, and an affectionate nature.

Watch Your Language

INTRUDE — (in-TROOD) — verb: to thrust or force something in or upon, to force oneself in without leave or welcome; to enter, or cause to enter, by force. Origin: Latin—Intrudere, Instrusm, from in plus Trudere, to thrust.

How'd Make Out?

1—Maine.

2—They almost double the length of a drive.

3—Holland.

4—Ontario.

5—Granite State.

1 — Ernest Hemingway. 2 — Johann Sebastian Bach.

YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT

Central Press Writer

Medical tests show, we read, that when a person is in low spirits he imagines he has a cold. However, when a person has a cold one doesn't have to imagine the low spirits.

Now that its grains are almost worth their weight in gold, it isn't odd that percolating coffee has gained an extra tantalizing odor.

And if bacon follows coffee's lead into the stratosphere of prices, missing breakfast is going to become a refined type of torture.

The soaring costs of railroad travel move Zadok Dumkopf to remark that the R. R. industry is trying to match the air transport industry but in the wrong medium.

Pure English, according to a linguist, was spoken by only six million people in Shakespeare's time. We doubt if there's half that number today.

The Christmas gift snopping season sees the average householder trying to put an extra budge into the budget.

Scientists, we hear, have at last determined that the angle worm has its brain up front, instead of the middle or elsewhere. It's comforting to note that such an ancient gadget as the worm has no such new fangled business as a rear-end drive.

Bulgarian Communists See Embalmed Leader

SOFIA, Bulgaria, (AP)—Bulgarian Communists today filed in homage before the embalmed body of their late premier, Georgi Dimitrov, which was placed on view yesterday in Sofia's Ninth of September Square.

The body, like that of Nicolai Lenin in Moscow's Red Square, was embalmed by a secret Soviet process which the Russians said would preservee it indefinitely.

YEAR'S LIGHT BULBS

Americans use about a dozen electric light bulbs per capita every year.

Calendar

TODAY

Ladies' Night, Larchmont Men's Club, Murray Avenue School, 8 P. M.

Alert Lodge, Masonic Hall, Mamaroneck, 8 P. M.

Sub-deb Section, Mamaroneck Woman's Club, 8 P. M.

Wesleyan Service Guild, Mamaroneck Methodist Church, 8 P. M.

Mamaroneck Village Board, Municipal Building, 8:15 P. M.

Larchmont Fire Council, Municipal Building, 8:15 P. M.

VFW and auxiliary, 125 Boston Post Road, Larchmont, 8:30 P. M.

Open House, Joint Brotherhood and Sisterhood Meeting, Westchester Jewish Center, 8:30 P. M.

TOMORROW

Annual Meeting, Mamaroneck Health Center, 10 A. M.

Cancer Group, Mamaroneck Health Center, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Auxiliary, St. John's Church, Larchmont, 10:30 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Mamaroneck Lions Club, Greenhaven Inn, 12:15 P. M.

Larchmont Avenue Church, home sewing groups, 12:30 P. M.

Eastern Westchester Unit, Junior League, Larchmont Yacht Club, 12:45 P. M.

St. Augustine's Ladies' Bridge, Larchmont, 1 P. M.

P-T Council, Mamaroneck Avenue School, 1:15 P. M.

Woman's Society of Christian Service, Mamaroneck Methodist Church, 2 P. M.

Junior Section Candlelight Supper, Mamaroneck Woman's Club, 7 P. M.

Sub-debs, Larchmont Woman's Club, Larchmont Avenue Church, 7:30 P. M.

Mamaroneck Board of Education, Senior High School, 8 P. M.

Rye Neck Board of Education, Barry Avenue School, 8 P. M.

Pre-school discussion, Bellows High School, Mamaroneck, 8:15 P. M.

Masonic Lodge, No. 1030, F. and A. M., St. John's Church, Larchmont, 8:30 P. M.

Mamaroneck Post 90, American Legion, Legion Hall, 8:30 P. M.

Caroling Group, St. Augustine's, 8:30 P. M.

Son of Ex-Greek Aide Freed from Hospital

NORWALK, Conn., (AP) — George Papandreou, twenty-one, son of former Premier George Papandreou of Greece, has been discharged from the Norwalk Hospital after two days as a patient there.

Hospital authorities reported his discharge yesterday, but refused to say what ailed the youth who was found semi-conscious Friday in his room at Cherry Lawn School in Darien.

MORE IRRIGATION POSSIBLE

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AN ODD STORY

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A.L.—the Butter Man

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BRILLO Soap Pads
BRILL'S Spanish Rice
BURNETT'S Vanilla
CALGON
CANADA DRY Ginger Ale
CARLING'S Ale
CHASE & SANBORN Coffee
CLOROX
CUPLET'S Cup Cake Mix
DAN-DEE Relish
DEL MONTE Tomato Sauce
DIAMOND CRYSTAL Salt
FLAGSTAFF Foods
FLAKIES Cookie Mix
FLAKO Pie Crust Mix
FLAKORN Corn Muffin Mix
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GEBHARDT Chili Powder
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MY-T-FINE Chocolate Pudding
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PLANTER'S Peanut Oil
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REDDI-WIP
REYNOLDS WRAP
S. O. S.
SALADA Tea
SAVARIN Coffee
SEABROOK Frozen Corn on Cob
SEALTEST Ice Cream
STATLER Tissue
STERLING Salt
SUNDAETTES
SWANSDOWN Cake Flour
TENDER LEAF Instant Tea
TROMMER'S Beer
WISE Potato Chips

When you go to SHOP Specify Brand Names

A Glance Backward

DECADE AGO

From The Daily Times)

Efforts to revive the defunct New York, Westchester and Boston Railway were not to include service on the Port Chester branch which ran through Mamaroneck and Larchmont. Reopening of the NYC to White Plains line alone was under contemplation. . . . Former Mayor Henry T. Hornidge, Clarence F. Hussey, an attorney, and Village Trustee Howard Meighan were among the county's prominant citizens who protested the plan to issue sectional phone books at the Public Service Commission's inquiry . . . Thirty British Ebenheim bombers were reported to have reached Finland to strengthen the Finnish Air defense against the invading Russians . . . A song entitled, "My Heart's On a Spree," written by John Graff of Clark Court, Larchmont, was given its first public rendition at a dinner-dance of the University Club of Larchmont . . . Dr. Edgar Ernst was appointed chairman in charge of the celebration of the Larchmont Rotary Club's 10th anniversary . . . Austin F. Tierney became chairman of the committee for the "Father and Son Night" of St. Augustine's Men's Club . . . Miss Frances Jefferson of Larchmont directed a one-act play presented as part of the Pennmore Players' production at the Book and Brook Studio . . . Robert Leslie Taylor was among the Syracuse University students who participated in leadership of more than 215 child society groups in the city of Syracuse.

Try And Stop Me

By DENNETT CERF

Up Newport way, they tell a story of how the late Admiral Sims first attracted the attention of President Theodore Roosevelt. Sims, then a lieutenant j.g., sent a letter direct to the President in which he stated bluntly, "The trouble with our Navy is that it simply does not know how to shoot."

The startled President sent for Sims forthwith. The Lieutenant did not detract. Instead, he proposed that a floating target be built, and that the entire Eastern flotilla steam by and fire at it. "Did the President order the target built?" asked the man to whom Admiral Sims was telling the story later. "He did," said the Admiral. "And did the Navy know how to shoot?" pressed the questioner. "Hell," said Sims, "they haven't hit that target yet!"

Novelist Laura Hobson complained that she had lost in a poker game the previous night. Cleveland Amory told her, "That's what you get for sitting up with a slick friend."

1300 Hear Talk Given At CNR By Monsignor

The coming of the Holy Spirit in this generation, which will take the form of a second Spring of sanctity, was predicted by the Right Rev. Monsignor Fulton J. Sheen, nationally known Catholic author and speaker, and professor in the department of scholastic philosophy at Catholic University, before approximately 1,300 persons who thronged the Sports Building of the College of New Rochelle Saturday night.

The Right Rev. Monsignor Francis X. Shea, pastor of Blessed Sacrament Church, and Dean of Westchester County Roman Catholic Clergy, introduced the speaker. The lecture was sponsored by Westchester Chapter, CNR Alumnae Association.

Egotism, pride and worldliness were listed by the speaker as the main pluis away from faith, saying that the old words for these terms were pride, lust, and avarice.

"People do not fall away from faith for a reason, but for a thing. It never does any good to argue with them to bring them back; the best way is to begin with the need of the spiritual. Problems of moral behavior must be settled before the intellectual.

Three of the "greatest confessions of history" were reviewed by Monsignor Sheen as showing the right, wrong and compromise methods of resolving the civil war between matter and spirit. They were, respectively, that of St. Augustine, Jean Jacques Rousseau and Heloise and Abelard.

The compromise solution was described through the story of the famous eleventh century figure of Abelard, who with Heloise, admitted that their illicit relations were wrong and the law right, but broke the law anyway.

Wrong solution to the conflict was described by Monsignor Sheen as that given by the confessions of Rousseau, who propagated the idea that man is naturally good and it is civilization that makes him wicked. "Nature to us is that which makes a thing what it is; to Jean Jacques it meant the primitive beginnings of animal origins. We think a man is good when he tends to God. According to Rousseau he is good when he tends to his animal instincts, and therefore there is no conflict of the spirit, only flesh," explained the Monsignor, who commented that this philosophy extends through much of modern psychology, particularly the Freudian type. "Basically the source of so much unhappiness of the modern world is that it does not understand the nature of a man," he said.

"PUT YOUR LITTLE FOOT RIGHT OUT" is the popular square dance demonstrated above by Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Hotchkiss, at left, and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Stahr, all of Larchmont, who are among the 82 couples enrolled in the square dancing class held Wednesdays as part of the adult education program at Mamaroneck Senior High School. Any interested resident has been invited to attend the classes, directed by Gerald Donnelly of New Rochelle, with music for all types of square dances provided by records on the public address system. Charles L. Warren is principal of the Evening School. —Staff Photo

Christmas Play Presented By Sunday School

"Prelude to Christmas" was the title of a play written by Peter K. Dufault of Mamaroneck which was presented yesterday by students of the Intermediate Department of the Mamaroneck Methodist Church Sunday School in the church parlors.

The play, directed by Mrs. Dufault, depicted Christmas Eve in a large city, as experienced by a poor family in a dilapidated flat. It showed the spirit of Christmas, which, as it reached the flat from carolers on the street, changed the attitude of the tenants, and a difficult landlady, who returned a portion of the rent for the family to buy Christmas gifts.

Members of the cast were Frank Rohrig, Martha Phelps, Charlie Shaw, Alfred Heath and Carol Park. The prologue was given by Harriet Winfield, and the properties committee was headed by David Addleman, Charles Warren and Carol Olsen.

Following the play, the Junior Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Lewis H. Donaldson, sang four selections, "As Lately We Watched," "The Coventry Carol," "Sleep, Holy Babe," and "The Birthday of a King."

The call to worship was given by Marsha Yerdon. Boys of the department served refreshments including cookies which they baked at the home of Mrs. Gerald F. Winfield, superintendent of the department.

Members of the hospitality committee, under the chairmanship of Oliver Clowe, were James Babe, Ross Abell, Jan Duncan, Jack Goodfife, Vaughn Abbott, David Kaehrle and Bruce Stevens.

—Lincoln Studio

MISS MARIE DE VIVO

300 Attend Yule Open House Program Of Girl Scout Troops

About 300 Girl Scouts and their guests attended the annual Christmas open house program held yesterday at the Weaver Street Fire House by the Larchmont organization, where announcement of various holiday service projects was made.

The program opened with "Red Nosed Reindeer" by Brownie Troop 22, followed by singing games by Brownies of all troops. "Jingle Bells" and "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town," by Intermediate troops preceded Christmas carols by the audience, led by Mrs. Mahlon Beakes, Council member and past president of the Westchester Girl Scouts.

Troop 3 presented their own version of "The Night Before Christmas" and Troop 2 gave a choral reading of "Star Carol."

Senior Girl Scouts placed decorations on the Christmas tree while Mrs. Arthur Brown, past commissioner, read a story explaining their significance, and "Silent Night" concluded the program.

Completed service projects reported by Mrs. Olney B. Steffens, commissioner, included tree ornaments, popcorn strings and covered candy containers for the Jennie Clarkson Home, by Troops 2 and 3; games and sports equipment for Children's Village, Rhinelander Cottage, by all scouts; 75 cornucopias filled by the Woman's Club, Troop 6; and tray favors, candy cups and sugar plum trees for hospitals, Grasslands and Beythedale Home, by Brownies and Wing Scouts.

Boxes were packed for the Seaman's Institute by Mariners, and all senior scouts have arranged a Christmas carol party Dec. 17 for the Coburn Home for the Aged in New Rochelle.

Girl Scouts have contributed Christmas cards for the friendship tree exchange with Abbeville, France.

Mr. Rigano Jr., Marie De Vivo To Be Married

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. De Vivo of New Rochelle, announced the engagement of their daughter, Marie, to Charles Rigano Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rigano of 929 Lester Avenue, Mamaroneck, at a buffet supper Saturday night in the Calabria Society clubhouse, New Rochelle, for 200 guests.

The prospective bride attended Albert Leonard High School in New Rochelle.

Her fiance was graduated from Mamaroneck High School and Delehanty Institute, New York City. He served in the Navy for two years and is now a marine draftsman with a New York firm.

Soloist Offers Messiah Music For Fellowship

Life stories of composers of Christmas music and examples of their works featured a meeting of the Mamaroneck Methodist Church Youth Fellowship last evening in the church house with the call to worship, the 100th Psalm, read by Dorothy Primrose.

William Hodsdon, who conducted the meeting, told the life story of Felix Mendelssohn, followed by group singing of his "Hark the Herald Angels Sing", with words by Charles Wesley. The story of the life of Johann Sebastian Bach was told by Lorraine Stromberg, with the Rev. Asbury G. E. Stromberg playing a recording of Bach's "Prelude in C Minor".

The story of the life of George Frederick Handel was told by Margaret Winfield. Mrs. Helen Marshall Woodward sang selections from Handel's "Messiah", accompanied by Mrs. Lewis H. Donaldson, with "Joy to the World" by Handel sung as the closing hymn.

Committees were appointed during a business meeting for a formal dance to be sponsored Dec. 29 by the Couples Club for young people of the church. Members of the decorations committee include Naomi Thomas, Mary Clowe, Bailey Livesey, Margaret Winfield and Barbara Pape.

Serving on the refreshment committee will be Lorraine Stromberg, Janet Black, George Elliott, Florence Weatherly and Dorothy Primrose.

Plans were discussed for a meeting Sunday, which will feature a social hour and refreshments following a candlelight service. The group will carol in Mamaroneck Dec. 23.

Orienta Beach Club To Hold Holiday Bridge

"Christmas by Orienta" will be the theme of the luncheon bridge to be held Thursday at the Orienta Beach Club under the sponsorship of the Ladies Advisory Committee.

The event will be held in the Summer clubhouse to accommodate the large number of members and guests expected to attend. Christmas decorations will be on display and for sale, including unique tree trimmings and table arrangements.

Mrs. Merrill E. Compton of Mamaroneck, chairman, and Mrs. Fred E. Schmehl of White Plains, cochairman, will be assisted by the following committee members: Mrs. William B. Betzig and Mrs. Richard I. Land of Larchmont; Mrs. Gordon Proctor, Mrs. Raymond Carter, Mrs. Anson Beaver and Mrs. A. Parker Belt of Mamaroneck; Mrs. William F. King, Mrs. William J. Nolan, Mrs. Theodore Behrman and Mrs. Ellsworth Eiderkin of New Rochelle.

Also Mrs. P. Earl Suits, Mrs. John B. Gilleran and Mrs. Thomas F. Croake of White Plains; Mrs. Nils T. Sellman and Mrs. Edward Bereswill of Scarsdale; Mrs. Jerry Poper of Yonkers and Mrs. Charles McKenna Jr., Mrs. Harold Pee and Mrs. Harrison R. McCann, formerly of Larchmont, of Mount Vernon.

Miss Jean Mac Kinnon Fiancee Of J. A. Crawford, War Veteran

Mrs. Paul C. McAbee of Westport, Conn., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Jean Alice MacKinnon to James A. Crawford, 3rd, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Crawford of Fairfield, Conn.

Miss MacKinnon is the daughter also of J. Harold MacKinnon of Chatsworth Gardens, Larchmont. She was graduated in 1948 from Wellesley College, and is associated with the Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research in New York.

Mr. Crawford was graduated from the Loomis School, Dartmouth College and the Amos Tuck School of Business Administration at Dartmouth. He served overseas with the Army in the war, receiving the Combat Infantry Badge, Bronze Star and Purple Heart, and was placed on inactive duty as a second lieutenant in Military Intelligence. Mr. Crawford is with Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., in New York.

JANET E. TOBITT

Janet E. Tobitt To Give Music Training Talk

Miss Janet E. Tobitt, music consultant to the Girl Scouts of the United States of America, will conduct a training session on music, folk songs, dances and singing games Wednesday at 8 P. M. for Mamaroneck Girl Scout leaders at St. Thomas's Community house.

Miss Tobitt serves as consultant on music and folk dancing to various other groups, and gives frequent training sessions in universities, schools and camps. A native of England, she has traveled extensively in the United States, England, Scotland and Wales in connection with her work.

She holds a degree from St. Andrew's University in Scotland, and has studied in France and Switzerland. Miss Tobitt came to the United States on a six-month visit in 1930, and remained to become a citizen. Her training sessions for youth leaders are based on practical experience with young people, and emphasize group work.

Girl Scout leaders from Larchmont, Harrison, Rye and Tuckahoe have been invited.

Miss Elsa Riepert, chairman of the training committee, is in charge of the event, assisted by members of her committee.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Thomas Cluck, commissioner of the Mamaroneck Girl Scouts, and Mrs. G. W. Robbins, program chairman for the Mamaroneck Girl Scout Council, and Mrs. William Glazer, chairman of the Leaders Association.

KAPPA DELTA MEETING

The Westchester Kappa Delta alumnae will meet at the home of Mrs. Clarence Altiver of 4 Verdi Avenue, Tuckahoe, at 8 P. M. tomorrow. A report on Christmas packages sent to the crippled children's hospital at Richmond, Va., will be given. Mrs. Garret Fitzsimmons of Tuckahoe will preside.

DAR JUNIOR PARTY

The Junior Committee of the Larchmont Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Wednesday at 8 P. M. for a Christmas party at the home of Ruth Burt, program chairman, 10 Virginia Place, chairman.

GET-ACQUAINTED TEAS

A series of get-acquainted teas was held last week at the Monroe Play School, 685 Weaver Street, Larchmont. Mrs. George Foerner, school director, was assisted by Mrs. Lawrence Templeman, Mrs. Leonard Goss, Mrs. Eugene Fisher and Mrs. Alfred Manley.

Jr. High Dance Slated Dec. 29 At Fire House

Eighth and ninth grade students will be guests of the Larchmont Junior Assembly Dec. 29 at a Christmas dance to be held at the Weaver Street Fire House, with Mrs. Walter A. Stevens in charge of arrangements.

Committee chairmen include Mrs. Burton Meighan, entertainment; Mrs. W. G. Saunders, refreshments; Mrs. Douglas Lockhart, decorations; Mrs. Edward Burdick, invitations, and Mrs. Bradley Allen, wraps. The Melody Merchants of Pelham will play for dancing.

Assisting committee members are Mrs. Hunter Holding, Mrs. Harry Shaw and Mrs. David Lynn; entertainment; and Mrs. Herbert Sliger, Mrs. Harold Hughes and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, refreshments.

The decorations committee is composed of Mrs. R. S. Macfadyen, Mrs. Rex Vincent, Mrs. George Currier, Mrs. T. W. Keller, Mrs. John Cox Ferrall, Mrs. A. C. L. Newsom, Mrs. Donald Martin, Mrs. Leonard McVity and Mrs. Jesse M. Van Law.

Christmas Candlelight Service for Jr. Group

The Junior High Group of the Larchmont Avenue Church held a candlelight Christmas service of Scripture, poetry and song last night at the church house. Participating in the service were David McGuire, Robert Swanson, Buddy Simpson, Chris Hay and Barbara Baugh.

Candlelighters were Barbara Hayman and Susan Schmedes. Donald Martin gave the call to worship and Mary Ellen Allen the invocation. Tilton Gardiner read the Christmas story. The offertory service was conducted by Robert Savage, and Helen Kavanaugh offered the prayer. Robert Stevens gave the benediction. Refreshments were served by Allison Ford. During the recreation hour the group heard a recording of "Why the Chimes Rang."

Mrs. Goodlett Honored At Going-Away Party

Mrs. Hilda Goodlett of 627 Mamaroneck Avenue, Mamaroneck, was honored last night at a going-away party given at the home of Miss Amy Duxon of 725 Old White Plains Road, Mamaroneck. About 35 guests attended.

Mrs. Goodlett is flying tonight with her granddaughter, Miss Carolyn Ray of Mamaroneck, to spend six months visiting relatives in Jamaica, B.W.I.

BRIDAL ATTENDANT

Miss Adarienne Metz of 8 Villa Lane, Larchmont, was a bridesmaid Saturday at the marriage of Miss Joan Batley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Battey of New Rochelle, to John Hoffman Douglas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hazzard Douglas of Pelham Manor and New York City, at Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church in New Rochelle.

CRADLE ROLL PARTY

Mrs. Sidney Schwartzreich is a member of the committee in charge of the Cradle Roll holiday party to be given tomorrow under the auspices of the Westchester Jewish Center, at the home of Mrs. Harold Schapiro, 125 South Barry Avenue, Mamaroneck.

Bronxville Club Is Host To Presidents

BRONXVILLE — The federation committee of the Bronxville Women's Club will assist the board of directors at the president's luncheon at noon tomorrow when club president Mrs. Herbert D. Lent Jr. will be hostess to presidents of member clubs of the Westchester Federation of Women's Clubs and other honor guests.

Mrs. Lent and other Bronxville Women's Club officers will receive. Mrs. William H. Golding, president of the New York State Federation, Mrs. Andrew L. P. Deyo, Ninth District director, Mrs. William J. Vogler, state county chairman, Mrs. William H. Purdy, pupil, social and cultural chairman; Linda Shepard, transportation chairman; Gail Devine, membership chairman and Kenneth Westphal, historical chairman.

Plans were made for a Christmas tree trimming party to be held Thursday, Dec. 22 from 7 to 11 P.M.

Others present were Bruce Buchanan, Jacqueline Clark, Thora Ericson, Gail Henion, Barbara King, John Meltzer, Louise Rothenberg, Michael Teinken and Dale Woodruff; Pauline Anthony and Marilynn Weller, advisors; and Willis Griffen of White Plains, guest speaker.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stover of Orienta Apartments, Mamaroneck, are the parents of a daughter, Susan, born Nov. 21 at United Hospital. The infant is the sister of Michael, three years old. Mrs. Stover is the former Jacqueline Dulin, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Dulin of 412 Rushmore Avenue, Mamaroneck.

Slate Elected At Meeting Of Monitor Forum

Richard Hilbert was elected president of the Christian Science Monitor Junior Forum yesterday at the first business meeting held at the home of Mrs. Edna Simons, 515 Weaver Street, Larchmont.

Other officers elected were Ann Hilbert, secretary; Clifford Johnson, treasurer; Charles Trefzger, Monitor committee chairman; Nancy Cupit, social and cultural chairman; Linda Shepard, transportation chairman; Gail Devine, membership chairman and Kenneth Westphal, historical chairman.

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Ken Suzuki Gives Talk For Society at Church

Ken Suzuki of Larchmont was guest speaker last evening for members of the Young People's Society of the Larchmont Avenue Church at a meeting in the church house, with a worship service following the program led by Eleanor Reed and Catherine Lee Gunsalus.

Mr. Suzuki, who arrived here from Japan in 1934, was in Japan on V-J Day as a representative of the United States Government investigating living conditions. He urged members to "let the Japanese youth know we Americans are thinking of them, to help fill the existing vacuum."

Richard Dupee Is Engaged To Miss Dawson

EDWIN STRAWBRIDGE is shown above as Robinson Crusoe, in the title role of the dance drama version of the story, which will be presented Thursday at 3:15 P. M. at the Mamaroneck Avenue School.

Announcement has been made by Mrs. Leslie Mitten Dawson of Locust Court, New Rochelle, formerly of Pelham, of the engagement of her daughter, Suzanne Margaret, to Richard Thomas Dupee of 6 Roosevelt Avenue, Larchmont, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dupee of New Rochelle.

Miss Dawson, daughter also of the late Mr. Dawson, attended Pelham Memorial High School and Rhodes School in New York City. She is a member of the Junior Section of the Catholic Woman's Club of Westchester County and the New Rochelle Yacht Club.

Mr. Dupee attended Iona Preparatory School and was graduated from New Rochelle High School. During the war he served for four years with the Army Air Forces, including duty in the European theater. He is now associated with the Hoover Company, Westchester County, in Mount Vernon.

A Winter wedding is planned.

Program is Announced For Cub Scout Meeting

George I. Fisher, chairman of organization and extension, has announced the program for the first meeting of Mamaroneck Cub Scout Pack Three-A of Holy Trinity Church, under the sponsorship of the Rev. Thomas B. Kelly, pastor, to be held Friday at 7:30 P. M. at the school.

Cubs will trim a large Christmas tree for the kindergarten with decorations they have made, and will take old toys in good condition to be given the Archbishop McCloskey Home for Children in White Plains.

IN BRIDAL PARTY

Miss Robin Stahl of Orienta Apartments, Mamaroneck, was a bridesmaid Saturday at the marriage of Miss Dorothy H. Stroud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arva Stroud of Guilford, Conn., to John F. Van Deusen Jr., son of Mr. Van Deusen of Westwood, N. J., and the late Mrs. Aimee L. Van Deusen, at the Congregational Church in North Branford, Conn.

AAUW TO MEET

The board of directors of the Westchester branch of the American Association of University Women will hold its monthly meeting at 12:30 P. M. Thursday at the home of Mrs. George E. Symons, 86 Edgewood Avenue, Larchmont.

CHRISTMAS AT HOME

Karl W. Weckman will return Dec. 17 from Capital University, Columbus, Ohio, to send the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Weckman of 29 Colonial Avenue, Larchmont. Weckman is in the Arts-English curriculum. Classes will resume Jan. 4.

Miss Kathleen Esposito Feted at Buffet Shower

Miss Kathleen Esposito, daughter of Mrs. Rose Esposito of Port Chester, and the late Dominick Esposito, was honored Saturday evening at a buffet supper and miscellaneous shower at the Elks Club, attended by 45 guests. Miss Esposito will be married Jan. 29 at Corpus Christi Church, Port Chester, to Peter Soriano, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Soriano of 156 Madison Street, Mamaroneck. Christmas decorations were featured, with gifts for the bride-elect wrapped in holiday style.

New Members Greeted By Church Fellowship

Sandra Gedney, Barbara Slater and Madeline Schorling were welcomed as new members last night at a meeting of the Young People's Fellowship at St. Thomas' Church. "The True Meaning of the Nativity" was the program subject, with Bill Silleck conducting a service preceding the meeting. The group made plans for singing Christmas carols and a social evening at next Sunday's meeting.

AT HEALTH RESORT

Mrs. J. Roger Jubert of 137 Knollwood Avenue, Mamaroneck, is spending several weeks at a health resort in Dansville, N. Y. Mrs. Jubert is a member of the Bellows High School faculty.

Carol Rehearsal Slated Dec. 19th by Middlers

The Rev. Floyd E. McGuire played a recording of his sermon, "What We Believe" for last night's meeting of the Middlers at the Larchmont Avenue Church house. A discussion period followed.

Plans were announced for Wednesday night's regular ice-skating party at Playland, with Ray Faiola as instructor, and a Christmas carol rehearsal was scheduled for Monday, Dec. 19 at 8 P. M. at the home of Ruth Lindemann, 6 Devon Road, Larchmont. The group will tour Larchmont by truck Dec. 22 and 23, with carols led by James Mancusi of Larchmont. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hospitality committee headed by Betty Anthes.

RECENT BRIDE—Mrs. Joseph Zilembo Jr., the former Helena Amatuzzo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Annunziato Amatuzzo of 129 Prospect Avenue, Mamaroneck. The couple were married at St. Vito's Church, and are residing in White Plains following a wedding trip to New York and Massachusetts.

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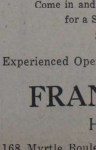

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Saints Even Record With 59-55 Triumph

The Larchmont Saints threw off all their jitters yesterday at the St. Augustine's gym and then staved off a last quarter rally to cop a hard fought 59-55 verdict from the Bronx Democratic Club quintet. The result evened the Larchmonters' record up at one win and a loss and at least mentally refreshed them for a big battle next Sunday.

The locals were never actually headed after jumping into an early margin but they got a good scare in the bargain. Leading by what they thought was a comfortable spread, the Saints watched Jim Mulroy fire four successive pivot shots through the hoop and leave the Larchmont five hanging by a thread. Fortunately the Saints weren't dazed enough to fold altogether and managed to pull the win out of the fire when Joe Cullen split the cords on a fast break.

JOE CULLEN
Meshes 17 for Saints

Cullen, one of the vet Saints, was the dangerous scorer and netted 17 markers, including the two most important of the battle, Larry Hennessey, who joined the local quintet in time to get in on the opener, again was superb on offense. The former Blessed Sacrament High star connected for 11 points.

As has been the case in numerous Saint engagements, the rebound ability and floor generalship of Joe Connelly had as much to do with the outcome as the vital points. Showing even more authority off the boards than he did last week, Connelly again proved his great value to the team. Every member of the Saints except Bill Cunningham hit the net with some variety of shot and all but one of the losing Dems also got into the scoring column.

The Bronx Dems got off to a slow start and the Saints zipped to a 17-11 quarter-time advantage. With Gene Doherty, Cullen and Hennessey finding the range, the Larchmont quint operated smoothly while Connelly and Tony Loiacono stood in the background, playing strict defensive ball.

The Dems, who played in spurts, cut down the margin considerably in the second quarter as Mulroy, who garnered 14 points during the fray, drove through from the outside to score and drilled in some sets. Ed Walsh, Tom Manning and "Red" Love also chipped in and the difference was just three markers, 31-28, when the outfits retired at halftime.

Just as they had at the outset, the Saints got the jump in the third canto and it turned out to be enough to turn the trick. The energetic Cullen banked in two-pointers from all angles while Doherty and Hennessey were batting in rebounds and looping up hook shots. Putting all of those cogs together the Saints' cue machine had a 44-39 lead with just a quarter to play.

Then it was four minutes to go and still the locals were clinging to that margin. But, Mulroy was moved into the pivot on a desperation move and he immediately clicked with four long hooks to close the gap to the length of one field goal. It was then that Cullen took a lead pass on the end of a fast break and curled one in from the side to put the victory pouch beyond reach of the invaders.

Despite a normal thirst for victories, the Saints continue to book only the best quintets available. Next week they will bring in Branca's All Stars from Mt. Vernon. The visitors will be led by Ralph Branca, highly regarded right handed pitcher of the Brooklyn Dodgers and one of Westchester's most prominent sports figures.

The big Mt. Vernonite will feature on his squad the scoring talent of Eddie Brett who had a tremendous season with Colgate University last year. Brett averaged 19 markers per game against the best collegiate opposition. Another starter for the Stars is Harry Leggett, former NYU standout. Branca is currently on a short tour and it won't be known until later in the week whether he will be able to play.

Jerry Smith, ex-Fordham high scorer was absent from the Dems lineup yesterday, thus cutting down their effectiveness.

Yesterday's box score:

Saints (59)	G	F	P	Democrats (55)	G	F	P
Cullen lf	7	3	17	Mulroy lf	7	0	14
Hennessey rf	5	1	11	Grumbach c	0	0	0
McOwen c	2	0	4	Walsh rf	3	1	7
Doherty c	2	3	7	Manning c	3	1	7
Cunningham g	0	0	0	Conway g	4	2	10
Connelly rg	1	1	3	Brier lg	2	0	4
Loiacono lg	2	0	4	McNulty rg	3	0	6
McGee g	1	2	4	Love rg	4	1	9
	23	13	59		25	5	55

County 3 Win In Horse Show

BROOKLYN — Westchester entrants and entries figured strongly in the annual Brooklyn Winter Horse Show which enjoyed a one-day stand for Saturday at the Squadron C. Armory. Setting the pace for the Westchester winners was Gerard Donovan of New Rochelle, who rode his bay gelding Sombrero to the working hunter championship.

Nancy Clapp, riding for the Hutchinson Farms stable of New Rochelle, annexed the ASPCA horsemanship crown, while Ned Hancock of the Boulder Brook Club in Scarsdale rode to the reserve award in the AHSA hunter equitation event.

SETS SCORING MARK

BRONXVILLE — Big Andy Weyermann, center for Concordia College, set a new Metropolitan Junior College Conference basketball scoring mark Saturday night, sinking 34 points as the Clippers turned back New York State Tech of Brooklyn, 65-58.

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BROWNS COP AAC TITLE 4TH TIME

NEW YORK, (AP)—The Philadelphia Eagles and Los Angeles Rams will bump helmets next Sunday for the National League title plus a seat next to the Cleveland Browns of the All-America Conference as cochampions of 1949 pro football.

The Browns, by routing the San Francisco 49ers, 21-7, in their playoff final in Cleveland yesterday, were champions of the now defunct AAC since its inception in 1946. Their four-year reign is a pro grid record.

Iona Quintet Tries For 3d

Iona College's basketball team, victorious in all three starts this season, will try for four straight on the home court tomorrow night against Davis-Elkins College of West Virginia.

The Gaels, extended to the hilt in topping Fort Monmouth Friday, will have to speed up their scoring attack if they hope to take the Virginians tomorrow. The invaders, who are opening their Eastern swing with this game, won 20 and lost but six last season.

Davis-Elkins has a big, fast club led by Harold Hap Huey, six-foot, five-inch center, who last year was the nation's fifth top scorer with 673 points.

Along with Huey, Coach Bob Brown can count on Carl Payne, who has registered over 1,300 points in three years; Jack Bennett, and Jack Schmitt, impressive sophomore who hails from New Rochelle.

The Iona freshman quint, which has won six of seven starts, will face Port Schuyler in a preliminary at 7:30 P. M.

Ewart Resigns As 'Dogs Coach

NEW YORK (AP)—One of Ted Collins' problems as owner of the combined New York Yankees-Buldogs team in the revamped professional football league was eliminated today he had just one head coach instead of two on his hands.

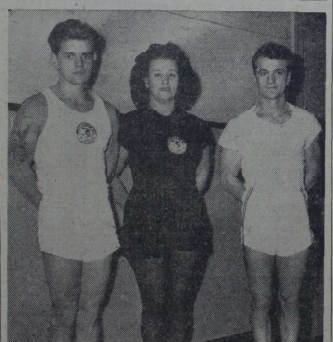
Charley Ewart of New Rochelle resigned yesterday as head coach of the Bulldogs after his National League team had lost its tenth game in 12 starts before a slim crowd of 4,028.

Ewart said he decided two months ago to get out of professional ball and try for a "more certain future" either in college ranks or business.

Collins, owner of the Bulldogs, bought the franchise of the New York Yankees of the rival All-America Conference in the merger Friday of the two big circuits.

This left him with two coaching staffs and two virtually full football clubs.

In Houston, Texas, where he is coaching the All-Star AAC team to meet the champion Cleveland Browns, Norman (Red) Strader, coach of the Yankees, said he didn't know where this put him.



PARTICIPANTS in yesterday's Hallenfest, the annual New York District's gymnastic meet of the American Turners, staged at Mount Vernon included metropolitan, national and Olympic gymnasts. Two of these are pictured with Irma Konrad (center), a Mount Vernon team member and a high scorer at the affair. They are Richard Hess (left) of the Bronx, Met AAU champion, and Edward Scrobe (right), also of the Bronx, a member of the 1948 Olympic team—Staff Photo by Warren Inglese

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WIELDING A KNIFE as expertly as he did his golf clubs at Pinehurst recently, in tying the No. 2-course record at 66, Leewood Pro Alex Watson cuts the cake presented him at the testimonial dinner at Leewood Saturday night. The affair honored Watson for his recent feat in the Southland. Watching the proceedings, left to right, Vinnie Richards; Scarsdale, Golf Club Pro Clarence Doser; Leewood president John J. Doris; Watson; Sunningdale Pro Maurice Walsh, and Paul Gibb of New York. Richards, Walsh and Gibb played with Watson when he tied the Pinehurst record. Ed Rigg, chairman of Leewood's golf committee, was toastmaster. Ninety guests attended.

—Staff Photo by John Sarno

Spotlight On Sports

By DICK CARPENTER

Around the Circuit

Making a quick tour of the college and prep school campus, we note—Nick Staropoli, former Mamaroneck High football, track and hockey star, has taken up basketball and already owns a position on Paul Smith's College varsity. Nick was one of the Larchmont Softball League's strongest twirlers during the 1949 Summer season. He's a freshman at Paul Smith's, a small college near Saranac Lake, and is majoring in business administration. Still he finds time for the Outing and Newman Clubs. Nick's parents live at 11 Ferndale Place. . . . After he left Mamaroneck High's Fall Sports Banquet last Tuesday night, Penn State's Bob Higgins journeyed to Bethlehem, Pa., where he spoke at the annual Lehigh University football dinner. Of the 34 members of the Lehigh squad which compiled the school's best record since 1923 and scored more points than any Lehigh eleven since 1917, two were Larchmonters. They are Dick Doyne, former All-Westchester County fullback and Johnny Muhlfeld. Doyne was a repeater, earning a letter last year as well, and he still has another term. Dick should be the Engineers' top runner in 1950, a position he came very close to earning during the recently completed grid wars. . . . Harvard joined in on the banquet circuit and Bob Sobel of Larchmont was the recipient of a freshman soccer numeral. . . .

The Choate School of Wallingford, Conn., reports that Rudolph Schaefer Jr., and Frank Hardy, both of the Larchmont side of town, were in on that school's sports dinner. Schaefer took an award for varsity football while the latter was a mainstay of the cross-country team. Rudie, a Choate senior, was president of the Mineral Club and is active in other activities. Frank's a third-year man and is a first rate member of the Ski Club and the Buffalo Club, as well as a steady cinderman. . . . Middlebury, one of the hotbeds of sports activity, dive out with the info that Steve Terry will be a first string wingman on the Middlebury hockey squad which faces off against Dartmouth at Hanover tomorrow. Terry, whose parents live at 109 Chatsworth Avenue, is a returning letter man and helps form a strong sextet. Dick Joyce, ex-Bellows cager who is serving a term as captain of the Yale five this year, returned to duty last week after recovering from a sprained leg ligament. Dick, who is being mentioned as one of the country's top rebound grabbers, took the wraps off his weakened limb Saturday night when the Eli basketballers upset Penn, 57-51! The big guy, who stands slightly above 6-5, threw in ten points. . . . Brother Bob Joyce saw some action as his Colgate U. varsity took a drubbing from Cornell at Ithaca. Local fans can get a look at Bob when the Red Raiders come to Madison Square Garden this week to tackle New York University in half of a cage twin-bill. Both Joyces served in the U.S.N. . . . Bob Flinn, another well known Larchmonter and formed MHS athlete, is also at Colgate.

4 Snowbirds Qualified For Annual Tournament

BRONXVILLE — Clifford Yaser and Walter Bents became the third and fourth qualifiers yesterday for the 42nd annual Snowbird Golf Tournament played under foggy conditions at Siwanoy Country Club.

Yaser posted 37-40—77 and Bents had 82-11—71 in gaining the two qualifying positions. The previous qualifiers were Frank Orchard and Harold Eastman. Two more qualifiers will be determined next Sunday.

In only four years of major league play, Ralph Kiner of the Pittsburgh Pirates has tied or set 14 home run records.

Sports Calendar

TODAY

Basketball

Junior Recreation League games at Mamaroneck Avenue School gymnasium; Bellows Meteors vs. Mules, Red Raiders vs Cyclones, Knicks vs Renegades, first game 4 P.M.

Bowling

Major League matches, Larchmont Rec Center, 8:30 PM.

TOMORROW

Basketball

Davis Elkins at Iona College.

Washington Irving at Saunders, Yonkers.

Elmsford at North Tarrytown.

Sacred Heart, Yonkers at Commerce, Yonkers.

Blessed Sacrament at Mount Kisco.

Pollentine at Mount St. Michael.

Children's Village at Halsted, Yonkers.

Dozing

County Center, White Plains, Joev Atria vs. Jimmy Donnelly, starting at 8:30 P.M.

Bowling

Daily Times League matches, Larchmont Rec Center, 8:30 PM.

Friendly Village League matches, Mamaroneck Rec Center, 8:30 PM.

Buc Courtmen Rally To Win

The Bucs came on with a second half rush at Mamaroneck Junior High School's gym Saturday to wipe out a Nonamers' lead and power their way to a 57-49 conquest. The winners went in front just before the third quarter buzzer and piled it on in the final period.

Few personal fouls were called in the clean but hotly contested tilt and each team connected three times from the foul line. The Bucs were out in front by eight markers at the end of one quarter but almost fell apart in the second as the Nonamers began to click. However, the Buccaneers shook off the slump before it was fatal.

Big Bob Guinee excelled in rebound grabbing for the Bucs and also was the game's top scorer with 18 points on nine field goals. Don Capparotta with 14 and Gorham Cowl with 11 were the other Bucs who hit often enough to reach double figures.

Vito Sinopoli was high point man for the losers with 14 while Sam Condro meshed 12.

The box score:

Nonamers (49)	G	F	P	Bucs (57)	G	F	P
Frisoli lf	5	0	10	Ryan lf	4	0	8
Condro rf	6	0	12	Cowl rf	5	1	11
Marrone c	2	1	5	Guinee c	9	0	18
DeLuca lg	3	2	8	Walker lg	2	1	5
Sinopoli rg	7	0	14	Capparotta rg	7	0	14
				Mayland	0	1	1
	23	3	49		27	3	57

AAU TO SEND TEAMS OVERSEAS NEXT YEAR

SAN FRANCISCO, (AP) — American athletic teams are traveling far and wide next year, competing on a greatly expanded global scale.

The American Amateur Athletic Union closed its 61st annual convention by approving the most extensive invasion of foreign countries in many years.

The foreign relations committee accepted invitations to send teams to Japan, England, Ireland, Finland, Scotland, Union of South Africa, Sweden, Norway, New Zealand and the Argentine.

Officers who will serve two-year terms are Albert P. Whelile of Baltimore, president; Douglas Roby of Detroit, Herman J. Fisher of Chicago, Carl Hansen of San Francisco, and Ben York of West Palm Beach, first, second third and fourth vice presidents, respectively.

Two radical proposals were rejected during the convention. One was a proposition to bar foreigners from AAU championship events. The other was a recommendation to permit an athlete to compete as an amateur in one sport and as a pro in another.

ONE SPOT OPEN ON BHS QUINTET

Bellows' basketball charges, eyeing the opener this Friday night against Croton-Harmon, are at Port Chester this afternoon engaging the Sawpit High Rams in a scrimmage. Today's drill is the second against scholastic opposition in the Panthers' pre-season training grind and should give Coach Jack Hasley a sort of semi-final look at his squad under actual game conditions. A warmup game against the BHS Alumni last week also aided in sharpening up the Panthers' cage claws.

Going into this final four days of preparations Hasley at least has his varsity unit set. Following the pattern set in previous campaigns, Hasley will limit his regulars to ten and the other 22 cagers on the roster will be classified as Jayvees, at least for the time being.

However, at least one starting berth is wide open and this is the week that one of those boys will earn the job. As of this writing, the Blue and Black's super-tactician has labeled veterans Ed Pertie, George Fischer, Danny Evangelista and Ed Paldt as almost certain starters but he states that the other forward berth is unfilled.

Chief claimers to the position the lettermen Steve Johnston and Panky Vitetta and Bill Cummings who is up from last year's reserve unit. Johnston got a bad break last week when he broke a finger in a scrimmage and there is only a slight hope that we will be able to play in the opener. That injury cut Steve's chances so the logical choice seems to be Vitetta. However, Cummings, probably the most improved man on the squad, has come a long way and has a firm foothold in Hasley's plans. Whether the mentor will carve a string along with him is a mystery that will no doubt clear up in a day or two.

Johnston hasn't even been able to work out for a few days and perhaps the significance of his loss is underestimated. Steve had just started to hit his stride when the sight was cracked. He is a good rebounder and a fair shot, being especially deft at driving around the keyhole for one handers. It is fortunate that there is expected material ready to fill in on a moment's notice.

The Jayvees, naturally, are all hepped up over their chances in the SWIAC Jayvee League. However, Friday's game will be their first taste of interscholastic action and will help round out their training for the league schedule.

After today, Hasley plans on holding heavy drills Tuesday and Wednesday, and then tapering off on the afternoon prior to the curtain-raiser.

Hockey

By The Associated Press

YESTERDAY

National League
New York 6, Detroit 1
Montreal 7, Toronto 0
Boston 2, Chicago 0

American League
Hershey 4, Indianapolis 4 (tie)
Cleveland 3, Cincinnati 4
Buffalo 4, Springfield 2
New Haven 4, Pittsburgh 3
Providence 4, St. Louis 1

Eastern Hockey League
Lynn Flyers 3, New York 3
Toledo 5, Milwaukee 1.

Winged Foot Pros In Field Of 'Miami-Open' Money Men

MIAMI, Fla., (AP)—Bob Hamilton and Freddy Haas Jr., meet today in an 18-hole playoff for first money in Miami's 26th annual $10,000 open golf tournament.

Each carded five under par 65's in the final round yesterday to deadlock for a record-shattering 264.

They were 16 strokes under par for the 72 holes and slashed three strokes off the former record established in 1937 by Sammy Snead and equalled by Henry Picard in 1944 and Jimmy Demaret in 1947.

Johnny Palmer of Raeln N. C. turned in the best round of the tournament—a sizzling 32-31—63 to pick up $1,000 third money and a 72-hole aggregate of 266. His third place score was one stroke under the tournament record.

Claude Harmon of Mamaroneck, N. Y., earned $600 with a 270.

Skee Riegel, Tulsa, Okla., was low scoring amateur with 275.

Bunched at 277's, for which they received $225 each, were Gene Dallbender of Mamaroneck, Ed Furgol, Royal Oak, Mich.; Wally Ulrich, Minneapolis, Minn. and Skip Alexander, Lexington, N. C.

Jim Turnesa of Briarcliff, N. Y.; Herman Barron of White Plains, Al Brosch of Garden City, N. Y., and E. J. (Dutch) Harrison of St Andrews, Ill., each picked up $66 with 279's.

Hamilton and Haas will share in half the gate revenue in the third play-off in Miami open history. First place will pay $2,000 and second $1,400.

CLAUDE HARMON
Cards 270 for Miami

Globetrotters Turn On Magic

The Harlem Globetrotters, unbeatable ambassadors of the basketball court, turned on their cage magic to the delight of 2,671 customers and to the utter dismay of the New York Celtics last night at the County Center in White Plains. As a result, the glittering Globes glided to a 75-49 decision.

Scoring practically at will the Trotters wrapped up the verdict early in the fray. Trots displayed their unique and entertaining court clowning to the customers.

Led by their loose-limbed ace Goose Tatum, who bagged no less than 34 points, the classy Harlemites feinted and pazzed the perplexed Celtics dizzy with their razzle-dazzle tactics.

Tatum hopped, skipped and jumped all over the court to pour in 17 shots from the floor, just six less than the entire Celtic squad. He was joined in the clowning act by towering Nat (Sweetwater) Clifton, who tossed the leather around like a basketball. Meanwhile Barney Hayes, dribbler extraordinary, and Capt. Louis (Babe) Pressley, the talented veteran.

Clifton followed Tatum in the scoring with 14 points. Baker and Elleson netted 14 and 11 respectively for the outclassed Celtic legion.

In the preliminary, O'Brien and Klotz hit for 18 and 16 points each in leading the Philadelphia Sunas to a 65-48 win over the Indiana Clark Twins.

Hogan Recovering Form After Automobile Crash

FORT WORTH, Texas, (AP)—Bantam Ben Hogan hasn't lost his touch.

Sidelined for 10 months because of injuries received in an automobile accident, the former king of America's professional golfers played his first golf over the weekend. He shot a 71 and 72 over a par 70 course that's considered one of the toughest in the southwest.

Hogan said he felt a "little tired" after his second 18 holes over Colonial Country Club course yesterday.

"But," he said, "I thought I hit them good."

The University of Arizona football team will play Iowa State in Tucson, Nov. 25, 1950. In the first meeting of the two teams, 1948, Arizona won 14-7.

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TAVERNERS UP LEAD IN MC KEGLING LOOP

The results of Friday night's Mamaroneck Community League bowling scores went astray and weren't available until after publishing deadline on Saturday. In the matches, the Taverners increased their first place margin by sweeping three games from the Friendly Servicemen, the Diners got back in stride by tripping the Recs, the Boilermen rallied to down Mamaro's Colts 2-1, and the Unknowns took the first and third encounters from the Jeffs for the nod on a split decision.

The high single was poured out by Fortunato of the Recs and was good for 228 pins. Martensen of the Boilermen snared the series leadership with an enviable 607 pinfall.

There were ten games of merit and the Boilermen led the way by accounting for three of them. Behind Fortunato were George Wolf and Al Brehmer with 222 tallies. Roellecke with 210, Driscoll rolled a 207, Dan Goetze had a 210, Ed Stockman toppled 201, Gus Pennetta was just off the runner-up pace with 221, Russ Malz ripped a 207, and Marty Puder hit the 200 mark squarely. McDonald of the Unknowns compiled a 569 series without once skipping over the double C barrier.

Mamaro started off strongly with the evening's high team single of 925 but dropped off after that. Oddly enough, however, the Colts still managed to hold together enough to jump off with the best unit pinfall, 2986.

Argentina Beats U. S. For World Polo Title

BUENOS AIRES, (AP)—Argentina's international polo season was over today with Argentina's Venado Tuerto team claiming the world championship and the Meadowbrook players preparing for the long trek back to the United States.

The season's climax came yesterday when 40,000 wildly enthusiastic fans in Palermo Stadium cheered Argentina's national champions to an 11-5 victory over Meadowbrook, Mexico, third contrant in the tournament, had been eliminated earlier.

Johnny Mize and Enos Slaughter, who finished among the top ten National League batters in 1939, still were active last season.

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PRAYER FOR TODAY—I draw near to You, dear God, that I may learn more and more how to live in the spirit of brotherhood and benefaction. Bringing to You my frailties, I ask for forgiveness and for strength. Help me to clearer outlook on life and to a field of larger service. I need Your presence, for I am frightfully weak in the things which are divinely strong.

A HEARTENING TREND

WE BELIEVE that lovers of individual freedom the world over have been heartened by the good news which came first from New Zealand and then Austria. In each case the conservatives won over the radicals. In each case, Private Enterprise won over Socialism. In each case Freedom won over Control.

New Zealand, Australia and England embraced Socialist-Labor forms of government in that order. In the same order, two of the three have now repudiated by popular vote the stranglehold of Socialism and of Labor upon the freedom of the individual to control his own economic destiny. It remains to be ascertained next Spring if the third, England, will correct its error. At present, England is the only member of the British Commonwealth with the Socialist-Labor type of government.

Next, we trust, some steps in the same direction toward the right may be taken by the people of the United States of America. Here, for 20 years, we have been traveling down the primrose path toward national bankruptcy.

A nation, like a family, cannot continue to spend more than it takes in without economic disaster.

Charles Dickens put it succinctly when he had a philosophical character explain the economic facts of life thus:

"Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure nineteen nine-teen six, result happiness. Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure twenty pounds ought and six, result misery."

We recommend that reading to President Truman and his budget makers.

SPEAKING OF TAXES

WE NOTICED on last Saturday a dispatch from The Associated Press, explaining that in one year the State of New York had saved $1 million by setting up an office in Miami to check on claims for unemployment benefits claimed by New Yorkers staying in Florida.

We are glad that the State has saved $1 million, although the article was not very clear on how it was done. But the point rises that if $1 million can be saved there must be a terrible lot of millions being spent.

Otherwise, our only purpose in mentioning the item is that we feel a great many taxpayers must be gratified to learn that their money is being used so wisely to cushion the shock of unemployment. It must be awful at this time of the year to be in Florida and not working!

Calendar

TODAY

Junior Section Candlelight Supper, Mamaroneck Woman's Club, 7 P. M.

Sub-debs, Larchmont Woman's Club, Larchmont Avenue Church, 7:30 P. M.

Mamaroneck Board of Education, Senior High School, 8 P. M.

Rye Neck Board of Education, Barry Avenue School, 8 P. M.

Pre-school discussion, Bellows High School, Mamaroneck, 8:15 P. M.

Masonic Lodge, No. 1030, F. and A. M., St. John's Church, Larchmont, 8:30 P. M.

Mamaroneck Post 90, American Legion, Legion Hall, 8:30 P. M.

Christmas Carol Group, St. Augustine's Church, 8:30 P. M.

TOMORROW

Mamaroneck Girl Scout Council, St. Thomas's Church House, 9:30 A. M.

Larchmont Home Bureau, Weaver Street Fire House, 9:30 P. M.

Larchmont Girl Scout Council, Scout House, 10 A. M.

Larchmont Lions Club, Pal Mar Restaurant, 12:15 P. M.

Club Day, Mamaroneck Woman's Club, 2 P. M.

Mamaroneck Kiwanis Club, Elks Club House, 7 P. M.

Mamaroneck Girl Scout training session, St. Thomas's Church, 8 P. M.

Junior Committee, Larchmont DAR, the Burt home, 10 Virginia Place, Larchmont, 8 P. M.

Daniel Warren School PTA, Mamaroneck, 8:15 P. M.

Christmas Program, Mamaroneck Senior High School, 8:15 P. M.

Patriotic Order, Sons of America Masonic Hall, Mamaroneck, 8:15 P. M.

Knights of Columbus, Carpenter Hall, Mamaroneck, 8:30 P. M.

ELECT McFALL HIGH PRIEST

NEW ROCHELLE — William M. McFall of New Rochelle, was elected high priest of the Westchester Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, last night at Masonic Hall. Mr. McFall succeeds Donald G. Ziegler, also of New Rochelle.

Col. Joe Bush Says:

We see where Democrat Harold Garrity of Yonkers and Republican Dick Levet of White Plains are exchangin' words in the public prints about the 1950 Westchester County budget. Maybe we could put gloves on the lads and charge admission at the County Center. That kind of a scrap is too good just to waste on ordinary taxpayers.

A successful politician is the chap who, when he finds a reliable majority in disagreement with him, turns around and agrees with them. If you can't lick 'em, jine 'em!

There's talk that the Westchester GOP will throw a big dinner down in the Big City in February at 100 bucks a plate. Now, just how are you goin' to be able to crowd that much grub on one plate? And—this is a lot more important—just where these days can you find a Republican with 100 bucks?

The lad who looks rather small for his age to most folks is at the age where to his Momma most other boys of that age look overgrown. Or is that too complicated? Try it again slow like.

Why do they tell youngsters not to hit the other feller when he's down? Ain't that just what you got him down for?

The reason some men think more of their television and radio sets than they do of their wives is because they get less interference from the sets.

About the only exercise our own Missus takes is jumpin' to conclusions!

SPREADS ALONG COAST

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The Counselor

NEEDS A HOST

Question: I am a widow and am giving a dinner party for my friends next week. What I would like to know is who I should ask to sit in the place usually occupied by the man of the house?

Mrs. R. R. E.

ANSWER: If a relative is going to be present, then ask him to assume the place of the host. Otherwise, ask the man that you know the best.

NO FLOWERS

Question: A friend of mine is celebrating his birthday shortly. Since I can think of nothing else to give him on this occasion, I thought that I might send him flowers. Is this a proper gift for a woman to send a man?

G. J.

Answer: Usually the only time a woman sends flowers to a man is when he is sick or convalescing.

TEACHERS

Question: Who is responsible for the following quotation, "He who can, does. He who cannot, teaches."

P. T.

Answer: This is found in George Bernard Shaw's "Maxims for Revolutionists."

BIRTH YEAR

Question: Once before I saw that you gave a list of important events that happened in a certain year. I was born in 1934. Can you tell me something about that year?

A Student

Answer: On Mar. 24, President Roosevelt signed the Declaration of Philippine Independence; May 28 saw the birth of the Dionne quintuplets; on Aug. 2, Hitler became the absolute dictator of Germany; 130 people lost their lives as the Morro Castle burned on Sept. 8.

Poor Sucker: Sorry, we cannot print your letter since it is one of opinion. Your only solution is to take your complaint to the proper authorities.

A. B. H.: The Counselor column does not handle appeals from individuals. Our appeals are all sponsored by civic, charitable or social organizations.

School Girl: You do need a Social Security number if you intend to work part time during the coming holidays.

M. H.: The Metropolitan Museum of Art and various art galleries will appraise your paints for you.

Don't Take My Word for It

By FRANK COLBY

SECRETARIES' CORNER

More About Letter Salutations

Question: I have a problem! What salutations should I use when:

(1) The firm name is Brown and Johnson, both of whom are women?

(2) The firm name is Jones and Smith, Jones is a man and Smith is a woman?

(3) The firm name is Jones Decorating Service, the owners are a man and a woman?

(4) The firm name is Black and Company, all principals are women?

(5) The firm name is Marie Lefebvre, and she is a married woman?

R. C.

Answer: I have always held that business letter salutations and complimentary closes are relics of the Dark Ages. Both are unnecessary and meaningless, and often ridiculous, as in the case of one business man addressing another as "Dear," and assuring him that he (the writer) is true to him ("I am yours truly.")

I recommend omitting both salutation and complimentary close, and many firms all over the country are following my advice.

The five questions listed above illustrate the absurdity of clinging to the archaic salutations.

However, if the salutations must be used, our five questions may be answered thus:

(1) If it is a fact that Brown and Johnson are women, use the salutation: Ladies (Madams and Mesdames are obsolete). If it is not certain that Brown and Johnson are women, use the salutation: Gentlemen; or: Dear Sirs.

(2) In this case use the salutation: Gentlemen; or: Dear Sirs. Better: Omit the salutation altogether. (The old form "Dear Sir and Madam" is obsolete.)

(3) Same comment as for 2.

(4) If this is certain that all principals of Black and Company are women, use the salutation: Ladies; or, better: Omit the salutation.

(5) In the case of business women who do not indicate their marital status, one assumes that they are unmarried. Use the salutation: Dear Miss Lefebvre.

Business and professional women, singers, musicians, artists, authors, actresses, etc., who use professional names such as Mary Jones, are properly addressed as Miss Jones, even though it be well known that they are married and in some cases are the mothers of children.

Here's a good suggestion for all who write business letters: Whenever you are in doubt as to which salutation to use, don't use any.

CENTRAL BUYS DIESELS

HARMON—The New York Central Railroad today announced the purchase of six Navy surplus Diesel engines for use as spares. The Diesels are undergoing a conversion process at the Central's Diesel shops at Harmon.

IT BUYS MORE OF EVERYTHING THIS YEAR

By Milians

Grab Bag

THE ANSWER QUICK!

1—When will the next session of the United States congress convene?

2—In what states are the Black Hills?

3—In what Illinois city did Abraham Lincoln make his home?

4—What federal post did Herbert Hoover hold just before he was elected president?

5—Near what town in Alaska was there a recent gold rush?

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

The 13th day of the month holds no terrors for Marc Connelly, playwright, and Van Heflin, screen player, whose birthdays are observed today.

IT HAPPENED TODAY

1446 — Donatello (Donati di Betto Bardo), Heinrich Heine, German poet and critic, born. 1941—Czechoslovakia declared war on all nations at war with United States, Great Britain and Russia in World War II.

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE

1—BRICATE—(LU-be-kate) — verb; to make smooth or slippery; to apply a lubricant to, as oil, tallow, graphite, etc. Origin: Latin —Lubricatus.

GUESS THE NAME

1—He was born in Sherpenzeel, Holland, in 1592. He entered military service in the West Indies about 1625; was director of the West India company's colony at Curacacao. He attacked the Portuguese island of Saint Martin and was wounded, forced to return to Holland and had one of his legs amputated. He thereafter wore a wooden leg with silver bands. In 1645 he was made director of New Netherland and arrived in New Amsterdam (New York on May 11, 1647. In 1664 he was forced to surrender the town to the British. He was recalled to Holland, but later returned in 1667 and spent the rest of his life on his farm, called the Bouwerie, from which New York's Bowery takes its name. He died there in 1672. His nickname was "Old Peg Leg." Who was he?

2—He was a tough looking guy, but he was one of the best-liked men in Hollywood. His rugged profile was caused by having his nose broken three times. His screen studio wouldn't let him have it operated on, so he had to go through life looking like an ex-prize fighter. The said probosciis was broken playing football at Cornell, where he later became professor of mathematics. His first stage play was "The Jest," with the late John Barrymore. He played in "The Hairy Ape," and Captain Flagg in "What Price Glory?" on the stage. One of his first roles on the screen was "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," then "A Manhattan Knight," "Little Old New York (with Marion Davies), "What Price Glory?" and "All Quiet on the Western Front" (With Lew Ayres). He died after an appendectomy at 43, in 1931. What was his name?

(Names at bottom of column.)

YOUR FUTURE

A financial problem in which you are interested may be simplified today. Some good fortune is portended for you next year. Success in life also is predicted for the child born on this date.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1—January 3, 1950.
2—South Dakota and Wyoming.
3—Springfield.
4—Secretary of Commerce.
5—Fishwheel.

1—Peter Stuyvesant.
2—Louis Wolheim.

The Forum

BALKS ATLANTIC UNION

Editor, The Daily Times:

I see in a recent issue of The Daily Times an article under the title Atlantic Union as a combat union against Communism. It is a fine thing and deserves very high praise. Wishing Mr. Bishop all the best of good luck.

I also see views of parents on video. I am more than sick of the senseless advertisements and murder strips. When you look for something interesting and entertaining, not this picking up the girls and swinging them round and round. That is not dancing in anyway you may put it, and may cause serious trouble for the girls. If they must swing something swing a baseball bat.

M. L. BANNING,
9 West Brookside Drive,
Larchmont.

YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT
Central Press Writer

NOW that there's a water shortage in New York, Grand pappy Jenkins says he hears they're beginning to drink the stuff in the Broadway night clubs

Those Florida mosquitoes successfully defying DDT evidently can't read the labels on the bottles.

Betcha Dollar Dier has so far confined his Christmas enthusiasm to day-dreaming about what a humdinger of a parlay Santa Claus reindeers would make.

Africa, says Factographs, has more water power than any other continent. High in liquid assets, eh?

An escaping prisoner hit a Vancouver cop with a pie. It not being Hollywood, the bluecoat couldn't see the humor of it.

5 Guardsmen Picked For West Point Exams

ALBANY. (AP) — Governor Thomas E. Dewey today designated five enlisted members of the New York National Guard to take entrance examinations for the U. S. Military Academy.

Pfc. Frederick W. Bergenson of 138 Hawthorne Avenue, Yonkers, was among those selected to take tests, beginning March 7 at West Point.

The guardsmen were winners in a recent competitive preliminary examinations conducted for National Guard applicants to West Point.

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A Glance Backward

A DECADE AGO
(From The Daily Times)

Rudolf Holsti, Finland's representative, asked the United Nations for "all practical support possible against Soviet Russia. The League assembly applauded the aging Finn but took no immediate action on the proposal . . . All local banks joined in accepting contributions for the Finnish Relief Fund . . . St. Thomas's Church held its installation at which William H. Schaefer became warden while the new vestrymen were George V. Bates Jr., G. C. Harms, E. C. Schreyer, Edward O'Mara, Stanley Hare, and Linden H. Morehouse . . . Mrs. C. F. Kelly and her family had their roast beef well done before the Village Fire Department arrived to put out a fire in the Kelly's oven . . . A Yonkers auto salesman, Harold Wolters, waited 13 hours at the Motor Vehicle Bureau in White Plains so that he could be assigned license number V-101 . . . Rudolph J. Schaefer was elected commodore of the Larchmont Yacht Club succeeding Thomas L. Burton. Leroy Clark Jr., was made vice president, Hugh Fiscoit Wells, rear commodore; Glover Johnson, secretary, and Vincent Cullen was reelected treasurer . . . Mr and Mrs. Alfonso Pepes celebrated their golden wedding anniversary and four generations of the family were present for the event . . . John Totlas was directing the newly organized Larchmont Postoffice Drum Corps in practices. Eighteen-year-old Virginia Seath was added to the corps as drum majorette . . . Miss Marian Eleanor Reich, a Larchmonter studying at the Connecticut College for Women, gave a formal student piano recital and just 35 years ago today a huge open fireplace and other improvements were completed at the Horseshoe Harbor Yacht Club.

Try And Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

Before the turn of the century, when New Yorkers still went to work in hansom cabs and horse cars, every director of the old New York Life Insurance Company who attended the annual meeting received an equal share of a substantial sum set aside for this purpose in the by-laws. There were about fifty directors and all of them were wealthy, so under ordinary circumstances a bare quorum showed up.

One meeting, however, took place the day after the great blizzard of 1888. The directors all figured that not many of their associates would venture out in such weather, and that those who did manage to make it would receive a correspondingly large share of the fee. The roll call disclosed that for the first time in the company's history every director was present!

To give you some idea of how high the drifts were after that 1888 blizzard, they tell of a young couple who went sleigh-riding down Broadway when the storm abated. "Look," said the girl, "there's a chicken sitting on the snow." "That's no chicken," said her companion. "That's the weather-vane on top of Trinity Church."

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MHS Art Students Illustrate Calendar With Familiar Scenes

A distinctive calendar, with scratchboard plates of familiar local scenes made by Mamaroneck High School art students, under the sponsorship of the Parent-Teacher Association of the school, is now on sale at the school and at several stores in Larchmont and Mamaroneck, it is announced today by Mrs. Darrell Nordwall, president of the P.T.A.

Attractively bound in white plastic, the all black-and-white 1950 calendar, arranged for handy reference, with generous space for daily dates, features 12 typical community scenes.

The new scratchboard technique, from which the art drawings were made, was developed under the supervision of Miss Frances Rentchler of the Art Department.

Student artists who have created the illustrations are Dorothy Farrell, Joan Gaillardet, Robert Ireland, Gayle Kirkman, David Miller, Barbara Newman, Richard Pernod, Leonie Rodriguez, Joanne Sanborn, Vivian Shore, Robert Viddle and Phyllis Werblow.

Calendar illustrations are "Mamaroneck High School," "The Gardens Lake," "Larchmont Public Library," "Manor Park," "Sailing," "Larchmont Post Office," "Scene at the Sound," "Picnicking at Saxon Woods," "Children Playing at Central School," "Mamaroneck Water Works," "The Rocking Stone" and "The Spa."

The sale of the calendar is a fund raising project of the P.T.A. with Principal Joseph C. McLain and Mrs. William M. Dixon, ways and means chairman, heading the committee in charge, assisted by Mrs. Merrill E. Compton, Mrs. Nordwall and other board members. Jocke Stevenson and Fred Werblow served as student assistants to Gordon Nichols, president of the General Association, who headed a student committee as chairman.

The dedication reads in part, "to the parents, teachers and students who have made this calendar possible, the Parent-Teacher Association board of Mamaroneck Senior High School extend their sincere thanks; particularly to Frances A. Rentchler who conceived it, and to the students of the art department who created the illustrations."

The calendar will also be on sale tomorrow night at the school preceding the traditional holiday music program.

CALENDAR COMMITTEE members are pictured above as they met yesterday at Mamaroneck High School to complete final plans for the sale of the 1950 art calendar illustrated by students, as a fund raising project of the P.T.A. Left to right are Mrs. William Dixon, chairman of the ways and means committee; Mrs. Merrill E. Compton, active committee member; Miss Frances A. Rentchler, instructor in the Art Department, who originated and supervised the artistic illustrations, and Jocke Stevenson, member of the student committee assisting with the calendar project. —Staff Photo

Plays Staged By Scouts At Central School

Mamaroneck Girl Scout Troop Seven, which is working for a dramatic badge, entertained Troop 14 with two plays yesterday at a meeting at Central School. "Cinderella" featured Susan Mayrose as the prince, Shirley Brill as Cinderella, Susan Farrell and Jean Joyner as the wicked sisters.

"The Gingerbread Boy" was given in shadowgraph, with Christine Peterka as narrator, Eleanor Dockerill and Betty Tyler as stage managers and Geraldine Faiola as announcer. Betty Ann Demas and Sondra Gedney, were in charge of lighting. Cast members included Eleanor Washington, Jane Howard and Lynn Rizzuto.

Esther Greenleigh and Ann Davidge represented favorite books. The program was introduced by Ann Davidge and Emily Robson, and Mrs. James M. Brown, Jr., and Mrs. John Beeley, leaders, directed the performances.

Marionette Show Held For Pupils of Murray

"The King of the Golden River" was the title of the Cole Marionette show presented yesterday for students of Murray Avenue School as the annual gift of the Parent-Teacher Association in the Assembly, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Jasper Rowland, PTA program chairman.

The show, based on the story by John Ruskin, with recorded music by Smetana, was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Franklin L. Newcomb, who demonstrated how to work marionettes and change scenery. A question period followed.

DAUGHTER IS BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Bernabei of 181 Myrtle Boulevard, Larchmont, are parents of their first child, a daughter, Lauretta Frances, born Dec. 7 in the New Rochelle Hospital. Mrs Bernabei is the former Miss Mary Franocella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Francella of the same address.

Cardiac Unit Benefit Dance Aides Listed

Mrs. Melvin Danciger of New Rochelle and Mrs. Lewis Jacobs of Mount Vernon were appointed co-chairmen of the annual dinner dance of the Westchester League for Cardiac Children at the league's December meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edwin Klineman, New Rochelle. The dance will be held at the Fenway Country Club, White Plains, June 10.

Other members of the committee include Mrs. Samuel Schopick, Mrs. Morris Sneerson and Mrs. Sol Rubin, of New Rochelle; Mrs. Samuel Kobe, Scarsdale, Mrs. Klineman and Mrs. Sidney Caston, New Rochelle, entertainment, and Mrs. Victor Baer, Mrs. Harry Trenner and Mrs. Irwin Schwartz, all New Rochelle, ways and means.

David Karr, a former Washington correspondent, offered a series of stories and anecdotes about the news figures in the Capitol. In his speech, Mr. Karr, who traveled extensively with former President Roosevelt, said that one of the highlights of his career in Washington was knowing Mr. Roosevelt.

Christmas plans for the League include the presentation of packages of fruits, nuts and candies to cardiac children hospitalized in the County. Mrs. Jacobs, Mrs. Milton Henry of Rye, Mrs. Abraham Levinson and Mrs. Sidney Caston, of New Rochelle, form a committee to purchase, wrap, and present the gifts.

Mrs. Leon Rogers of New Rochelle, president, read a letter from the New York Heart Association regarding the possibility of establishing a Westchester Heart Unit and said that if such a unit was established here, the League would have a representative on its board.

At the request of the League, which is working with various Westchester Hospitals in an effort to establish diagnostic clinics for heart diseases of children, a survey will be made to see in which areas of the County the clinics might be most advantageous and useful.

BRIDGE WINNERS

Mrs. Fred Chesterman and Mrs. William A. Klein won by a large margin the East-West honors at the Monday Evening Duplicate Bridge Club at Huguenot YMCA last night. In second place were James Jacobson and Hilbert Bair, and Burt Bloom and Mort Gaeber were third. North-South winners were, John Bermingham and Eugene Flanagan, first; William E. French and John Naylor, second, and C. Wesley Alcott and Mrs. Eleanor Tiltz, third. There were eight tables in play.

MRS. DONEGAN FETED

Mrs. Florence P. Deknatel gave a luncheon yesterday in the Oval Room of the Ritz Carlton, New York, in honor of Mrs. H. George Donegan, mother of the Coadjutor Bishop of New York, the Right Rev. Horace W. B. Donegan, formerly of Avon Road, Larchmont.

VFW Auxiliary Delivers Gifts To Castle Point

Mrs. Mollie Muller of Port Chester was obligated last night at a meeting of the Auxiliary to David Potts Jr., Post 156, V.F.W., held at the Post rooms in Mamaroneck.

Mrs. Walter Needham presided. Members who visited Castle Point Hospital Sunday, taking Christmas gifts to patients, were Mrs. Needham, president, Mrs. William Dahlgren, Mrs. Nicholas Leon, Mrs. Louise Brissett and Mrs. Adeline Sinopoli.

Announcement was made of the Post's Christmas party to be held Dec. 26 at 3 P. M. for members and their children, the County Council meeting Dec. 19 in Mount Vernon and the next Auxiliary meeting Jan. 9. A donation was voted to the Red Cross for the tuberculosis fund.

Following the meeting, Auxiliary members joined Post members for a potluck supper and grab bag.

Woman's Club Drama Section Slates 2 Plays

The Drama Department of the Woman's Club of Larchmont, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Raymond P. Reese Jr. will present the Christmas program for the Club Friday at 3 P. M. at the Larchmont Avenue Church house, following a business meeting at 2 P. M., conducted by Mrs. Rose Lee Daggett.

Two one-act plays, in the spirit of Christmas, will be given by the department, under the direction of Mrs. Thomas W. Hoegh. The Choral Group will assist with Christmas carols.

Tea hostesses for the day will be Mrs. Janette Ault, Mrs. May Holt Batchelder, Mrs. Frank E. Booth and Mrs. Harold H. Sharp, with Mrs. Leon C. Stowell presiding at the president's table.

Local Club Members Judge Christmas Show

Mrs. J. M. Spader, past president of the Garden Club of Mamaroneck, and Mrs. Austin Phillips, a past president of the Garden Club of Larchmont, with Mrs. Bernard Parley of Scarsdale were judges yesterday at the annual Christmas show of the Garden Club of New Rochelle at the Huguenot YMCA.

Theme of the show was "'Twas the Night Before Christmas and All Through the House", with Mrs. Irving G. Swigart of Scarsdale winning a tri-color award. Guest speaker was Mrs. William Stickels of Malba, L. I., who spoke recently for the Garden Club of Larchmont.

Guild Members Hear Songs At Holiday Party

About 40 members attended the annual Christmas party of the Wesleyan Service Guild of the Mamaroneck Methodist Church held last night at the parsonage, 464 East Boston Post Road, Mamaroneck, where members exchanged Christmas gifts.

Mrs. Richard Paul of Port Chester, English war bride, entertained with a program of monologues in Yorkshire dialect, "Albert and the Lion," and "The Return of Albert." She sang a group of Christmas songs, including the British carol, "Rocking," accompanied by Mrs. Lewis H. Donaldson.

Mrs. Rushmore Houghton announced that a box of Christmas gifts has been sent from the Guild to the Blodgett Settlement House in Hazelton, Pa.

Refreshments were served, with Miss Edith Halsted and Miss Jennie Halsted pouring at the tea table.

Sub-Debs Hold Christmas Fete At Clubhouse

The annual Christmas party of the Sub-Debs of the Woman's Club of Mamaroneck was held last night at the clubhouse, decorated for the occasion with Christmas greens, artificial snow, candles and a Santa Claus.

Eleanor MacNamara, section chairman, conducted a business meeting preceding the party. Members exchanged Christmas gifts, and Jean Englehardt, program co-chairman, introduced the Choral Group of the Woman's Club, who presented a Christmas program in narration and song under the direction of Mrs. Joseph C. McLain.

Mary McLoughlin, hospitality chairman, was in charge of refreshments, which featured a giant cake, decorated in the holiday motif.

Carol Program is Given By Soloists and Chorus

A Christmas carol program was given yesterday at the Barry Avenue School by the chorus, composed of upper grade pupils. The program included a duet, "Twas The Night Before Christmas" by Helen Hackett and Peter Black. Participating in "Santa Claus is Coming to Town" were Mary Ann Harriot, Janet McKinley, Rosalyn Margoluis, Linda Livesey and Ruth Olsen.

Jerry Storey was soloist in "O Holy Night," accompanied by Jane Shaffer. The program opened with "Christmastide," three selections by the chorus: "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," "O Little Town of Bethlehem" and "Silent Night," and included a Dutch carol, "Three Kings," "Winter Wonderland," "White Christmas" and "Jingle Bells."

WOMEN'S GOP CLUB

Announcement has been made of the next meeting of the Women's Republican Club of Rye Neck, to be held March 19, with no meetings scheduled for January and February. The club held a Christmas party last week at the home of Mrs. Louise Cutter, 168 East Post Road, Mamaroneck.

Hadassah B. P. Slates Talk; Candle Rite

Mrs. Murray Silverstone of Scarsdale will address the Business and Professional Division of Hadassah at a meeting tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. Julius Peinberg, 111 Bon Air Avenue, New Rochelle. Mrs. Silverstone, a member of "Children to Palestine, Inc.," will speak on "Children in Palestine."

The program will be dedicated to Henrietta Szold, founder of Hadassah, who went through the Youth Aliyah, which works for the rehabilitation of youth, was instrumental in rescuing thousands of Jewish children from Germany during Hitler's reign.

In observance of Hanukkah, there will be a candle lighting ceremony, the blessings to be sung by Tikvah Firstenberg, a native Palestinian and a member of the New Rochelle chapter. Under the leadership of Mrs. Herbert Roseman, a choral reading, "A Light to Live By," will be given by the Young Judean group.

Mrs. Stromberg Attends Luncheon of Conference

Mrs. Asbury O. E. Stromberg of Mamaroneck attended the luncheon program of the New York East Conference of Ministers' Wives Association yesterday at the Hanson Place Methodist Church in Brooklyn. Vice president of the association and chairman of the program committee, Mrs. Stromberg presented Mrs. Marion Downs, Juilliard School student, who offered a program of Christmas music.

TIME FOR TEA is taken by members of the Catholic Woman's Club to chat informally with their guest speaker, the Rev. Theodore L. Roeser, professor of philosophy at St. Joseph's Seminary, Dunwoodie, Yonkers, center. Others pictured are left to right, Mrs. William Betzig of Larchmont, president, Mrs. Theodore Roeser, Father Roeser's mother, and Mrs. Harry A. Brodine of New Rochelle. —Staff Photo

Miss Justine Marie Pinto Wed In Virginia To Samuel D. Sutter

Mr. and Mrs. Michael F. Pinto of 9 Guion Lane, Larchmont, formerly of 241 Elk Avenue, New Rochelle, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Justine Marie Pinto, to Samuel D. Sutter, son of Samuel M. Sutter of New York City, formerly of Larchmont.

The ceremony took place yesterday in Alexandria, Va.

Mrs. Sutter is a graduate of Ursuline Academy in New Rochelle, and attended Marymount College in Tarrytown and the Parsons School of Design in New York. She is a member of the Junior Section of the Woman's Club of New Rochelle.

Her husband is a graduate of Tilton Preparatory School, Tilton, N. H. and served in the Army during the war. He is now attending Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore. Mr. Sutter is a member of the Larchmont Yacht Club.

Larchmonters Attend GPB Yule Luncheon

Mrs. Dexter E. Glunz, Mrs. C. H. Wolfe and Mrs. Ralph von Lehmden, all of Larchmont, attended yesterday the Christmas luncheon program of the Westchester Alumnae of Gamma Phi Beta in the home of Mrs. F. B. Sellers, 134 Altamont Avenue, Tarrytown. Members, wearing Yule corsages, received gifts from the alumnae.

Highlight of the meeting was an exhibit by Mrs. Florence Osgood of Scarsdale, artist and member of Gamma Phi Beta since 1886, of her collection of original paintings, including landscapes and marine scenes in water color, made in Florida, Canada and northern Vermont. A graduate of Syracuse University School of Fine Arts, Mrs. Osgood is a member of the St. Petersburg Art Club, Florida Federation of Art, North Vermont Artists, and National League of American Penwomen.

Miss Jean Bartelme, Gamma Phi Beta members and former fashion editor of Mademoiselle magazine, will be guest speaker at the next meeting, Feb. 13, at which Mrs. George Thomas of Scarsdale, international relations chairman, will be hostess.

Yule Program Tomorrow At Woman's Club

The December meeting of the Woman's Club of Mamaroneck will be held tomorrow at 2 P. M. at the clubhouse, followed by a Christmas program entitled "The Christmas Story in Word and Song," presented by the Choral Group under the direction of Mrs. Joseph C. McLain.

Mrs. S. Charles Hanna and Mrs. Albert Herman will give readings and Mrs. Howard I. Large, soloist, will be accompanied by Mrs. Frederick Meigs.

Tea will follow, with Mrs. E. L. Greene in charge of hospitality.

Rev. Roeser Talks To Club On Liturgy

A discussion of Catholic liturgy was presented by the Rev. Theodore L. Roeser, professor of philosophy at St. Joseph's Seminary, Dunwoodie, Yonkers, during the meeting yesterday of the Catholic Woman's Club in the clubhouse, New Rochelle. His topic was "The Liturgical Spirit and Advent". Father Roeser is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Roeser of New Rochelle.

Noting the increase in participation in community prayer, Father Roeser said that all prayer, especially public prayer, should be centered on Christ for through Him is God reached. The church liturgy is not all pomp and circumstance, said the priest but is based on the three elements, "our sanctification, the Holy Eucharist and the Church". Public prayer, he said, is a renewal of Christian fervor.

A program of carols was presented during which solos were sung by Mrs. J. Sherman Mitchell and played by Mrs. James A. Healey. The assemblage joined in the singing.

It was announced that Mrs. George Panelli, Mrs. T. W. Levines and Miss Margaret Graham will visit the Rosary Hill Cancer Home, Hawthorne, taking Christmas gifts for the patients with them. Mrs. Stanton B. Fisher was named to serve with Mrs. David Weir on the Inter-Club Council. Mrs. Earl Snell of Larchmont was welcomed as a new member.

The revival of a former project, the sponsorship of a cottage at the Children's Village, Dobbs Ferry, was announced. Mrs. John M. Carl and Mrs. John Daly will be in charge. Presiding at the tea table which was appointed with Christmas decorations were Mrs. Edward Ladin and Mrs. H. D. Brennan, both of Larchmont.

HADASSAH BOARD

The Mamaroneck - Harrison Chapter of Hadassah will hold a board meeting tomorrow at 8 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Robert Helfenbein, Genesee Trail, Harrison.

HALSTEAD AUXILIARY

The Ladies Auxiliary to Halstead Manor Fire Department will meet tomorrow at 8:30 P. M. at the fire house.

Pro Deo Head CNR Speaker For Assembly

Anna M. Brady, founder and director of the American Center of Information Pro Deo, New York, will speak at the general assembly of the College of New Rochelle tomorrow.

For years, Mrs. Brady has been actively interested in modern techniques of the religious apostolate, in particular, the apostolate of public opinion. This apostolate strives to penetrate press, radio, and film with religious ideas, for the purpose of Christianizing thought. In June of 1941, together with her late husband, she founded the American Center of Information Pro Deo. In October of the same year, she became acting director of the International Pro Deo Union, which now has publishing houses in New York, Ottawa, Montevideo, Rome and Brussels.

Mrs. Brady has lectured throughout the United States and in many foreign countries. Her principle talks are devoted to promoting the apostolate of public opinion which will be the subject of her talk at CNR.

Son, Edward, Jr., Born To Polaks in New York

A son, Edward Bruce Polak Jr., was born Dec. 7 at Harkness Pavilion, New York City, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Polak of 1 Boulder Brae Lane, Larchmont. The infant is the brother of Patrina, 29 months old and Shelly, one year. Mrs. Polak is the former Ottilie Rogers, daughter of Frank B. Rogers of Pelham Manor, formerly of Larchmont and the late Mrs. Rogers.

PRIMARY ASSEMBLY

The story of Channukah, Jewish Festival of the Lights" was told by Raymond Neufeld, third grader at Central School, for a primary assembly program yesterday at the school. Following the story, pupils sang the traditional Hebrew melody, "Rock of Ages."

TAU BETA PI

Ira Garfunkel of 413 Carroll Avenue, Mamaroneck, a senior majoring in mechanical engineering at New York University, has been elected to Tau Beta Pi, honorary fraternity. Earlier this year, he was initiated into Pi Tau Sigma, also an honorary.

DISCUSSION SET

The fifth in a series of discussions on child development under the leadership of Dr. Olga Lurie will be held tonight at 8:15 in Room 23 of Bellows High School.

Second Panel On Curriculum Held At School

"How Your Child Learns to Read," was the subject of the second panel discussion on curriculum studies conducted yesterday by Miss Loretta Hirschbeck, principal of Murray Avenue School, for mothers of pre-school and lower grade children at the school.

Guest speaker for the meeting, arranged by Mrs. Kenilworth H. Mathus, parent education chairman of the school's Parent-Teacher Association, was Miss Margaret Rowlett of the Greenacres School in Scarsdale.

Teachers participating were Miss Mary Richardson, Miss Doris Zvirin, Miss Nellie Harrisson, Miss Kathryn Palmer and Miss Blanche Kane. A bibliography of reading in the lower grades, prepared by Miss Hirschbeck and teachers, was distributed to parents attending.

Miss Rowlett, author and illustrator of children's books, showed examples of her paintings and two of her books, "When Coco Was Little," and "D Is for Daddy."

The speaker advised mothers that "a child's chances of success in difficult pursuits are better if he can feel success in one experience," and in conclusion, she urged giving children "an opportunity to do things, instead of listening and watching."

Miss Hirschbeck pointed out that reading is the most important tool taught at school," tracing the development of reading technique from chart reading in first grade, through making books and phonetic analysis in second, and in third, reading alone and enjoying the discovery of literature.

Mrs. Reilling Installed Head of Fire Auxiliary

Mrs. Amelia Reilling was installed as president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Mamaroneck Fire Department Saturday at a dinner attended by 60 members and guests at Gardener's Restaurant, Larchmont. Jack Lombard, assistant fire chief, conducted the installation.

Other new officers are Mrs. Vera Sarles, vice president; Miss Ann Seckler, treasurer; Mrs. Augusta Lambertson, recording secretary; Mrs. Lucy Griffin, guard; Mrs. Loretta Rachenstein, chaplain, and Mrs. Celia Haviland, Mrs. Elsie Cunningham and Mrs. Marion Brissett, trustees. Miss Seckler is retiring president.

Teen-Age Yule Dance Dec. 22 at Shore Club

The Larchmont Shore Club will sponsor a Christmas dance for teen-age members and their guests Thursday, Dec. 22 at 8 P. M., with dancing to juke-box records, and a program of entertainment including an accordianist. Mrs. Joseph V. Blake is general chairman, assisted by Mrs. John Moorhead and Mrs. William Walsh. Reservations may be made at the club office.

KRUTECKS ENTERTAIN

Bar Mitzvah services for Laurence Ross Kruteck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alan R. Kruteck of 328 Richbell Road, Mamaroneck, were held Saturday at the Westchester Jewish Center, Mamaroneck, with Rabbi Irving Kizlowe officiating. Luncheon was served in the vestry, and an evening reception was held at the Hotel McAlpin. The reception also marked the eighth birthday anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Kruteck's daughter, Diana.

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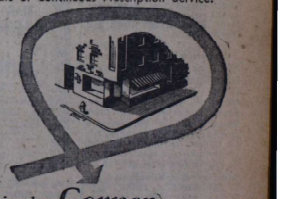
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Bert's Boys, Depots In Deadlock For 1st

The long trail to the top of the Major Bowling League lead was completed by Bert's Boys last night at the Larchmont Rec Center as they rolled a 3-0 victory which tied them for first place with the Depot Ways. The Depots topped the Sportsmen but had to make a comeback to accomplish it, thus allowing their single length margin to vanish. So, despite only one match loss all season, the Depots now can show nothing more than a tie for their efforts.

In the other encounters the Local Transfers dropped one game and then turned right around to edge the Insulators 2-1 and the Flinns used another style to gain the same end.

The production of 200 tallies reached 13 during the four match program and the striving Depots accounted for five of them.

Johnny Smirza, one of this area's top average rollers, rattled the maples for two double century singles which led to a leading series of 615. However, Johnny had to share the triple honors with Tony Splendido of the Insulators.

And, to go even farther down the line, J. Hogan of the Flinns emerged as the top one-game pin producer with a 228. Splendido was second on a 223 and Pete McDonnell of the defending champion Bert's men compiled an even 220.

The other members of the "select circle" were Sid Anton, Charlie Lanza, Grannu, Burns, Manny Salasin, Ed Pfeiffer, and Lloyd Rock.

Despite their slight slip in the standings, the Depots turned out the best team single and series, 946-2764.

The scores:

Insulators (1)

Conte	139	170	135	Whitman
Clancilli	165	144	152	Carino
Gordon	223	192	200	Spaeth
Hogan	142	167	186	Burns
Campbell	163	180	137	Turco
				Franco
Totals	832	853	810	Totals

Local Transfers (2)

Whitman	170	168	138	
Carino	162	168	115	
Spaeth	141	172	176	
Burns	174	216	183	
Turco	129		137	
Franco	—	143	—	
Totals	763	865	817	

Sportsmen (1)

Salasin	162	156	202	Anton
Moulton	148	149	183	Lanza
Pfeiffer	202	153	162	Smirza
Kinloch	165	157	170	Grannu
Rock	201	161	143	Mario
Totals	878	776	860	Totals

Depot Ways (2)

Anton	168	148	201	
Lanza	185	192	200	
Smirza	205	199	211	
Grannu	154	208	197	
Mario	138	179	181	
Totals	838	946	980	

Flinns (2)

Pinney	171	185	135	Welsh
J. Hogan	178	228	158	Valle
Mueller	179	177	164	Bilodi
Hawes	180	178	206	Cuccia
Jones	165	165	187	Pricella
Totals	883	890	892	Totals

Electres (1)

Welsh	194	181	160	
Valle	195	176	168	
Bilodi	146	146	146	
Cuccia	164	164	164	
Pricella	167	174	181	
Totals	812	785	828	

Bert's Boys (3)

Hurley	158	151	172	McKinland
Ward	165	177	155	Cottle
McDonell	179	193	220	R'bbons
Adams	156	141	—	Corrigan
Tarman	166	154	183	Coulara
Conklin	—	—	158	Bister
Totals	874	838	888	Totals

Re-Pets (0)

McKinland	172	143	152	
Cottle	120	—	—	147
R'bbons	181	141	—	—
Corrigan	156	155	159	
Coulara	124	161	148	
Bister	—	177	122	
Totals	894	789	717	

'Fiore Replaces Atria in Bout

An illness to Joey Atria has forced Promoter Joe McKenna to substitute Carmine Fiore of Brooklyn against Jimmy Donnelly of Astoria in the feature eight-rounder tonight at the County Center in White Plains.

Donnelly, winner of 17 of his 19 pro ring starts, is one of the brightest young welters to come up in the past few years. This twenty-one-year-old Fordham College student boasts decisions over Charley Donovan, Jimmy Tarangelo, Johnny Marino, Jimmy Watkins and Alfredo Rojas.

Fiore, who fought to draw with Donnelly in Brooklyn a month ago, is pleased at his chance for the return match. Recently Fiore has whipped Bruno Lijoi and Andy Viserto.

BEGLEY N. D. SWEATERMAN

NOTRE DAME, Ind.—Quarterback Gerald Begley, a senior from Yonkers, N. Y., was one of 35 members of the Notre Dame football squad to be awarded monogram sweaters at the annual team banquet given by the Notre Dame Club of St. Joseph Valley in the University dining hall last night.

CHANDLER LEANS TOWARD NL WAY

NEW YORK, (AP) — A. B. Chandler, commissioner of baseball, is reported ready to string along with the National League in the majors' squabble over pennant playoffs.

The National League voted yesterday to keep its present system of playing best-two-out-of-three if the race ends in a tie. The American decided to continue its "sudden death" one-game elimination.

Because of the deadlock, the final decision now goes to the commissioner who is expected to make known his viewpoint at the combined meeting tomorrow.

The National League has decided to restore twi-night doubleheaders and that old bugaboo, the suspended game, which was used in wartime.

The senior circuit brought back the rule that games called on account of Sunday curfew or for getaway purposes will be resumed at the point of interruption at a later date.

The two leagues couldn't agree on the problem of disposing of games interrupted by darkness. The National decided to finish all day games under lights when darkness intervenes. The American will permit lights to be turned on only in the final series between the two clubs.

The National decided to eliminate the 12:30 A. M. (local time) curfew on all night games. Hereafter, a N. L. game can run into the wee hours of the morning, if not completed.

Billy Evans, Detroit Tiger general manager, was the lone dissenter as the American League voted 7-1 against the return of the spitball.

"Nothing has been done to help the pitchers in the last 15 years," argued Evans yesterday. "This is just a trick delivery such as the knuckleball, forkball and so forth, which are legalized."

The two major leagues will have a uniform pitching mound next year—15 inches high, no more, no less. They agreed on this in separate meetings yesterday.

In the past both the American and National have permitted varying-sized mounds not exceeding 15 inches.

Chandler is expected to get a new long-term contract and a hike in salary at the combined meeting of the two leagues tomorrow.

The word is that the commissioner will be signed to a seven-year term at $75,000 per year, $20,000 above his present pay. His present contract doesn't expire until April 24, 1952.

Chandler and baseball directors declined comment on the report.

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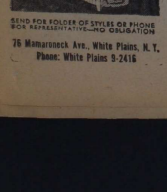
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TWO TILTS SET FOR GAEL QUINT

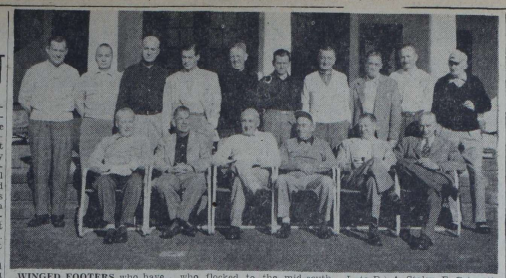
Ahead of the game after notching their second triumph last Friday, the Mamaroneck Gaels have become frisky, booking two engagements for this week. The first will be a meeting with the newly formed Columbia Rose C.L. quintet on the Bellows High School hardwood tomorrow night and then, when their duty there is completed, the Gaels will return to their home court at Mamaroneck Avenue School to play host to the New Rochelle Hilltoppers. Both frays will get under way at 8:15 P. M.

Tomorrow's tilt at Bellows will be the firemen's first seasonal test and, because of this, the Gaels will be favored to win. Columbia will use George and Jim Gowan, Manager Ed Manning, Tommy Byrnes, Chauncey Haviland, Charlie Schlierer, Jim Holton and others. All of these mentioned above are ex-Bellows High court standouts who have rounded into form in the last few weeks.

Aiming at the other hoop will be a Gael aggregation which has three games under its belt, two of which proved succesful. Playing-Coach Gil Allen plans to revise his starting lineup since Big Al Pullian will not be available. "Pint" Murray will be switched to forward in the first five with Albie Mitchell remaining at the pivot and the same guard combination of Horace Brittain and Tinker Loyd, Clove Montaire, Stewart and Percy Potter constitute the reserve list and all are certain of seeing plenty of action.

Friday evening will find the New Rochelle Hilltoppers attempting to mar the Gaels' record at the MAS court. The visitors are one of the powers of the New Rochelle Senior Recreation League and boast a lineup of athletes who are more widely known for their footballing but still are able to produce on the hardwood. Listed are George Starke, former NRHS grid star and currently with the NYU eleven; Oliver Henry, Isaac Young great, "Boon" Taylor, who has performed at Albert Leonard and Deleware State; plus Nat Boyd, Joe Bagg, Elmer Jones, Bud Spencer and Manager T. J. Boyd. The Hilltoppers have split two league contests thus far.

Pullian will be back for the Friday fray but Wes Keeler, reserve guard, won't be around. Keeler may miss all games during the next three weeks due to evening employment.



WINGED FOOTERS who have been touring the fairways at Pinehurst, North Carolina during autumn are pictured together, above. These members of the local club are among the hundreds of golfing enthusiasts who flocked to the mid-south resort to try their luck over the three famous Pinehurst courses. Seated (left to right), are H. Johnson, I. Thoren, N. Wightman, U. Young, G. Tally and R. Gangler. Standing are (also L. to R.) A. Staley, E. Grinnett, A. Shier, W. Watts, W. Bruckhauser, W. Penn, R. McMenamy, J. Warren, E. Wilhelm and J. N. Williams.

Photo courtesy Pinchurst Press

Knicks, Basketeers, Cyclones Annex Rec Court Victories

Two of the cage encounters at Mamaroneck Avenue School last night went right down to the wire before a victor was established as the rest of the Recreation League teams got in their initial licks of the 1949-50 campaign.

After the Basketeers had whipped the Mules very handily in the opener, the Cyclones had to go into an overtime session before pulling out a 21-19 victory over the Red Raiders and, in the finale, the Knicks were extended to the limit in nipping the Renegades by 20-18.

The Mules were held to four field goals as the Basketeers licked them 26-8 in the initial fray. Forward Burroughs hit three times from the floor and once from the charity line for the top point production of seven while Harold O'Callaghan chipped in with five markers. The winners used seven men and all but one of them scored.

Jim Porter's over-the-head hook shot caused the downfall of the Raiders in the second clash of the triple-header. The flashy Cyclone forward kept his team in the running by tallying six of the nine Cyclone goals, the last of which was the decider. L. Wallace of the visitors and Mercur, Wesley, Frioli and Sinopoli of the Raiders all meshed four points each. Each team connected on nine field goals but the Cyclones were superior from the foul line.

The last tiff was another nip-and-tucker with Sudol of the surviving Knicks making the difference. Besides being tall, the Knick guard, as judged by his showing last night, is a fine rebound grabber and a good shot. He tied for the night's high scoring honors by sinking six goals for 12 points. Gorham Cowl of the subdued quintet was next in line with six.

Knicks (20)

	G	F	P
Sudol rf	6	0	12
Cosino rf	0	0	0
Dunn lf	0	2	4
Mone c	0	1	1
Sudol rg	6	0	12
McMillian lg	0	0	0
Totals	8	4	20

Renegades (18)

	G	F	P
Haviland rf	2	0	4
Cowl lf	3	0	6
Grunee lf	1	0	2
Zeh rg	1	0	2
Ryan c	1	2	4
Mazzei lg	0	0	0
Totals	8	2	18

Mules (8)

	G	F	P
Alter rf	1	0	2
Hoffman lf	1	0	2
Hall c	0	0	0
Crosby rg	1	0	2
Levine lg	1	0	2
Totals	4	0	8

Basketeers (26)

	G	F	P
Verrilli rf	2	0	4
Burroughs lf	3	1	7
Koch lf	2	0	4
Kurtz c	1	0	2
H O'Can rg	2	1	5
T O'Can lg	2	0	4
Hunter lg	0	0	0
Totals	12	2	26

Cyclones (21)

	G	F	P
Porter rf	6	0	12
K Wallace lf	0	1	1
Green lf	0	1	1
L Wallace c	2	0	4
Walker rg	1	0	2
Hill lg	1	0	2
Totals	9	3	21

Raiders (19)

	G	F	P
Albert rf	0	0	0
Merone lf	2	0	4
Weber c	2	0	4
Condro c	1	0	2
Frioli rg	2	0	4
Sinopoli lg	2	0	4
Totals	9	1	18

Spotlight On Sports

By DICK CARPENTER

In our book, the County Center arena is the toughest indoor sports palace in which to judge the number of spectators present. When the Harlem Globetrotters were in for a one-night stand on Sunday it seemed certain that at least 4,000 persons had been crammed into the place. But the announced figure was 2,671.

Incidentally the 'trotters have lost none of their showmanship or finesse and, if anything, have gotten better in a year's absence from these parts. It was revealed that the Harlem cage wizards will be back for another appearance at the White Plains center late in February. It should be another box office hit.

Local Picture

Bellows was dealt a cruel blow yesterday in its quest for basketball recognition and the East End is wondering just how Jack Hasley will get out of this one. Hasley, a widely known developer of court talent, has wormed his squads through some tight holes with super brainwork and perhaps he can figure out some way to approach this situation, namely the loss of two vital cogs in the varsity machine.

The current BHS mentor is the only coach we know who can boast of directing a scholastic quintet through an unbeaten season. Hasley also is mighty proud of having started Carl Braun on a brilliant career of point-making. The present N. Y. Knicks' leading marker-maker was a greenhorn when Hasley took him under his wing at a Pennsylvania school.

Mamaroneck High's forces haven't suffered any injuries, to our knowledge, but that doesn't make their future any brighter. Coach Orlando Cirsaco has a bunch of willing cagers to work with but most of them lack experience. However, in our opinion, if one of the rangy squabs should pan out, the Tigers will be dangerous. Height is definitely lacking and there is nothing to stop tall opponents of the Bengals from going on scoring rampages.

Despite the bleak outlook, there is spirit aplenty at the Hilton and the youngsters on the squad are making the returnees go out and fight for their berths. This stiff competitive feeling may spur the Cirscomen to a good season, perhaps a better record than the 1948-49 quintet compiled.

BHS Banquet

Bellows will honor its 1949 football team at a banquet, at Walker Fearon on Thursday night at the school gymnasium. The affair is being prepared by the Bellows Community Club.

The Panther gridmen certainly deserve this fete. They came off the floor after taking two licks to top four straight and go on to stamp a mark of five wins and three losses in the books. There were two highlights of the year, the one-touchdown upset of rival Harrison in a "Little Three" scrap and then the trouncing of Tuckahoe on closing day, a win that belted the Tucks out of Westchester's unbeaten class. It wasn't the greatest Panther eleven but it was one of the hardest to humble.

N. R. 'T' BEATS M. V.

MOUNT VERNON—Mount Vernon missed a chance to tie White Plains for first place in the Westchester "T" Basketball League when it was upset by New Rochelle, 51-40, here last night. Pete Pederson led New Rochelle to its first triumph after two setbacks with 18 points, but Dick Johnson, former Davis High star, was high scorer with 20 tallies for the losers.

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Evangelista Breaks Wrist; Panther Cage Squad Jarred

The jinx which has hounded the current Bellows High School basketball edition struck with a fury yesterday when Danny Evangelista, senior center and tallest member of the BHS squad, broke his left wrist while running through an apparently harmless "dummy drill." Coach Jack Hasley stated last night that the six foot, six inch pivot ace would be out for at least a month.

Evangelista's loss was a sudden and cruel blow to the Panthers' hopes for a successful get-away this season. The big center had rounded into shape faster than any other member of the varsity unit and had clinched his job long before the other candidates. Hasley had planned on using George Fischer, a six-four man, alongside Evangelista in the bucket for rebound strength but now it appears that Fischer will have to try to carry most of the weight himself for a while.

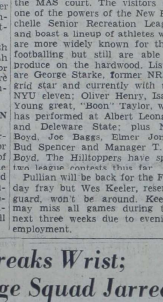
The accident occured during a warm-up drill in the senior boys' physical education class at approximately 11:30 A. M. During a scramble for a loose ball while running through an out-of-bounds play, Evangelista was unintentionally tripped by a teammate and crashed to the floor. Complaining of terrific pain in his wrist, Danny was rushed to the nurse's office for examination.

Shortly thereafter the injured athlete was taken to Dr. Emil Verrilli's office and had the bone set. From there he was chauffeured to the hospital for x-rays and the placing of a cast over the member.

This unexpected development, coupled with the foggy weather, prompted Hasley to call off the scheduled trip to Port Chester High for a scrimmage. Instead, a practice was held in the East End gymnasium.

Steve Johnston, who smashed his finger last week, put in an unexpected appearance at scrimmage yesterday's drill and worked out cautiously. Although the banged up finger is still extremely tender, there is a ray of hope that Steve will be able to help out against Croton-Harmon Friday evening.

Of the original starting five, only Ed Petrie, Fischer and Ed Feldt are in good physical condition. Conceding that Johnston will not be inserted into the first five, Hasley has two vacant spots are wide open for Panky Vitetta, Bill Cummings, Joe Benedict, Ed Capner and Ken Dellner. That group completes the varsity squad. Cummings and Petrie are the only regulars who are not in their second year.



DANNY EVANGELISTA
Lost to BHS Cage Squad

A drill was held this afternoon and another heavy scrimmage is on tap for tomorrow. With just these two days to work things out, Hasley will be pressed for a solution to the problem which has popped up. Last night he said he may shift Johnston to the pivot for some added speed and already has several solutions to the difficulty. They will be tried out before the opening test.

Croton staged a brilliant comeback last Friday to defeat Ossining 33-31 thus becoming the first Croton quintet to down the Indians in the history of their long rivalry.

Dodger 5 to Perform As Basketball Players

NEW YORK, (AP)—Five Brooklyn Dodgers have formed themselves into a basketball team to play a game every Monday night on a Brooklyn theater stage, starting next week.

Members of the troupe are Rex Barney, Don Newcombe, Eddie Miksis, Gil Hodges, and Ralph Branca, lanky faster from Mount Vernon.

CARSE ON MIDDLEBURY 6

MIDDLEBURY, VT. — Stewart Carse, a sophomore from White Plains, N. Y., will hold down a wing position on Middlebury College's Vermont Conference hockey championship team which opens a 22-game schedule, toughout in the history of the sport at the 15[illegible]-year-old Vermont institution, against Dartmouth in Hanover, N. H., tonight.

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Sam Snead Ranks 1st In Golf Money-Making

MIAMI, Fla., (AP)—Slammin' Sammy Snead, the gallery-drawing professional golfer from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., wound up the 1949 season as the top-ranking money winner with $32,073.83 in tournament prize money.

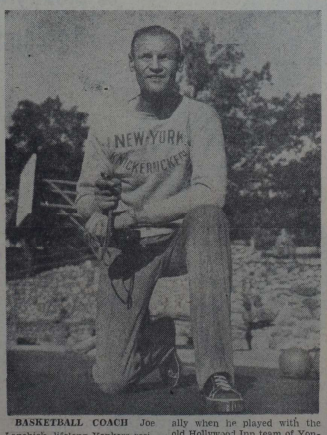
Snead won six major tournaments to top the field.

In the annual list of golfing "superlatives" issued each year by the Professional Golfing Association, Cary Middlecoff of Ormond Beach, Fla., was listed as the most improved golfer.

Middlecoff this year won the U. S. open championship and four other events. He tied in the Motor City open with Lloyd Mangrum and was runner-up in four other events.

Other PGA superlatives included:

Longest Putt—Jack Burke Jr. of White Plains, N. Y., canned a 112-footer at the Riviera Country Club, Los Angeles.



BASKETBALL COACH Joe Lapchick, lifelong Yonkers resident, last night was selected by the Federation of Women's Athletic Clubs as the "Outstanding Yonkers Sports Personality of 1949." This is the second annual award made by the 29-member federation. Last year's recipient was American Baseball League Umpire Bill Grieve. Lapchick has had a long and colorful career in basketball which began professionally when he played with the old Hollywood Inn team of Yonkers while still in his teens. From that squad he graduated to the most powerful team ever known to basketball — the original Celtics. In 1936, after 13 years of big time competition, he quit playing to become basketball coach of St. Johns University, and after 11 seasons there, he became coach of the N. Y. Knickerbockers, of the Basketball Association of America, in 1947.

RUTGERS U. CLUB PICKS HASTINGS

Hastings High School, one of two county teams to come through the 1949 football season unbeaten, untied, yesterday was selected by the Rutgers University Club of Westchester for the "Westchester Schoolboy Team of the Year" award.

Robert Ruzer of White Plains, president of the Rutgers club, announced the choice after a meeting of the selection committee in White Plains yesterday afternoon.

The trophy won last year by Mount Kisco High School, is awarded on the basis of team record, improvement over the previous year, material on hand, caliber of competition, and sportsmanship.

"Hastings High was unanimous choice of the committee," said Mr. Ruzer. "Hastings' feat of coming through a seven game schedule unbeaten, with very little veteran material back, and against an exacting schedule for a Class B school, was the season's most notable achievement," he concluded.

Sports Calendar

TODAY

Bowling

Daily Times League matches, Larchmont Rec Center, 8:30 PM.

Friendly Village League matches, Mamaroneck Rec Center, 8:30 PM.

Basketball

Davis Elkins at Iona College, New Rochelle.

Washington Irving at Saunders, Yonkers.

Elmsford at North Tarrytown.

Sacred Heart, Yonkers at Commerce, Yonkers.

Blessed Sacrament at Mount Kisco.

Hastings at Rye.

Tollentine at Mount St. Michael.

Children's Village at Halstead, Yonkers.*

Bedford Hills at Ridgefield, Conn.

Brewster at St. Mary's.

Boxing

County Center, White Plains. Joe Atria vs Jimmy Donnelly, in feature, first bout at 8:30 PM.

TOMORROW

Basketball

Hackley School at Concordia, Bronxville.

Sacred Heart, Yonkers, at Cathedral, New York City.

Ossining at Saunders, Yonkers, Irvington at New York School For Deaf, White Plains.

Bowling

Fraternal League matches, Mamaroneck Rec Center, 8:30 PM.

Bowlette League matches for ladies, Larchmont Bowl, 8:30 PM.

Rec Basketball

Games at Mamaroneck Avenue School gym: Basketeers vs Tarheels, Cyclones vs Ravens.

Gaels vs Columbia Rose, Bellows High gym, 8:15 PM.

RUMOR ARMY, ND TO RENEW PACT

NEW YORK, (AP) — If Army and Notre Dame are planning an early renewal of football relations, both are being coy about it.

The report popped up again last night, from two sources. The institutions wouldn't verify it.

A. J. (Dutch) Bergman, broadcasting over the NBC network from Washington said Army and Notre Dame have agreed to a "home and home" series, probably beginning in 1952 or 1953.

He said details were worked out at a conference Saturday between Gen. J. Lawton Collins, Army Chief of Staff, and Rev. John Cavanaugh, president of Notre Dame.

In Chicago, Arch Ward, sports editor of the Chicago Tribune, wrote that the two teams will renew their rivalry "in about three years."

He said it would be on a home and home basis and added: "This announcement may come as a surprise even to the campuses of the two institutions. Army prefers to withhold the news momentarily."

The Army said in Washington there had been a meeting between Gen. Collins and Father Cavanaugh but no decision, on football was reached. That's a question left up to the superintendent of the military academy, the Army said.

Army and Notre Dame, long standing rivals, ended their series after the 1947 season. The Irish won the last game, 21-7.

Abe Greene Named To Get Boxing Award

NEW YORK, (AP) — Abe Greene, National Boxing Association commissioner, has been chosen by the New York Boxing Writers' Association to receive this year's award for meritorious service" to boxing.

Greene, editor of the Paterson, N. J., Evening News, for many years served as president of the NBA. He was named commissioner last year, and recently was reappointed to that post.

Princeton '6' Next Visitor

This Thursday's hockey attraction at Playland will be the invasion of Princeton University's Tigers for an attack on the St. Nick's sextet. In the preliminary fray, Greenwich High, winner of its lone outing to date, will try to make it two straight in a battle against winless North Tarrytown.

St. Nick's hasn't won as yet but they showed a complete reversal of form while holding Army to a 7-5 victory at West Point over the weekend. The Nickmen had been trumped by the NYAC and Yale U. in tests prior to the tilt at the Point.

Chief reason for the St. Nick's improvement is the return of Whitey Campbell to the uneup. "Whitey", a star with the Larchmont Eagles and Westchester League All Stars last season, netted three goals against Army and played a sterling all-around game. His addition to the roster gives the Nicks a fine defensive unit. Jim Roberts of Boston will hold down the other back-ice slot at the opening face-off.

With five minutes to go last Saturday, St. Nick's drew even at 5-all with the Pointmen but their supreme effort had taken the wind out of them and the skating Mules bagged a pair of goals for the decision.

Princeton scrimmaged the NYAC sextet twice during its pre-season training period and then opened the regular schedule with a 9-2 breeze against the Alumni Tigers on Saturday last.

Coach Dick Vaughan expects to have a good year with his Orange and Black skaters, possibly even the addition of another Quadrangle League crown if Dartmouth, Harvard and Yale don't prove too troublesome. Vaughan has been the Tigers' mentor for a decade and in that space of time has turned out some talented teams.

STIRNY, ED ROBINSON BLOCK MAJORS' TRADE

NEW YORK, (AP) — George Stirnweiss of the New York Yankees and Eddie Robinson of the Washington Senators are the road-blocks to an expected deluge of player deals here at the major league meetings.

According to President Bill DeWitt of the St. Louis Browns, every American League club except the Boston Red Sox is waiting for New York and Washington to close trade talks before making their own moves.

"The Yankees and Washington hold the key to all player deals," DeWitt said, as the meetings entered their second session today. "At least three clubs would like to have Stirnweiss for second base. Just as many are interested in getting Robinson for first.

"They know both are available, and feel they stand as good a chance as the next club to land either one. Until they wait for sure whether either, or both, are going, they are holding off on all deals."

Trade rumors, involving the National League, continued the float about, but nothing convrete was announced.

HORSE OF THE YEAR

BALTIMORE, Md. — Calumet Farm's Coaltown has won the title of Horse of the Year in the 14th annual nationwide poll of sports and turf writers and commentators. Coaltown received 102 votes and was followed by Capot with 71 and Ponder 21. Coaltown earned $276,125 while winning 12 of his 15 starts and finishing second in the other three this year.

ALL-STAR BACK IN CH

NEW YORK, (AP) — The major league All-Star game will return to its birthplace next year. It will be played at Chicago's Comiskey Park, where the first one was played in 1933.

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The Weather

Fair and rather cold tonight, low near 15. Mostly sunny and continued rather cold tomorrow, highest about 37. High tides today at 6:03 P. M.; tomorrow at 6:36 A. M. and 7:12 P. M.

Combing The Town

Book Group Meets

The third year group of the Great Books Discussion will meet at 8 P. M. tomorrow in the children's room of the Mamaroneck Free Library, according to Miss Eleanor L. Merrow, librarian. George Garfunkel is the leader of the group.

Subject of the discussion will be extracts from Socrates's writings including True History, Dialogues of the Dead, Dialogues of the Heteraei, Dialogue of the Gods, Alexander the Oracle-monger, The Sale of Creeds and The Fisher.

The first-year group under the leadership of Miss Marguerite V. Moody and Miss Edna Stephens has adjourned for the holidays. If there is sufficient demand, it will reconvene after the first of the year, otherwise, members of this group will be welcome in the advanced discussion group.

On Advisory Mission

Joseph C. McLain, principal of Mamaroneck High School, has been named a member of an advisory group of school principals and superintendents to assist the citizens' council made up of prominent New York state residents conducting a study of high school education for the State Board of Regents.

The council will study the problem of the high school curriculum in an effort to keep students in school until graduation. Chancellor William J. Wallin states that the Regents are concerned over the fact that "nearly one-half the pupils who enter the schools drop out before graduating from high school."

Mr. McLain attended a meeting of the council today in New York.

Board Feted

It isn't all treasurers' reports and cafeteria audits in the life of a school trustee. Mamaroneck Board members learned to their delight last night.

In fact, they could say that the work was pure gravy after the entire Board, Superintendent T. J. Ahern, A. E. Tuttle, assistant to the superintendent, Principal Joseph C. McLain and Hoffe Economics Supervisor Miss Dorothy Bachelder were feted at a dinner prepared and served by the Home Economics girls in the Home Economics room of the Senior High School.

On the staff, under the supervision of Margaret F. Shanahan, teacher, were Barbara De Gaetani, Helen Heinke, Jill Heintz, Shirley McKeiver, Alga Maccrone, Peggy Perry and Barbara Steinman.

Thief Tries Again

The marauder who pulled a job on Murray Avenue in Larchmont this week couldn't be called unpractical. The combination of snow-and-wet spell seems to have reminded him that it was time to find himself a new pair of rubbers, so he lifted a pair from three drying place on the porch at 141 Murray Avenue, Monday night.

The complainant made it an even clearer case by reporting that just after the first snowfall last Wednesday she saw a trail of footprints leading up to her porch and back to the street again.

Apparently the rubbers weren't out that time, but the thief persevered and finally got himself shod for the rainy spell.

Happy Birthday!

What in the world could you give a bank on its birthday?

Well, the Union Savings Bank of Mamaroneck, which celebrates its 63rd anniversary today, apparently thought that one over, and came up with an answer that is gratifying all around. Interest rates will go up from one and a half to two per cent on all deposits starting Jan. 1.

The bank opened Dec. 14, 1887, on the site now occupied by the offices of the Town of Mamaroneck, with 20 persons opening savings accounts totaling $5,595.93. Deposits have increased to $6,549,124.

Longer P. O. Hours

Postoffices in the Villages of Mamaroneck and Larchmont will remain open until 8 P. M. Friday and every night next week, it was announced this morning.

The offices will also remain open until 6 P. M. on Saturday to facilitate handling of crowds in the Christmas rush.

ST. NICK WILL VISIT FIRE HOUSE SUNDAY

More than 500 youngsters will be on hand at the firehouse of Volunteer Engine and Hose Company in Mamaroneck Sunday when Santa Claus arrives on a fire truck to climax the fifth annual Christmas party of the firefighters.

The party, which is scheduled to begin at 1 P. M. and will last the better part of the afternoon, will include refreshments and movies in addition to the presentation of gifts by St. Nick. The showing of half dozen cartoons will comprise the hour-and-a-half movie program while the volunteers will pass out candy, fruits and ice cream to the youngsters.

Capt. Joseph Lauria is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements assisted by 1st. Lt. Al Croce and 2nd Lt. Dominick Vanunsi.

BANK INCREASES INTEREST TO 2% FOR NEXT PERIOD

Trustees of Union Savings Base Decision on Size Of Reserve Fund

The Board of Trustees of the Union Savings Bank today announced its intention to increase the interest rate on savings to two per cent per annum for the period beginning Jan. 1.

The decision was made yesterday afternoon at a meeting in the bank after the trustees reviewed present earnings. The interest rise marks the first time since July, 1942, that the bank has paid two per cent. Depositors now receive one-and-one-half per cent per annum.

The intention to raise the rate will not affect dividends payable Jan. 1, but applies to interest payable June 30.

The goal the bank has been striving for with respect to mortgage reserves and surplus," Gabriel Wendel, president of the bank said this morning, "has been achieved.

"The Board studied the mortgage portfolio and considers that adequate reserves have now been established.

"Earnings are satisfactory and amply provide for an increase in the dividend and also leave sufficient funds to meet all necessary requirements. We now have $107,000 in the mortgage reserve account which has been definitely allocated for the protection of that account."

BOARD CONTINUES 9 ADULT COURSES

Rye Neck Evening Classes Reported Successful; 160 Registered

Nine adult education courses sponsored by the Rye Neck School District were authorized last night for the second semester as the Board of Education voted to make $1,025 available to finance the program.

The action followed a report attesting to the success of the first semester by the general advisory committee of the Adult Education Committee and by Trustees Mrs. Herbert Livesey and Harold Barlow, members of the Board's special committee on adult education.

Although this year's budget provided only for the financing of one semester of courses, the Board had agreed last Spring to make additional funds available if it seemed advisable. A total of $1,000 was earmarked for adult educa-

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TAX EQUALIZATION RATE UNCHANGED

Mamaroneck Rating Stays At 95; Rye Town Down One Point

The annual tax equalization table, upon which the 1950 Westchester tax levy will be apportioned among the 18 towns and six cities of the County, was filed this morning with the Board of Supervisors in White Plains by Charles E. Stahl of Yonkers, secretary of the County Tax Commission.

The table, which consists of the percentages of true value at which each town and city assesses realty, shows only slight variations from the 1949 table, with no municipality changes in the percentage ratings by more than one point. The sole exception is Poundridge, which goes up three points. Yonkers remains as the only one of the 24 municipalities credited with a rating of 100 per cent, which means the tax commission considers the city assesses at full value.

The table, formerly a function of the Board of Supervisors and in those days criticized as drawn by "log-rolling" methods, determines the percentage of the county tax levy which each municipality bears. There have been no appeals from the table since the County Tax Commission was established, whereas formerly there were many hotly contested appeals. The tax commission is composed of George Waugh Jr., of Scarsdale, chairman; Harry E. Colwell of New Rochelle, Christopher Lennox of Mount Pleasant, Clarence G. Martens of Mount

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CREAM OF THE CROP of cycle riders in the Village of Mamaroneck are shown above in front of the municipal building, where they gathered Saturday morning to receive prizes for observing superior bicycle safety practices during the Fall session of the Police Department's bicycle safety drive. At the right is Police Chief Arthur W. Martensen, who directed the program, and at the far left is Mayor B. J. Santoro, who awarded the prizes. Next to the Mayor is Police Lt. Herman Panis, whose active campaigning for bicycle safety included talks and motion pictures and covered all elementary, junior high and parochial schools in the village.

—Photo by A. W. Orsino.

30 BIKE RIDERS RECEIVE PRIZES

Village Officials Commend Winners of Safety Campaign

Bicycle safety prizes were distributed Saturday to 30 cyclists from grammar and junior high schools in the Village of Mamaroneck at ceremonies in the municipal building winding up the fall session of the Bicycle Safety program started by the Police Department in cooperation with the schools.

The prizes, contributed by local merchants, included such items as flashlights, fountain pens and sports equipment.

Active in the program, which was initiated by Village Police Chief Arthur Martensen, was Lt. Herman Pauls, who toured the schools showing safety films and giving talks on the necessity for cyclists to observe the same rules of safe driving as automobile drivers must follow.

All officers on the force were instructed to be on the lookout for bike riders and to take the names of those observing good safety practices for consideration by the prize-awarding commission composed of Chief Martensen, Lt. Pauls and the school principals.

Prize winners from the Mamaroneck Avenue School were Lola Miglaccio, Glen Pollack, Daniel Fraioli and Virginia Banks; from Central School: Jerry Paonessa, Phyllis Krisanda, Robert Jenks, Susan Byrne and Patsy Harper; from Mamaroneck Junior High: Frank Rodrigues, Robert Yarmy, Francine Bernheim and Tony Rivera; from Holy Trinity: Alice O'Connell, Barbara McGoughty, Barbara Hill, Alice Schramm and Edward Ensign.

Rye Neck winners were, from Barry Avenue School: Barbara Rohrig, Adeline Barbaric, Susan McKinley and Robert Sudal; from Daniel Warren: Robert Archer, Steven Flynn, Kent Woodward and Marie Lanza; and from Bellows Junior High School: Elizabeth Ginsberg, Steven Montayne, Robert Fisher and Charles Newberry.

In addition to the regular prizes, winners came in for an unscheduled treat when Mayor B. J. Santoro invited them to make an inspection of the municipal building and police department as his personal guests.

WOMAN HURT BY CAR AT STREET CROSSING

Mrs. W. A. Hartman of 8 Soundview Drive, Larchmont, suffered multiple contusions of the face neck, shoulders, legs and right hip at 6:10 P. M. yesterday when she was knocked to the pavement by a car at the intersection of Palmer and Chatsworth Avenues in Larchmont.

The driver of the car, Mrs. Anne Barysh, twenty-one of 308 Richbell Road, Mamaroneck, told Larchmont Police she had made a left turn south onto Chatsworth, after the light turned green, and that she did not see Mrs. Hartman until she was almost on top of her. She applied the brakes, she said, but was unable to avoid striking the pedestrian.

Officer Peter Guiseppe, on traffic duty at the Chatsworth Avenue Bridge, attended the injured woman and requested a bystander to telephone the police station for assistance.

Office Thomas Manning responded in a police car and drove Mrs. Hartman to Dr. C. C. Lyons at 18 Stuyvesant Avenue, where she was treated for her injuries and released. There were no charges nor arrests.

School Administrators Called On Carpet By Rye Neck Board

The Rye Neck Board of Education gave the superintendent and clerk a tongue lashing last night after a weekend inspection of district facilities revealed that several items for which this year's budget provides have not as yet been procured despite the fact that the 1950 fiscal program has been in effect since July 1.

Called on the carpet were Dr. Alvin W. Hicks and Edward Julier, clerk, as President Raymond T. O'Connell termed the failure of the officials to obtain the articles specified in the budget "pretty lax."

Also scored was the condition of two of the three school buildings in the district. Trustee Arthur Allen, while complimenting the custodians of the Barry Avenue School, criticized such conditions as missing door knobs in the Bellows High and Daniel Warren School buildings. The fact that workers at Barry Avenue had taken care of the "small items" and custodians at the other schools had not, Mr. Allen suggested, might indicate administrative negligence.

The sore spots were revealed during the Board's annual inspection of the buildings to determine needs for the coming fiscal year.

After questioning Dr. Hicks and

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BELLOWS DINNER TO HONOR SQUAD

Grid Players and Coaches Will Be Guests At Event Tomorrow

The Bellows High School football squad and Coaches Jack Fearon and James Bernard will be honored at a dinner at 7:30 P. M. tomorrow in the gymnasium, sponsored by the fathers of the Bellows Community Club.

Gabriel Wendel, captain of the 1921 football team and a former official, and the Rev. Arnold A. Fenton, rector of St. Thomas's Church and a well-known expert on kicking, will be the featured speakers. The program, arranged by Stephen Johnston, chairman of entertainment, will also include remarks by Dr. Alvin W. Hicks, superintendent of schools, Jack Hasley, director of athletics; Mr. Bernard and Mr. Fearon, coach; Mr. Fearon will introduce Donald Anderson and Ed Feldt, co-captains of the 1949 team.

The spaghetti and meatball dinner, prepared by Fred Feldt and Salvatore Paillace, will be served by the following cheerleaders: Abby Silver, Marion Stephens, Sue Chaves, Patty Clark, Nancy Savage, Joan Nuoffer, Judy Burchell, Isabelle MacDonald, Antoinette Panaro, Jane Martin, Joan Gillette, Bobby McDonald, and Bobby Belling; and Marjorie Barbara Warren, Rosemarie Rose, and Pat Rowman.

Men wishing to attend may call William Pitts Jr., 304 So. Barry Avenue.

CIVIC CLUB ELECTS F. C. CUCE PRESIDENT

Frank C. Cuce was elected to succeed Joseph Mandracchia as president of the Mamaroneck Civic Club last night at a meeting attended by 20 members in the Mamaroneck Free Library.

Others named to serve during the coming year are Gaetano Vice president; Philip Rigano, treasurer; Vincent Marcellino, financial secretary, Leo Cuccio, recording secretary, and Joseph D'Alfonso, historian. Trustees are Mr. Mandracchia, Joseph Lanza, Ralph Policini, Anthony LaManna and Jerome Castiglione.

Mr. Orsino was appointed chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the installation of new officers at a dinner meeting in January. Augustine J. Gizonda was elected to membership.

BOARD TO DEFER PAYMENT OF BILL

Jobson Says Field Repair Falls Short of Specifications

The Mamaroneck Board of Education last night voted unanimously to withhold all further payment to the Thalle construction Company of Yonkers, the concern working on the Manchester Field improvements, until a list of 19 items, judged unsatisfactory by Trustee C. Frank Jobson, are completed according to specifications.

Mr. Jobson, chairman of the Buildings and Grounds Committee, declared himself in agreement with a recommendation by the architect, Elton De Shaw that payment be withheld, and opposed approval of a $1,800 item in the financial committee's report which was to be remitted to the construction company for seeding a part of the Manchester Field area.

"They got that seed in too late!" shouted Mr. Jobson, as he expressed amazement that the architect would have approved the $1,800 payment, after allegedly telling Mr. Jobson he was opposed to any further payment without satisfaction.

After a brief discussion, the Board voted to defer payment.

Another thorn in the Board's side was the case of a New Rochelle resident whose son is a student at Mamaroneck High School. Superintendent T. James Ahern explained that although the boundary of the school district intersects this resident's property, it does not intersect the dwelling, and that therefore the son is liable for tuition charges of at least $175.

According to Mr. Ahern, the father of the boy promised in September to pay the tuition for 1949-50 on the understanding that he would be excused from the 1948-49 tuition. The bill still remains unpaid, the superintend-

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Bronxite Pays $50 Fine On 2nd Speed Summons

Domenick J. Colviato of the Bronx was fined $50 in Larchmont Police Court last night when he faced Judge John R. Cahill on his second speeding charge within 18 months. He was arrested on Sunday after being clocked at 45 miles per hour on the Post Road.

Two other speeding offenders, Arthur J. Wells of Jersey City and Harry H. Levine of the Bronx forfeited $15 each when they failed to appear in court.

Fines of $2 each for parking violations were paid by Larchmont Constance A. Rowley of 1815 Palmer Avenue, Eila Lorenz of 1880 Palmer Avenue, and Ethel K. Hawley of 3 Wildwood Road.

Milton Patsk of the Bronx paid $1 for a similar offense.

Hearings were postponed till Dec. 29 on charges against Arthur Leon of damaging village property, leaving the scene of an accident, and driving without a license.

$10,000 Fire Ruins Building In Heart Of Business Area

Rain Fills Reservoir To Ease Crisis Here

For the first time since Summer, the Westchester Joint Water Works is operating today completely on its own supply as a result of this week's rain, but although the situation has eased somewhat, officials are still pleading for conservation of the supply in view of the long-range problem facing the area.

Approximately an inch of rain fell Monday and Tuesday causing what Superintendent William Thrasher termed this morning a "fair flow" in the Mamaroneck River. This may mean partial independence of the New York City system for several weeks, Mr. Thrasher said.

"The rain did guarantee, however, that local residents will not have to go bathless and shaveless as New Yorkers will do Friday when the city observes a one-day water vacation. However, Mr. Thrasher said the Water Board will probably discuss such a plan Thursday at a special meeting.

Meanwhile, residents were still conserving water at the rate of 12 to 14 per cent daily based on the average consumption of the last eight weeks. Monday the saving was 14.6 per cent while yesterday consumers used 12.5 per cent less

LEGION AWARDS CONTEST PRIZES

White Plains Girl Is Zone Victor, Wyn Represents Mamaroneck

Miss Welty Halstead of White Plains High School won zone honors in the American Legion annual oratorical contest held Sunday at the Post 347 Clubhouse, Flint Park.

Ronald Wyn represented Mamaroneck High School in the contest which consisted of ten-minute speeches on the assigned subject, "The Constitution of the United States." Representatives of Port Chester, New Rochelle, Harrison, Scarsdale and P. E. Bellows High Schools also competed.

Dr. Herman Hoffman of the American Legion was chairman in the zone competition which won Miss Halstead the right to represent this zone tomorrow in an inter-zone debate at the County Court House, White Plains.

Ronald Wyn, Mamaroneck High School entrant in Sunday's competition, won his way to the zone debate last Friday at Mamaroneck High School. Jane Fehr was runner-up to Wyn while Donald Wheatley took third place.

The Mamaroneck representative is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wyn of 65 Shore Drive, Larchmont and was a member of the school's tennis team last year. He is also a member of the Glee Club, Forum, Speech Arts, Mamaroneck Finance, Latin and French Clubs.

Judges at the school debate included William Fulcher, Miss Jean Erdoss, and John Corfield, all members of the Mamaroneck High School faculty.

Chamber Sets Annual 'Sing'

The annual Christmas Sing, sponsored by the Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce will be held Sunday around the Christmas tree on the lawn of the Municipal Building at 6:15 P. M. Leonard F. Chase, Chamber president, announced this morning. It is a traditional affair to which every one in Mamaroneck is invited.

Invitations have been sent to churches, schools and the choral group of the Mamaroneck Woman's Club and it is expected that a large group will turn out, weather permitting. Only a raging blizzard will change the plans Mr. Chase added.

It is expected that the Sing will be held again this year by J. Ellsworth Olsen, director of music of the Rye Neck Schools with accompaniment supplied by one of the high schools. Ministers and priests have been asked to announce the Sing at the Sunday services.

"Every one is invited and urged to be present." Mr. Chase said. "The larger the crowd, the better the Sing. We would like to make this one the best ever held. The bigger the crowd, the better and more melodious the song. The members of the Chamber urge that every one in our friendly village turn out Sunday evening."

1949 Sedan Damaged As Truck Brakes Fail

A 1949 sedan operated by Joseph E. McLoughlin, Jr., twenty-three, of 32 Lincoln Street, Larchmont, was damaged Monday while parked on Main Street near Woodland Avenue, New Rochelle, when brake failure of a coal truck parked behind it caused the truck to roll into the sedan.

The truck, owned by Ernest L. Scott of 95 Pottsville Street, Cressona, Pa., was parked on Main Street while the driver, Howard Heffner, thirty-one of 1104 Hope Avenue, Pottsville, Pa., was inside a house delivering coal. Damage to the sedan consisted of a dented trunk cover and rear body dents.

CENTER TO HEAR TALK BY BULOW

Friday Forum to Continue Observance of 25th Anniversary

A talk on "Pressure Groups and Propaganda" by Harry Bulow of Larchmont will be the principal feature of Friday night's discussion forum at the Westchester Jewish Center on Halstead Avenue in Mamaroneck.

Mr. Bulow is public relations consultant for Warwick and Legler, Inc., New York City, and a member of the Public Relations Institute, New York City.

The Forum will be preceded by services commemorating the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Center in 1924.

Rabbi Irving Koslowe will conduct the services with Cantor Abraham Denburg officiating as the Choral Group presents special Chanukah selections. The rabbi will outline the history of the Center and special prayers will be offered by Audrey Margoluis of the JYL, Sandra Wanderman of the TYL, Theodore Yanow of the AZA, June Kleiner of the Young Judeans, and Nancy Bluestone of the Triple J's.

All past presidents and charter members of the Center and Sisterhood will be honored with scrolls, and special memorial prayers will be offered for all deceased past presidents and charter members.

Past Center presidents who will receive scrolls are Morris Stern, Philip Hinck, Edward Block, Dr. Sol Shapera, Mortimer Margolulis, Fred H. Rubin, Barney Epstein, Reuben Sirlin and Edward Margoluis.

Charter members receiving the tokens will be Morris Crown, Max Epstein, Jacob Rosen, Albert Kuritzky, Max Prakin, Barnet Prakin, Isadore Stern and Joseph Jacobs.

Sisterhood past presidents to be honored are Mrs. Hannah Rosen, Mrs. Jessie Tulebaum, Mrs. Betty Hinck, Mrs. Bertice Ditman, Mrs. Sylvia Bruskin, Miss Judith Kuritzky, Mrs. Rose Silvan, Mrs. Theresa Phillips, Mrs. Sally Wellins, Mrs. Ruth Crown, Mrs. Helen Rosenblum and Mrs. Erna Rubin.

Also receiving token will be Sisterhood charter members, Mrs. Mollie Jacobs, Mrs. Matilda Lipowsky, Mrs. Sarah Schwab, Mrs. Rebecca Epstein, Mrs. Ray Brouda, Mrs. Tilleabum and Mrs. Hannah Brachfeld.

Deceased officers and charter members who will be mentioned in memorial prayers are Harry Meisler, Nathan Sirlin, Morris Stern, Mrs. Morris Block, Mrs. Pearl Rosen, Mrs. Ida Margolulis, Mrs. Rose Fiusom and Mrs. Lena Epstein.

Schoolmasters Elect Tuttle to Head Unit

A. E. Tuttle, assistant to the superintendent of Mamaroneck schools, was elected chairman Saturday of the program committee of the New York Schoolmasters' Association at the Brass Rail Restaurant, New York City. It marks his third successive year in the post.

The organization is composed of school administrators of New York City, Westchester, Long Island and New Jersey.

Smoke Blankets Avenue As Flames Destroy Jubb Office

The worst fire Mamaroneck has seen in four years destroyed a wooden building used by Jubb's Storage Warehouse at 135 Mamaroneck Avenue at 11:21 A.M. today, causing damage unofficially estimated at $10,000.

The blaze, though it seriously threatened other structures in the heavily developed business district, was contained in the 15-foot wide shed next to Jubb's warehouse by Mamaroneck firemen who brought the fire under control within 30 minutes.

The building was used by Leo Jubb to store materials he uses in connection with moving. Almost all of the equipment, which was packed to the rafters, was destroyed either by the flames or water, Assistant Chief John Lombard, who directed the fire fighters, said the blaze had been caused by spontaneous combustion.

The fire department worked rapidly. Despite the fact that clouds of smoke were billowing above the building and flames licking along the rear threatening to spread throughout the heavily-developed business district, when the firemen arrived they were able to limit damage to the structure itself. Mr. Jubb's warehouse, abutting the location of the fire, suffered no damage, and even a wooden building also adjoining the fire escaped.

Mr. Jubb praised the fire department for its work and stressed the fact that 16-inch brick walls separating his warehouse at

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THRASHER CITES WATER-USE CUT

Tells Lions Why Reservoir Overflowed In Morning; Supply Still Low

Water consumption in the area served by the Westchester Joint Water Works No. 1 is now 14 per cent less than it was Nov. 30, William M. Thrasher, superintendent, revealed yesterday during a talk at the luncheon meeting of the Mamaroneck Lions Club at the Greenhaven Inn. From only three-tenths of one per cent Dec. 1 the present saving has been effected by water users in the district, with an average saving of 10½ per cent for the period, he said.

"We feel very grateful to the people of the community for what they have done," Mr. Thrasher stated, "but we can't stop there. We must increase this average to 16 per cent if we hope to continue to draw daily on New York City's water supply."

Anticipating questions that might follow his talk, Mr. Thrasher said that the reason some water was running over the dam at the Mamaroneck reservoir this morning was that more rain fell than was expected during the last 24 hours. He went on to explain that the local reservoir has a maximum capacity of 18 million gallons when full. It is necessary to maintain the reservoir near to capacity as possible, he pointed out, because of the time required to

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Rubbish Fire Damages Entryway of Building

A fire that started in a box of rubbish in an entryway at 116 Elm Street at 3:08 A.M. today damaged a doorway before Mamaroneck firemen, responding to a general alarm extinguished the blaze at 3:28 A. M.

Damage was confined almost entirely to the entry and none of the rubbish stored in the building was spoiled. The firm of J. D. Brophy, Inc., industrial vacuum cleaner dealers, occupy the premises.

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PRAYER FOR TODAY—I want to overcome the trammels of smallness, to be big where bigness of heart is called for to be generous where niggardliness might be a sin, to be helpful where it might be so easy to turn aside, to minister to those who are broken where I might be inclined to regard it as another's responsibility.

SALVE FOR HIGHWAY WOUNDS

THERE are certain fundamentals in connection with highway and parkway expansion in Westchester which must be accepted.

1. New York City is bringing to the southern boundary line of the County several high-speed traffic routes which must be extended through Westchester if we are to avoid congestion on our already crowded thoroughfares.

2. The construction of such through-traffic arteries must follow valleys and take advantage of other topographic features if we are to hold down the costs.

3. The cost of the construction of the major units of traffic relief is to be met by the State and, therefore, the State must be given some authority in plans and routes.

4. These highways and parkways must be built upon land; they cannot be hung in the air upon sky hooks.

Accepting these premises, we then come logically to the inescapable fact that these thoroughfares cannot be built without hurting somebody at some place along the route. Westchester is not virgin territory and there are certain to be damages inflicted upon homes or property values wherever new roads are built. Although, we hasten to add, in a great many cases, these new roads will open up to residential development areas heretofore sparsely settled for lack of adjacent high-speed traffic routes.

Nevertheless, it is admitted that some owners of homes and of other types of properties are going to be hurt, regardless of where and when these traffic routes are constructed. The problem, then, is how to reimburse these persons properly.

Where a home must be razed, there is no way, of course, to restore the sentimental value which may have accumulated over a long period of years. But there is a way to recompense the owner for the material damage. And that is to pay him a price for his home which will permit the displanted owner to acquire a new home, similar in size and value, elsewhere. Too, where there are consequential damages, that is, where an adjacent new highway destroys the quietude and peace of a home, compensation should be adjusted.

This is, we submit, the least which the State and the County should do in its acquisition of rights-of-way for the new parkways and highways planned to take care of the increasing traffic through Westchester. Anything less is immoral. And, too, despite what the Fair New Deal has done to citizens during the last 20 years, confiscation of private property is still unconstitutional.

So, let it be thoroughly understood at the outset that any citizens whose homes or other properties are to be damaged in the tremendous parkway and highway expansion just ahead must be fully recompensed in the material sense.

That should prove to be of some solace to those who are hurt economically, or whose even tenor of gracious living is interrupted temporarily.

PROPAGANDA JUST AHEAD

AUTHORITATIVE reports from Washington, from observers whose accuracy has been proven over many years, are that there will come shortly after the first of the year an "unemployment scare" wave of propaganda.

The real facts are that anticipated unemployment in January is expected to be about 4 million, as compared to 3.4 million last month and 3.2 million in last February. That is not a substantial increase but is considered normal for the season, since unemployment always rises in the Wintertime.

The purpose behind the propaganda is to lend weight to the Truman administration's drive for bigger unemployment benefits and for a wider spread of the coverage. The Truman program will include not only bigger benefits but a shorter waiting time and larger amounts for dependents of the unemployed.

The policy of utilizing propaganda for legislative ends is not new. And occasionaly it works. We suggest, therefore, that the public condition itself in advance to the claims which will be advanced for political reasons, remembering that 1950 is a Congressional election year.

Forewarned is forearmed. Don't let the propaganda panic you.

Col. Joe Bush Says:

As near as we can get the picture out of news dispatches from Key West, Fla., the purpose of the sun-kissed conference is to determine how they can give away more sun-burned dollars so they can cash in on more dad-burned votes.

County Clerk Bob Field of Peekskill is tryin' to get some more "W" and "WE" auto license plate series instead of the "J" series what Albany wished on us when we run out. We may be hicks, says Bob, but we sure ain't J's.

We are conservin' water to beat the band. Every time we go out in the rain we come back in and squeeze out our hat and raincoat in the tub. By New Year's we expect to have enough for a bath.

Thoughts as the year ends: "'Twas a fine '49 and signs point to a nifty '50."

Suggested epitaph for John L. Lewis: "On the fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh days, he rested."

In the old days, pretty near every American industrialist who was to have his picture took, always got out his pipe. But now Uncle Joe Stalin, who always puts his big pipe in his mouth just before the photog shoots, has changed that and it ain't stylish over here no more.

An oldtimer is a guy who can remember when city streets were two-way. And there's a new law permittin' cops to shoot every motorist who, when stopped goin' the wrong way on a one-way thoroughfare, replies: "Well, I'm goin' in' only one way, ain't I?"

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Try And Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

Harry Hansen and Charlie MacArthur, bound for a luncheon in the Wedgewood Room of the Waldorf, entered the revolving door on the heels of an imposing figure in uniform. He wore gold epaulets, a plumed hat, three rows of medals on his chest, and carried a huge sword at his side. Who can he be? wondered Hansen. MacArthur answered in a confidential whisper, "Argentinian Secret Service."

Editor Jack Lait knows the importance of the lead sentence in a news story, and collects outstanding examples of some. One of the best, he thinks, was written by Hugh Fullerton for the old Chicago American. A gent discovered on his wedding night that his bride had a glass eye, and sued for annulment. Chronicled Fullerton: "Drink to me only with thine eye proposed Steve Myatewski to his new wife—and she raised her glass."

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The Counselor

HOMEWORK

Question: I am confined to the house with asthma. How can I obtain some work to occupy my time? J. L.

Answer: Watch the classified ad section of this paper. The Help Wanted columns will answer your question.

PIANO TUNER

Question: I would like to know if it is possible to learn piano tuning in New York City?

Answer: The New York Trade School, 312 East 67th Street, New York City has such a course for men seventeen years of age and over.

STOLLEN

Question: What is stollen? Is it a coffee cake? Where can I get a recipe for it? F. P.

Answer: Stollen is a bread containing fruit and nuts, made of sweet yeast. It is usually baked into a long oval loaf. The Westchester Home Bureau, County Office Building, White Plains, will be able to give you a good recipe.

COCHINEAL

Question: Is a cochineal an insect? What is it like? W. M.

Answer: This insect is a native of Central America and Mexico. A dyestuff is obtained consisting of the dried bodies of this bug. If they are killed in stoves, the heat leaves the natural white powdery coverings of the bug, which makes silver dye. If they are killed by steam or hot water, a black dye results. It is probably the male of the species, which has a body of deep red and white wings, that produces the carmine, crimson, orange, scarlet, and other bright tints. The female is dark brown in color. There are about 175 females to every male.

A CHILD'S CHISTMAS

Question: Where was the place in Mount Vernon that is collecting toys to give as gifts to underprivileged children? P. L.

Answer: The Mount Vernon branch of the Westchester Children's Association are trying to make Christmas merry for 400 underprivileged children. Toys, games, balls, all are welcome. If you have something to give, call Mrs. Harold D. Toomey, Mount Vernon 8-8534.

ASSISTANT

Question: Does that school in White Plains that you frequently mention have a course in becoming a doctor's assistant? A. A.

Answer: We presume that you mean the New York Institute of Applied Arts and Sciences on Battle Avenue, White Plains. This Institute does have the course that you mention.

Calendar

TODAY

Mamaroneck Girl Scout Council, St. Thomas' Church House, 9:30 A. M.

Larchmont Home Bureau, Weaver Street Fire House, 9:30 A. M.

Larchmont Girl Scout Council, Scout House, 10 A. M.

Larchmont Lions Club, Pal Mar Restaurant, 12:15 P. M.

Club day, Mamaroneck Woman's Club, 2 P. M.

Mamaroneck Kiwanis Club, Elks Club House, 7 P. M.

Mamaroneck Girl Scout training session, St. Thomas' Church, 8 P. M.

Junior Committee, Larchmont DAR, the Burt home, 10 Virginia Place, Larchmont, 8 P. M.

Daniel Warren School PTA, Mamaroneck, 8:15 P. M.

Christmas program, Mamaroneck Senior High School, 8:15 P. M.

Patriotic Order, Sons of America, Masonic Hall, Mamaroneck, 8:15 P. M.

Knights of Columbus, Carpenters Hall, Mamaroneck, 8:30 P. M.

TOMORROW

Choral Department, Larchmont Woman's Club, 10 A. M.

Mamaroneck Rotary Club, Greenhaven Inn, 12:15 P. M.

Christmas luncheon - bridge, Orienta Beach Club, 12:30 P. M.

AAUW board, Symons home, 86 Edgewood Avenue, Larchmont, 12:30 P. M.

Mothers' class, Mamaroneck Health Center, 2 P. M.

Boy Scouts, Larchmont Avenue Church, 7:30 P. M.

Pack 1, Den 1, Cub Scout fathers, Westchester Jewish Center, 7:30 P. M.

Companions of the Forest, Carpenters Hall, Mamaroneck, 8 P. M.

Women's Republican Club of Rye Neck, 144 Post Road, Mamaroneck, 8 P. M.

Boy Scout Court of Honor, Junior High School, 8 P. M.

Henrietta Constable Chapter, St. Thomas' Church, Mamaroneck, 8:15 P. M.

Auxiliary Fire Department, Mamaroneck, 8:30 P. M.

Alcoholics Anonymous, Mamaroneck Methodist Church, 8:30 P. M.

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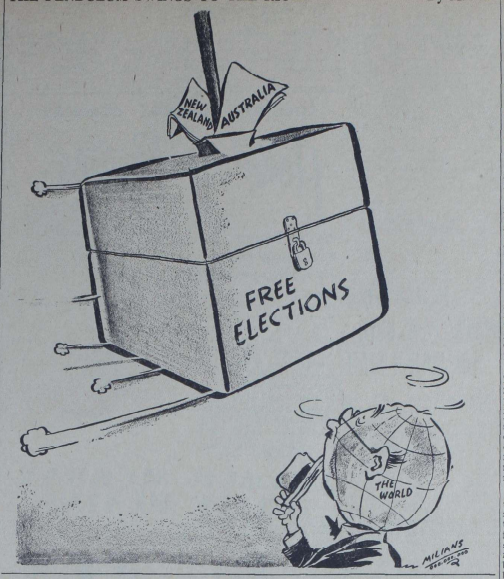
By Milians



Grab Bag

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1—Does the caricature of Uncle Sam, representing the United States, ever wear a mustache?

2—Who was the last emperor of Russia?

ignition or percussion?

3—Is dynamite exploded by

4—From what country did Christopher Columbus sail to America?

5—Who wrote the Adventures of Sherlock Holmes?

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

King George VI, of England, heads today's birthday list. Sharing honors are Jane Cowl, American actress, and James Doolittle, famed flyer.

YOUR FUTURE

Stellar influences during the year just commencing for you indicate your life will go along on an even keel. Average success and happiness should be achieved by the child born today.

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE

HOMAGE — (HOM-IJ)—noun; a ceremony by which a man acknowledged himself the vassal of a lord; an act done or thing rendered as an acknowledgment of vassalage; respect or reverential respect; obeisance. Origin: Old French from Latin, Hominaticum; from Latin, Homo, a man.

GUESS THE NAME

1—This English, natural philosopher was born in Woolsthorpe, Dec. 25, 1642. At school he made little progress at books until he had a successful fight with another boy, which aroused a spirit of emulation and led to his becoming head of his class. At 14 he had to leave school to help on the family farm. Sent back to school, he became noted for his ability. He discovered the force of gravity from watching the fall of an apple from a tree. His thesis on the New Theory About Light and Color followed experiments in color. He made a reflecting telescope in 1668, and another in 1671. He died March 20, 1727. What was his name?

2—Born in Boston, Dec. 14, 1890, this noted actress was educated at Columbia University. She made her first appearance in Sweet Kitty Bellairs at the Belasco Theater in New York. She played in The Music Master, The Rose of the Rancho, The Easiest Way and Within the Law in early years of her career. Later she starred in Lilac Time, Smilin' Through, Romeo and Juliet and as Viola in Twelfth Night. Candida and Madame X were later plays in which she starred. A play which she wrote in collaboration was produced in London in 1935, and she was part author of another play. She lives in New York. Who is she?

IT HAPPENED TODAY

1553—Henry IV, King of Navarre, born 1819—Alabama admitted to Union. 1911—Roald Amundsen, late Norwegian explorer, reached South Pole. 1942—Ethiopian government declared war on Germany and Italy in World War II. 1946—United Nations accepted John D. Rockefeller, Jr's. gift of permanent headquarters site in New York City.

IT'S BEEN SAID

We come to learn that it does not pay to grieve too much over our errors. Ordinarily we try to do the best we can.—T. L. Mason.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1—NO, just chin whiskers.
2—Nicholas II.
3—Percussion.
4—Spain.
5—The late Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.

1—Sir Isaac Newton.
2—Jane Cowl.

A Glance Backward

A DECADE AGO
(From The Daily Times)

Trustees of the Village Board decided that a large room on the third floor of the new Municipal Building would be used for their meetings and for the police court. At the same meeting, Village Manager Raymond J. Whitney was taken to task by Mayor Corrigan for "uncertainty" as to expenditures in renovating the large brick building. . . . Only 540 motorists applied for new 1940 license plates on opening day. . . . Fire Chief Frank R. Tierney of the Larchmont Fire Council revealed that the Council was trying to devise some economic means of providing a fire whistle in the Palmer Avenue business district to comply with citizens' requests. . . . The Westchester County Realty Board sent County Executive William Bleakley and the Board of Supervisors copies of a resolution adopted at a meeting, "deploring the suggested increase in the county budget." The 24-hour deadline for a reply to the League of Nations' offer to mediate the Russia-Finnish war passed without any reply from the Soviet Union. The League planned to condemn Russia as an aggressor. . . . Gil Allen led the Mamaroneck Gaels to a 30-26 basketball win over the Mount Vernon YMCA. . . . Ray Byrnes and Howie "Bud" Barker netted scores as Bellows defeated Dobbs Ferry 2-0 in a scholastic hockey game at Playland. . . . Earl Schenck actor, artist and scientist, told members of the Larchmont Men's Club of some of his experiences in the South Seas. . . . Major William von Bernuth of Orienta Point gave a practical aspect of the nation's military forces while speaking before the weekly discussion forum as part of the night school program sponsored by the Board of Education. . . . Mrs. Thomas Maxwell and Mrs. Harold Grune were in charge of the dessert-card party held by the Holy Trinity PTA. . . . And just 35 years ago today Miss Helen Gill was elected president of the Pro Con Debating Society of Mamaroneck. . . . and the Wa-ka-cha-sha Association was planning for an Indian Rug Dance.

'EYE' FOR ROBOTS OF FUTURE

NEW YORK (AP) — Television experts foresee many things ahead for electronic vision in industry. For one thing, they visualize a machine which, with the aid of a TV "eye", could go underground and do work that would be highly dangerous, particularly in areas where marginal profitability would not warrant the cost and risk involved in hand-mining.

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RFC Oil-Drill Loan To Co-Ops Loses Mystery With Discovery

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, — The Reconstruction Finance Corp's recent oil-drilling loan of $15,100,000 to business and cooperative interests in Kansas City and other Missouri centers has lost its original aura of mystery as a result of the discovery that certain banking and promotion beneficiaries had been associated with the Truman-Pendergast political machine in a contractual way for many years.

The transaction has caused a sensation in the Southwest, the Far West and in petroleum circles generally because it is the first time that the RFC has underwritten a loan for actual oil production. Since the earliest days, the RFC has refused to finance such schemes because of their highly speculative nature.

Another reason for industrial and commercial concern is that national and local cooperatives, which are apparently borrowing from both the RFC and the Farm Credit Administration, are major participants in the new venture.

Inasmuch as the RFC-financed oil company has properties in Kansas, Oklahoma, Nebraska, New Mexico, Louisiana and California, it appears that the White House-managed RFC intends to advance funds for large-scale operations in both speculative and cooperative fields, to the detriment of the tremendous investments of old-established and less politically favored firms.

TYCOONS — A key figure in the new corporation, which was first known as the Texmass Petroleum Company of Dallas, Tex., is Arthur W. Kincade of Wichita, a center of considerable oil financing. He is an oil lawyer and banker there, and he is also board chairman of the new merger. He had a leading part in organizing it, and in obtaining RFC funds.

Mr. Kincade is a prominent member of the American Petroleum Institute. In addition, he has been an officer of numerous banks and real estate mortgage firms in Texas and Oklahoma. He is now president of the Fourth National Bank at Wichita, which has served as partial financier for numerous petroleum operations in t his area.

William Thornton Kemper Jr. is a director of the Wichita Fourth National Bank and also president of the First National Bank at Independence, Mo., although these posts comprise only a few of his and his family's far-flung interests. The Kemper brothers are among the tycoons of Kansas City and the Midwest generally.

HOLDINGS—Their father, the late William T. Kemper, was Democratic National Committeeman of Missouri for many years.

His two other sons, James M. Kemper and Rufus Crosby Kemper, are officers and key figures in so many Kansas City corporations that it is almost impossible to list them. But it is known that they frequently handled contracts awarded by the Democratic officials of Kansas City, Jackson County and the state.

Their holdings include banks, trust companies, life insurance firms, real estate and general mortgage business. They are also interested in Braniff Airways, public utilities, theaters and restaurants. In addition, they own mill and elevator, lumber, clay products, sand and gravel companies.

James M. Kemper was chairman of the Kansas City advisory board for the RFC from 1933 to 1939.

POWER—As a Jackson County judge until 1934, President Truman undoubtedly had many business dealings with Kemper interests, in view of their participation in lumber, utilities, clay products, sewer pipe, sand and gravel firms.

A Jackson County judge is not really a jurist. The judges are simply county commissioners, and they have full authority over construction of roads and similar facilities. It was as a member of this agency that Mr. Truman really got his political start under the auspices of the late Tom Pendergast.

The Kempers take no active part in politics, never serving as members of committees, appearing on platforms during campaigns or holding office. But it is obvious that any family with such extensive holdings in the fields listed, in addition to the fact of their father's active participation in Democratic politics, are a power. They are so recognized.

Kansas Cityans here say that they have recently decided to branch out into the oil industry, and that William Thornton Kemper Jr., Mr. Kincade's associate in the Wichita bank, has been assigned to handle all developments of this kind.

YOU'RE TELLING ME!

By WILLIAM RITT
Central Press Writer

News that there's agitation to change Massachusetts' emblem from a codfish to a tuna comes as a distinct surprise to Zadok Dumkopf who all along thought that state's symbol to have been a bean.

A pocket-sized radio is on the market. Just the thing for those 15-second spot commercials!

Bank of Canada has a new deputy governor named Cayne. Sounds like a born money man.

Grandpappy Jenkins says he didn't realize how topsy-turvy things are in England until he read that Londoners have started a fad of wearing their overcoats backward.

A nonagenarian says it's healthy to get mad occasionally. Especially at people always asking your age?

A wild goose forced a Dutch airliner to make an emergency landing. Probably wasn't half as wild as the pilot.

The pie that Vancouver escapee hurled at a pursuing cop was, we read, a genuine custard. Some folks will do anything to attract the attention of Hollywood.

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Unique 'Tree' Features Skit Of Jr. League

"We don't have to face the music when the cheese souffle's ablaze," but "'tisputin' that com mutin' is not meant for the weak," was the theme throughout the skit of tunes and poetry enacted by the Professional Group of the Eastern Westchester Unit of the New York Junior League at a special joint meeting of the unit held last night at the Larchmont Yacht Club.

As a gift from "Mrs. Santa Claus," played by Miss Gloria von der Lehr of Larchmont, a huge Christmas tree decorated the dining room. The tree, ingeniously constructed by G. S. Yeager and Dr. Clarence R. Straatsma of New Rochelle, was decorated with "professional bulbs" as pictured in the accompanying photograph.

The tree was spotlighted after "Mrs. Santa Claus" made the gift presentation. Mrs. Santa Claus was introduced by Miss Mary Louise Whelen, and the skit was written and directed by Miss Betty Cobbs and Miss Nancy Yeager, cochairmen of the program.

Preceding the program there was a short business meeting conducted by Mrs. George S. Squibb Jr., chairman of the unit. Mrs. Richard C. Staelin, cochairman of provisionals, announced that the orientation course required by the Association of Junior Leagues of America will start Jan. 19, and that attendance at each session will be required of the entire membership.

Mrs. G. Gordon Biggar of Larchmont, chairman of children's theater, announced that the final rehearsal for the new program of three plays will be held in the unit rooms Jan. 9 and that the Lilliput Theater will be taken to Grasslands Hospital Jan. 16 and to the New Rochelle Day Nursery Jan. 22. Mrs. William T. Maddox Jr. of New Rochelle, chairman of the microfilming project at the New Rochelle Hospital, reported that 76 League volunteers working 804 hours during a two months period had photographed 10,797 records, using 4,800 feet of film.

Mrs. Robert I. Dodge Jr. of Tuckahoe announced that the unit will give a Christmas party for the children in the tuberculous ward at Grasslands Hospital and that, in addition to toys, each child will receive a piece of clothing.

A UNIQUE Christmas tree decorated with live professional bulbs" was the highlight of the skit presented by the Professional Group of the Eastern Westchester Unit of the New York Junior League at a special joint meeting held last night at the Larchmont Yacht Club. Pictured from top to bottom, left to right, are: Miss Mary Eleanor Straatsma of New Rochelle, the "star"; Miss Prudericka H. Schaefer of Larchmont and Mrs. Joseph T. Bradbury of New Rochelle, in the chef cap; Miss Adarlenne Metz and Miss Nancy Covert, with derby, of Larchmont; Miss Joan Smith of New Rochelle and Miss Anne Skinner of Tuckahoe, with crown; Miss Mary Louise Whelen of New Rochelle, Miss Carol Batchelder of Larchmont, Miss Nancy Yeager of New Rochelle, and Miss Betty Cobbs of Larchmont in the dunce cap; and in the bottom row, Mrs. Gordon Sleeper of Scarsdale, the Misses Gail Miller, and Susan MacCallum, the sailor, of Larchmont, and Miss Suzanne O'Neill of Scarsdale.
—Staff Photo by John Marrone

New Officers Elected By Den 3 of New Pack

Carmine Santoro was elected denner of Den Three of newly organized Pack Three-A of the Mamaroneck Cub Scouts sponsored by Holy Trinity School, at a meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. William Eigert, of 510 Jefferson Avenue, Mamaroneck.

Other cub officers are William Eigert Jr., assistant denner, and Carmella Santoro, treasurer. Den mothers are Mrs. William Marion and Mrs. Eigert. Members completed Christmas tree decorations as the project for December. Other cubs attending were Norbert Douchard, Jeremiah Mahoney and William Marion.

Mrs. Callahan Heads New Slate Of Mamaroneck Health Center

Mrs. Arthur F. Callahan was elected president of the Mamaroneck Health Center yesterday at the 15th annual meeting, succeeding Mrs. George Ayres. Other new officers include Mrs. Mervin H. Connor, first vice-president, Mrs. Charles G. Howard, second vice-president; Mrs. W. S. Huntley, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Emerson O. Heyworth, recording secretary; and Mrs. John F. Auer, treasurer.

Directors reelected for terms of three years each are Mrs. Ayres, Mrs. Thomas E. Heatley, and Mrs. Irving A. Marsland. Mrs. Walter R. Muller was elected for two years to fill the unexpired term of Mrs M. Joseph Borst.

New members of the Board, elected for three years each are Mrs. William F. MacDonald Jr., and Mrs. Henry B. Williams. Mrs. Auer was named chairman for the nominating committee for next year.

Mrs. George W. Brown, chairman of this year's nominating committee presented the slate.

Annual reports of committee work were given by Mrs. Callahan for the nursing committee, Mrs. Marsland, house committee, Mrs. George W. Brown, social service activities, Mrs. Malcolm D. Brown, publicity, Mrs. Heatley, grounds, Mrs. J. Roy Kriner, membership committee, and Mrs. John Spader, sewing.

The supervising nurse, Mrs. Mildred P. Burns, reported a total of 1542 home and 148 office visits for the year and a total of 1717 patients cared for, including 933 new patients and 784 carried over from 1948.

Three physical therapy unit clinics were held during the year with an attendance of 26 persons. There were 47 child hygiene clinics with 672 attending, 44 syphilis clinics, and 25 chest clinics with an attendance of 656. The chest clinics were held in addition to the eight-day visit of the mobile chest x-ray unit during the village-wide x-ray program in April.

Four immunization clinics resulted in 366 immunizations and two orthopedic clinics took care of 46 patients. Twenty-seven mothers classes were held with an enrollment of 139, while 14 classes for both parents had an attendance of 72.

A history of the Mamaroneck Health Center and its parent organization, the Mamaroneck Society for Lending Comforts to the Sick and the Mamaroneck Child Welfare Association, was read by Mrs. Malcolm D. Brown, who had prepared it from old records and from the personal recollections of former directos.

Mrs. Burton C. Meighan Sr. who was treasurer of the Lending Comforts Society when it was founded in 1910 and continued to serve until 1934, was a guest of honor at the meeting.

Refreshments were served by the nursing staff.

Mothers Club Entertains In White Plains

The Mothers Club of the Dominican Day School entertained yesterday at a Christmas party for a group of 38 second and third gragers at the Cardinal McCloskey School in White Plains. Youngsters received boxes of candy and toys as Christmas gifts, and were served refreshments. Assisting Mrs. Henry B. Coakley, president of the Mothers Club, were Mrs. Vincent P. Wynne, Mrs. Edwin B. Heyes Jr., and Mrs. Warren D. Chandler, club members; and Miss Betty Russell, Mrs. James McDermott and Miss Catharine Kelly, guests of members. Arrangements for the party were made by Mrs. Fred P. Motz Jr.

Feature of the program of entertainment was an original puppet show presented by Theodore van de Kamp, eighth grade student at St. Augustine's Parochial School, who has appeared on television shows and won prizes for his hand puppets.

Reports Given At Meeting Of Council Group

Reports by Parent-Teacher Association unit presidents and committee chairmen were given yesterday at a meeting of the Mamaroneck - Larchmont Parent - Teacher Council conducted in the library of Mamaroneck Avenue School by Mrs. Luman G. Hubbell, president.

Miss Millicent Thompson, dietician for the Mamaroneck School System, and Mrs. George Tetaz, lunchroom chairman for Mamaroneck Avenue, reported on the school lunch program at the school, where 78 lunches were purchased by students in October, and 274 in November.

The parent education workshop being held today, Feb. 15, March 15 and April 19 at the County Center, was announced by Mrs. John Brewer, parent education chairman, who urged all parent education, pre-school and visual education chairmen to attend.

Mrs. Leslie C. Smith, district chairman of arrangements, announced the New York State Congress of Parents and Teachers, Metropolitan District luncheon to be held Feb. 1 at the Roger Smith Hotel in White Plains, with early reservations requested.

Other reports were given by Mrs. Arthur G. Michaelson, visual education chairman, and Mrs. Herman Spitzer, chairman of the "Know Your Schools" committee.

PTA presidents giving reports were Mrs. Robert Garlock, Murray Avenue; Mrs. Elihu Joynton, Central; Mrs. Darrell R. Nordwall, Mamaroneck Senior High School; Mrs. Frances Goldfarb, Mamaroneck Avenue; Mrs. John Dallinger, Daniel Warren, and Mrs. William Stokes, Chitsworth.

Members of the nominating committee to present a slate of officers Jan. 17 at a Council meeting, are Mrs. Brewer, chairman pro tem; Mrs. Goldfrank, Mrs. Marcelle Peterka, Miss Loretta Hirschbeck and Mrs. Edward A. Lew. Election will take place in March, and installation of the new slate in May.

There were 29 members present, including T. James Ahern, superintendent of schools; Mrs. Raworth James, member of the Board of Education; Miss Hirschbeck, principal of Murray; Joseph C. McLain, MHS principal; Charles L. Warren, Mamaroneck Avenue principal, and John B. Chapman, Chatsworth principal.

Tea was served by Mrs. Thomas Russell and Mrs. Adam Pennucci, members of the hospitality committee of Mamaroneck Avenue.

A short board meeting preceded the Council meeting.

Beech Twig Luncheon Held in Duncan Home

Mrs. H. Richmond Campbell and Mrs. Robert C. Duncan were co-hostesses yesterday at a luncheon for the Beech Twig, volunteer Unified Hospital group, at Mrs. Duncan's home, 431 Rushmore Avenue, Mamaroneck.

Members attending were Mrs. George I. Fischer, Mrs. Kirkwood Savage, Mrs. Russell D. Niles, Mrs. George Bennett, Mrs. C. W. Moore and Mrs. Edgar Bassett of Mamaroneck; Miss Frances Lyman of Rye, Mrs. J. D. Banks of Harrison and Mrs. Fred Henderson of Darien, Conn. Mrs. Theodore Dibble of Mamaroneck was a guest at the luncheon.

Garden Club to Make Hospital Decorations

Members of the Arrangement Forum of the Garden Club of Larchmont will hold an all-day meeting starting at 10 A. M., Monday at the Larchmont Avenue Church House to make Christmas decorations for Grasslands and New Rochelle Hospitals.

Mrs. David Gordon, chairman of the hospital service committee, urged all members to attend.

REHEARSING for their Christmas concert to be held Friday at Town Hall, New York City, are seven Westchester members of the Mount Holyoke Glee Club. Left to right are the Misses Helen B. Douglas of Rye, Cornelia Brown of 7 Lotus Road, Woods of Larchmont, Monique A. Roman of Mamaroneck, Elizabeth P. Jacob of Rye, Barbara A. Johnson of Chatsworth Gardens, Larchmont, Anne P. Learoyd of Tuckahoe, Mary J. Snure of Briarcliffe Manor. Also singing with the group, but not pictured, is Miss Olevia Tracy of 435 Stellar Avenue, Pelham.
—Mount Holyoke News Bureau

GUEST SPEAKER Mrs. Dorothy Davis of Philadelphia, Pa., is pictured above at the far left at yesterday's novelty "Luncheon is Served" Christmas party held in St. Augustine's auditorium under the auspices of the St. Augustine's Ladies Bridge Club. More than 200 members and guests attended, with Santa Claus candles from the Ajello display awarded as bridge prizes. With Mrs. Davis, who discussed new ways of preparing holiday foods, are left to right, Mrs. Cosmos D. Murphy, one of the hostesses; Rev. Joseph V. Blake of St. Augustine's and Mrs. Arthur Mannix, committee member.
—Staff Photo

Hobby Groups Give Program In Auditorium

A Christmas musical and dramatic program was presented yesterday by the music and rhythms, and dramatic hobby groups sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association of Murray Avenue School in the school auditorium.

A group of third and fourth grade students of the music and rhythms group interpreted a dance series based on "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer," and "Jingle Bells," under the direction of Mrs. Charles Burris and Mrs. H. A. Smith Jr.

Pupils participating were John Bassett, Susan Smalley, Richard Green, Dorothy Russo, Patsy Schue, Neil DePasquale, Wesley Rennie, Laurie Beuchling, Rosetta Vandervelden, Dorothy Mallowski, Judy Petzel, Mary Jane Wall and Marcia Ricker.

An original playlet based on the theme, "A Date With Judy at Christmastime," was presented by Mrs. Harry Harkavy's sixth grade dramatic group. Mrs. John Leggett assisted with costumes.

The cast included John Leggett, Gail Lewis, Gifford Cummings, Barbara Lamm, Gertrude Schuler, Judy Wilson, Judy Van Law, Joan Stratton, Penny Hendon, Julie Steers, Karen Bergquist, Laura Brown, George Carol, Gretchen Zahn and Andrea Wilson.

Mrs. Stow is Hostess To Home Sewing Group

Mrs. Murray E. Stow was hostess yesterday to the Home Sewing Group of the Woman's Association of the Larchmont Avenue Church, at her home, 10 Maple Hill Drive, Larchmont. Mrs. Ogg Fitz Gerald was co-hostess.

Members attending were Mrs. W. E. Batchellor, Mrs. J. P. Bonardi, Mrs. Charles Boulton, Mrs. Nelson Dean, Mrs. R. D. S. Dobson, Mrs. L. D. Furnald, Mrs. Carl Holpp, Mrs. William Jefferson, Mrs. Ray Kinney, Mrs. Herbert Martin, Mrs. Ernest Morse, Mrs. Charles K. Phillips, Mrs. Erich Schuler, Mrs. H. M. Shields, Mrs. Watson Smith, Mrs. Edward Watson, Mrs. August Wildnauer, Mrs. Joseph Yoder, and Miss Carrie Jaeger. Co-chairmen of the group are Mrs. Morse and Mrs. Boulton.

PLEDGED TO ALPHA PHI

Miss Robin Donaldson of Mamaroneck has been pledged to Zeta Chapter of Alpha Phi Sorority at Goucher College, where she is a member of the freshman class. Miss Donaldson, a graduate of Bellows High School, will return tomorrow to spend the Christmas recess with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Donaldson of 319 South Barry Avenue.

St. Augustine's Bridge Club Entertains 200

More than 200 members and guests of the St. Augustine's Ladies Bridge Club attended a novelty "Luncheon is Served" Christmas bridge party yesterday at St. Augustine's, with Mrs. Louis Del Guercio as general chairman.

A discussion on new ways of preparing foods was led by Mrs. Dorothy Davis of Philadelphia, Pa., and an exhibit of Christmas candles from the Ajello factory was on display, with Santa Claus candles given high scoring bridge winners.

Hostesses were Mrs. Thomas F. Russell Jr., Mrs. William B. Betsig, Mrs. Ledwith Brennan, Mrs. Edward Maguire, Mrs. Donald Sandkam, Mrs. Thomas Kennedy, Mrs. Leslie Thompson, Mrs. Cosmos D. Murphy, Mrs. Henry W. Ryan and Mrs. Karl Landesser.

Assisting Mrs. Del Guercio on the bridge committee were Mrs. Arthur Mannix, Mrs. Stephen P. Glennon, Mrs. A. A. Heinzer, Mrs. Nelson McKernan and Mrs. Leroy Amy.

GUESTS AT PROGRAM

Mrs. Harold H. Sharp of Larchmont, director of the ninth District of the Federated Garden Clubs of New York State, and Mrs. Kenneth L. Stelle, president of the Garden Club of Larchmont, were among the guests yesterday at a program of the Garden Circle of New Rochelle in Temple Israel community house.

Christmas Party Slated On Friday by Doublets

A Christmas party will be held Friday by the Doublets Club of the Larchmont Avenue Church at 8.15 P. M. at the church house, where features will be Christmas carols and selections by a mixed octet. The program has been arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leighty, Mr. and Mrs. Al Reber and Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacMannis.

IN OPERA REHEARSAL

Mrs. Lucille Acampora of Mamaroneck has returned from a tour of Southern college towns with the Matinee Opera Company of New York and is in rehearsal for the role of Elvira in Mozart's "Don Giovanni", under the direction of Matthew Ferruzia of the New York City Center Opera.

Local Students To Sing With College Club

Miss Monique A. Roman of 212 Warren Avenue, Mamaroneck, and two Larchmont residents are among the group of eight Westchester students at Mount Holyoke College, who will appear Friday with the college Glee Club at its 25th anniversary Christmas concert at Town Hall in New York.

The Larchmont students are Miss Barbara Johnson of Chatsworth Gardens, and Cornelia Brown of 7 Lotus Road, Woods of Larchmont.

The Town Hall concert is sponsored by the New York Mount Holyoke Club. Miss Marian Courtney of The Fairways, Pelham Manor, is a member of the Carol Concert Committee.

Directed by Professor Ruth E. Douglass the college club will present a group of international folk carols and will feature a performance of the "Ceremony of Carols" by the noted British composer, Benjamin Britten.

"GLAMOUR MEETING"

Marion Du Maurier, cosmetican, will discuss and demonstrate effective use of cosmetics as well as simple care of the skin Friday at the "glamour meeting" of the Silvia Farmer Weiner League-in-Westchester at 1 P. M. in the home of Mrs. Max J. Weiner of 35 Orchard Place, New Rochelle. Mrs. Simon Lipton, program chairman, announced today. Members have been invited to bring guests.

CHORAL TOMORROW

The Choral Group of the Woman's Club of Mamaroneck will meet tomorrow at 10 A. M. at the club house.

MR. AND MRS. HAROLD E. BRITT Jr., whose marriage took place recently in Harrison, are pictured above following the ceremony in All Saints Church. Mrs. Britt is the former Ruth Vivian Bayles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Bayles of Harrison, and her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Britt of 221 Frank Avenue, Mamaroneck. The couple are residing at 83 Sterling Avenue, Harrison.
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Another Tie Created In DT Bowling Loop

The Taverners climaxed a long, up hill pull last night when they carved out a shutout at the Larchmont Rec Center which, coupled with a 2-1 conquest by the Architects, created a first place tie in the Daily Times Bowling League. The Architects, without question the hottest team of recent weeks, have put together a string of five match victories, their last defeat coming on November 16th. The Taverners, who have now been involved in two first place disputes, have notched four consecutive wins.

In the other encounters last night the Spamen sent the Recs away without any consolation and the Larchmont Shore Club keglers edged the Oilers by 2-1. The Friendly Servicemen were the Architects' latest victim.

The DT alley burners produced 14 double-century games during the four match proceedings with McMillan of the Friendly Servicemen carving out the high single of 235. However, Marty Fader of the Taverners smacked off with the high three game tally by virtue of a 589 pinfall.

Fader, Noonan of the Shore Club and Gould of the Oilers completed the rare trick of rolling two better than 200 maple games. The other singles which bettered that mark were accounted for by DeCicco, Dick Eggers, Ward, Chet Russell, Sheferd of Jerry English's outfit, Giorgio of the same unit, and Gift of the Spamen.

The Architects, who had three shutouts to their credit in six weeks to come from nowhere into the thick of the pennant race, put together a 930 team single last night and had a 2706 pinfall.

The scores:

Taverners (3)				Englishmen (0)			
Russell	143	170	201	Sheferd	147	124	209
Radcliffe	166	151	186	Marzella	161	158	146
Herman	167	189	189	Grazer	169	158	137
Pekrul	150	138	190	Giorgio	147	200	129
Fader	224	212	153	Tedesco	178	127	121
Totals	847	880	896	Totals	802	877	777

Spamen (3)				Recs (0)			
Bono	126	164	M Lanza	161	157	135
Cowing	167	152	171	Reich	140	142	188
Cole	185	180	203	Gaffney	137	153	158
Redlecke	154	157	—	Malz	183	177	199
Sperco	144	153	199	Jones	157	171	139
Kurrel	—	163	172	—	—	—	—
Totals	780	829	939	Totals	758	801	853

Oilers (1)				Shore Club (2)			
E. T'man	157	151	—	Donnelly	172	157	181
Gunther	152	—	168	Spencer	171	186	148
Gould	190	208	205	Bigley	176	138	156
Fogel	147	190	157	DiCicco	201	183	186
D. T'man	179	177	196	Noonan	203	204	203
Reising	—	198	141	—	—	—	—
Totals	781	866	809	Totals	928	788	853

Architects (2)				Fr. Service (1)			
Anton	225	178	172	Lambiasi	169	185	158
Librandi	183	178	171	Cumbo	148	143	—
D. Eggers	183	185	144	Giaquinto	174	199	142
R. Eggers	181	184	205	McMillan	235	181	215
Ward	184	205	178	Smiriga	192	191	184
—	—	—	—	C Lanza	—	—	138
Totals	956	930	870	Totals	877	862	897

Sports Calendar

TODAY

Bowling

Fraternal League matches, Mamaroneck Rec Center, 8:30 P. M.

Rowlette League matches, Larchmont Bowl, 8 P. M.

Basketball

Gaels vs. Columbia Hose, Bellows High School gym, 8:15 P. M.

Rec League games: Basketeers vs. Tarbicks, Cyclones vs. Ravens, Mamaroneck Avenue School gym, 7 P. M.

Iona Prep at Archbishop Stepinac.

Hackley School at Concordia Prep, Bronxville.

Sacred Heart, Yonkers at Cathedral, NYC.

Cushing at Saunders, Yonkers.

Irvington at N. Y. School For Deaf, White Plains.

Blessed Sacrament at Mount Kisco.

TOMORROW

Basketball

Concordia Junior College at St. Basil's, Conn.

Ice Hockey

Playland Casino, Rye, St. Nick's vs Princeton; North Tarrytown vs. Greenwich High School, 6:45 P. M.

Bowling

Larchmont Community League matches, Larchmont Rec Center, 8:30 P. M.

Acres League matches, Mamaroneck Rec Center, 8:30 P. M.

American Club ladies' matches, St. Thomas Alleys, 8 P. M.

Football Banquet

Banquet honoring Bellows team, Bellows High School gymnasium, 7:30 P. M.

DULL FEATURE 8 IN CENTER RING

By GUIDO CRIBARI

Any and all doubts concerning the decadence of professional boxing in these parts were rather emphatically underscored at the County Center in White Plains last night when Carmine Fiore of Brooklyn won a split decision similar decision from Jimmy Donnelly of Astoria in the main eight rounder.

The only feature aspect of the tight was the advance billing, as the rivals displayed little in the way of ring talent. They gave strong credence, however, to the rapidly growing belief that the halcyon days of pugilism are gone.

Fiore, who cubbed for the ailing Joey Atria, won the verdict, an undeserved one judging from the reaction of the small crowd. And as usual the crowd was right.

Gift Verdict for Fiore

But while Fiore may not have deserved the win, neither did his frail-looking opponent Donnelly. The poorly-matched rivals pushed and tugged and jumped and shuffled through eight dull, uninteresting rounds. The Brooklyn welter never will win an easier scrap. He hardly landed a telling blow all night. Donnelly, however, did manage to get in at least three solid smashes to Fiore's midsection, but appeared confused by his rival's mauling style. There were no knockdowns. There was nothing.

And if you're interested, this is how the officials saw it: Referee Jimmy Crowley voted 5-3 for Donnelly, while Judges Jerry Carnesia and Nick Gamboli saw it 4-3-1 in favor of Fiore. Take your pick.

Fiore, who weighed 141 1-2 thus picked up his 17th win in 26 starts. Donnelly, 141 1-2, dropped his third in 20 trips.

More Action on Undercard

The only redeemers on the card were the six-round semi-finals.

In one Joey Mullin, 145, of Brooklyn won via a TKO over Carl Taulman, 141 1-2, of Piermont. Taulman was unable to come out for the sixth round as a nose injury, inflicted by Mullin, hampered his breathing.

In the other six, Al Rossacci, 166, of the Bronx and Bobby James, 157 1-2, of Jamaica battled to a draw.

In the three four rounders Ernie Koutnik, 133, of Paterson decisioned Walter Keyes, 136, of Brooklyn; Calvin Davis, 146 1-4, of the Bronx dropped Henry Hisk, 146 3-4, of Toledo twice and took the decision, and George Holzman, 155 1-4, of Bavonne flattened Rubin Miller, 158, of Brooklyn in 2:49 of the first round.

The action promises to be considerably more interesting next Tuesday night when the classy Bill Bossio of Pittsburgh, who looked good in beating Jose Aponje Torres two weeks ago, clashes with tough Tony Longo of Baltimore in the headline go.

EPIDEMIC OF COLDS ADDS TO HASLEY WOE

An epidemic of colds has spread through the Bellows cage team, adding another headache for Coach Jack Hasley. Ed Feldt was absent from yesterday's drill because of a head cold and almost all of the boys who did participate in the drill had virus infections of some degree. Steve Johnston, whom it was at first feared would not be set for the opener Friday Tuesday of a broken finger, was in the thick of a scrimmage yesterday and it appears that he will be available for spot duty.

Hasley made no drastic changes after learning that Danny Evangelista, his rangy center, would be sidelined for at least a month. With Feldt absent, the Panther director used George Fischer, Ed Petrie, Panky Vitetta, Bill Cummings and Ken Dellner on the number one squad and kept Johnston, Ed Kayner and Joe Benedict as reserves in a scrimmage against the Jayvees. The mentor hasn't moved anyone up to replace the injured pivot man and so it appears that he will stick with a nine-man varsity roster.

BELLOWS SLATES PIGSKIN BANQUET

Bellows' 1949 football team, which compiled a record of five triumphs and three defeats, will be honored tomorrow night at a banquet in the Bellows High School gymnasium. The event is being sponsored by the Bellows Community Club with Chairman Bill Stein directing and Ed A. Weissauer acting as master of ceremonies. The affair will start at 7:30 P. M. and more than 100 persons, including players, fathers and guests, are expected to attend.

Principal speakers for the banquet will be the Rev. Arnold Peterson, rector of St. Thomas's and nationally known as the "running Parson," and Gabriel "Garby" Wendel, former captain of a Bellows eleven, a renowned football official and president of the Union Savings Bank.

Jack Fearon, coach of the East End football team and Athletic Director, T. A. "Jack" Hasley also will give addresses. Co-Captains Don Anderson and Ed Feldt will receive mention for their leadership during the campaign.

The Panther ringlers lost to Darien and Horace Greeley at the start of their season, then came back with successive triumphs over Gorton, New Canaan, Irvington and Harrison before Rye topped them by one touchdown. The Blue and Black mollskin wearers then defeated Tuckahoe out of the unbeaten class in the finals of an eight game slate. The "Little Three" title wasn't moved since Harrison, Rye and Bellows all split their two tilts in the mythical league.

MRC SHOOTS 966; SENTINEL BOWS

With every man hitting the target with the utmost efficiency, the Mamaroneck Rifle Club withstood a strong challenge from the Sentinel shooters at the Park Avenue Range in the Bronx last night to keep their Southern New York Inter-City League slate unblemished with a 966-924 win.

All members of the MRC's high five mangled the targets for better than 190 scores with ace Otto Kolb and Jim Lehney in a final for the top spot with identical 195 cards. Bernie Proctor posted a 193 while Rudy Helland and Lou Hazelton finished out the select group. It was the top score of the year for the local entry which is gunning to keep the league championship.

Don Davidson paced the Sentinel firers with an even 190 score.

On Friday night the Mamaroneck target busters will venture to Long Island where the Richmond Hill Rifle Clubmen will be ready to trade score cards with the MRC in a non-league match.

MAMARONECK R & R CLUB (966)

	P	S	K	OH	T'tl	High 5
Otto Kolb	50	50	50	45	195	195
Jim Lehney	49	50	46	48	193	193
A. Weber	50	50	47	42	189	—
D. Conklin	50	48	47	41	186	—
L. Hazelton	50	48	49	44	191	—
L. Lenney	50	50	50	45	195	195
R. Helland	50	49	48	45	192	192
Lou Helland	48	48	46	38	180	—
Fred Cole	49	50	49	42	189	—

SENTINEL R & R Club (924)

	P	S	K	OH	T'tl	High 5
F. Outcault	50	47	44	38	179	179
E. Tucker	47	48	51	26	152	—
R. Maddocks	47	44	26	39	156	—
McCullough	46	46	46	41	185	185
E. Held	45	40	36	44	165	—
R. Snyder	48	49	47	42	186	186
W. Swenson	50	45	45	44	184	184
R. Ennello	50	45	42	37	174	—
D. Davidson	49	48	47	46	190	190
—	—	—	—	—	—	924

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Browns, Athletics Exchange 6 Fielders And $100,000

By JOE REICHLER
By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—The Connie Mack-Walter Baseball messiers were slow waking up when the shot came it was a corker—a deal between the St. Louis Browns and Philadelphia Athletics involving $100,000 and six players.

Connie Mack's pennant-anxious Athletics, shelled out the $100,000 plus four players to the Browns to get one of the American League's top infielders, third baseman Bob Dillinger, and a good outfielder, Paul Lehner.

The $100,000 was the welcome part of the deal for the Browns whose president, Bill DeWitt, said, "I can't make any money at the gate. I've got to make it selling my best players."

Browns Get Gustine

But the Browns also receive veteran third baseman Frank Gustine and three rookies: catcher stop Billy Demars and outfielders Ray Coleman and Rocco Ippolito.

The deal was announced shortly before midnight by DeWitt and Earle Mack, Connie's son and coach, who got together at Commissioner A. B. Chandler's dinner for the baseball moguls.

Two other transactions earlier in the day involving the Boston Braves, Pittsburgh Pirates and Chicago Cubs were tossed into a subordinate category by this fancy American League swap.

The Braves sent pitcher Bill Voiselle to the Cubs for infielder Gene Mauch and cash and handed over outfielder Marv Rickert to the Pirates for "more than $100,000 plus a minor leaguer to be named later.

Hints at Housecleaning

This revived talk that Manager Billy Southworth planned some sort of housecleaning with his disgruntled Braves despite Rilly's own insistence he holds no grudges and there will be no "head chopping."

Several other deals-in-the-making, considered red-hot, cooled off considerably. Red Patterson, New York Yankee publicist, announced that "a matter of a twenty-three-year-old rookiepitcher" stood between the Yankees and Washington completing a deal involving second baseman George Stirnweiss of New York and first baseman Eddie Robinson of Washington.

Yank-Senators Deal 'Dead'

"Clark Griffith (Washington president) insisted no deal unless we threw in Don Johnson, one of our most promising young pitchers," Patterson said. "We couldn't see it, so he called the whole thing off. I'd say the deal was dead."

Red Kolte, Detroit skipper, said he would sound out the Yankees on Stirnweiss, now that the New York Washington deal appeared to have fallen through.

In a secret meeting yesterday the National League decided to uphold the minor leagues who voted to retain the bonus rule. The American League, on the other hand, voted to repeal the controversial rule.

MHS CAGE SQUAD SHOWS PROGRESS

With a rather green bunch of reserves and the receiving end of his instruction, Mamaroneck High's court coach Orlando Ciraco is showing his suggestions and corrections at the Tiger cagers in small doses. The Hilltopp mentor is able to follow that procedure because his charges won't be given in interscholastic test until January 6th when Roosevelt serves as the opposition on the Junior High hardwood.

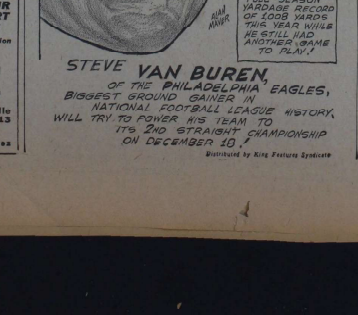
Ciraco ventured as far as to scrimmage Rye High last Friday but did not give a hang about offense. At this stage of the training period, the dark haired young coach is concentrating on perfecting the defensive abilities of his courtmen before delving into the scoring potential of any one player. Thus far he has been satisfied, especially in the last week because the sound seems to be rounding into a solid unit although lacking in height. Unfortunately, almost all of the big men are sophs who just aren't ready yet, or at least haven't shown enough to merit anything except a Jayvee berth.

Mike Bruno, Don Dockerill and Nick Condro are the returning lettermen and they have pleased the mentor with their earnest efforts. Also standing out of late have been George Carl, Larry Collins and Dave Cvaniga who are vying for the pivot spot. Carl is a senior but the other two are in their third year. At the present time Cvaniga looms as the best bet since he comes close being the tallest man on the varsity squad.

With the team shaping up faster each day, Ciraco is on the lookout for another scrimmage this week. The Hilltop school officials on Dec. 21, a week from today, for the holidays but Ciraco hopes to be able to arrange a few drills between next Wednesday and Jan. 3, when the students return to classes. Once they do get back, there will be just two days in which to apply the finishing touches before the lid on the 1950 campaign is blown off.

The MHS athletic office announced yesterday that the second game of a home-and-home series this year has been moved up from Friday, March 10 to Thursday, March 9 by mutual agreement between the two schools.

MRC SHOOTS 966; SENTINEL BOWS



Iona College Adds 4th Win

By PAT McGOWAN

Iona College cooked up a very warm reception for Davis-Elkins last night, whipping the West Virginians 58-49 in O'Connell Gym. The Gaels stopped the high-scoring Senators for their fourth straight victory.

With a Confederate flag waving in the stands, Davis-Elkins scored the first basket and appeared ready to lick Iona. Gael captain John O'Hagan thought differently, scoring a point-a-minute to give the Maroon and Gold a 15-10 advantage in the first quarter.

The entire Gael team rallied behind O'Hagan, sinking shots from all over the court. Frank O'Shea and Joe DiStanislao poured in field goals, running up a 38-20 lead at halftime. Meanwhile, Jack Walsh was doing a marmifleent job of holding Ray Huey, who scored 600 points last year, to three markers.

In the second half, the Gaels were content to turn back the visitor's attack. Iona led, 49-33, at the end of the third canto, and for the last two minutes put on a fence, just for practice.

O'Hagan was high scorer with 24 points, Joe Putach of Davis-Elkins following with 15. Putach is only five-foot-six but he played a whale of a game at guard.

The Iona freshmen cleared their bench while defeating Fort Schuyler, 71-48, in the preliminary contest. The summaries:

Iona	G	F	P	Davis-Elkins	G	F	P
O'Hagan rf	10	4	24	Putach lg	6	3	15
Murphy rf	1	0	2	Orravolo lf	1	3	5
Lawless rf	1	1	3	Mill c	2	0	4
J. T. Kelly lg	2	0	4	Quinchelli rg	2	0	4
O'Shea rg	4	5	13	White lg	1	0	2
DiStanislao c	5	0	10	Chizmar rg	0	0	0
Walsh c	0	0	0	Huey c	5	1	11
Chambers lf	1	0	2	Payne rf	2	2	6
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	24	10	58	Totals	20	9	49

Early Starting Urged For College 11 Games

NEW YORK, (AP) — Earlier starting times for college football games are generally favored by sports writers and sportscasters.

An Associated Press poll today showed that a majority of the observers would like to see games started at 1 P. M. and not later than 1:30 P. M.

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Saints Grab Moye of Rams

The St. Augustine's Saints, Larchmont's famed independent basketball outfit, announced yesterday that Jerry Moye, star center of the Fordham University quintet, had been added to the Saints roster and would start against Ralph Branca's All Stars next Sunday afternoon. Moye, a six foot five inch lad, played in the St. Augustine Tournament last year and Larchmont fans took a liking to his jumpin'-jack tactics under the boards. He has always been noted for his rebound-grabbing ability.

Tony Loiaconi, who coaches and plays with the Saints consumed on the scoring of Moye by saying he would give him the regular center job. That will probably mean that Gene Doherty, a sophomore who also is on the Saint and Fordham rosters, will be shoved to a forward berth to fight it out with Joe Cullen and Larry Hennessey.

The addition of Moye figures to help the local quintet considerably both on the defense and in the scoring output. With Moye, Hennessey, Doherty and Joe Connelly of New Rochelle on the floor at the same time, the Saints have a team that would average over six feet. The chances are that Loiaconi will keep Hennessey, former Blessed Sacrament High School star, Cullen and Moye in there as much as possible. Larry and Joe have been the sparkplugs in the two first wins and were instrumental in pulling out the win last Sunday. Dave Latimer is definitely out of the picture and probably won't play with the Larchmonters at all.

It still hasn't been established as to whether Branca himself will play Sunday but some kind of an announcement is forthcoming.

COLUMBIA, GAELS CLASH TONIGHT

The Gaels will try to make things miserable for the Columbia Hose Co. quintet this evening, starting at 8:15 P. M. when the teams clash at Bellows High School's gym. Tonight's fray is the first for the recently organized firemen while the Gaels have gained two victories in three outings against heavy semi-pro competition. They tripped White Plains' Toussaints, were nipped by the Yonkers Brown Bombers and then came back to halt the Harrison Orioles last Friday.

The Hosemen will use many former Gaels in their scholastic capacity, such as the Gowan brothers, Gerry and Jim, Chauncey Haviland, Tommy Byrnes, Ed Manning, Phil Welton and Charlie Schlierer. That group will average better than six feet in height and they have some good shots. Jim Gowan will undoubtedly operate out of the pivot.

Gil Allen, playing-coach of the Gaels, plans to open with Bob Murray and himself at the forwards, keep Able Mitchell at the center post and use the steady guard combo of Tinkler Lord and Horace Brittain.

The Gaels play again on Friday evening, meeting the New Rochelle Hilltoppers at Mamaroneck Avenue School, their home court.

CITATION IS ASKED TO PACK TOP WEIGHT

ARCADIA, Calif., (AP) — The Calumet Farm's famous Citation today was asked to carry the top weight of 132 pounds in the 1950 running of the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap.

Citation will carry the highest weight in the history of the race if he accepts the impost and the issue next Feb. 25.

Weights for the 91 candidates nominated for the mile and one quarter fixture were released today.

Second high weight was assigned to Citation's stablemate, Ponder. The Kentucky Derby winner of 1949 was handed 124 pounds.

Fight Results

By The Associated Press

WHITE PLAINS—Carmine Fiore, 141½, Brooklyn, outpointed Jimmy Donnelly, 141½, New York, 8.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass.—Sammy Walker, 143½, Springfield, Mass., outpointed Norman Mayes, 140½, Boston, 8.

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Princeton Six Next Collegiate Invader

With two Westchesterites in the lineup, the Princeton hockey Tiger will storm into the county tomorrow for a scrap with St. Nick's at Playland in the feature end of a scholastic-collegiate ice twin bill. In the schoolboy opener at 6:45 P. M., unbeaten Greenwich High School's sextet tries to make it two straight against North Tarrytown.

Princeton rooters are optimistic about this year's Tiger sextet which is loaded with talented upperclassmen. Last year the boys from Nassau didn't have too much trouble in ice action, finally gaining seven wins and tieing once in 21 contests. They were ranked on a par with Yale in the Quadrangle League.

The Orange and Black is coached by Dick Vaughan, a Yale graduate who stayed on as an mentor for six years, then moved to the New Jersey university and has cemented his job there for the last 11 years. The Princeton teams he has coached have conped 97 victories and dropped one less.

Vaughan has 13 lettermen returning and there are nine sophs on the squad, thus forming a 19-man squad. They are three deep in forward line, defensive combos and goalies.

The starting array is composed of Jim O'Neill tending goal, Bill Mills and John Hoffman on defense with Owen Tolland operating at center. Captain Pete Erdman and Art Collins will man the wing slots.

Cage Woodward, ex-New Rochelle High School star, is rated as one of the best defensive men on Princeton's roster and he will lead the second defensive unit. Woodward, a former NRHS athletic great, stands six feet, two inches tall and tips the scales at 197 pounds. John "Ted" Bermingham of Rye is the other county athlete on the roster. Both are central figures in Vaughan's plans and are certain to see plenty of action.

Four of the six starters are sophs. They are O'Neill, Mills, Hoffman and Collins. Thus, after challenging the Alumni sextet last week by 9-2, the current Tiger skaters look like a big improvement over the club which took a one-goal beating from the Westchester Hockey League All Stars in late 1948.

Last year the soph line of Don Mathey, Chuck Weeden and Brain Montgomery, all of whom are juniors now, led the varsity in total points. In addition there is a third solid attacking force ready for emergency duty. Hoffman, the starting right defenseman, is a native Canadian and paced the 1948-49 Princeton freshman pucksters in goal getting. Paul Van Dyke, a senior from Hartford, was slated to become the regular center but broke his leg while playing with the Tiger 150 pound football team and isn't ready for action.

The main reason that Westchester ice fans regret St. Nick's will be stronger tomorrow night is the addition of "Whitey" Campbell to the roster. Whitey, a member of the U. S. Olympic sextet while captain of the Dartmouth College "six," joined the Nickmen last week in time to score three goals against Army at the Point. The Black Knights finally won out 7-5.

Although a defenseman by trade Campbell was one of the leading scorers on the champion Larchmont Eagles last year and was chosen to the WHL All-Star team for service against the college invaders at Playland.

Chris Rodgers has been given a vote of confidence as the St. Nick's net minder and should also be given better support this time. Rodgers faced a barrage of shots two weeks ago when Yale blasted the Saints and had plenty of rubber fired at him by the NYAC last well.

Junie Merriam, president of St. Nick's hockey club and for three years a star on Dartmouth sextets, has been assigned to lead the first string line from his familiar center position. John Soper and Bill Tiernan are expected to flank the ex-Indian.

The Princeton-Yale battle will start at about 8 P. M.

EXPRESSETTES VAULT INTO FV 3RD PLACE

The center section of the Friendly Village Bowling League, a ladies circuit, tightened up as a result of matches at the Mamaroneck Rec Center last night. The

THE STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost
Pharmacists	28	11
Sal's Gals	23	16
Expressettes	20	19
Markettes	19	20
Four Eyes	18	21
Markettes	9	30

Four Eyes blanked the Cleavers and the Expressettes vaulted into third place by beating the leading Pharmacists, 2-1. The Markettes added to the night's upsets by managing to slap a 2-1 defeat on Sal's Gals.

Thus, neither the Pharmacists nor Sal's Gals gained anything in the struggle to hold the first notch, five lengths still separating those teams.

Martha Lemon of the Expressettes rolled evening high of 189 and 503 to steal all individual honors. The other team pacemakers were Elsie Rhoads, M. J. Downer, Vi Lemon, Claire Glancola and Ethel Heyer.

The scores:

Pharmacists (1)				Expressettes (2)			
Saunders	141	121	122	Flora	88	120	158
Egeiter	85	171	160	Reeder	139	140	151
Bjorco	159	152	139	Palmer	157	138	142
Rhoads	141	151	189	Lemon	137	155	189
Totals	506	697	513	Totals	502	587	588

Sal's Gals (1)				Markettes (0)			
Malinchak	124	160	113	M. Spero	156	154	137
Jones	84	95	133	D. Wolf	84	123	87
Parker	152	122	151	A. Mohr	111	141	159
Downer	172	127	156	V. Lemon	158	151	189
Totals	527	497	556	Totals	499	574	533

Four Eyes (3)				Cleavers (0)			
A Mase	168	152	121	Cinella	140	124	113
—	—	—	—	Cinelli	127	114	151
Russell	141	138	160	Heyer	156	134	148
—	—	—	—	Glancola	133	153	139
Totals	509	556	537	Totals	556	530	503

West. Golf Ass'n Names Benedict

NEW YORK—C. W. Benedict of Whippoorwill Golf Club was elected president of the Westchester Golf Association at its annual meeting in the Hotel Biltmore yesterday.

Benedict heads an entire new slate that includes Dr. G. F. Gaillard of Knollwood, vice president; C. W. Birch of Woodway, secretary, Udo Reinach of Quaker Ridge, treasurer, and Harvey Calkins of Scarsdale, tournament chairman.

Benedict, a resident of Armonk and tournament chairman at Winged Foot for many years, succeeds Theodore Law as president. The latter has moved to Texas.

Named to the executive committee were Benedict, Gaillard, Birch, Reinach, Carter, Ellis Baum of Winged Foot, Herman Freydberg of Metropolis, William D. Kunis of Bonnie Briar, Eugene Larkin of Wykagyl, Alvin B. Mayer of Innis Arden, Lloyd Ribner of Pelham, Earl A. Ross of Westchester Country Club, Frank Van Ness of Siwanoy, Jay Stewart Whitham of Tamarack and Fred P. Wright of Leewood.

Representatives of some of the 43 Westchester clubs in the association heard a recommendation to change the British Victory Tournament from medal play to bestball. The 1949 golf season called the most successful in association history.

Knicks Exhibit Skills At CYO Cage Clinic

YONKERS — The New York Knickerbockers brought Vince Boryla, Paul Noel, Harry Donovan, Gobel Ritter and Harry Gallatin to the CYO basketball clinic last night for an exhibition of shots, skills and abilities.

Leo Gottlieb, scout for the Knickerbockers explained the program to about 200 who attended the exhibition.

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WA-CAN-KI-YA
Eileen Halpin, Scribe

Three new members were welcomed at the meeting this week at the home of the assistant leader, Mrs. Rudolph Nelson, 5 Bayard Street. They were Susan Walker, Pat Scully, Peggy Gibbs. The officers of this group elected for the year are: president, Betty Marshall; vice-president, Pat Scully; secretary Mary Smith; treasurer, Valerie Quinlan; hostess committee chairman, Alice Orton. The program committee is composed of the girls who are working to earn the Firemaker's rank. As their contribution to the happiness of others at this season, the members of Wa-can-ki-ya have made approximately 130 Christmas cards to send to the children of Abbeville, France.

ODAKA T-A-G-S
Gail Henion, Scribe

"My Cousin From Sweden," a comedy, was read at a meeting at the home of Diane Strong, 31 Pine Brook Drive. Parts tentatively assigned were: maid, Gail Henion; Jeanette, Susan Schemedes. Small tins were painted in bright Yuletide designs with water colors at the meeting this week at the home of the group's leader, Mrs. Edward F. Polley, 5 Cliff Way. The Garden Club of Larchmont will fill these containers with greens and small plants. The children at Grasslands Hospital will receive them as Christmas gifts. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

CANTESUTA
Martha Jackson, Scribe

Work on the decoration of stationery boxes to contain presents for children in hospitals was continued at a meeting at the home of Barbara Winston, 23 Mayhew Avenue. The hostess served refreshments. At a later meeting at the home of Susan Belchetz, 125 Woodbine Avenue, this project was completed. Under the guidance of Mrs. J. D. Shapiro, leader, and Mrs. Goldthwait Jackson, assistant leader, the girls placed gifts in the gay containers. For girls there were a small doll and a bath set. For boys, plastic trucks or cars. Christmas gifts were made for their mothers, and the present to be made for their fathers decided upon. The record book was checked to ascertain what each member of this group had accomplished toward the earning of the Woodgatherer's rank. All repeated the Woodgatherer's desire.

HAPPY BLUEBIRDS
Vivienne Aboody, Scribe

Under the guidance of their leader, Mrs. Jerome T. Adler, these girls have been occupied with the making of Christmas gifts at their meetings in the first grade lunchroom at Chatsworth Avenue School. Stockings for the children of Abbeville, France, Larchmont's adopted town, have been filled. Mothers and fathers have not been forgotten, and will receive handmade presents from their daughters at Yuletide. Refreshments have been served by Barbara Coon and Susan Kirx. At the most recent meeting two new members were welcomed.

CHEERY BLUE BIRDS
Patricia Fausty, Scribe

At this season the meetings of this group have been devoted to the fashioning of gifts. At Patricia Fausty's, a large number of cards were made to be given to the Lions Club to forward to the boys and girls of Abbeville. The hostess served refreshments. Decorations for Christmas trees were made at the meeting this week at the home of their leader, Mrs. Arden B. Crawford, 18 Copley Road. Jean Waters provided the refreshments.

BUSY BEE BLUEBIRDS
Mary Halpin, Scribe

Designs appropriate to the organization were used by the girls of this group to make bracelets of strips of lanyard material on metal. Their leader, Mrs. Claude L. Saxton, demonstrated the method at a meeting at Chatsworth Avenue School. Mary Frank served refreshments. This week, Christmas presents were made for their mothers. Refreshments were brought by Frances Murano.

BEAUTIFUL BLUE BIRDS
Rosetta Vandervelden, Scribe

The ideal of service to others is learned at an early age by the members of this organization. The third grade Blue Birds of Murray Avenue School made 208 disposal bags for New Rochelle Hospital at a meeting at the home of Betsy Berg on Byron Lane.

Christmas presents for their fathers were made this week when they met at Connie Bellows', 164 Rocky Road. The assistant leader, Mrs. C. Travis Brown, aided by Barbara Hayman and Aurel Brown, eighth grade Camp Fire Girls, showed the younger group how to make their presents. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

RED CROSS BROADCAST

A near disaster made Jackie and Billy realize their Dad wasn't just a fuss-budget and "safety" wasn't just a word. Their experience will be revealed in this week's "Errand of Mercy" broadcast tomorrow at 9:15 A. M. over WPAB. The program is sponsored by the Westchester Red Cross.

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Toyshop Owner Fights For Toot

BEDMINSTER, N. J. (AP)—Toyshop owner Orville Seals says he's going to fight for the right to toot.

Seals rigged up a loudspeaker which broadcast far and near the ballistic chugging and tooting of his toy trains.

Residents near the shop complained about the noise. One of them said her little boy lay awake in bed fascinated by the trains as late as 10 P. M.

Seals was fined $15 in Police Court. His attorney, George W. Algair, said last night he'd take the case to a higher court.

COUNTY CHORAL UNITS IN TERMINAL FESTIVAL

Choral groups of Westchester high schools will take part in the 11-day Christmas Music Festival at Grand Central Terminal in New York City, sponsored by the New York Central and New Haven Railroads. The festival opens today and will continue through Dec. 24.

On Monday, Dec. 19, three of the county high schools choruses will be heard: Eastchester, directed by John Holt, at 1:30 P. M.; A. B. Davis of Mount Vernon, directed by Emil Nelson at 4 P. M. and Mamaroneck, directed by F. Colwell Conklin at 5 P. M.

On Wednesday, Dec. 21, Washington Irving, directed by Clifford E. Dinsmore, will be heard at 4:30 P. M. The Inter-High Choir of Yonkers, directed by Arthur F. Witte, will be heard at 4:30 P. M. on Friday, Dec. 23.

Truman Denies Revision Of USN Promotion List

KEY WEST, Fla., (AP)—President Truman flatly denied today any revision of a Navy list of captains recommended for promotion to admiral.

He told a vacation news conference that the list of men recommended for promotion is on his desk and that he was not yet ready for action on it.

Disputing a published report that the list was a revised one the President said sharply there has been but one list.

The story said the "original" list was revised to eliminate the name of Capt. Arleigh A. Burke, a Pacific veteran and director of "Operation 23" which devised strategy of some high Navy officials against phases of the unification program.

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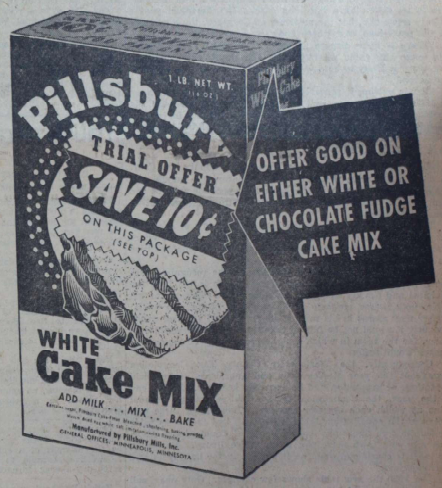

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600 Attend Musical Pageant Marking 2 December Holidays

Mamaroneck High School's A Cappella Choir, Glee Club and Speech Arts Group combined their efforts last night to produce the annual Christmas program in the school auditorium for an audience of 600 parents, students and friends.

Following the custom of the last few years, the program celebrated the two religious festivals which occur in December, opening with a pageant entitled "The Glow of Many Candles" and continuing with "The Annunciation", "The Vision of the Shepherds", "The Nativity" and "The Adoration."

Christmas carols by the Girls Glee Club and the audience, the traditional candlelight procession and the Hallelujah Chorus from Handel's "Messiah" brought to a close another successful musical program.

F. Colwell Conklin directed the choir, whose performance was outstanding, The Girls Glee Club was under the direction of Miss Evelyn M. Weiss, with Miss Jean L. Erdoss directing the Speech Arts Group.

Soloists were Anna Stamesna in "O Holy Night" and Helen Hanke, "Silent Night."

Tom Burgin and Sally Stowell served as narrators during the performance, with Miss Stowell and Margaret Beaver at the piano. The cast of the pageant, featuring a home holiday scene, included Donald Wheatley and Sarah Jayne Fehr as the father and mother, William Burgin and Sallye Silver as the son and daughter, Patty Tripicco and Steven Gibbons, Mary and Joseph, Gloria Warren, the angel, Donald Chatfield, Peter Wendell and Dean Gruber, kings, and Charles Trefzger and Ward Mohrfeld, shepherds.

The stage crew was composed of Michael Tripicco, Joan Gaillardet, Herbert Klein, Herbert Lewin, John Goodkind and Robert Garlock.

Musical selections by the Glee Club and choir included traditional Hebrew melodies and Christmas carols, and religious numbers, among them "Behold that Star" by Thomas W. Talley, arranged by Frank Cunkle.

Program covers for the concert were designed by art students under the supervision of Miss Frances Rentchler, with mimeographing by Marion Batsakis, supervised by Miss Blanche Lyon.

Philanthropy Group Wraps Gifts For Ward

The philanthropy committee of the Woman's Club of Larchmont met yesterday at the home of the chairman, Mrs. William H. Jefferson, 250 Barnard Road, Larchmont, to wrap Christmas gifts for the Ward 3-C patients at the County Home, Grasslands.

Seventy large knitting bags, made by Mrs. A. Robert MacMannis, committee member, were wrapped in silver paper, decorated with Christmas cards. They will be delivered to the County Home Dec. 22 when the philanthropy committee will entertain residents at a Christmas party.

A program of Christmas music and readings will be given by Mrs. George F. Valentine, Mrs. Fred S. Childs and Mrs. George Nichols. The group will present the knitting bags and candy cornucopias to their guests, and will serve refreshments.

Committee members attending yesterday's meeting were Mrs. Walter W. Brinckerhoff, Mrs. Thomas Casey, Mrs. Theodore Riegel, Mrs. Eldon S. Clark, Mrs. Robert D. S. Dobson, Mrs. MacMannis, Mrs. Nichols and Miss Mabel Pollard. Others on the committee are Mrs. Benjamin K. Boyce and Mrs. Harry P. Martin.

AGD Alumnae Entertain At Palsy Clinic

BEDFORD — Children in the Westchester Cerebral Palsy Association clinic here are having a Christmas party this afternoon under the sponsorship of the Westchester alumnae of Alpha Gamma Delta.

The sorority alumnae, who join the event annually, have provided a tree, grab bag of gifts, cookies and ice cream for 75 children.

Other donations were made by the Bedford American Legion and by anonymous contributors. A string quartet from the Stamford, Conn., Local 626 of the American Federation of Musicians is providing music.

A Christmas mystery play based on a passage from St. Luke also was on the program.

Rev. Arthur Ketchum, rector of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church at Bedford assisted with the play. Children participating are Marjorie Thirtle, Marilyn Slater, Eleanor Bernabi, Diane Wilson, Ward Cunningham and Warren Gratia.

Alumnae active in arranging the party are Mrs. Paul Thornton of Tuckahoe, chairman; Mrs. Roland Block of White Plains, Mrs. Ralph Krensky, keeper of the buckskin, Peter Bellows, treasurer, Douglas Hughes, scribe, Paul Walton, achievement board, Teddy Tuck, bulletin board, and John Schue, telephone.

Following the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Valentine. Mothers attending were Mrs E. W. Pfeiffer, co-chairman of den mothers for Pack One; Mrs. C. W. Bellows, Mrs. LeRoy Dando, Mrs. Harold Krensky, Mrs. John Schue, Mrs. Theodore Tuck, Mrs. H. G. Wathen, Mrs. Robert Hughes and Mrs. David Gordon.

Carol Group to Sing At Home and Hospital

The caroling group organized by the Westchester Ice Sailing Club, which has been rehearsing regularly at Mamaroneck High School, will entertain with a Christmas carol program Saturday at 2:30 P. M. at the Cardinal McCloskey Home in White Plains and Wednesday evening at Grasslands Hospital with about 20 members participating.

Small groups will sing Christmas carols throughout Larchmont during Christmas week. Residents wishing to join the group are asked to notify Miss Katherine Carr of 22 Beach Avenue, Larchmont.

TENDERFOOT PINS are presented Troop Six Mamaroneck Girl Scouts at yesterday's Christmas party and Court of awards, by Mrs. Thomas Cluck, commissioner, at the Mamaroneck Methodist Church house. New tenderfoots, left to right, are Alice Greenbaum, Linda Ackley and Barbara Nielsen. —Staff Photo

Awards Court Slated Feb. 16 By Girl Scouts

The December meeting of the Larchmont Girl Scout Council took place yesterday at the Scout House, with Mrs. Olney Steffens, commissioner, presiding, and 12 members in attendance.

Announcement was made by Mrs. Darrell Nordwall, deputy commissioner, of forthcoming training sessions for leaders and Council members, given by the national organization, with an all-day session slated Feb. 8 at the Scout House for the Larchmont group.

Mrs. Robert Thomas, chairman of the Leaders Association, announced a new choral group to be formed next year. The mid-Winter Court of Awards and tea for mothers will be held Feb. 16 in the Mamaroneck Junior High School cafeteria, with Mrs. Walter Reich as hospitality chairman, it was announced. The new 1950 Girl Scout calendars were distributed among troops.

Mrs. Edward Everett, executive director, who reported on leaders conferences and training sessions held last month for registration and camp plans, announced a joint meeting of Council members and leaders Jan. 11.

The resignation of Mrs. George Currier, chairman of publicity, was accepted with regret. A past commissioner, Mrs. Currier, who has been actively identified with the Larchmont Girl Scout organization for the last six years, is moving Jan. 1 with her family to San Mateo, Calif.

Three Local Residents Elected To Who's Who Among Students

Mis Mary Louise Healey and Miss Mary Bryant, both of Larchmont, and Miss Mary Therese McDonald of Mamaroneck are among the 11 students of the College of New Rochelle who have been officially accepted as members of "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities."

Miss Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant of 25 Monroe Avenue, is one of four students accepted for the second year. Vice president of the senior class, she is a member of Scribblers, literary society, and Alpha Alpha, and has been named to the dean's list for three consecutive years.

Miss Healey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Francis Healey of 2 Boulder Road, is president of the New York-New Jersey region of the National Federation of Catholic College Students. She is an active member of Props and Paint, college dramatic club, and Scribblers.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar J. McDonald of 629 Wood Street, Miss McDonald is a three-year honor student, and is social editor of Annales, senior year book. She is active in Alpha Alpha, honorary philosophical society, Props and Paint, and Scribblers, and has been class representative on the Mission Board for three years.

"Who's Who" members are selected on the basis of active participation in college affairs and qualities of leadership displayed. Nominated by the student body and elected by the Advisory Board they are approved by the college administration.

Yule Program Given By Day School Pupils

A Christmas program in two parts was presented yesterday by pupils of the Dominican Day School in the auditorium of St. Augustine's School, with 195 members of the Mother's Club of the day school and their guests attending.

A demonstration of ballroom dancing under the direction of the Brytons of New Rochelle was followed by a Christmas pageant directed by the Sisters of St. Dominic.

Dances demonstrated by pupils included the fox trot, by first and second grades; waltz, by third and fourth graders; rhumba, fifth and sixth graders, and samba, seventh and eighth graders.

The Christmas pageant featured a series of four tableaux entitled, "Shepherds on the Hillside Near Bethlehem," "Nativity Scene, Adoration of the Shepherds," "Adoration of the Wise Men," and "Adoration of the Infant Saviour by All Nations."

Narrators for the tableaux were Michael Witte and Anthony Wheatley, and students appearing in the pageant were Susanne Lichiman as Mary, Sieban Martinez as Joseph, and Stephen Webster, Thomas Convery and Peter Fisher, the Three Kins.

Deanne Pfeiffer, Georgeanne Beckley, Craig Cummings and Arthur Mattison sang "Oh, Holy Night," and other carols during the pageant were sung by the entire school. The program closed with group singing of "Noel," "The Birthday of a King," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Adeste Fideles."

The program was held in place of the December meeting of the Mother's Club. The next meeting will be held Jan. 17.

Mrs. Morrell Welcomed As Council Meets

Mrs. Benjamin Morrell was welcomed yesterday as a new member-at-large of the Mamaroneck Girl Scout Council at a meeting at St. Thomas' Community House, with Mrs. Thomas Cluck, Commissioner, presiding.

Plans were discussed for the annual daddy-daughter dinner which will be held early in March for Intermediates and Senior scouts and their fathers, combined with a Juliette Low World Friendship celebration. Brownies will have a separate afternoon rally. Mrs. Aylmer Hatch, organization chairman, announced that Mrs. Edmund Quain has replaced Mrs. Blake Brownrigg as leader of Troop 30 at Holy Trinity School.

Reports were also made by Mrs. Theodore Rathbone, Mrs. Alfred Naumann, Mrs. Brooks Jakeman, Mrs. Dominick Santomenna, Mrs. John Brower, Mrs. John H. Dailinger, Mrs. G. W. Robbins, Mrs. William Glaser, Miss Elsa Riepert, and Mrs. Theodore Dibble. Annual reports will be read at the next council meeting, Jan. 11.

Catholic Women Visit Hawthorne Cancer Home

Members of the Catholic Woman's Club of Westchester visited Rosary Hill Cancer Home, Hawthorne, yesterday taking with them, for the residents, gifts of tobacco, playing cards, soap, candy, stamps, Christmas cards, preserves and other items. It was the annual visit.

Those attending were Mrs. Halsam C. Smith, Miss Mary [illegible] Miss Dor[illegible]

James Larkin Is Engaged To Harrison Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lamparelli of Harrison have announced the engagement of their daughter, Julia, to James J. Larkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Larkin of 1316 Henry Avenue, Mamaroneck, formerly of Rye.

Miss Lamparelli attended Harrison High School. Mr. Larkin attended Rye schools and served one and a half years with the 23rd Infantry, Second Division of the U. S. Army. He is employed by the Aiello Candle Company in Mamaroneck.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Circle X Has Program Of Yule Decorations

A demonstration of Christmas decorations was given yesterday by Mrs. William G. Hunter of the Garden Club of Larchmont for the December program of the Circle X of the Larchmont Avenue Church, at the home of Mrs. Franklin M. Finnthwait, 11 Emerson Place, Larchmont. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Lawrence Templeman and Mrs. Leroy Lewis.

Gifts were collected for a mission at Pawling. Mrs. Floyd E. McGuire accompanied the group as they sang Christmas carols. Yuletide decorations were led by Mrs. Arthur Brown. Mrs. McGuire and Mrs. Erich Schuler presided at the tea table.

Film Council Presents "Early Bird" Matinee

"Bill and Coo", a film of bird life produced in color, will be shown Saturday as an "early bird" matinee feature at the Mamaroneck Playhouse at 10 A. M. under the auspices of the Larchmont-Mamaroneck motion picture Council, with Mrs. Everett Phillips as matinee chairman.

Mothers assisting are Mrs. James Duggan, Mrs. John Davenport and Mrs. Alexander Gross, Barry Avenue School; Mrs. Edward Ryan and Mrs. George Stern, Central; and Mrs. Erwin Greenblum, Daniel Warren, Horizon Club members who will assist are Nancy Savage, Barbara Page, Naomi Thomas, Patty Clark and Florence Weatherly. Police and fire protection will be provided. Tickets are on sale at the schools. Doors open at 9:30 A. M.

GUEST SPEAKER

Mrs. Douglas Lockhart, chairman of the flower show committee of the Garden Club of Larchmont gave a talk yesterday on Christmas decorations to the members of the Woman's Organization of the West Side Community Church of Bronxville.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Miss Joan Marie Haggerty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Haggerty of 518 Carroll Avenue, Mamaroneck, a sophomore at New York State College for Teachers in Albany, has been named to the Dean's List for the second semester of the 1948-49 year. Miss Haggerty is registered for a Bachelor of Arts Degree with a major in social studies and a minor in mathmatics. She is secretary of the Women's Athletic Association on Campus.

CHRISTMAS RECESS

Miss Ruth Juillerat of Larchmont is among the Wilson College students who left the college today to spend a 20-day holiday recess at home. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Juillerat of 2 Briarcliff Road.

CANCER AID GROUP

The St. Augusine's Cancer Aid Group will meet Monday at 1:30 P. M. in the school cafeteria. Members are asked to take to the meeting clean, fast-color materials for use in making surgical dressings.

OPEN HOUSE SET

An open house program will be held tomorrow from 7:30 to 9:30 P. M. at Mamaroneck Junior High School under the chairmanship of Mrs. James G. Brodeck, with Mrs. William C. Johnson as co-chairman.

MT. ST. VINCENT ALUMNAE

The Westchester Chapter of the College of Mount St. Vincent Alumnae will hold their Christmas party today at 8 P. M. at the Hotel Gramatan, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Eugene J. Gormley of New Rochelle.

Mrs. Rathbone Issues Report On Volunteers

Mrs. Frank Rathbone, chairman of volunteers for the Mamaroneck Health Center, has reported on volunteer activities of board members and members of the Eastern Westchester Unit of the New York Junior League who have assisted with clinics held at the center during the last year.

Two members of the center board have been on duty at the monthly evening chest clinics, and two members of the Junior League unit have assisted at the afternoon chest clinics, she said.

In addition, Mrs. Rathbone reported on the volunteer work of league members and two board members, who alternated at the weekly child hygiene clinics, and assisted at the four immunization clinics held during the year.

The chairman also reported on the volunteer work by 55 women, including directors of the center and other residents, who assisted with the village-wide chest x-ray campaign by canvassing homes for appointments, arranging for transportation and baby sitting, and clerical work and registration.

Mrs. Rathbone stated that the Junior League donated about 410 hours of volunteer service, and pointed out in her report that members of the Mamaroneck Camp Fire Girls also gave their services to the center during the year.

Marshall Grimm Named To School Honor List

Cadet Marshall Grimm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Grimm, of 833 Taylors Lane, Mamaroneck, has been named to the honor list at Pennsylvania Military Preparatory School, Chester, Pa., in recognition of his academic achievement during the current semester.

Cadet Grimm and his brother, Konrad, will return home tomorrow for Christmas vacation. The latter was a member of the football squad this past Fall which was managed by his brother.

HOME FROM ABROAD

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice van Gelder of 230 Rockingstone Avenue, Larchmont, were passengers aboard the Holland—America Line flagship Nieuw Amsterdam, which arrived yesterday on a trip from Rotterdam, Holland, Le Havre, France and Southampton, England.

Badges Given At Girl Scout Holiday Party

Mamaroneck Girl Scout Troop 6 held a Christmas party and Court of Awards yesterday at the Methodist Church, directed by Mrs. Thomas Cluck, leader, assisted by Mrs. Everett Phillips, troop committee chairman, with 26 members present.

Following traditional flag and membership ceremonies, Mrs. Cluck invested troop committee members Mrs. Everett Ackley, Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Morris Stern, presenting them with Girl Scout pins. Bee-keeper badges were awarded by Robert Estep and community badges by Mrs. Herbert Livesey.

An exchange of gifts was followed by tea served by Mrs. Carl Schaefer, assisted by Mrs. Clement Zucks and Mrs. Herbert Hurley. Refreshments were made by troop members working for a hostess badge. Mrs. Morris Stern and Mrs. Ackley poured. About 20 mothers attended.

Awards were presented as follows: Textile artist, Linda Ackley, Alice Greenbaum and Barbara Neilson; second class to Marion Pachman and Rita Zodikoff; Girl Scout pins to troop committee members Mrs. Everett Ackley, Mrs. Everett Phillips and Mrs. Morris Stern.

Proficiency badge awards were: bee-keeper, Raquel Davenport, Elaine Stern, Nancy Becker, Linda Livesey, Marsha Yerdon, Paddy Hurley, Nancy Bradt, Virginia Zucks, Mary MacKenzie, Jane Schaefer, Donna Battista.

My community: Elaine Stern, Nancy Becker, Virginia Zucks and Jane Schaefer, who also received a junior citizen badge; my group, Jane Schaefer, Anne Phillips, Mary MacKenzie, bird; Raquel Davenport, Linda Livesey, Carol Ann Smith.

Mammal: Virginia Zucks, Linda Livesey, Raquel Davenport; folk dancing, Donna Battista; wild plant finder, Paddy Hurley; sewing, Virginia Zucks, Nancy Bradt; swimming, Virginia Zucks; design and clothing, Gwen Kaehrle.

Cubs Entertain 9 Mothers At An Open House

Cubs of Den 10 of Pack One of the Larchmont Cub Scouts entertained their mothers yesterday at an open house in the cub room at the home of their den mother, Mrs. George F. Valentine of 43 Revere Road, Larchmont.

The room is decorated with cub placques depicting scout activities or pledges, a bulletin board for scrapbook clippings and achievement board to show progress in cubbing.

A den meeting was conducted before an open fire, followed by a flag ceremony, and a uniform inspection was made by David Stevens, Boy Scout and den chief. Repaired toys to be collected at a pack meeting Friday were inspected.

Dean members are Roy Dando, denner, Gordon Valentine, assistant denner, Ralph Krensky, keeper of the buckskin, Peter Bellows, treasurer, Douglas Hughes, scribe, Paul Walton, achievement board, Teddy Tuck, bulletin board, and John Schue, telephone.

Following the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Valentine. Mothers attending were Mrs E. W. Pfeiffer, co-chairman of den mothers for Pack One; Mrs. C. W. Bellows, Mrs. LeRoy Dando, Mrs. Harold Krensky, Mrs. John Schue, Mrs. Theodore Tuck, Mrs. H. G. Wathen, Mrs. Robert Hughes and Mrs. David Gordon.

Carol Group to Sing At Home and Hospital

The caroling group organized by the Westchester Ice Sailing Club, which has been rehearsing regularly at Mamaroneck High School, will entertain with a Christmas carol program Saturday at 2:30 P. M. at the Cardinal McCloskey Home in White Plains and Wednesday evening at Grasslands Hospital with about 20 members participating.

Small groups will sing Christmas carols throughout Larchmont during Christmas week. Residents wishing to join the group are asked to notify Miss Katherine Carr of 22 Beach Avenue, Larchmont.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Elizabeth Dreyer of 11 Briarcliff Road, Larchmont, has been named to the Dean's List of the College for Women, University of Rochester, for maintaining a high scholastic standing. A sophomore at the university, she participated in the 1949 Kaleidoscope, annual skirt musical show given by the College for Women, and took part in the "Hard Times Dance." She is a graduate of Mamaroneck High School.

Choral Offers Christmas Story For 100 At Woman's Clubhouse

"The Christmas Story in Word and Song" was the theme of the program presented yesterday by the Choral Group of the Woman's Club of Mamaroneck as the highlight of the December club meeting attended by 100 members and guests in the clubhouse.

A piano duet, "Christmas", played by Florence Meigs, accompanist for the group, and

50 Participate In Song And Dance Session

More than 50 Girl Scout leaders from Mamaroneck, Larchmont, Harrison, Rye and Tuckahoe attended a song and dance session given last night by Janet Tobitt at St. Thomas' Community House, Mamaroneck. Miss Elsa Riepert, training chairman of the Mamaroneck Girl Scout Council, was in charge of the event.

Miss Tobitt's sessions were designed to prove her theory that "any adult equipped with a little sure-fire recreational material plus sound teaching principles can find fun in leadership." She studied at London University and received a liberal arts degree from St. Andrew University in Scotland in preparation for a teaching career. After graduation she traveled on the continent and began her collection of folk songs and dances. Later, while teaching in a boarding school near London, she led a Girl Scout troop unit, and came to the United States in 1930 for a six-month visit, remaining to become a citizen. In the ensuing years she has been music consultant to the Girl Scouts and British Girl Guides.

Attending last night from Mamaroneck were: Mrs. Thomas Cluck, commissioner, Mrs. William Glaser, Mrs. Brooks Jakeman, Mrs. James Currie, Mrs. Everett Ackley, Mrs. Everett Phillips, Mrs. Fred Wellmann, Mrs. Eliot Beach, Mrs. Thomas Hartley, Mrs. Arthur Greenleigh, Mrs. Theodore Schwob, Mrs. Aylmer Hatch, Mrs. G. W. Robbins, Mrs. John Davenport, Mrs. Dominick Santomenna, Mrs. Lawrence Fink, Mrs. William Haggerty, Phebe Haggerty, Miss Jean Chadwick, Mrs. James M. Brown Jr., Mrs. Theodore Dibble and Mrs. J. B. Pollock. From Larchmont: Mrs. Olney Steffens, commissioner, Mrs. Alvin Dreyer, Mrs. Robert Thomas, Mrs. J. P. Wall, Mrs. Perry Cochran, Mrs. Andrew Steele, Mrs. John Gulliver, Mrs. James McMullen, Miss Erna Wormell and Mrs. Edward Everett.

Juniors Holiday Dance Committee Announced

Miss Virginia Warren, ways and means chairman of the Junior Section of the Woman's Club of Larchmont, is in charge of tomorrow night's Christmas dance to be held at the Larchmont Yacht Club starting at 9. George Hoffman's orchestra will play for dancing.

Committee members are Nancy Gotham, Dolores Del Rio, Mrs. T. P. MacDonnell, Mary Ann Page, Nancy Covert, Ruth Flowers, Barbara Nilson, Mrs. Fred P. Moltz Jr., and Mrs. James Jaffray.

February Bridge Slated By Junior DAR Group

Preliminary plans for a benefit bridge to be held in February by the Junior Committee of the Larchmont Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, were discussed last night at a meeting at the home of Miss Ruth Burt of 15 Virginia Place, Larchmont. Miss Carolyn Griffith is chairman for the event. Games were played with prizes won by Miss Marion Hall, Miss Dorothy Holden, Miss Tunis Gouwens and Miss Betty Thwaite.

Mabel McLain, director, opened the program, followed by a group of readings by Audrey Berman.

Pearl Hanna, narrator for the program, told the Christmas story in ten parts, with appropriate accompanying selections by the choral.

The program included the Prologue; Processional, "Adeste Fideles"; Prophecy; Annunciation, "O Come, O Come Emmanuel"; The Birth, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" and a duet, "The Infant Light", sung by Lillian Crisman and Anna Large.

The next group featured The Shepherds, "While By My Sleeping Flock"; The Heavenly Host, "O Holy Night"; The Wise Men, "Silent Night"; Epilogue, "Gesu Bambino", and Recessional, "Adeste Fideles".

Soloist was Mrs. Large and accompanist was Mrs. Meigs. Members of the echo choir were Mrs. Large, Mrs. Crisman and Evelyn Carson.

Choral Group members are Grace Carleton, Mrs. Hanna, Elinor Hrgeman, Mabel Howe, Mrs. Large, Elizabeth McChesney, Mary Sichel, Beatrice Young, sopranos; Mrs. Crisman, May Hornidge and Catherine de Shaw, second sopranos, and Mrs. Carson, Mrs. Herman, Elda Pantaleo and Mildred Sullivan, altos.

New members introduced and presented corsages during a business meeting conducted preceding the program by Mrs. Harry G. Waltner, Jr., were Mrs. Lowell Limpus, Mrs. Henry Tuy, Jr., Mrs. Rupert Lodge, Mrs. A. J. Kehlenbeck and Mrs. Herbert Guthrie.

Mrs. James McGrotty program chairman, announced "Education for Living" as the topic for a meeting Jan. 25.

A report on the December activities of the philanthropic committee was given by the chairman, Mrs. Hanna, who announced parties tomorrow at Grasslands County Home, and Tuesday at the Jennie Clarkson Home for Children. She urged members to continue to donate articles for sale at the Thrift Shop to benefit the work of the committee.

Mrs. Vincent W. Ridley, Federation chairman, announced the Westchester County Federation Winter conference luncheon and meeting Jan. 27 at the Hotel Gramatan in Bronxville, where Mrs. J. L. Blair Buck will speak on "Understanding is the Road to Peace."

Among the guests at the program were Mrs. Aloise Kuntz, Mrs. Dominick Santomenna, Mrs. James Yaple, Mrs. John Withers, Mrs. Arthur Stoughton, Mrs. E. E. McLain, Mrs. Albert Coombes, Miss Jessie Lewis, Mrs. Arthur Allen, Mrs. Mabel McCormick.

Also, Mrs. Theodore Lee, Mrs. Edwin Peters, Mrs. Edward Whitney, Mrs. Ross LeB. Daggett, Mrs. Malcolm Merritt, Mrs. Arthur R. Richtmyer Jr., Mrs. Bliss Woodward, Mrs. Ray C. Appleton, Mrs. Fred La Panne, and Mrs. Irving Koslowe.

Floral and table decorations in the Christmas spirit were arranged by Miss Georgia McAndrew.

Refreshments were served under the direction of Mrs. E. L. Greene, hospitality chairman, assisted by Mrs. Fred H. Schlapprizzi and Mrs. McGrotty presiding at the tea table.

Christmas Party Slated By Evening Department

The annual Christmas party will be the feature of the December meeting of the Evening Department of the Woman's Club of Larchmont Avenue Church house. The Choral Group, under the direction of Mrs. Harry Goshorn, will present a program of Christmas music, followed by group singing of familiar carols.

The highlight of the traditional event will be the collection of gifts for the Colburn Home of New Rochelle. The ways and means committee will sponsor a Christmas gift table, with members donating small gifts.

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Bellows Opens Court Season Tomorrow Night Against Croton

Hasley Undecided On First 5; Visitors Have Veteran Quintet

The normal tension which surrounds the East End prior to tomorrow night's opening basketball contest between Coach Jack Hasley's Bellows quintet and Croton has been intensified by the news that the invading Tigers not only have a veteran aggregation but tripped Class A Ossining 33-31 last Friday night. Thus, the Panthers will be given a severe test in their opener and will not even be at full strength. A Jaycee tussle starts the evening's action on the BHS hardwood at 7:30 P. M.

Bellows also is padded with experienced cagers who are aiming for better last year's record of 13 wins in 18 contests, and also to establish a new school record in total wins. There are six returnees but Danny Evangelista, tallest player on the squad at six feet six inches, was suddenly put on the injured list Monday when he broke his left wrist in a physical education class. In addition, Steve Johnston has been practicing with a broken finger and the entire squad is hampered by a virus infection.

Still, the Haleymen are an extremely dangerous quintet with George Fischer, Ed Petrie, Johnston, Panky Vitetta, and Ed Feldt to hold the unit together. Then there newcomers Ed Kayner, Bill Cummings and Ken Dellner, all up from the Jaycees.

After yesterday's final heavy workout, Hasley released a starting array which has two and one in it. The brainy mentor stated that Fischer, his six-five pivot man, would definitely be the center while Petrie would open at a forward and Feldt at a guard. That's where the certainty ends. Either Vitetta or Cummings is destined for the other forward slot while Hasley is weighing Johnston and Dellner as possibilities for the other vacancy.

Croton was considered to have the experience, manpower and height to beat Ossining and did just that when a young reserve curled in a layup in the final seconds to gain the decision. Coach L. Allen Thomas and his charges are full of optimism since they became the first Croton quintet to ever beat an Ossining outfit. They have their eyes set upon the Western Westchester League cage crown. Last year they finished a tight second in that circuit.

Most dangerous of the Tiger scorers is six foot-four inch Herb Doran but there are veis Tony Farano, Angelo Milano, Sam Biordi, and Bill Thompson plus newcomer *Chet McCoy* whose only two points of the Ossining fray were the winning markers. Another first year man, Al Jacobs, wasted 11 points against the Indians for high scoring honors while Doran controlled the board and batted in 10. Coach Thomas only used six men during the long, wild battle. Croton had a 12 point spread at one point but Ossining held it, finally rallying on the lone sub to pull the win out. Farano is the club's playmaker and also is the smallest man on the squad.

Last year Bellows was batted out of the County Tournament by Irvington and Croton was the only quintet to inflict a league loss on the Bulldogs. If for this reason alone, Bellows will be cautious with the visitors.

Coach Thomas held Farano and Thomson out of the OHS fray in order to test another up-and-coming youngster named Pete DeStefano who blazed through with eight points before fouling out. However, the Crotons took a stand 11 point thumping from big Wappinger-Falls Tuesday night to rudely end their hopes for a victory skein.

The Panthers tapered off yesterday with different types of offensive and defensive formations, working against several JV fives. Players were inserted into the spot Evangelista left open and none had any trouble filling it. However, things may be different under "game conditions" and Hasley has no intention of being caught flat-footed by countying on any one player.

Because of tomorrow night's scrap being the first of the season there is little question that the BHS gym will be filled to capacity. The limited seating capacity may force officials to send many fans away, with many persons securing tickets far in advance.

THAT PUZZLED LOOK on Bellows Coach Jack Hasley's face is understandable when you consider he must pick a starting five for tomorrow night's season opener from the group lined up in front of him. The Panther varsity stars are (left to right) kneeling, Steve Johnston, Ed Feldt, Ed Petrie, Joe Benedict and Bill Cummings. Standing are: Panky Vitetta, Ken Dellner, Ed Kayner and George Fischer. Croton's quintet, with two games under its belt, moves into the East End to furnish the opposition. —Staff Photo by John Marrone

MAMARO SHINES IN FRAT LEAGUE

Mamaro's kegling Foxes made almost all the noise at the Mamaroneck Rec Center last night as they chalked up another shutout victory in Fraternal League bowling. The trailing Odd Fellows "B" aggregation managed to cop two games before the finale, the Legion socked the Kiwanis 2-1 and the Manzoni Lodgemen took the IOOF "B" team with a last minute drive.

Bob Mazzocchi of Mamaro was the big gun with a 224 single and 548 triple. Richie Ritz of the same club rolled 212 and Strauch of the Lions tallied 201 for the only other top-flight games.

Mamaro completed its domination of the evening's activity by accounting for a 937 pin team single and totalling 2457 maples all-told.

The scores:

Legion (2)				Kiwanis (1)			
Corvi	159	134	162	Wright	125	142	122
Vitetta	—	176	157	Brady	166	166	167
LaBarg	—	—	171	Rigano	135	142	146
Von M'ch	157	149	136	Blind	129	129	129
Graham	180	167	177	Sacrsma	135	197	139
Blind	125	125	125				
Totals	666	747	803	Totals	625	712	680

IOOF "B" (2)				Lions (1)			
Hibler	137	160	135	Strauch	132	122	201
Bigelow	146	146	134	Jahn	153	148	163
Hennessy	142	137	189	Vollrder	164	185	159
Krech	153	169	152	Welsh	169	159	151
Ehbert	164	156	179	Richards	146	138	152
Totals	701	762	784	Totals	724	712	815

Mamaro Foxes (3)				WYMC (0)			
A M'han	151	168	144	DeAn'nio	131	176	168
Mazz'cchi	224	180	164	DeLitta	138	138	162
Parker	167	126	137	Barile	184	163	133
Ritz	212	149	168	Bilmser	125	125	125
J Mahan	161	130	166	Forcillo	120	118	179
Totals	937	729	791	Totals	759	666	785

Odd Fellows "A" (1)				Manzoni (2)			
Arnott	148	146	135	Lanza	135	119	148
Palazzolo	166	142	155	Grossi	133	184	173
Schr'der	135	156	137	Blind	125	—	—
Julver	161	148	175	A Rigano	169	111	193
Hartlieb	124	162	156	Pugsetta	140	148	139
				J Rigano	—	131	155
Totals	726	773	768	Totals	732	673	788

FOUR SHUTOUTS MARK BOWLETTES' KEGLING

Four of the six Bowlette League kegling matches at the Larchmont Bowl last night went down the shutout drain as the Pharmacists, Marketeers, Palmers and Jewelers produced the big pinfalls. In the other matches the Bowlettes and Fixtures banged out 2-1 victories.

The Pharmacists till hold three lengths on the Jewelers in the team race with the Fixtures, Marketeers and Apparels tied for third, four games off the leading pace. The Four Keys complete the first division outfits and they are only five games behind in the closely contested loop.

Muriel Hubbard took care of last night's high single, 199, but the series pace-maker was Betty Blume who rattled 529 maples.

The Pharmacists edged the Fixtures in total pinfalls.

Pharmacists (3)				Drive-Ins (0)			
Lomuzio	126	135	135	K Roche	129	151	129
F Lanno	194	159	180	E Yeiser	137	161	152
M-Mark'l	111	133	160	Faione	157	89	159
B Blume	174	187	168	M Rumo	151	111	135
Totals	545	566	593	Totals	573	470	575

Pill Rollers (0)				Marketeers (3)			
Lorenzen	151	140	161	F Foster	192	144	160
Morgan	194	160	111	Hubbard	142	197	199
Mulligan	144	152	121	D Gold	139	139	131
Hayes	169	118	121	Cowley	124	121	142
Totals	632	517	494	Totals	597	581	632

Realettes (0)				Palmers (3)			
Pfeifer	132	148	123	Reinhoff	132	141	139
Rehm	129	140	141	Ruch	162	89	88
Bunde	126	126	126	N Fnato	180	147	166
V Lemon	138	109	137	Lemon	122	148	130
Totals	651	522	551	Totals	563	525	523

Fixtures (2)				Apparels (1)			
Fanno	122	137	152	A Lock	136	106	145
Gordon	137	103	142	C Deskin	120	112	143
Calhoun	133	172	136	McCarty	119	128	161
Thomas	161	131	137	Crammond	164	113	131
Totals	553	575	590	Totals	590	467	580

Sparks (0)				Jewelers (3)			
Clausen	164	148	138	Marshall	131	138	138
Fiora	118	164	159	Wilson	124	113	132
Crisman	150	135	154	Jones	174	174	151
Lemon	138	99	112	Radcliffe	170	197	168
Totals	510	536	525	Totals	599	552	597

Four Keys (1)				Bowlettes (2)			
Fingerl	152	110	128	Salasin	119	159	132
Blind	109	109	109	Libasci	145	164	164
VanNess	132	106	156	Reinelli	131	128	111
Van Aken	149	132	142	Roth	148	145	107
Totals	522	447	532	Totals	539	597	530

BASKETEERS AND RAVENS IN WINS

The Basketeers mudged the Tarheels 27-26 in the first game of the Recreation League double-bill at Mamaroneck Avenue School last night and the Ravens *overpowered the Cyclones* in the afternoon. The Basketeers and Ravens have now won two games apiece without defeat while the Cyclones were taking their initial licking of the infant campaign.

In the opener the Basketeers earned a clear-cut decision by scoring 13 times from the field while dropping just one foul shot. Jim Burroughs tallied eight points to pace the victors while Calvini rimmed nine and Hazan eight for the Tarheels. Jim Pugliatti of the losers and Koch of the Basketeers netted six each. In the aftermath Placente talied the evening's high total of 16 markers to spearhead the Ravens to their eight-point victory. Porter was the Cyclones' main scorer with six points.

Next Monday there will be another triple-header, the Knicks tackling the Mules in the curtain-raiser, the *Wildcats* trying for their number one triumph against the unbeaten Warriors and the Renegades and Red Riders, both winless, clashing in the final.

Last night's box scores:

Basketeers (27)	G	F	P	Tarheels (26)	G	F	P
McGrath rf	1	0	2	Hagan rf	3	2	8
Verilli lf	2	0	4	DiPaolo c	0	1	1
Koch c	2	2	6	Calvini lf	4	1	9
T O'Callhan	1	0	2	Rosen rg	0	0	0
Kurtz	0	0	0	J Pugliatti c	3	0	6
Burroughs rg	4	0	8	Frioli lg	1	0	2
McCarthy lg	2	1	5				
Totals	13	1	27	Totals	11	4	26

Ravens (28	G	F	P	Cyclones (20)	G	F	P
Pinto rf	2	1	5				
W Phillti lf	1	1	3	Porter rf	3	0	6
Strauchl c	2	0	4	E Wallace c	1	0	2
Fleischer rg	0	2	2	Armstrong lf	2	0	4
Cimagin lg	1	0	2	L Wallace rg	2	0	4
Guinan	0	0	0	Green	0	0	0
				Will rg	0	0	0
				Walker lg	1	0	2
Totals	12	4	26	Totals	9	2	20

GIANGRECO OFFICIAL FOR PRO BOWL FRAY

Two officials at the Shamrock Charity Bowl professional football game Saturday at Houston, Texas, will be Sam Giangreco of Mamaroneck and George Vergara of New Rochelle.

The contest features the Cleveland Browns, champions of the All-America conference, against a hand-picked All-Star team coached by Red Strader of the New York football Yankees. Proceeds will go to the Damon Runyan Cancer Fund, the Actors Fund and the crippled children of Houston.

Giangreco and Vergara will donate their services and be the guests of millionaire oilman Glen McCarthy, owner of the Shamrock Hotel, who is arranging the game. *Movie stars* are contributing their talent and the Jack Benny radio program will come from Houston on Sunday evening.

The two local referees have worked together in three-quarters of the All-America conference games this season, including pre-season and playoff games across this nation. Vergara lives at 1 Laurel Place, New Rochelle, and is a City Councilman. Giangreco resides at 912 Orienta Avenue, Mamaroneck, and teaches physical education at Albert Leonard Junior High, New Rochelle.

Hudson League Begins Cage Season Tomorrow

The Hudson River League inaugurates its 1949-50 basketball season tomorrow night with four of the five league members in action.

North Tarrytown invades Ossining and Hastings journeys to Washington Irving. The fifth member, Peekskill, drew a first day bye. The circuit will see action only on Friday nights, starting tomorrow and ending March 3.

R. R.'s BONUS REPEALED

NEW YORK, (AP) — The majors voted to repeal the bonus rule with Commissioner A. B. Chandler's vote breaking a deadlock between the American and National Leagues.

Murray Murdock of the New York Rangers holds the hockey record for appearing in the most consecutive games—500.

CHARLIE EWART

NR'S CHARLEY EWART MAY QUIT COACHING

"With me, football is a labor of love, but I have lost that love." So speaks Charlie Ewart, 905 Wilmot Road, who resigned this week as coach of the New York Bulldogs, professional football team. He is considering going into business and dropping football entirely, he says.

Ewart announced yesterday at his *home that when he decided* early in October to resign, he had a business offer which has remained open.

Before going to the Bulldogs this season, Ewart was an assistant coach, backfield coach, and general manager of the Philadelphia Eagles, playing a big part in the organization which built the Eagles into the National League champs.

The 34-year-old mentor says, "It takes patience and money to build a top professional team. The Eagles and the Los Angeles Rams, the two best clubs in our league, spent about seven times as much money covering colleges for prospective talent as the other teams. I could make a championship team, but it would take several years."

Former assistant coach as Wesleyan, Conn., and Dartmouth colleges, Ewart may accept a position as a college coach in the future. He was a member of the Federal Bureau of Investigation for four years, which he considers very valuable experience.

"Pro football teaches you to play percentages," he said. "I decided after we had played three games this year that the limitations in the field are very definite and from the long-range angle I would be better off somewhere else. With me football is a labor of love, but I have lost that love."

REFEREES Sam Giangreco, left, and George Vergara, above, will officiate at the Shamrock Charity Bowl at Houston, Texas, Saturday. The game has been arranged between the Cleveland Browns and an All-Star team from the professional ranks. Giangreco of Mamaroneck and Vergara of New Rochelle have worked in three-quarters of the All-America conference games this season. —Staff Photo

Fall Dinghy Series Nears Final Races

Bobby de Coppet and Corny Shields have the inside track on the championship of the Larchmont Yacht Club's Fall Dinghy Series with just two more meetings in the slate. Clint Bell, chairman of the LYC's dinghy committee, revealed last night that there would be races held next Sunday, December 18th and the final set of encounters would be held on Monday, December 26th.

A heavy fog blanketed the fleet of 33 craft last Sunday after six races had been completed in the Internationals division and five in the Moths. John Nichols in his "Misery" copped the first four races but then slipped to 12th and sixth for 16 points, third best for the day. Arthur Knapp with "Agony" and deCoppet in "*Zotom*" led the way home only once apiece but were consistent through all the encounters to run one-two in the day's total scoring. Knapp, former national champion, led the field with 172 points while deCoppet, the defending kingpin, had 170.

Among the four Moths, Clark Ferrand in "Shucks" won all five events for a perfect card of 50 markers.

The total points compiled for the entire Fall Series of nine weekends has not been released, according to Mr. Bell. The dinghy chairman stated that January 7th had been set for the opening of the Winter Series and that the Spring Series would follow in April, running through March. After that the entire point tabulation will be handled and a champion crowned. Anyone who has sailed in 60 per cent of the races is eligible for consideration.

This Sunday's meeting will get under way at 11:30 A. M. and officials believe the final race will have been completed by 4 P.M.

Pro Scouts to Watch College All-Star Game

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—Blue-Gray gridders will strut their stuff before more than 12 professional scouts at the annual All Star football game here Dec. 31.

*Blue-Gray officials said yester*day that requests for scouting tickets had come from 12 of the 13 clubs in the newly organized National American Professional Football League. Only the Los Angeles Dons were missing.

The 1949 game will be the 11th in the series which stands at six victories for the South and four for the North.

GAEL 5 OUTRUNS COLUMBIA 72-30

Columbia's Hosemen played the fiery Gaels even for one quarter at Bellows High's gym last night and then were helpless as the speedy Gael quintet went "off to the races" to enjoy a 72-30 rout, their third triumph in four starts this season.

Columbia had only a height advantage and, in its first outing, could not keep up with the victors who are in letter-perfect condition.

Horace Brittain was out in the front in point-scoring with 20 markers, while Gil Allen, another Gael operative, hooped 18. Albie Mitchell tired 13 through the rim and Pint Murray surprised with 11 points. Jim Holton was the Hosemen's leading tally-man with an even dozen.

Fast breaking told the story of this encounter as the Gaels flew down-court each time they were able to recover a misdirected Columbia shot. Allen and Brittain did most of the driving and therefore were on the firing end of a good percentage of the driving layups and one-handers. The winners had a nine point bulge at halftime, increased the difference to 32 at the end of three quarters and breezed still further out in front in the final canto. Columbia was held to four points in the third heat.

The only disheartening note as far as the Gaels are concerned was the continued bad luck at the foul line. They failed to connect on 13 of 21 tried.

The box score:

Gaels (72)	G	F	P	Columbia (30)	G	F	P
G Allen rf	9	0	18	Grisinger rf	1	1	3
Murray lf	5	1	11	Brunner f	0	0	0
A Mitchell c	5	3	13	T Byrnes lf	2	1	5
F Brittain rg	8	4	20	J Byrnes c	2	1	5
P Montaro lg	0	0	0	G Gowan rg	6	1	13
P Potter	3	0	6	J Holton lg	4	2	10
				E Manning	0	0	0
Totals	32	8	72	Totals	12	6	30

2 Hockey Tilts On Tap Tonight

The hockey twin-bill on Playland's slippery surface tonight starts at 6:45 with the unbeaten Greenwich High School sextet introduced to hand North Tarrytown its second straight setback. The feature fray will follow at about 8 P. M. with Princeton University invading to cross sticks with the St. Nic's skaters.

Princeton, with two Westchester athletes in the lineup, will be out to add its fourth number three on the Nickmen's record. The Tigers from Nassau had a sub-par 1946-47 campaign but have 10 lettermen returning and have built up from a standout sophomore outfit. The Orange and Black opened their campaign last week by *humbling the Alumni* 9-2 but had two scrimmages with the YMAC before that regularly scheduled tilt. St. Nick's lost an early lead to bow before the NY-ACers and then were blanked by a talented team from Yale.

However, the county representative has bolstered its roster to picking up Olympic flash Whitey Campbell, who is very familiar to Westchester hockey followers. Campbell flicked three goals into the West Point net last Saturday before the Army sext rallied to cop a 7-5 decision. With this definite improvement, the St. Nick's tonight's clash the turning point in their season.

Basketball

Professional

By The Associated Press

LAST NIGHT

National Association

New York 94, Minneapolis 84
Syracuse 97, Fort Wayne 83
Tri-City 73, Chicago 68
Washington 79, St. Louis 61
Philadelphia 73, Waterloo 70.

Schools

Saunders 46, Ossining 45
Sacred Heart 45, Cathedral 34

YMCA

Yonkers 77, Tarrytown 54.

Independent

Hackley 43, Concordia Prep 28
Iona Prep 41, Stepinac 45
Mt. Kisco 47, Blessed Sacrament 43
NYSD 46, Irvington 44.

NEW BASKETBALL RULE DISLIKED BY COACHES

PHILADELPHIA, (AP)—If the college basketball coaches have their way, this will be the first and last year for the rule that gives a team fouled both a free shot and possession of the ball in the last two minutes of play.

An Associated Press survey of many of the nation's ranking college mentors showed a decided disapproval of the rule put into effect this year with the hopes it would eliminate intentional fouling in the waning minutes of the game.

A much smaller group said it is too soon to pass final judgment on the rule. A few favored different interpretations of the rule.

Hockey At A Glance

By The Associated Press

LAST NIGHT

National League

Chicago 4, New York 3
Detroit 5, Boston 2
Montreal 2, Toronto 2 (tie)

American League

Buffalo 4, Providence 1
Cleveland 4, Pittsburgh 2
Hershey 1, Cincinnati 1 (tie)

Eastern League

Toledo 5, Grand Rapids 2.

Buzzing Bystanders Wonder About Braves-Giants Swap

NEW YORK, (AP)—Baseball's biggest transaction in years—the New York-Boston deal that involved upwards of a half million dollars in talent—had buzzing bystanders asking today:

"Who got the better of the trade, the Giants or the Braves?"

In a spectacular 11th-hour swap the Braves sent their double play combination of shortstop Alvin Dark and second baseman Eddie Stanky to the Giants in exchange for outfielders Sid Gordon, Willard Marshall, shortstop Buddy Kerr and pitcher Sam Webb.

This swap easily overshadowed three other big league trades, the most important of which sent St. Louis second baseman Gerry Priddy to Detroit for $100,000. The Browns acquired pitcher Lou Kretlow in addition to the huge bundle of cash.

Browns' Coffer Swelling

Priddy is also worth more than $200,000 to the Browns' exchequer since late Tuesday night Detroit paid out in excess of $100,000 plus four players from the Philadelphia Athletics for star third baseman, Bob Dillinger.

In a couple of other deals the Athletics traded third baseman Hank Majeski to the Chicago White Sox for relief pitcher Ed Klieman, and the St. Louis Cardinals reacquired outfielder Harry Walker in exchange for Dychasser Ron Northy and utility infielder Lou Klein. The Cards are to get another player, from the minors, at a future date.

Advocates of the fast-fielding, heady hit-and-run type of athlete think the Giants got the edge. They point out that despite the 169 home runs hit by the Gordon-Marshall duo during their five years with the club the Giants could finish no higher than third.

Both Teams Will Benefit

On the other hand, the Braves won a pennant and finished fourth in the last two years that Stanky and Dark played with them.

Actually the deal appears certain to up both clubs. Each unloaded a pair of unwanted athletes. The only reluctance involved was Giant Manager Leo Durocher's surrender of Gordon.

Dark and Stanky were ringleaders of the anti-Southworth clique that voted Manager Billy Southworth a half-share of Boston's fourth place World Series money in 1948.

Since the season's close, eight of the dissension-shot Braves have been disposed of—many of them malcontents. The eight are: Jeff Heath, Bill Voiselle, Marv Rickert, Bill Salkeld, Nelson Potter, Red Barrett, Darky and Stanky.

Durocher certainly will shed no tears over the departure of Kerr and Marshall — and vice versa. The fiery Giant skipper has maintained since practically the first day he took over the club that they were not his type of ball players.

BHS GRID SQUAD FETED TONIGHT

The Bellows Community Club will sponsor a "Football Banquet" tonight in Bellows High School's gymnasium in honor of the Panther 1949 gridders who distinguished themselves by compiling a record of five triumphs in eight games. The affair will get under way at 7:30 P. M. The fathers in the Rye Neck Community will run the ceremonies and more than 150 persons, including players, guests and Community Club members are expected to attend.

Edward A. Weissauer will serve as toastmaster for the event which has been arranged by Club Chairman William Stein and his committee.

Jack Fearon, who coached the East End team, and co-captains Ed Feldt and Don Anderson are in for individual commendation. This was the most successful season Fearon has had since he took the football directing reins three years ago.

Principal speakers are to be the Rev. Arnold Fenton, of St. Thomas' church, widely known as the "Punting Parson" and developer of All-American Charlie "Choo-Choo" Justice's kicking ability, and Coach Sonny Wendell, who captained a Bellows eleven and went on to become one of Westchester's most competent football coaches as well as president of the Mamaroneck Union Savings Bank.

Movies of Bellows games will be shown after the formal part of the event.

HUGUENOT 5 TACKLES GAELS ON MAS COURT

Fresh from last night's triumph over the Columbia Hosemen, the Gaels return to their Mamaroneck Avenue School home court tomorrow in an attempt to turn back the rough New Rochelle Hilltoppers. The huguenot quintet is to be the third MAS invader. No visiting team has taken the measure of the Gaels yet. The tap-off is slated for 8:15 P. M.

The local hoopmen will have their regular lineup of Alec Mitchell at center, Coach Gil Allen and Tinker Lord at the forwards with Al Pullian returning to his guard slot alongside Kenny Fountain. Pint Murray, scrappy forward, Clive Montaro, Stewart and Percy Potter will serve as subs and undoubtedly will see plenty of action.

The Hilltoppers will use George Starke, ex-New Rochelle High athlete, at center. Starke played end on the NYU grid variety this year and is touted as a tough man to handle in the bucket. Oliver Henry, out of Isaac Young High, *Ronn Taylor, former Albert* Leonard High star now at Delaware State, plus Nat Boyd, Joe Baggs, Elmer Jones, and Bud Spencer will all be used by Manager T. J. Boyd. With this aggregation the Hilltoppers have split two engagements in the New Rochelle Recreation League.

Monday night the lacals go back on the road, meeting the New Rochelle Trotters at 9 P.M. on the NRS hardwood. The Trotters are out in front in the Rec League and have lost only to Hastings this year.

Sports Calendar

TODAY

Football Banquet

Dinner honoring Bellows football team. Bellows gymnasium, 7:30 P. M.

Bowling

Larchmont Community League *matches, Larchmont Rec Center,* 8:30 P. M.

Aurora League matches, Mamaroneck Rec Center, 8:30 P. M.

American Club ladies matches, St. Thomas's Alleys, 8 P. M.

Basketball

Concordia Junior College at St. Basil's, Conn.

Ice Hockey

Playland Casino, Rye, St. Nick's vs Princeton, North Tarrytown vs Greenwich in high school preliminary, 6:45 P. M.

TOMORROW

Basketball

Hastings at Washington Irving.
Hackley School vs Faculty.
Elmsford at NYSD.
North Tarrytown at Ossining.
Yonkers Commerce at Dobbs Ferry.
Briarcliff at Bedford Hills.
Blessed Sacrament at New Rochelle.
St. Anne's at Mount St. Michael.
Stepinac at Nelson Union.
Mount Kisco at Ardsley.
St. Mary's Katonah at Haldane.
DeLaSalle at Iona Prep.
Katonah at Ridgefield.
Croton-Harmon at Bellows, 7:30 P. M.

Independent

Gaels vs New Rochelle Hilltoppers, Mamaroneck Avenue School, 8:15 P. M.

Bowling

Mamaroneck Community League matches, Mamaroneck Rec Center, 8:30 P. M.

Larchmont Ladies League matches, Larchmont Rec Center, 8 P. M.

Fight Results

By The Associated Press

MIAMI, Fla.—Humberto Sierra, 123½, Havana, outpointed Guillermo Gimnia, 124½, Argentina, 10.

NEW YORK—Fausto Poudon, 146½, St. Catherine's, Ont., stopped Al Hersh, 146½, New York, 6.

PHOENIX, Ariz. — Houston Brown, 128½, Cleveland, knocked out Billy Meyers, 128, Los Angeles, 6.

WATERBURY, Conn. — Vic Cardell, 147, Hartford, outpointed Vic Costa, 148, New York.

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The Weather

Fair and cold tonight, low 12 to 16. Fair tomorrow with rising temperatures, high in mid-40s. Light variable winds. High tides today at 8:19 P. M.; tomorrow at 8:38 A. M. and 9:22 P. M.

Combing The Town

Dead Ringer

Larchmonters may recognize themselves in Phyllis McGinley's feature article, "Suburbia, Of Thee I Sing," a five-page panegyric on life in the typical suburban community of "Spruce Manor," which appears in the December issue of Harper's Magazine.

"Spruce Manor is such a dead ringer for Larchmont a stranger could use the article for a guide-book by changing a name here and there.

The reason for that may be that Miss McGinley, otherwise known as Mrs. Charles Hayden, lives in Larchmont at 12 Hazel Lane.

She is a frequent contributor of verse to The New Yorker magazine and the author of several volumes of verse.

Her "Spruce Manor" article is a vigorous defense of the suburban life and a hat-in-the-ring to sophisticates who scorn it as a colorless and demoralizing compromise between city and country living.

Plane Commander

Ensign Austin L. Zicht, son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin F. Zicht, formerly of 54 Edgewood Avenue, Larchmont, has been designated patrol plane commander, USN, and may now take a naval patrol plane into ports anywhere in the world, an announcement from the Norfolk, Va., Naval Air Station revealed this morning.

Ensign Zicht was graduated from Mamaroneck High School in 1945, attended Drew University, Stevens Institute and Montclair State Teachers College, N.J. under the Navy's V-5 program. He received his wings and ensign's commission in 1948, after two years of flight training at various bases.

He is stationed at the Virginia base and is a member of Patrol Squadron Forty Nine, a Martin "Flying Boat" unit that won the Battle Efficiency Pennant in 1948 and 1949.

King's English

Miss George Ann Crabtree, formerly of West Brookside Drive, Larchmont, will come home with a touch of the King's English when she returns from England two years from now, according to an article that appeared in the London "News Chronicle."

According to the news-story, "that American accent" is fast disappearing after two months at the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art in London where Miss Crabtree is studying on a Kinsman Trust grant, a fund founded to express British gratitude to the U. S. for taking in English children during the war.

Miss Crabtree, who entered theatrical life as a dancer and drifted into repertory work, will receive a grounding in Shakespeare and the Classics.

She was graduated in 1947 from Mamaroneck High School where she was active in dramatics.

Foot in Wrong Door

One thing about a door-to-door salesman, he doesn't know at whose door he is knocking.

This became clear yesterday to Charles LaFontaine, nineteen, of Watertown, N. Y., who persisted in trying to advance his foot farther through the door of Mr. Merman Pauls's home at 210 Sand Street. He badgered Mrs. Pauls about buying some magazines until she decided to call her husband.

The distress signal brought Lt. Herman Pauls home from police headquarters to book the obstreperous salesman on charges of illegal intrusion into a home.

Released on $25 bail, LaFontaine, a no-doubt sadder and wiser salesman by now, will appear in Mamaroneck Police Court Monday to answer charges.

Glee Club to Sing

The Mamaroneck Glee Club will present a program of Christmas carols for the patients of Grasslands Hospital at 2 P. M. Sunday.

The numbers will be "Christmas Hymn" by Hugo Jungst, "Silent Night" by Gruber, "The First Noel," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "Joy to the World." This is the first formal engagement for the singing group since its inception earlier this Fall.

Rehearsal for the program will be held tonight in the Daniel Warren School auditorium where the club holds its regular meetings.

Coats Switched

It's bad enough from a standpoint of pride for a woman to find another woman wearing an identical coat, but at the Mamaroneck Woman's Club this week is proved downright inconvenient.

Two full-length, black persian lamb coats, each bearing a Franklin Simon label, were checked in the same room at the club, and as a result one woman with sleeves too short for her arms is on the lookout for a woman with arms too short for her sleeves.

Doubly Pure

Spiritually, of course, the basement of St. Thomas's Church parish house has been pure from some time but recently the church fathers took action to insure its purity from any standpoint.

Two vaporizers, similar to those used in Army barracks and schools for destroying bacteria and viruses, have been installed to protect the children of the church school.

Water Use Cut On 'Dry Friday'; 13% Drop Shown

Drop Over Last Friday Put at 26 Per Cent, Engineer Says

NEW YORK, (AP) — New York's super-effort to save water on this "Dry Friday" in an all-out one-day demonstration appeared to be paying off in a big way today.

Edward J. Clark, chief city water engineer, announced jubilantly that the flow from the metropolis' principal reservoir at 8 A. M. showed a 26 per cent decline from last Friday and a 13 per cent drop from yesterday.

Water Commissioner Stephen J. Carney commented that "the indication at this time is that New York City is going to make history with the water holiday."

There were widely varying estimates of the success of one of the "Dry Friday" admonitions — the request to all men not to shave.

One observer thought about one male in four he saw had a stubbly face. Others said the percentage was lower. It apparently depended on where you were, and possibly on how many out-of-the city

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CHAMBER URGES YULE BILL HELP

Washingtonville Aid Sought To Stem Possible Deficit Of $4,300

The cost of the Christmas street lighting program for 1948 and 1949, sponsored by the Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce, was explained in detail last night to the special committee on street light collections of the G. I. Civic Association in their club rooms by Leonard P. Chase, Chamber president, and Arthur Dunn Jr., executive secretary. Most of the collection teams were present and Joseph Dalfonso, Civic Association president, presided at the meeting.

Mr. Dunn explained that the cost of the street lighting program in 1948 was $4,800 of which only $2,000 was collected. That year, he pointed out, 120 plaques were purchased and the necessary wiring, cross arms, bulbs and switches were erected. It was hoped, he said, that the plaques would prove satisfactory and that future purchases would be necessary only to augment the plaques purchased at that time.

However, he continued, many of the merchants complained that the plaques did not give enough light so the directors of the Chamber decided to purchase the lighted Christmas trees at a cost of $2,250. The total cost this year is expected to reach $3,500, including labor of erecting the displays and additional electricity consumed.

The total outlay by the Chamber for the two years will reach $8,300, Mr. Dunn pointed out, and if the contributions this year are no better than last year, the Chamber will still have an investment of its own of $4,300.

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3 DOGS AT LARGE COST OWNERS $1

Hornidge Levies First Fines In Current Enforcement Campaign

The first summonses issued by Mamaroneck policemen in the current enforcement drive of the village's ordinance against unleashed or unmuzzled dogs resulted today in $1 fines to three residents in Mamaroneck Police Court.

Fined were Mrs. Felix Dufault of 1324 Pine Knoll Lane, Mrs. Alma Chaite of 1422 Arlington Street and Joseph Smith of 795 River Street.

Stanley Bonderenko of New Rochelle was fined $25 by Judge Henry T. Hornidge for speeding at 68 miles per hour along the Boston Post Road. Paying $10 each for speeding were George Harold of New York City and Charles Heinzer, III of Glenbrook, Conn.

Bernard Berner of Port Chester paid fines of $2 and $3 for two separate violations of the overtime parking restriction while Mrs. Beatrice Montanye of 942 Taylors Lane, Mrs. Ethyl Franklin of 915 Orienta Avenue, and Jules Spiegel of 116 Mamaroneck Avenue, all of Mamaroneck, were fined $2 for overtime parking.

WINFIELD SLATED TO ADDRESS CLUB

Mamaroneck University Men To Hear Talk Tuesday On China's Problems

Dr. Gerald F. Winfield of Mamaroneck, promotional secretary of the United Board of China Christian Colleges and author of "China, the Land and the People," will be the speaker at 7:15 P. M. Tuesday at a meeting of the Mamaroneck University Club at the Greenhaven Inn. His talk is entitled "China, Its Unchanging Problems."

A veteran of 13 years in China, Dr. Winfield has served as director of the department of biology at Cheeloo University, Santung Province, and during the war years as director of United Nations Picture News Service in Chungking under the OWI.

Last Summer Dr. Winfield returned to China and worked for four months with the Joint Commission for Rural Reconstruction, preparing material and equipment for visual aids to help educate the people.

Dr. Winfield was born and reared near Dallas and was graduated from Southern Methodist University. He took his doctorate in hygiene at Johns Hopkins University and first went to China in 1932.

He has been a resident of Mamaroneck for four years and lives at 518 Walnut Street.

THE FIRST ANNUAL football banquet, sponsored by the Bellows Community Club, was held last night in the BHS gymnasium. Four notables who attended are shown above, prior to the start of festivities. They are (left to right) Rev. Arnold Fenton, famed punting expert who was one of the principal speakers; Toastmaster Edward A. Weissauer, Superintendent of Rye Neck Schools Alvin W. Hicks and William C. McAloon, principal of Bellows High School. Gabriel Wendel, '21 graduate of the East End school, gave the other featured address. (Story on Page 12.)

—Staff Photo

FOUR FATHERS presented eagle badges to their sons, all Larchmont scouts, at a court of honor last night at the Mamaroneck Junior High School. Pictured from left to right are John Moorehead, Thomas Moorehead, Alan Welty, Alan Welty Jr., William Dixon Jr., William Dixon, Donald Dickerman Jr. and Donald Dickerman

—Staff Photo

Yerick Reverses 25 Years As Chief Of Town Police

CHIEF PAUL A. YERICK

Chief Paul A. Yerick of the Town of Mamaroneck Police, today completes his 25th year of service with the department.

Appointed a patrolman Dec. 16, 1924, Chief Yerick is the first chief of police to have completed a quarter-century of service in the Town of Mamaroneck. He is also the first chief to receive an appointment as a result of a competitive Civil Service examination for the Town Police Department. He took the test July 16, 1955.

On May 15, 1927, he was appointed sergeant as one of the first two men to hold that rank in the town department.

Chief Yerick resides at 93 Laurel Avenue, Larchmont, with his wife, the former Mary Callaghan of Hudson, New York. They have three sons, Charles E., a senior at the University of Niagara; John F., a sophomore at the same university; Paul A. Jr., a junior at the Blessed Sacrament High School, New Rochelle and a daughter, Margaret C., who is in the fifth grade at St. Augustine's School in Larchmont.

Commenting on some highlights of his quarter-century with the department, Chief Yerick declared this morning that one of the most gratifying aspects of the work has been "being in a position to give some of these wild teen-agers another chance."

"I've seen a lot of them grow up into men and women who were invaluable assets to their country, back in the war, and, later on, in time of peace as well," the Chief said.

"I've had a few laughs, and

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Proclamation Sets Sunday As 'Sing' Day

Mayor B. J. Santoro today designated Sunday as "Community Sing Day" in a proclamation encouraging residents to attend the annual Sing in front of the Municipal Building at 6:15 P. M.

Sponsored by the Mamaroneck Chamber of Commerce, the Community Sing will feature choral groups from local churches, schools and the Mamaroneck Women's Club.

The Mayor's proclamation follows: "Our annual Community Sing will be held on Sunday, Dec. 18, 1949, at 6:15 P. M. around the Christmas tree on the Municipal lawn.

"Once again many of our citizens will gather and join in group singing of holiday carols so symbolic of peace on earth and good will to all.

"It is indeed gratifying to see that each year an ever-increasing number participate in this expression of Christmas spirit.

"That we may join again on this most happy occasion, I, Battista J. Santoro, mayor of the friendly village of Mamaroneck, proclaim Sunday Community Sing Day."

COURT DOCKETS LIGHT IN TOWN AND VILLAGE

Police Courts in Larchmont and the Town of Mamaroneck had light dockets last night, with no charges except on parking violations heard by Acting Larchmont Magistrate J. F. Gagliardi, and Town Police Judge Munn Brewer.

In the village, parking offenses cost Florence Sember of New Rochelle $3, Salvatore La Pero of New Rochelle, $2, and Edgar J. Greene of Tarrytown, $1; and in the Town parking fines of $2 each were paid by Elmer Ramson Jr., of New York City, David W. Palmland of New Rochelle, Kathleen Foley of Butler, N. J., Robert Robinson of 308 Richbell Road, Mamaroneck, Charles A. Baker of Seacliff, L. I., Cathryn Rutherford of 3 North Chatsworth Avenue, Larchmont; Rose Caruso of Alden House Apartments, Larchmont; Nicos C. Los of 14 Wildwood Circle, Larchmont; Fred Herrmann of 212 Richbell Road, Mamaroneck; William A. Maguire of New York City; Carletto Pranzoni of 79 Pine Brook Lane, Larchmont; John Robinson of New Rochelle, and Theresa Humphrey of 433 Boston Post Road, Larchmont.

Thomas A. Batman of Larchmont Acres paid three $2 parking fines due from Sept. 27, Nov. 1, and Nov. 18, bringing the total in parking fines to $32.

SCOUTS AWARDED 4 EAGLE BADGES

Larchmont Court Of Honor Held At Junior High School

Four Larchmont Scouts, the largest number in recent years, last night were awarded eagle badges, scouting's highest rank, at a Court of Honor at the Mamaroneck Junior High School.

They were Donald Dickerman, Troop 7, William Dixon, Thomas Moorehead and Alan Welty, all of Troop 8. Roy J. Keller, chairman of Larchmont scouting, conducted the Court of Honor and the boys' fathers presented the eagle awards.

As a result of earning five merit badges, nine Scouts were advanced to star rank. They were Robert Rosenbaum, Theodore Vaughn, Dixon Lang, Joseph Miller, Barry Holt, Donald Martin, Robert Neville, Richard Stewart and David Neville. Tom Connolly and Allen Torut received life rank.

Troop 8 won the Court of Honor advancement flag for having the highest number of points awarded in rank advancement and merit badge work.

At the conclusion of the Court of Honor a rally of scouting skills was held. Events included knot tying, won by Troop 8; first aid, won by Troop 3 and 6; signalling, won by Troop 8; ice rescue, won by Troop 8; and pyramid building, won by Troop 2. Accumulated points for the rally gave first place to Troop 8, second place to Troop 6, third place to Troop 2.

The following Scouts won merit badges and were advanced in rank:

Troop 2—Bruce Baum, First Class; Life Saving, Leathercraft, Athletics, Swimming, Basketry, Rowing; Don Burkhardt, Forestry.

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Columbia to Entertain Rye Neck Youngsters

Children of Columbia Hose Company's fire district in Rye Neck will be the guests of the firefighters at their Barry Avenue firehouse Sunday at 2 P. M. when they stage their annual Christmas party.

Santa Claus will distribute gifts and the children will be entertained with movies.

Chanukah Observance

Confirmation and Hebrew classes of the Larchmont Temple Religious School will take part in services tonight at the Temple in observance of Chanukah, the Feast of the Maccabees. Rabbi Leonard Schofer will conduct the service, and Cantor Joseph Portnoy and the choir will offer a special musical program.

Church's Birthday Coincides With Annual Yule Service

The Mamaroneck Methodist Church will holds its seventh annual candlelight service Sunday at 5 P. M. with a violin soloist and the junior and senior choirs participating. The occasion coincides with the 90th anniversary of the present church building.

Beginning the service will be the organ prelude, "Silent Night," arranged by Philip Kreckie. It will be followed by the lighting of candles by members of the girls' choral, the call to worship, and the singing of the processional hymn, "Joy to the World."

Sol Nemkov is the violin soloist who will play "Melodie" by Gluck and "Ave Marie" by Bach-Gounod, in addition to playing the accompaniment to the offertory solo, "In a Manger Lowly," which will be sung by Mrs. Helen Marshall Woodward.

Senior choir selections are "Slumber Song of the Infant Jesus" by Gevaert, "I Wonder As I Wander" by J. J. Niles, and "What Can This Mean?" by P. Broadus Staley. The Junior Choir will sing "Jesus in the Manger," an old Polish melody, and "Birthday of a King" by Neidlinger.

The recessional hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful," and the organ postlude, "The Shepherd's Carol" by Fred Chubb will close the program.

The Christmas story will be read by the Rev. Asbury G. E. Stromberg.

Oil-Fed Blaze Ravages Office At Gas Station

Spectacular Larchmont Fire Causes $3,300 Damage

Larchmont's second serious fire within a month gutted the front office of the Free Parking Service Station at Palmer and Chatsworth Avenues shortly after midnight this morning, causing damage estimated at $3,300 to stored merchandise and the interior of the office which was totally demolished. Patrolman Louis Turco discovered the fire while he was patrolling his beat.

Larchmont firemen battled the blaze for an hour and a half using 40 gallons of chemical extinguisher and water from two hydrants before bringing it under control. They worked against a lurid background of flames that leaped out of every window in the office and illuminated the whole northeastern section of the village as drums and tins of oil, grease and anti-freeze exploded in the intense heat and shot geysers of flame into the air.

Residents said this morning they thought the whole town was on fire when they awoke to the reddish glow playing on walls and ceilings.

An additional hazard developed shortly after 1 A. M. when the spray and runoff from the hoses froze in sheets on the road, creating a serious driving hazard, and making it difficult to move equipment. Larchmont police summoned a sand truck from the village yard which soon remedied the difficulty.

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K. OF C. TO HEAR N. R. PROFESSOR

Carlo To Speak At Breakfast Following Communion Sunday

William E. Carlo, professor of philosophy at New Rochelle College, will be the featured speaker Sunday at the annual Christmas communion breakfast of Mamaroneck Council No. 2247, Knights of Columbus, in St. Augustine's School auditorium following 8 A. M. Mass. His subject will be "The Reality of the Immaterial."

Mr. Carlo, who received his master's degree and doctorate from the University of Toronto, is also the recipient of an L.M.S. degree from the Pontifical Institute of Medieval Studies, which covers the entire range of medieval culture including theology, philosophy, history, Canon law, literature, Christian worship, art and architecture. The degree was conferred by Pope Pius XII.

Prior to assuming his duties at New Rochelle College, Dr. Carlo taught at Manhattan University, Iona College and Xavier University, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville of the Town of Mamaroneck will serve as toastmaster for the breakfast. John H. Kirvin is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements, assisted by Paul F. Rigano, James V. Smith, James McDonnell, Jr., Anthony Lanza, Edward O'Reilly and Anthony Ruzzo.

Firemen Plan Annual Party For Children

Four companies of the Mamaroneck Fire Department will stage their annual Christmas party for Mamaroneck youngsters Thursday from 10 A. M. to noon at the Mamaroneck Playhouse.

Features of the program will be an hour of cartoons, a magic act and a puppet show. Each child will receive a gift, candy, fruit and nuts.

The party is also designed to accommodate any crippled youngsters of the village whose transportation to and from The Playhouse may be arranged by calling Mamaroneck 9-2400 and asking for the Chief of the Fire Department.

Chairman of the party is 1st Assistant Chief John Lombard. Company representatives on the committee are Phillip Kuritzky of Hook and Ladder Company, William Cruickshank of Mamaroneck Engine and Hose Company, Hugh Grace of Columbia Engine and Hose Company and William Lemon of Halstead Manor Hose Company.

BALDWIN RESIGNS AS BANK TRUSTEE

The resignation of George Baldwin as vice president and trustee of the Mamaroneck Union Savings Bank was announced this week, following a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the institution.

Mr. Baldwin has been a member since 1936 and has served as vice president since 1947.

The vacancy in addition to one created by the resignation of Howard Smith, Nov. 12, will be considered at the annual meeting of the bank Jan. 10.

$2 MILLION SUIT FILED OVER RIOTS

Robeson, Others Name Two Veteran Units, County Officials, Police

County officials, State Police and two veterans organizations are named as defendants in the $2 million damage suit filed in Federal Court yesterday by singer Paul Robeson and 27 others.

The suit asks judgments for damages ranging from $10,000 to $200,000 for alleged personal injuries, assault, and deprivation of civil rights when a disturbance prevented the singer's appearance at a rally near Peekskill several months ago.

Among the defendants named are District Attorney George M. Fanelli, Sheriff Frank W. Bunce, the Veterans Joint Council, the Associated Veterans Council, Superintendent of State Police John A. Gaffney, and Herbert C. Gerlach, Westchester County Executive.

The suit also asked that the defendants and their officers, agents and employes be forever enjoined from "further conspiring and interfering with plaintiffs and others who hereafter may peaceably assemble in the county

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Small Want Ad Sells Snow Tires Quickly

Mrs. Albert B. Dorr (above) of 6 Maple Hill Drive, Larchmont, had two snow tires for which she had no further use. She placed a small ad in the Miscellaneous For Sale Column on The Daily Times Classified Page on Dec. 7.

It took only one call to sell both tires.

You, too, can dispose of unwanted things now cluttering up your home by a small-cost Want Ad in The Daily Times. It's an easy way to make money.

Simply call Mam'k 9-2100.

THE CHRISTMAS STORY is re-enacted above by nursery and kindergarten youngsters of the Orienta School, Mamaroneck, where a varied program of Christmas activities is conducted daily under the supervision of Evelyn O. Tyler, educational director. Pictured, left to right, are Michael Hurley, Patricia Henton, Barbara White and Curtis Anderson. The manger was built by pupils who collected straw on trips to the beach. —Staff Photo

Pupils Present Nativity Play In Pantomime

"The Small One", narrated by Bing Crosby, was presented as a Christmas Nativity play in pantomime this afternoon in the Murray Avenue School auditorium by members of the sixth grade.

The cast included Penny Hendon, Martin Carnoy, John Leggette, Dick Ehrenberg, Dennis Vance, James Herring, George Carroll, Laurel Brown, Archer Brown, Gilbert Merende, Herbert Baumgartner, Kenneth Duluh, Mickey Gershen, Carol Davidson, Marion Dearnley, Ann Murray, Jean Stratton, Howard Califano, Joseph Fanelli, Rhett Mitchell, Wright Smith, Beatrice Bloch, Emily Cathcart, Kurt Fleischman, Bill Pollock, Bob Zavell, Robert Marcato, John Merende, and Wayne Smith.

A program of Christmas music followed, sung by the sixth grade choir. Selections were a processional, "O Sanctissima"; "Joy to the World", (Handel); "Cantique Noel", (Adam), sung by Richard Vanderbilt, Jon Rehenberg, John Pierce, and Bob Kaufman; "Old English Wassail Song", sung by Graham Best, Duncan O'Dwyer, Donald Button, Steve Huff, Sara La Brande, Ann Gingrich, Gwen Tienken, Betty Staropoli; "Nazareth", (Gounod); Lo, How A Rose E'er Blooming", (Praetorius); "Birthday of a King", (Neidlinger) sung by Sandra Germont, Murjel Benheim and Kay Eagan; "Silent Night; and "Adeste Fideles," (Portogallo).

Day Nursery Pupils Prepare For Holidays

A varied program of Christmas activities designed to foster participation of pupils in preparation for the holidays is being conducted daily at the Orienta School, Mamaroneck, under the supervision of Evelyn O. Tyler, educational director for the nursery and kindergarten school.

Activities included in the program are the telling and re-telling of the Christmas story in its simplest form, with dramatizations by students of the characters, and the singing of Christmas music.

Pupils learn the use of creche figures in dramatized play, and in addition to the Christmas story, play the roles of other familiar characters, including Santa Claus and reindeer. Each day they trim and untrim the Christmas tree, and make simple tree ornaments and gifts for parents.

Children who remain all day at the school are also engaged in cooking Christmas delicacies such as popcorn balls and cookies. The Christmas recess begins Friday, Dec. 23, and the school will reopen Monday, Jan. 2.

Jan. 17 Luncheon Bridge Slated at St. Thomas's

A donation luncheon and bridge will be held Jan. 17 at St. Thomas's parish house, it was announced last night by Mrs. Philip Corbett who presided at a meeting of Henrietta Constable Chapter of the church at the parish house.

A Christmas party followed the meeting, with games, refreshments and an exchange of gifts. Hostesses were Mrs. Aylmer Hatch, Mrs. Dominick Santomenna and Mrs. Russel Pelton.

CHRISTMAS RECESS

Miss Patty Mann of Mamaroneck returned home today from Mary Baldwin College, Staunton, Va., to spend the Christmas recess with her parents, Trustee and Mrs. Ralph H. Mann of 231 South Barry Avenue, Mamaroneck. A sophomore, and member of the college Glee Club, she took part recently in a recital at Charlottesville and Staunton. She is also a member of the swimming team which won the inter-class swimming meet last week.

CNR Theology Talks Continue Tonight

"Profile for Divine Personality" will be discussed by the Rev. Walter Dominic Hughes, O.P., S.T.D., professor of moral and mystical theology at the Dominican House of Studies, Catholic University, during the fifth of a series of 15 lectures on "Theology for the Laity" at 8:30 this evening in Chidwick Auditorium, College of New Rochelle.

The lectures are held under the auspices of Westchester Chapter, CNR Alumnae Association, and are open to the public. Mrs. Vincent A. Tarent of Mount Vernon and Miss Margaret Ponzo of Bronxville are chairmen. An open discussion period will follow the talk.

Religious School Group Marks Holiday Sunday

Chanukah parties for 250 pupils of the Larchmont Temple Religious School will be held Sunday morning at the Temple, 75 Larchmont Avenue, with a program of entertainment based on the Feast of the Maccabees, planned by the faculty and Parent-Teacher Council, headed by Mrs. Mortimer Reznick and Mrs. Harold Sporn. Refreshments will be served.

Services will be conducted by Rabbi Leonard Schofer, followed by a film entitled "The Story of Chanukah". All elective groups in the school will participate in the program of folk singing and dancing and choral singing. Decorations have been made by arts and crafts classes and a special issue of "Temple Chatter", school paper, will be published. Mrs. Jerome Adler, principal, has announced James Horkheimer as winner of the contest to name the paper.

WAGNER COLLEGE PLAYERS

Miss Diana Stroh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Stroh, 2 Carroll Place, Larchmont, has been inducted into membership in the Wagner College Varsity Players. Miss Stroh attended Endicott Junior College before coming to Wagner. She is a graduate of Mamaroneck High School.

CORNELL DRAMATIC CLUB

Miss Nancy Guttman of 10 Mayhew Avenue, Larchmont, has been elected an associate member of the Cornell University Dramatic Club. A graduate of Mamaroneck High School, Miss Guttman is a member of the Class of 1952 at Cornell.

Miss Hickey Dinner Guest Preceding Ball

Miss Nan Hickey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Mace Hickey of 10 Dogwood Lane, Larchmont, will be among the guests Monday at a dinner party which Mr. and Mrs. John Regan of Sutton Place, New York, will give for their daughter Joan Regan, preceding the Debutante Cotillion and Christmas ball at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Miss Hickey will be presented to society Jan. 2 at the New Year's Ball at the Waldorf. Other Larchmonters making their bows at the New Year's Ball will be Miss Catherine Ann Keogh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keogh of 48 Prospect Avenue, and Miss Vera Anne van der Reis daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marten van der Reis of 22 Dante Street, who will also attend the Debutante Cotillion Monday.

The Christmas event, sponsored by a perfume house, aids the New York Infirmary. Many dinner parties will precede the party in the Starlight Roof of the hotel.

Miss Carroll Is Bride Of Allen Greer

Miss Nancy Carroll, daughter of Mrs. John James Carroll of Albee Court, Larchmont, and the late Mr. Carroll, was married yesterday afternoon in St. Augustine's Church, Larchmont, to Allen W. Greer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen C. Greer of Indianapolis. Rev. Joseph Blake performed the 4 o'clock ceremony with only immediate members of the families present.

The bride attended Rosemary Hall, Greenwich, Conn., and is a senior at Radcliffe College. Mr. Greer was graduated from Harvard University in 1946. He served with the infantry in Europe and is on the faculty of Mercersburg (Pa.) Academy.

Red Cross Workroom Open Jan. 11 and 18

The Production Service workroom of the Larchmont Branch, American Red Cross, will be open Jan. 11 and 18 at St. John's Episcopal Church parish house for sewing on layettes and on garments for hospital veterans. Mrs. Frederick E. Liptrott is chairman.

The final meeting of the 1949 season was held there Wednesday under Mrs. Liptrott's supervision, with refreshments served at noon by Mrs. Walter C. Reich, canteen chairman, and her committee.

Lord Kitchener Unit Yule Party on Monday

The Christmas party of the Lord Kitchener Chapter, Daughters of the British Empire, will be held at 2 P. M. Monday at the home of Mrs. Charles Brooke, 73 Kimbury Road, New Rochelle. Hostesses for the party are Mrs. Brooke, Mrs. August J. Buck and Mrs. R. C. Fernandez.

Mrs. Frederick J. Taggart, president of the Victoria Home, will be guest of honor.

St. Monica's Guild Sets Christmas Holy Hour

The Rev. James Glynn, C. M., member of the Miraculous Medal Mission Group, will conduct a Christmas Holy Hour Monday at 1:30 P. M. in St. Augustine's Church for members and guests of St. Monica's Guild. A special holiday tea will follow in the auditorium.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

Winners in a duplicate contract bridge tournament held Wednesday by the University Club of Larchmont at the Larchmont Yacht Club were North-South, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holt, first; Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Moynahan, second, and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Cowing, third; East-West, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Burgess, first; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Eads, second, and Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Ernst third.

Penwomen To Give Painting To White House Art Gallery

Alice Norton Nager of Larchmont, president of Westchester Chapter, National League of American Penwomen, Inc. and Calla Lukes, of New York City, formerly of Larchmont, cofounder of the chapter, were guests at last night's fellowship dinner honoring Casimir Stapko, artist, and Mrs. J. Harlan Amen, daughter of President and Mrs. Grover Cleveland. The event marked the commissioning of Mr. Stapko to paint a copy of the Zorn portrait of Frances Folsom Cleveland for inclusion in the White House Art collection of portraits of the wives of presidents of the United States.

Appolonia H. Cassidy was chairman of the dinner sponsored by the Manhattan Branch in the National Arts Club, New York City. She is Americana chairman of the branch.

The project of adding Mrs. Cleveland's portrait to the White House collection has the approval of the Fine Arts Commission, the National Art Gallery, Washington, D. C., and the National League of American Penwomen, Inc. who are working with Miss Cassidy for the presentation of the gift painting. The original Zorn painting is in the possession of Mrs. Amen who spoke briefly last night in appreciation of the League's project.

The Westchester Chapter of the League, organized only a year ago, is among the supporters of the activity.

Other guests included Percy MacKaye, author and poet, son of the late Steele MacKaye, famous theatrical figure who appeared before President Cleveland and with his approval presented the drama "Paul Pauver", nationally, to raise funds for the gift by the American people of a Washington equestrian statue to France. Mr. MacKaye read from his volume "Epoch", an account of his father's life and times. His latest volume which sells for $100 a copy is "The Mystery of Hamlet, the King of Denmark".

Edwin H. Denby, architect, author, artist, and the designer of the Denby Type described the latter. Liboria Romano, essayist, and president of the Manhattan Chapter, welcomed the guests who included Madeline Mason, poet, and close friend of the Franklin D. Roosevelts, who read several of her verses; J. W. McSpadden, author of books and musical comedies, who gave personality glimpses of all the White House First Ladies, including Mrs. Cleveland who was renowned for her beauty and charm.

A lettered parchment scroll will be presented to President Truman together with the portrait at the biennial convention of the National League next April.

Six Collegians Take Part In Church Ritual

A group of six college students, home for the Christmas vacation, will participate in the service Sunday at St. John's Lutheran Church, Mamaroneck.

Participants will include Marcelle Moore, Wagner College '51, daughter of Mrs. Arthur Moore of 65 Franklin Avenue, Mamaroneck, and the late Mr. Moore, president of the Student Christian Association and member of the College Choir; Arthur Henne, Muhlenberg College '53, son of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Henne of 249 Melbourne Avenue, Mamaroneck; Inge Hansen, Skidmore '50, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Hansen of Port Chester.

Henry R. Westphal, Pace Institute '52, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Westphal of 829 West Boston Post Road, Mamaroneck; Stephen P. Ketterer, Colgate '52, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Ketterer of Rye, and Solveig Johannsen, Northfield '50, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johannsen of Port Chester.

About 15 new members will be received into the church. The Rev. William Fairman will deliver a sermon entitled "Burning Zeal".

Students Give Program For County Home

A program of Christmas carols and songs was given yesterday by 29 members of the Windward School Glee Club for aged residents of the County Home in White Plains under the supervision of Mrs. Milton Heimlich of Larchmont, director of music at the White Plains school.

Local students taking part were Everett Jones, Lynn Holding, Roger Buck, Gordon Biggar, and Fulton Harrell, all of Larchmont, and Howard McMichael of Mamaroneck.

The program, which is part of the children's service activities for the holiday season, included "Silent Night," "Master's in This Hall," "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen," "Oh Thou Joyful Day," and "Dona Nobis."

Cinderella Club Holds Annual Holiday Party

The annual Christmas party of the Cinderella Club was held last night at the home of Mrs. Henry Glinsmann of 209 West Street, Mamaroneck, with Mrs. Edward Dean of Port Chester and Mrs. Thomas McCafferty of Greenwich, Conn., assisting the hostess.

Features were an exchange of Christmas gifts by members, a Christmas tree and table decorations. The event also celebrated the birthday anniversary which Mrs. John Nigro of Greenwich will observe Dec. 24.

VISIT PLANETARIUM

Two fourth grade classes at the Chatsworth School went to New York yesterday to tour the television studios at Radio City and see the skating rink and Christmas tree. In the afternoon they visited the Hayden Planetarium, attending the show, "The Christmas Star". The group was accompanied by their teachers, Mrs. Louise Hood and Miss Xenia Miller. Mothers assisting were Mrs. Walter Beline and Mrs. Barney Langman. The trip was arranged with the cooperation of Mrs. Raphael Elias, chairman of the P.T.A. visual education committee.

J. T. Murphys To Reside In Mamaroneck

Mr. and Mrs. James Terence Murphy Jr., who were married recently in Mamaroneck, will make their home at 605 Jefferson Avenue, Mamaroneck, on their return from a wedding trip.

The bride is the former Laura Ann De Baun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pierre De Baun of 120 Soundview Avenue, Mamaroneck. Mr. Murphy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Murphy of 136 Harmon Drive, Larchmont, formerly of 522 Carroll Avenue, Mamaroneck.

The ceremony took place Dec. 11 at Holy Trinity Church and a reception for the family and wedding party followed at the De Baun home. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, had her sister, Druscilla, as maid of honor. William Hornidge of Mamaroneck was best man and ushers were Douglas Soper of Mamaroneck and Joseph De Baun of Woodmere, L. I., uncle of the bride.

Mrs. Murphy is a graduate of Bellows High School and the Berkeley School. Her husband, also a Bellows graduate, attended Iona College and served with the Army Air Corps during the war.

MRS. JAMES T. MURPHY Jr. —Gallaher Studio

ORIENTA BEACH CLUB ladies' advisory committee members are pictured above at a table of holiday decorations at yesterday's Christmas luncheon and bridge attended by 300 members and guests. Left to right are Mrs. Merrill Compton of Mamaroneck, chairman; Mrs. Fred E. Schmehl of White Plains, co-chairman; Mrs. F. Earl Suits of White Plains and Mrs. William J. Nolan of New Rochelle. —Staff Photo

Musical Play Presented At Central School

"Christmas Comes to Mr. Melody's Music Store", was the title of the program presented this afternoon by fifth and sixth grade pupils of Central School for parents and students in the auditorium.

The musical play was written by students, under the direction of Mrs. Mabel Chapman, assisted by Mrs. Helen Horn and Mrs. Clara O'Callaghan, with the stage setting directed by Theodore Badura, art teacher at the school.

The program closed with a group of seven Christmas carols and songs sung by the Central School Choir, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Caryl MacDonald. Jane Howard was announcer.

Students taking part in the production were Douglas Winnek, Susan Mayrose, Stanley Messinger, John Laguardia, John Franklin, Joseph Lauter, Esther Greenleigh, Geraldine Faiola, Eleanor Washington, Eleanor Dockerill, Alice Baker, Michael Corbett, Phyllis Krisanda and Leo Greer.

Members of the band were Jack Rosenthal, Robert Peterson, John Kraft, Martin McNeil, Lex Scott, Robert Fabia, and Richard Pierson. Taking part in a "Hansel and Gretel" dance were Jean Joyner, Joan Hammell, Betty Ann Demas, Marguerite Garito, Jack Baxter, Richard Downs, Louis Lopreato and Jeffrey Howard.

Lynn Rigano presented an acrobatic dance, and students participating in a scene entitled "Joseph Dearest With Guitar," were Anne Davidge, Rose Franco, Thomas Bonacci and Paul Schopfer.

A "Jingle Bell" dance was presented by Patsy Harper, Rosemary MacNamara, Ruth Corti, Linda Finson, Sara Jean Holly and Anthony Garofola, with Gilbert Campbell and Paul Schopfer as water boys. Appearing in the "Hop Scotch Polka" were Dolores Freely, Geraldine Faiola, Esther Greenleigh, Phyllis Krisanda, Peggy Schropp, Douglas Winnek, Robert Jenks, Dianne Schreiber, Leo Greer and Michael Corbett.

Selections by the choir included "O Sanctissima", "Adeste Fideles", "The Shepherd's Story," "I Wonder as I Wander," "Bring Your Torches, Jeannette Isabella," "O Holy Night," and "Birthday of a King."

Assistants on the stage were Gilbert Campbell, James Baxter, Stephen Manos, Robert Diamond and Arnold Marcus, and ushers were Theodore Sahlin and Douglas Curtin.

EVERITT DODRILL, Jr., of 174 Larchmont Avenue, Larchmont, is shown above demonstrating his "magical pitchman's" routine which he will present tonight at the annual pre-medical students banquet at Columbia University. Dodrill, a graduate of Mamaroneck High School in 1924 and veteran of 18 months' wartime service, will complete his pre-medical course at Columbia in February. He will entertain with another magic show Sunday at the Old Farge Restaurant in Larchmont for cub scouts, offering his "sale of U-Sic-Um" routine.

Sisterhood of Center Schedules Talent Show

Plans for a home talent show to be presented in April were discussed last night at a meeting of the Sisterhood committee of the Westchester Jewish Center at the home of Mrs. Joseph Beyer, 431 Wagner Avenue, Mamaroneck. Mrs. Henry Berman will be producer, assisted by Mrs. Bernard Ross, with Mrs. Irving Koslowe as musical director. Mrs. Nathan Adelman is publicity director, assisted by Mrs. Jack Novack and Mrs. Samuel Crain, with the scenery to be designed by Mrs. Harry Frost.

Others assisting will be Mrs. Hyman Pederman, Mrs. Arthur Way Silver, Mrs. Solomon Granett and Mrs. Murray Kirsch.

VENTRILOQUIST SHOW

Stanley Burns, ventriloquist, will entertain students at the Westchester Jewish Center Religious Schools Sunday at 10:30 A. M. Friends are invited to join in the Chanukah program, with refreshments served by the Sisterhood. Following Sunday's session, Sunday School will recess for the Chanukah vacation until Jan. 8.

COLLEGE VACATION

Miss Mary McCarthy of 84 Lookout Circle, and Miss Virginia Penn of 13 Rochelle Road, both Larchmont, will return home this weekend to spend the holiday recess from Hollins College, Hollins, Va. They will resume their studies in Jan.

HOME FROM INDIANA

Miss Suzanne Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Phillips of 25 Wendt Avenue, Larchmont, will return home tomorrow from Indiana University to spend the Christmas holidays. She is a member of the junior class.

Local Women Attend Foundling Home Party

Mrs. George C. Fanelli and Mrs. Robert B. Murray Jr., both of New Rochelle, attended the annual Christmas party for the New York Foundling Home held yesterday at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel. Approximately 1,000 guests were there. The party is sponsored by Francis Cardinal Spellman, Archbishop of New York, to aid orphans and underprivileged children of New York.

Mrs. Fanelli, charities chairman of the Catholic Woman's Club of Westchester, and Mrs. Murray represented the club. Stage and screen stars entertained.

PLAY PRESENTED

"Robinson Crusoe" was presented yesterday in a dramatic dance version by the Strawbridge Players for students of Mamaroneck Avenue School in the auditorium, where guests were parents and pupils of other schools. Students assisting with scenery were Clarence Sandford, Theodore Rindfleisch, James Fraiola, John Quadrini and Kenneth Kreizel.

ETA KAPPA NU

Anthony Del Duca of 6 West Avenue, Larchmont, has been elected to the Cornell University Chapter of Eta Kappa Nu, national honorary society in electrical engineering. Del Duca is a member of the Class of 1950 at Cornell.

Yule Luncheon Bridge Is Held At Beach Club

Three hundred members of the Orienta Beach Club, Mamaroneck, and their guests attended a Christmas luncheon bridge party yesterday in the main clubhouse, decorated with arrangements of pine branches, artificial snow and pine cones, and other Christmas greens to carry out the "Christmas by Orienta" theme.

Table centerpieces were miniature white cellophane Christmas trees decorated with ribbons and small Christmas tree balls in pastel shades, which were awarded as table prizes. Unusual table arrangements and Christmas tree ornaments were on sale during the afternoon.

Mrs. Merrill E. Compton of Mamaroneck was chairman, assisted by Mrs. Fred E. Schmehl of White Plains, and a large committee of club members. Local committee members included Mrs. Alfred Georger, Mrs. Anson Beaver, Mrs. William B. Betzig, Mrs. Richard I. Land, all of Larchmont, Mrs. Gordon Proctor, Mrs. Raymond A. Carter and Mrs. A. Parker Belt of Mamaroneck.

Among the members who entertained at the event were Mrs. Jay S. Wagoner, Mrs. Donald Cathcart and Mrs. Belt of Mamaroneck.

Also, Mrs. Leroy Loomis, Mrs. Land, Mrs. Jay W. Bonafield, Mrs. John P. Barry, Mrs. Betzig, Mrs. Rufus K. Allerton, Mrs. Herbert Sliger, Mrs. Harry W. Lewis, Mrs. Frank M. Tierney and Mrs. Georger, all of Larchmont.

VACATION AT HOME

Miss Joan Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Brown Jr. of 621 Fairway Avenue, Mamaroneck, student at Finch Junior College, will spend the Christmas vacation at her home.

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Greenwich, Princeton Win On Playland Ice

Princeton weathered a last period rally by St. Nick's at Playland Casino last night to capture a 6-4 hockey triumph before about 350 spectators. In the scholastic preliminary, Greenwich High handed North Tarrytown its second consecutive shutout.

Playing typically collegiate hockey, Princeton mauled and mussed its streaks while the Nickmen had all of their thrusts turned back in the first two periods. The Tigers from Old Nassau caged two goals in the first period and had a 4-0 spread at the end of two sessions. It wasn't until the third period to go around for the last time that the host sextet came to life and made a battle of it.

With Whitey Campbell rejoining the team, St. Nick's put on a vastly improved performance before an enthusiastic crowd which was highly satisfied with the result. Campbell bagged two goals in the last-ditch surge and also drew an assist on one of the other tallies. Ernie Montgomery paced the invaders with a pair of relighters.

Cash Woodward, ex-New Rochelle High School star athlete, played a sterling defensive game in a Princeton uniform and also added in a first period goal.

The striped uniformed visitors kept St. Nick's goalie Jim Rogers on his toes through the first heat and finally licked him on two shots near the end. Chuck Weedon netted the first at 16:56 on a pass from Don Mudley and Dinn, just nine seconds later, made the scorer move again when Woodward and Bob Bryan collaborated on relays to Montgomery who put the finishing touches on the tally.

Owen Toland accounted for the third Princeton goal and Montgomery added his second of the fray at 7:30 of the middle period.

Once the contest reached its third and final stage the action, including goal-getting, came fast and furious. St. Nick's earnered two quick ones to get back in the thick of things, with Campbell passing to Eliasesen for the initial net-splitter and Whitey taking credit for the second one himself. Campbell skated right back at 15:18 to equalize Art Collins' put. Lum Gardner sealed the Nick's doom by beating Rogers from close range at 15:42.

Two and a quarter minutes from the end Walt Allen flicked a consolation disc into the Princeton cords.

In the schoolboy prelim, Greenwich looked almost as impressive as Mamaroneck in whipping hapless NT, 5-0. Pete Jenkins sticked two of the Nutmeg goals while Jack Pratley, Tom Montgomery and Bob Mead handled the others.

Next Thursday night Mamaroneck, and New Rochelle tangle in the opener and the NYAC plays host to St. Lawrence University in the aftermath. First game time is 6:45 P. M.

E. A. ROSS CHOSEN MGA PRESIDENT

By GUIDO CRIBARI

NEW YORK — Earl A. Ross of Winged Foot yesterday was elected president of the Metropolitan Golf Association for 1950.

Ross, active in golf circles in Westchester for the past 15 years and formerly vice president and tournament chairman of the met body, succeeds Shepard Barnes of Baltusrol who served the past two years.

Elected along with Ross were James M. Robbins of Garden City Golf Club, vice president; Kenneth H. Burns of Montclair Golf Club, secretary, and Robert E. McCormick of Maidstone Club L. I., treasurer.

Named to the executive committee were Lloyd D. Ribner of Fenway, Westchester amateur champion Romeyn B. Scribner of Apawamis, William P. Turnesa of Knollwood, and Eugene L. Larkin of Wykagyl.

3 District Presidents Named

Also Stephen Berrien of Upper Montclair, William W. Cochran of Morris County Club, E. Ed Connor of Meadow Brook, Dr. Stephen G. Lee, Jr. of Canoe Brook and the four officers O. M. Lamberson of North Hempstead, president of the Long Island district; W. Halsted Taft of Montclair, New Jersey president, and C. W. Benedict of Whippoorwill, president of the Westchester district.

In a press conference after the meeting, Ross suggested that he will call upon the association to encourage junior golf and urged that juniors be permitted to play in sanctioned tournaments at half of the usual entry fee.

He suggested also that the association sponsor an intercollegiate championship for the met district.

Silver Tray to Barnes

Ross presented the retiring president Barnes with a sterling silver tray.

A tentative met schedule for 1950 reveals that the metropolitan amateur championship, along with the senior title event, and sectional qualifying for the USGA junior championship will be held in Westchester next year. The amateur test will be play July 26, 27, 28 and 29. The seniors Aug. 15 and the junior qualifying July 11.

The new met open, won by Jack Burke at Metropolis this Summer, will be held in Long Island, Sept. 19-20-21 in '50.

Gams and Luckies Cop 2-1 Kegling Triumphs

The Gams made an about face in the second and third games to best the Derbyettes and the Luckies tripped the Four Y's in American Club ladies bowling leagues at St. Thomas's alleys last night. The Derbyettes saved themselves from being blanked when they compiled 61 pins in the first frame after their initial encounter had ended in a tie.

Gladys Sibley of the Gams was the night's steadiest roller with top figures of 169 single and 484 triple. The other top pace-makers were J. Langen, Esther Addleman and Charlotte Schmidt.

The scores:

Derbyettes (1)				Gams (1)			
Blind	121	121	121	Holland	99	142	135
J Langen	161	135	116	Carpiner	145	154	138
Blind	107	107	107	Vicenio	118	118	118
D Deroy	134	127	132	Sibley	169	164	151
Totals	523	500	476	Totals	523	540	542

Four Y's (1)				Luckies (0)			
L Beck	158	148	148	Heilbaus	136	125	142
Holland	126	128	160	Addleman	176	136	136
Lawrence	99	103	94	Blind	139	139	139
Schmidt	149	136	136	Schmidt	152	141	149
Totals	539	533	470	Totals	573	469	541

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CIRACO TO TRIM MHS CAGE SQUAD

Mamaroneck High's court squad is engaging the Harrison Huskies in a scrimmage session this afternoon as part of the local quintet's pre-season training grind. Coach Orlando Ciraco is faced with the job of putting together a strong quintet and it appears that it is going to be one of the school year's toughest tasks because the Denial cage aggregation has neither an abundance of experience or any height to speak of.

However, under Ciraco's guidance, the 1948-49 Hilltoppers showed a clear improvement over previous campaign and there is high hopes that the trend is on the upgrade. Ciraco has almost made up his mind that all of the sophomores need another year of seasoning and he is expected to ship them into a Jayvee status sometime in the near future. He also plans to cut the squad down further, since the 40 boys he is carrying now affords him little time to concentrate on the individuals who will make up the varsity unit.

The three lettermen, Don Dockerill, Mike Bruno and Nick Condro, have rounded into shape and they appear to be certain bets to make the grade again this season. In addition, Al Eckhardt, George Carl, Roger Schacklipsky and Larry Collins have looked fairly good in practices which just about cements their right to at least remaining with the team. Another Junior, Dave Cvaniga, is coming along steadily and might be elevated into Ciraco's picture.

The Tiger courtmen will undoubtedly be drilled over the Christmas and New Year school holiday stretch because their opener is to take place just a few days after they go back to classes. Thus, unless they show something in the way of improvement, part of the 11 juniors and 12 seniors on the squad are slated to be cut from the roster.

MOTT AND STERLING IN 1ST PLACE KNOT

The Motts of the Acres League rippled Mamaroneck Rec Centre pins for a merry 3-0 kegling victory last night which propelled them into a tie for first place with the Sterlings who nabbed two of three games. The other winners were the Tompkins and Disbrow outfits, both of whom vaulted into two-way knots for the position they were directly aiming at.

Team	Won	Lost
Sterling	24	12
Mott	24	12
Palmer	21	15
Disbrow	21	15
Richbell	18	18
Fenimore Cooper	14	22
Bassett	11	25
Tompkins	11	25

A tentative met schedule for 1950 reveals that the metropolitan amateur championship, along with the senior title event, and sectional qualifying for the USGA junior championship will be held in Westchester next year. The amateur test will be play July 26, 27, 28 and 29. The seniors Aug. 15 and the junior qualifying July 11.

The new met open, won by Jack Burke at Metropolis this Summer, will be held in Long Island, Sept. 19-20-21 in '50.

Hockey At A Glance

By The Associated Press
LAST NIGHT

National League
Montreal 4, Toronto 1

American League
Indianapolis 9, Cincinnati 1
Providence 1, New Haven 1 (tie)

Eastern League
NEW YORK 3, Atlantic City 2
Grand Rapids 6, Milwaukee 4.

OSSINING MOOSE 5 LOSES

WHITE PLAINS — The White Plains Ravens, this city's defending Intermediate League champions, defeated the Ossining Moose, 46-30, in an independent basketball game at the White Plains High School gym last night.

CO-CAPTAINS of the 1949 Bellows pinskin team are shown in artist's conception of their gridiron antics by Head DHO Coach Jack Fearon (left) at last night's First Annual Football Banquet in the school gymnasium. Line Coach Jim Bernard affirms his fellow mentor's suggestion from the right while Ed Feldt and Don Anderson seem to agree. The entire Panther squad, some of the players' fathers, and many guests attended the affair which was sponsored by the Bellows Community Club.

—Staff Photo

Officials, Grads and Dads Laud 1949 Bellows Gridmen

Old grads, fathers of students and officials gathered in the Bellows High School gymnasium last night and showered praise upon the shoulders of the 1949 Bellows gridiron team which had such a successful season in every way, including victories. Almost 100 persons attended the banquet which was sponsored by the Bellows Community Club and which is to become an annual affair.

The Rev. Arnold Fenton, rector of St. Thomas's Parish, and Gabriel "Gabby" Wendel were the principal speakers while Mr. Edward A. Weissauer served handsomely as toastmaster.

Mr. Wendel, a 1921 graduate of Bellows and one of Westchester's finest football officials, refreshed the memories of the fathers with stories of grid teams which represented the old Rye Neck High School. He emphasized the fact that in the 1920's, no scholastic elevens were fully uniformed or had adequate equipment. And yet their love for the game was unflinching. Often there were as few as 20 boys in the high school but win, lose or draw the boys enjoyed every moment of it. Wendel closed with the thought that, "In every game there has to be a loser as well as a winner. The athletes who can win graciously and have a word of praise for the conqueror in defeat are the ones who get the real value out of sports."

In his address, Rev. Fenton, a famed hunting instructor, remarked that he sincerely admired the spirit that Bellows teams seem to traditionally possess and that the coaches were to be commended for instilling that spirit into the players. He added that Fearon was "Coach of the year" as far as Rye Neck is concerned.

Mr. Weissauer welcomed the gathering and introduced Superintendent of Rye Neck Schools Alvin W. Hicks who stated now proud he was of the squad, what a fine job Coach Fearon had done and extended his appreciation to the fathers for turning out for the event.

Athletic Director T. A. "Jack" Hasley lauded the teams and coaches in his address and Line Coach Jim Bernard spoke briefly in behalf of the lads who had labored under him this year.

Then Fearon, the head gridiron coach, was called to the microphone and heaped more praise upon the gridders. At the conclusion of his talk Fearon introduced recognitions Ed Feldt and Don Anderson who said a word or two and then brought out gifts for Coaches Fearon, Bernard and Joe Humphrey and also for Dr. Philip J. Reilly, school physician.

Humphrey was the final speaker and he brought out now differences the outlook of player is from that of spectator and official. He told the athletes to always respect the judgement of their instructors. He too had many kind words to give for the players who had given him a rousing cheer when he was introduced.

Other prominent persons who attended were Bill Celestino of Mamaroneck president of the Westchester Football Officials Association, William C. Aloon, principal of Bellows High School, and MHS coaches Harry Harrison and Orlando Ciraco.

The dinner was served by cheer leaders: Judy Silder, Judy Burchell, Isobel MacDonald, Antoinette Pandaro, Jane Martin, Marian Stephens, Nancy Savage, Sue Clevis, Patty Clark, Joan Gillette, Pat Bowman an Joan Nuoffer. Singing and cheers were led by those girls with Bobby Reilling and Bob McDonald assisting.

The spaghetti meal was cooked by Messrs. Bellows, Pellhaus, Johnston, Feldt and Kayner.

Motion pictures were shown in the auditorium following the formal ceremony.

THE LITTLE GUY in the center is Robby Reilling, four and a half feet of Bellows Junior High School basketball player, while East End varsity careers Ed Kayner (left) and George Fischer offer visible proof of just what chance the sawed-off courtman has in the game today. Ed and George are about the two-five space and Bobby's expression seems to intimate that he could stand to grow about another yard before he makes the first string grade.

—Staff Photo

LRT'S, CLIPPERS ROLL 3-0 WINS

The LRT's made a small but perhaps significant gain in the Larchmont Community Bowling League last night when they posted one of two shutouts. The Clippers garnered the other one-sided victory while the Taximents and Grocers were annexing split decisions.

As a result, the Taximen's front running margin was clipped to five games and the Clippers slipped closer to third. The Jolly Five, a batch of keglers who roll rain or shine and never give up despite numerous set backs, registered their third game of the season to prevent another sweep.

There was no fire-ball brand of kegling last night at the Larchmont Rec Center but nevertheless six different rollers traipsed over the double C barrier. They were Lou Sganga, Tony Francella Sid Anton, Joe Masto, Tony Mirsandi and Carl Portofolia. The Taximen contribuited half of that total. Masto was labeled the king of three-game pinfalls on the basis of his 571 and the taximen swept all team honors.

The scores:

Taximen (3)				Plumbers (0)			
Anton	135	203	134	MacPhail	156	154	177
Conte	171	177	161	Grosso	153	184	152
J Masto	151	177	161	T Orelia	212	163	164
T Orelia	180	180	179	Deposito	168	184	184
Masto	211	182	178	Fardette	178	171	139
Totals	889	873	770	Totals	862	857	816

Clippers (0)				Fairel (0)			
Milone	171	158	150	Murphy	137	174	136
Torre	190	148	169	Moelle	114	108	133
Pelaya	159	175	155	Stevens	156	144	144
Simpson	151	130	146	Jarvis	127	141	154
Johnston	170	173	135	Burns	135	126	126
Totals	870	792	757	Totals	649	693	693

Jolly Five (1)				Grocers (2)			
Sorriano	131	128	134	O'Grillo	135	151	155
Ely	154	186	157	Carlino	142	124	147
Bilnd	128	128	128	Sganga	187	206	172
McGovern	139	139	148	F D'Orelia	174	135	204
Mayer	169	151	153	M D'Orelia	—	106	128
D'Landi	—	—	164				
Totals	678	764	726	Totals	757	724	803

LRT (3)				Hook & Ladder (0)			
D Wilson	184	158	182	Scotch	148	184	132
Lisanti	145	165	198	Welsh	171	148	181
P Sisto	169	174	188	Meisle	183	198	138
D L'andi	160	160	188	Whitney	157	177	157
Ianiello	160	139	173	Horan	154	146	134
Totals	828	802	929	Totals	810	789	697

HYMIE CAPLIN DEAD; MANAGED CHAMPIONS

NEW YORK, (AP) — Hymie Caplin, the voluble fight manager who helped make five world champions before he lost a skirmish with the law, is dead.

The native of New York's Lower East Side who became a fabulous Broadway character died in a hospital last night at the age of forty-eight.

He had been ill a year during which time he was his friends' sought unsuccessfully to have his managers license restored in New York.

Caplin was able to get his standing back in several states, including Pennsylvania and New Jersey but he never hit the big time he enjoyed in the 30s when he handled some of the top fighters of the day.

He handled middleweights Ben Jeby and Solly Krieger, lightweights Al Singer and Lew Jenkins and bantamweight Lou Salica. He also managed Sid Terris, Allie Stolz, Abe Feldman and Billy Fox.

The smooth, sharp-witted manager lost his license after he was convicted in the spring of 1941 on a charge of grand larceny and sentenced to five to 10 years in Sing Sing.

He was accused of being a leader in a ring of card sharks.

N. Y. GIANTS GAMBLING ON HUGHSON 'RETURN'

NEW YORK, (AP)—The New York Giants are gambling on a pitching comeback by Tex Hughson.

Manager Leo Durocher bought the big Texan yesterday from the Boston Red Sox, paying more than the $10,000 waiver price.

Tex, troubled with an arm ailment the last three years, was a mainstay with the Red Sox from 1942 through 1946. He won 22 games and lost 6 in 1942 and registered 20 victories in 1946.

Fight Results

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Alfredo Prada, 135, Argentina, and George Dunn, 133, Hartford, Conn., draw, 10.

PHILADELPHIA—George "Sugar" Costner, 147½, Camden, N. J., knocked out Doug Raiford, 140, New York, 1.

FALL RIVER, MASS.—Larry Vigneuve, 157, Providence, outpointed Tommy Bell, 152½, Youngstown, 10.

BROOKLYN—Charlie Titone, 125½, New York, outpointed Gaetano Annaloro, 126½, North Africa, 8.

Basketball

Colleges

Concordia Junior College 53, St. Basil's, Conn., 38.

Professional

By The Associated Press
LAST NIGHT

National Association
Anderson 100, Syracuse 86
Baltimore 87, Minneapolis 68
Boston 82, St. Louis 81 (overtime)
Fort Wayne 89, Rochester 66
Sheboygan 80, Tri-City 74.

American League
Scranton 89, Trenton 73
Hartford 85, Wilkes-Barre 69.

NO. 8 FOR ARMONK LEGION

ARMONK—The Armonk American Legion basketball team registered its eighth straight win of the season by edging the Mount Kisco Pilars, 39-37, at the Armonk School gym last night. In the opener, the Ossining Bearskins extended their winning streak to 18 in a row with a 36-18 triumph over the local girls quintet.

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Sports Calendar

TODAY

Bowling

Mamaroneck Community League matches, Mamaroneck Rec Center, 8:30 P. M.

Larchmont Ladies' League matches, Larchmont Rec Center, 8:30 P. M.

Basketball

Cash vs. New Rochelle Hill toppers, Mamaroneck Avenue School gymnasium, 8:15 P. M.

Hastings at Washington Irving, Hackley School vs. Faculty.

Elmsford at NYSD.

North Tarrytown at Ossining.

Yonkers Commerce at Dobbs Ferry.

Briarcliff at Bedford Hills.

Blessed Sacrament at New Rochelle.

St. Anne's at Mount St. Michael.

Stepinac at Edison Tech.

Mount Kisco at Ardsley.

St. Mary's Katonah at Haldane.

De LaSalle at Iona Prep.

Katonah at Ridgefield.

TOMORROW

Basketball

Mount St. Mary's at Iona College, New Rochelle.

Bellows Junior High vs. Iona Prep.

BHS Tenth Graders, Bellows gymnasium, 10 A. M.

WIAA Spring Sports Are Set

The current water shortage may even affect the Westchester Interscholastic Athletic Association's Spring sports schedule.

Meeting at A. B. Davis High School in Mount Vernon last night, the WIAA's executive committee tacked a very definite "tentative tag on the organization's swimming meet, which is booked for the Mount Vernon YMCA pool. Pending the water situation, the meet has been set for March 24, with Earl Oswald of Davis as chairman.

The annual track meet is to be held May 20 at New Rochelle High under the direction of WIAA President Gerald Donnelly of New Rochelle as chairman. The bowling tournament will be staged at the Rogers Recreation alleys in New Rochelle on March 17, Hugh Lott of New Rochelle is chairman for the second annual ten-pin event.

First round of the baseball schedule begins April 21, with May 16 as start of the second round.

Tennis begins May 2 with teams entered from New Rochelle, White Plains, Mamaroneck, Davis, Gorton and Roosevelt. These schools, plus a Port Chester entry, will compete in the golf program which gets under way April 24.

Next meeting of the association is set for Feb. 16 at New Rochelle.

Bellows Junior High Quintet Tackles 10th

Bellows and the other Southern Westchester League members will innaugurate the SWIAC Junior High School Basketball Season this season against the East End mentor, Jack Hasley, already has pasted a squad together and drawn up a full schedule.

For the last three weeks the Panther Juniors have drilled twice-weekly until they figure to be ready for a contest. So the BHS schedule-maker has booked the East End Tenth Graders for a court tilt on the home hardwood tomorrow morning, the clash getting under way at about 10 A. M.

The Bellows Junior High hoopsters will be ten strong when they open their SWIAC campaign but right now there are 11 men on the list. That includes, Carl Benson, Lanny Baird, Frank Calarco, Jim Harmon, Don Hasley, Charley Hilpl, Pete Lenotti, Pete Nisselson, Cliff Palmer, Bobby Reilling and George Thomas.

Iona College 5 After 5th Straight Victory

NEW ROCHELLE — Coach Jim McDermott sends his unbeaten Iona College basketballers out after their fifth straight win of the season tomorrow night when the Gaels play host to the Mount St. Mary's quintet of Emmitsburg, Md.

In chalking up four in a row, the Gaels have beaten Equitable Life, Puerto Rico, Fort Monmouth and David-Elkins, and appear headed for their best court campaign yet.

McDermott will again count on his big five veterans as starters against the invading Mounts. These include Capt. Johnny O'Hagan, Frank O'Shea, Joe DiSaisian, Mike Lawless and J. T. Kelly.

Croton-BHS 5s Clash Tonight

A tall and dangerous Croton High School quintet moves up against Bellows' Panther basketballers tonight at the East End school's gymnasium in the local scholastic cage opener. A Jayvee tussle will open the double-bill at 7:30 P. M. Tickets for admittance to the BHS Bandbox are said to be extremely scarce.

Croton has played two games thus far, splitting them while the Panthers will be attacking for the first time and will be minus the services of big pivot-man Danny Evangelista. In addition, Steve Johnston is playing with a badly mangled finger.

The visitors are expected to revolve their assault around sixfour Herb Doran who seems to hold the key. When Doran had a good night against Ossining, the Tigers racked up the first win a Croton quintet has ever been able to gain in a long rivalry with Indian fives. But when the rangy center was cooled off last Tuesday, Wappinger-Falls clawed the Tigers handily. However, Coach A. Allen Thomas has a band of vets and some promising newcomers.

BHS Coach Hasley has named George Fischer as his center, Ed Feldt as one guard and Ed Petrie as a forward but he still is undecided about the other two slots. Johnston, Bill Cummings, Parky Vitetta, and Ken Dellner are in the running.

SAINTS HAVE ROSTER SET FOR SUNDAY TILT

The Larchmont Saints' management announced last night that their roster had been stabilized and that the St. Augustine's independent quintet would be at full strength this Sunday for the first time in the three games they have played.

Jerry Moye, star center of the Fordham University cage outfit, has been added to the Larchmont team and has been given the regular center job. Moye replaces Dave Latimer, flashy shooter but poor defensive player who definitely will not play with the local quintet this season.

Bobby McGree of Pelham is now figuring more prominently in the Saints plans and he may get the nod for a starting job this Sunday when Ralph Branca's All Stars move into Larchmont for one of their annual visits. Joe Connelly certainly will hold his guard position so it appears that a battle is under way to grab the regular forward slots. Joe Cullen's scoring spree last week against the Bronx Dems certainly gained the Manhattan College spring-board some prestige but Gene Doherty and Larry Hennessey are taller and probably would be of more value in the rebound department. In addition there is former MHS point-maker Bill Cunningham and George McOwen, although the latter does not figure too boldly in the set-up. It's all up to Coach Tony Luisaconi who made the final guesses last Sunday. He's on the playing roster too but uses himself only for spot duty.

Branca, the Brooklyn Dodgers' foremost pitching mainstay, will bring in a talented band of ex-college hoopmen and will reveal tomorrow whether or not he himself will be able to play. Ralph was given the okay by Branch Rickey this week to play the court sport.

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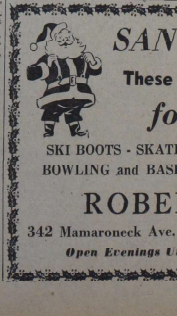

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Bellows Quintet Shells Croton, 46-28, In Court Season Debut

Petrie's 17 Markers Spearheads Panthers

Bellows blew the lid off the 1949-50 basketball campaign last night before a near-capacity partisan crowd in the East End Bandbox, blazing past a confused Croton quintet to register at 46-28 triumph. Coach Jack Hasley took the wraps off his current Panther court editionf in this non-league engagement but his charges, although thoroughly efficient, showed only signs of brilliance in the one-sided contest.

Sophomore flash Ed Petrie was the big scoring gun for the East Enders, flicking 17 point through the cords to start his second year on the BHS varsity off with a loud bang. Only Herb Doran of Croton, six feet four inches of gangling flesh with a hankering for wild hook shots, was able to persue Petrie in double figures. The Croton beanpole hit only four times out of uncountable tries from the floor but added six free throws for 14 points.

Most of the Bellows rebounding was done by George Fischer and Ken Dellner, the latter doing perhaps a slightly better all-around job while playing a reserve role. But on the whole it was Petrie's night to shine.

The Panthers, sporting new satin uniforms, had a field goal in a flash on the tap-off play and Croton never recovered from the shock. The Maroonmen, applying the fast break to its utmost advantage, had a 17-4 bulge at quarter-time and looked as if they would trample the visiting Tigers.

However, as quickly as they had piled up the margin, the East Enders stood come of it away by changing their attack to a distance shooting game. Although they failed to hit with anywhere near half of the set shots, the locals followed that pattern until there were three minutes left in the game. Hasley then instituted a switch back to the beat-em-to-the-punch style, and veteran BHS quintet threatened to make a complete runaway of it.

Hasley used all nine of his varsity cagers during the encounter and all but two of them entered the scoring column. With the two officials keeping their whistles in tune, only another pair of Panthers escaped the personal foul column.

Petrie grabbed the opening tap an dreiayed to Feldt for a quick bucket and Panky Vitetta followed with another layup two-pointer. Petrie twisted underneath to up the spread to 6-0 and added a free toss before Doran broke the ice for Croton with a jump shot and foul. Vitetta more than matched Charley DeStefano's foul with his goal from close range and Petrie lofted a set shot through the rim to start a string of Bellows points. George Fischer's two charity tosses, a smooth follow-up by Steve Johnston and a twisted push shot from the side by Fischer created the first quarter lead.

In the second canto the visitors gnawed away at the spread and managed to chop it down to nine markers at halftime, mainly through the charities of Old Man Luck. Bellows, missing repeatedly from the outside, was held down to eight points in that quarter and might have fallen apart if Petrie hadn't converted after stealing the ball twice.

Hasley's half-time tongue-lashing didn't seem to have too much effect on the Panthers in the third period as the difference remained the same.

During the final six minutes of play, Croton's attack fizzled out into confusion and accounted for just four more points, half of which were garnered from the foul line.

Meanwhile the Panthers had stepped up the pace once again after the automatic three-minute time out sounded with first Petrie, then Fischer and finally Ken Dellner netting the leather. DeStefano's futile one-hander bounced around before dropping but Petrie put the finishing touches on his evening's performance with a foul and a twisting-driving layup.

As a matter of fact, the Jayvee clash was by far the more exciting of the two contests and Bellows also annexed that one. It was Dave Fischer's two foul shots which propelled the Panther Cubs in front with less than a minute to go and Tom Paillace was to follow with three more consecutive one-pointers to sew up the triumph.

Hasley's second stringers had a near all-time record at the foul line, swishing 14 out of the 20 they were granted.

Dave Fischer led the scoring parade in the prelim with nine markers. He netted two of the four Bellows field goals.

The box scores:

Bellows (46)	G	F	P	Croton (28)	G	F	P
Petrie rf	7	3	17	Jacob rf	1	0	2
Cummings	0	0	0	Boyle	0	0	0
Vitetta lf	4	1	9	DeStefano lf	1	2	4
Benedict	1	0	2	McCoy	0	0	0
Fischer c	2	2	6	H. Doran c	4	6	14
Kayser c	0	0	0	McCullough	0	0	0
Johnston rg	3	0	6	Bissell rg	0	0	0
Dellner	2	0	4	Huggins	0	1	1
Feldt lg	3	0	6	Milano lg	0	1	1
				Farano	2	0	4
Totals	20	6	46	Totals	9	10	28

Score by Periods

Bellows	17	25	32	46
Croton	9	16	23	28

Referee, Keller; umpire, Grimes.

Bellows JV (23)	G	F	P	Croton JV (18)	G	F	P
Costa rf	1	0	2	Palmetto rf	0	1	1
McNiven	0	0	0	Doherty lf	0	0	0
Ricci	6	1	13	Chiarelli c	2	0	4
Dunn lf	1	1	3	Timmons	1	0	2
Hasley	0	1	1	Mafurters	0	0	0
Koch	0	0	0	Giglio rg	2	0	4
Dahlgren c	0	1	1	Calotti lg	0	3	3
Bordiga	0	0	0	Doran	0	0	0
Wellman rg	0	1	1				
D. Fischer lg	2	5	9				
Paillace	0	4	4				
Totals	9	14	22	Totals	5	4	10

Score by Periods

Bellows JV	10	12	15	23
Croton JV	4	10	13	18

Referee, Keller; umpire, Grimes.

Basketball

Schools

Bellows 46, Croton 28
Greenwich 61, Wright Tech, Stamford 33
Ridgewood 39, Alumni 16 (overtime)
Washington Irving 48, Hastings 47
North Tarrytown 34, Ossining 29
Haldane 40, St. Mary's 32
Brewster 45, Carmel 24
Mahopac 45, Yorktown 35
Bedford Hills 39, Briarcliff 38 (overtime)
Ardsley 45, Mount Kisco 35
Katonah 36, Ridgefield Conn. 33
NYSD 32, Elmsford 42
Mount St. Michael 62, St. Ann's 46
Archbishop Stepinac 49, Edison Tech 49.

Towncos Score By 3-0

The Towncos posted a 3-0 shutout while the Toddlers, Dom's Four and Mechanics won out by 2-1 counts in Larchmont Ladies' League bowling at the Larchmont Rec Center last night.

However, Dom's Four remained at the top of the ladies league with the Toddlers edging up from the second slot. The Expressettes stayed in third place although their chances were dealt a near-death blow when the Towncos blanked them. All of the scores will be printed in Monday's paper.

FOOTBALL'S CIVIL WAR

MIAMI, Fla., (AP) — Rotund Herman Hickman of Yale has promised "we're gonna murder those Rebels" when his North All-Star football team meets the South All-Stars Dec. 26 in the Orange Bowl for the second annual charity North-South game.

KOSLO WAS BEST 1949 NL HURLER

NEW YORK, (AP)—Dave Koslo of the New York Giants was the National League's leading pitcher for 1949 according to official averages announced today.

Koslo, a lefthander, posted the lowest earned-run average of any pitcher in the league who worked 10 or more complete games. His figure of 2.50 per nine-inning stint gives him a clear advantage over his closest rival, Howie Pollet of the St. Louis Cardinals, with 2.77.

In games won and lost (11-14) no higher than No. 21 among his league contemporaries. No more exact method of computing a pitcher's effectiveness has yet been devised than the old earned runs.

Roe Led in W. and L.

In percentage of games won and lost among the twirlers toiling more than 10 games, now, that's different. Elvin (Preacher) Roe, who won Brooklyn's only World Series game against the Yankees was on top in that department with a final mark of 15-6 for .714. Pollet again stood second with 20-9 .690.

Looking at it from still another viewpoint, Warren Spahn, Boston's classy southpaw, won the most games 21. But he dropped 14. Spahn also completed the most games, 25, pitched the most games, 25, pitched the most innings and led the league in strikeouts.

Don Newcombe, Brooklyn's big righthander who won the "Rookie of the Year" award, placed third in winning percentage with his 17-8 and was seventh in effectiveness with an earned run average of 3.17. He also tied with three others, including Pollet, for pitching the most shutouts, five.

9 Games Longest Streak

Ken Heintzelman, Phillie veteran, enjoyed the longest winning streak, nine games, and Ewo Chesnes of Pittsburgh suffered the most consecutive defeats, also nine.

Ken Raffensberger of Cincinnati not only delivered five shutouts, but pitched a one-hitter, a two-hitter and a three-hitter. The season failed to produce a no-hitter.

Harmon Has 134 Total In Havana Golf Event

HAVANA, (AP) — The $10,000 Havana pro-amateur invitational golf tournament has its third and final day of competition today with Cary Middlecoff leading the pros and the tandem of Chick Harbert and amateur Pedro Menocal pacing the best-ball play.

Middlecoff, the U. S. open champion from Memphis who now plays out of Ormond Beach, Fla., shot a five-under-par 67 yesterday to finish the first 36 holes with a total of 139. He went out in 35, two under par, and returned in 32, three under the standard.

A final 18 holes today concludes the 54-hole tournament.

Harbert, long-hitting Detroit star, and his amateur partner from Havana had a total of 122 to lead in best ball scores. Harbert shot a 69 yesterday, which left him tied with Claude Harmon, Mamaroneck, N. Y., at 134 in individual scoring. Harmon yesterday blazed around in 66, six-under-par.

Vic Ghezzi of Deal, N. J., and Havana amateur Mario Menocal were second in the best ball scores with a 123 total.

BOSSIO, LONGO BOUT AT CENTER TUESDAY

A pair of promising featherweight prospects, Bill Bossio of Pittsburgh and Tony Longo of Baltimore, collide in the eight-round feature fight Tuesday night at the County Center in White Plains.

The bout, which looms as one of the best of the season, has an added prize in that the winner has been promised a match with Rudy Pasco, Canada's featherweight titlist.

Bossio, former Olympic team member, provided Center followers with a corking demonstration two weeks ago when he decisively outpointed Jose Aponte Torres in his late Westchester showing.

Longo has also been impressive in his local appearances. He first defeated Primo Arellano and later scored a victory over Johnny Breeze.

In the semi-final six-rounder Tuesday, Claude Hammond of Cliffside, N. J., meets Allie Jode of Brooklyn, while a second six pite Andy Viscito of Fordham against Talbert Anderson of the Bronx. Three four-rounders complete the weekly card.

TRICKLING OFF the rim is Steve Johnston's attempted field goal in the third quarter of last night's Bellows-Croton court clash at the BHS gym. George Fischer (33 in white uniform), Panther center, eyes the leather as do members of the visiting quintet. Jack Hasley's outfit registered a neat 46-28 triumph in their curtain-raiser. —Staff Photo

Gaels Batter NR Hilltop Five But Starke Nets 26 Points

The Gaels had more trouble curbing big, husky George Starke than they did the entire New Rochelle Hilltoppers quintet last night at Mamaroneck Avenue School although the local cagers breezed to a comparatively easy 69-45 conquest before a crowd of about 75 persons.

Starke, who is on the NYU football varsity since graduating from NRHS, rimmed 26 points during the encounter as the Gaels chalked up their third victory in four tests this year.

The Mamaroneck aggregation was co-paced by Gil Allen and Al Pulliam who each fired 16 markers through the hoop. Despite Starke's bull-like thrusts toward the basket, the Gaels engineered a 20-9 lead at the end of the first quarter, had a 16-point bulge during halftime intermission and tore the battle apart completely during the third stanza, unleashing their fast break on the Huguenot invaders and pouring field goals through the hoop with amazing regularity.

The winners again had difficulty on the unopposed heaves from the foul line. They connected on only three of nine and convinced the gathering that they need still more work on that phase of the game.

Meanwhile the Blue and Gold wearers were hacking away at Starke in an attempt to halt his one-man offense but it proved to be fruitless. In the end the locals had to concentrate on their own point-making and let the law of averages catch up with the New Rochelle bruiser.

From a standpoint of the Gaels shooting, their was little to be desired. Allen, Pulliam and Tinker Lord cut loose their scoring talents, the latter ending up third high man with an even 10 markers. Pint Murray was one of the pair of Gaels who didn't crash the scoring column. However, Murray had a smack-up with Starke in the first stanza and was severely shaken up.

Monday night the Gaels meet the New Rochelle Trotters on NRHS's hardwood and their next home opponent will be the famed Manny 49ers of Harlem who will visit MAS next Friday evening. Boasting some of NYC's best amateur cagers, Manny's quintet has copped ten wins while dropping just one.

In a prelim game last night, the Cyclones batted back the Bullets 37-22 with Richie Hill tallying 10 points. McCarthy of the losers was high man for the fray with 11.

The box scores.

Hilltoppers (45)	G	F	P	Gaels (69)	G	F	P
Baggs	4	1	9	Allen rf	8	0	16
Booker lf	1	0	2	Lord	5	0	10
Jones	2	0	4	Murray lf	0	0	0
G. Starke c	11	4	26	Montaro	0	0	0
Boyd rg	2	0	4	Mitchell c	4	0	8
B. Taylor lg	0	0	0	Stewart	1	0	2
				Brittain rg	4	1	9
				Porter lg	0	0	0
				A. Pulliam	7	2	16
Totals	20	5	45	Totals	29	3	69

Score by Periods

N. R. Hilltoppers	9	21	39	45
Gaels	20	37	55	69

Referee, Wolfert; Timer, Vitale; scorer, Green. Missed fouls: Gaels 6; Hilltoppers 5

Cyclones (37)	G	F	P	Bullets (22)	G	F	P
Armstrong lf	4	1	9	Rasen rf	0	0	0
Green rf	0	0	0	Gurtin lf	2	0	4
Hill c	5	0	10	Jones c	3	1	7
Porter rg	3	0	6	McCloskey rg	0	0	0
E. Wallace lg	3	0	6	McCarthy lg	5	1	11
Gilbert	2	0	4				
R. Wallace	0	0	0				
A. Walker	0	0	0				
Totals	18	1	37	Totals	10	2	22

Score by Periods

Cyclones	10	17	2	4—32
Bullets	4	10	6	2—22

Referee, Murray; umpire, Allen; timer, Green; scorer, W. Green.

TWO BLANKINGS IN MCL MATCHES

The Unknowns popped up with a surprise shutout victory in Mamaroneck Community League bowling matches at the Mamaroneck Rec Center last night while the Taverners also recorded a sweeping win in the week's matches. The Friendly Servicemen swatted the Diners 2-1 and the Mamaro Colts bested the Jeffs by the same score in the other matches.

Walt Webber of Mamaro served up the best individual single, 222 maples, but McDonald of the Unknowns edged the Colts' No. 4 man by one pin in the series race for honors with a 558 triple.

The other games which vaulted into the select category were credited to Danny Goetze, Nat Tallevi, Lanza and Johnny Smurge.

The Friendly Servicemen put three games of more than 200 pins together for the high team single of 954.

The scores:

Taverners (3)				Rees (0)			
Fader	176	199	168	Driscoll	149	191	161
Rudolfe	164	181	182	Fumato	151	165	163
Horace	—	—	—	Leone	175	133	188
Reed	172	158	154	Nicolais	147	163	162
Petral	179	134	176	Blind	150	150	150
Blind	150	150	150				
	842	813	850		772	807	827

Diners (1)				Fr. Service (2)			
Manno	178	114	195	Tallevi	168	218	161
Zorzi	160	110	—	Lanza	134	203	159
Fallace	177	186	147	A. Reid	175	159	127
Richards	156	198	143	Wolf	167	167	183
Jones	154	149	137	Smurge	178	207	181
Roelecke	—	—	168				
	825	757	790		816	954	837

Jeffs (1)				Mamaro (2)			
Vinet	176	141	176	A.Hr'ch'n	160	163	174
Brehmer	138	134	176	E.S'km'n	138	181	124
Alaia	171	152	191	J.Hr'ch'n	169	159	141
Sarles	155	155	131	Webber	220	189	155
Grabarz	164	198	138	Goetze	176	144	219
	854	780	817		864	857	854

Unknowns (3)				Boilermakers (0)			
Spero	155	177	171	White	143	158	111
Wolbeck	178	132	180	M'Intosh	162	141	158
M'Mahon	150	168	158	Cmb'rm	119	117	—
Pacnesa	140	175	136	Malz	169	146	184
McD'nld	192	174	192	Pennetta	162	197	135
				Blind	—	—	150
	818	806	865		755	759	738

Sports Calendar

TODAY

Basketball

Bellows Junior High School team vs. BHS 10th Grade, Bellows gymnasium.

Mount St. Mary's at Iona College, New Rochelle.

TOMORROW

Basketball

St. Augustine's Saints vs. Brancas All Stars, St. Augustine's gymnasium, Larchmont Avenue, 3 P. M.

Dinghy Regatta

Chinquapin Dinghy Racing, off Larchmont Yacht Club, 11 A. M.

MONDAY

Bowling

Major League matches, Larchmont Rec Center, 8:30 P. M.

Basketball

Goels vs. New Rochelle Trotters, NRHS gymnasium, 8:30 P. M.

Rec League games: Knicks vs. Mules, Wildcats vs. Warriors, Renegades vs. Red Raiders.

Saints After Second Victory As Branca's Stars Invade

Ralph Branca's All Stars of Mt. Vernon, undefeated in three court engagements this season, visit St. Augustine's gymnasium tomorrow afternoon at 3 P. M. for another of the Larchmont Saints' weekly cage battles. The Vergnolites, loaded with ex-college stars, will be blocking the local quintet's path from victory number two in a campaign which started out on the wrong foot.

Branca, the big husky right hander from the Brooklyn Dodgers, is expected to put in an appearance and will have as his mates a group which includes: Harry Leggett, former NYU and Dartmouth College defensive whiz; Ed Brett, out of Colgate University, where he shattered the Red Raiders' all-time scoring mark; Frank Casucci, who played with Howard Cann's NYU varsity for two seasons; the Cooper brothers, Frank and Rube, plus Mt. Vernon products Ernie Altieri, Tony Veterie and Johnny Branca, brother of the Brook twirler. That outfit has trampled three opponents thus far and will hold a height advantage over the Larchmonters.

With the addition of Fordham U.'s Jerry Moye, a six-foot, four-incher, for duty in the pivot, playing-coach Tony Loiaconi will try out a new combination in hopes of repeating last year's triumph over the Branca-led quintet. Joe Cullen and Gene Doherty will be posted at forwards, Doherty moving away from the center position, and Bobby McGee is going to get a chance to start at guard alongside Joe Connolly, the Iona College rebound artist who has been one of the locals' mainstays since their origination.

In reserve will be the faithfuls, Larry Hennessey, ex-Blessed Sacrament star; Billy Cunningham, Mamaroneck High's 1948-49 scoring threat; Larchmont's George McOwen and Loiaconi himself, one of this area's most dangerous set shooters.

The Saint's record is even at the present time, with an opening defeat at the hands of a flashy Vinegar Hill five and then a victory over the Bronx Dems last Sunday. Defense seems to be the locals' main weakness since they have kept the hoop hot with a 60 point average for the two tilts.

Few sports fans know that Branca made a name for himself on the NYU basketball court, but Ralph is currently informing the fans on the stage of a New York City theater with four other Dodger baseballers in a novel court treat. Ralph weighs in at more than 200 pounds and stands six-feet, five-inches. When he's got the range he can be extremely difficult to handle.

However, the acquisition of Moye was a shot in the arm for the Saints because they not only needed a center who was ambidextrous but also someone who can get up there and snare the bouncer away on the rebound. Jerry can certainly fill that bill.

Hennessey and Cullen alternated as the Saints' high scorer in the pair of frays thus far and some high marker-making by both of them will come in handy tomorrow.

Local Riflers Trim Richmond

Richmond Hill gave the Mamaroneck Rifle Clubmen their closest match of the season last night but the MRC sharpshooters managed to keep the air humming with accurate shots which led to a 1181-1157 victory. It was a non-league encounter but nevertheless was treated as a challenge to the local riflers who are striving to go through their campaign without defeat.

Although Rudy Heilland handed in a card of 236 and Art Weiller and Fred Cole pasted identical scores of 235, it was again Almin Otto Kolb who furnished the spark for the Mamaroneck shooters to tag onto. Kolb and Irwin Teknisky were the only entries who had perfect scores in their prone and sitting rounds but Kolb stood alone from there on, finally ending with 241.

The MRC has two league matches next week, both of which will be vital in their drive to the championship.

The scores:

RICHMOND HILL RIFLE CLUB (1157)

	P	S	K	OH	TV	Ill	High 5
A. Crevier	50	49	49	98	241		241
C. VanGelder	50	47	46	85	228		228
F. Mayer	50	49	46	68	233		233
C. Sommer	50	49	44	83	225		
J. Amyotroyd	50	48	45	72	215		
A. Blanchin	50	46	45	72	211		
W. Simon	50	49	45	88	227		227
J. Waltzer	50	49	45	84	228		228
M. Metzger	50	49	45	85	224		
Total							1157

MAMARONECK RIFLE CLUB (1181)

	P	S	K	OH	TV	Ill	High 5
A. Weiler	50	49	49	87	235		235
F. Cole	50	48	47	90	235		235
R. Heiland	50	49	47	91	236		236
L. Heiland	50	48	46	78	226		
J. Buhler	50	47	46	81	229		
L. Hamilton	50	49	45	90	234		234
R. Proctor	50	49	44	85	228		
I. Zekulsky	50	50	46	84	230		
O. Kolb	50	50	48	93	241		241
Total							1181

Indoor Track Season Will Open At Armory

NEW YORK, (AP)—A record list of athletes will start off the indoor track season tonight in the Metropolitan AAU junior championship.

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REX AND PENNY, a good-natured cocker spaniel and a mannerly spitz, are pictured above with Mrs. Robert C. Hendon, seated by the Christmas tree, and Mrs. Douglas Wakefield Coutlee, in "Enterprising Oswald", one of two plays given yesterday for the Woman's Club of Larchmont by the Drama Department, at the Larchmont Avenue Church house. —Staff Photo

Drama Department Entertains With Plays For Club Program

The Woman's Club of Larchmont held its annual Christmas program yesterday at the Larchmont Avenue Church house with about 50 members and mothers-in-law of members as guests of the club.

Feature of the program was the presentation of two one-act plays by the Drama Department, both emphasizing the relationship between children and the Christmas season.

In humorous vein, the first play, "Enterprising Oswald" by Ruby Edmond, told the story of Christmas Eve in Aunt Gladys' apartment, with Aunt Gladys played by Mrs. Douglas Wakefield Coutlee, and her niece, Helen, mother of Oswald, played by Mrs. Robert C. Hendon. Oswald never put in an appearance, but it was his agile mind and seven-year-old imagination and persistence which caused not one puppy but five to be delivered for his present from Santa Claus.

The real stars of the play were the two dogs who appeared on the stage, "Penny," a cocker spaniel owned by Mrs. Frank Tierney of Larchmont, and "Rex," a white Spitz owned by Mrs. Charles Kidd of Bronxville.

The second presentation, a nearly sentimental play entitled "Her Christmas Gift," by Carol Fuller, offered a strikingly effective performance by Mrs. J. S. Stanley Baughman in the role of Mrs. Flaney, a genial Irish laundress. Mrs. Louis Church portrayed Miss Ellen Arthur, an unmarried, sensitive artist, consumed with a love for children, and Katy, her understanding maid, was played by Mrs. Philip Corby.

Mrs. T. W. Hoegh directed the two plays, and the production staff was composed of Mrs. William M. Lanyon, Mrs. Harry Hampton and Mrs. Stanley H. Rose, setting and properties; Mrs. Robert H. Von Stein, make-up; Mrs. Robert Blatt, lighting; Mrs. Hampton, publicity; and Mrs. Sally Warren, programs.

Mrs. Raymond P. Rouse, Drama Department chairman, introduced the program, with incidental music by Mrs. Ralph Hawkins.

The Choral Group, directed and accompanied by Mrs. Arthur Richtmyer, entertained between the plays with two selections, "Virgin's Slumber Song" by Max Reger, and "Jesus, Jesus Rest Your Head," an Appalachain Christmas carol.

Preceding the performance of the Drama Department, the Choral Group led the audience in a group of familiar carols, including "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Silent Night", "The First Noel," and "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."

Members and guests were welcomed by Mrs. Ross L. R. Doggett, president, at a business meeting preceding the program. Members were urged to cooperate in the water conservation program during the current crisis.

Juniors Hold Holiday Dance At Yacht Club

Pine boughs tipped with gold and silver, Christmas tree balls, and birch logs hollowed out with red candles decorated the tables for last night's Christmas dance of the Junior Section of the Woman's Club of Larchmont held at the Larchmont Yacht Club.

About 170 members and guests attended, with Miss Virginia Warren as general chairman and music by George Hoffman's orchestra. Hosts and hostesses entertaining members and guests preceding the dance included Mr. and Mrs. T. P. MacDonnell, Dr. and Mrs. Mark W. Tapley, Mr. and Mrs. William Scofield, Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Rhoades, Miss Warren, Miss Gloria von der Lehr, Miss Elizabeth Terry, Miss Alida Reinhardt and the Misses Gerry and Betty Sullivan.

Assisting Miss Warren on the ways and means committee were Mrs. James Jaffray, Mrs. Fred P. Motz Jr., Mrs. MacDonnell, and the Misses Nancy Covert, Ruth Flowers, Mary Ann Page, Nancy Ostrom, Dolores Del Rio and Barbara Nilson.

JUNIOR SECTION chairman and senior advisor are pictured above with their husbands, at the Christmas dance held last night by the Woman's Club of Larchmont group at the Larchmont Yacht Club. Left to right are Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Stein jr., and Dr. and Mrs. Mark W. Tapley. About 170 members and guests were present. Staff Photo

Club To Meet Monday For Hospital Work

All members of the Garden Club of Larchmont and their friends have been urged to attend *the all-day meeting scheduled for* Monday at 10 A. M. at the Larchmont Avenue Church house, where Christmas decorations will be made for New Rochelle and Grasslands Hospitals.

Members planning to attend are requested to take clippers and all types of evergreens, except hemlock, for the arrangements which are under the direction of Mrs. David Gordon, chairman of the hospital committee.

The all-day meeting is being held in place of Demonstration Day. Members will take sandwiches, and dessert and coffee will be served at noon by members of the club's hospitality committee.

Final Session Of Open House Held For Year

The open house program closed for the 1949 season last night at Mamaroneck Junior High School, under the sponsorship of the recreation committee of the Parent-Teacher Association.

Mrs. William A. Reed accompanied students at the piano for an informal program of Christmas carols, and activities included basketball, badminton, pingpong, square dancing, ballroom dancing, bridge and canasta.

John Anderson, chairman of the student committee, was assisted by Joseph De Marco, Nino Maccione, Eugene Russo, Salvatore Poretto, Anthony Mangone, Helen Rametta, Gail Seidel, Bob O'Donnell, Richard Levy, Jerry Donofrio, William Kendrigan and Dagny Blom.

Mrs. William C. Johnson and Mrs. James G. Broderick headed a committee of P. T. A. members assisted by Mrs. Carmine De Bartolo, Mrs. Walter Picke, Mrs. Jacob Young, Mrs. James F. Hayes, Mrs. Emilio Mirabelli, Mrs. Leonard Elion, Mrs. Carl Carpino, Mrs. John P. Yeomans and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klein, Albert E. Earl and Robert Gingrich represented the Junior High faculty.

Daniel Warren School Slates Christmas Play

"Why the Chimes Rang", one act play by Elizabeth Arthorp McFadden, will be given Monday and Tuesday at Daniel Warren School in celebration of the Christmas season. Monday's performance will be held in the morning for the student body. The performance Tuesday is scheduled for 8 P. M. for parents and friends.

HOME FROM YALE

David Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilkinson of 2 Winslow Place, Larchmont, returned home today from Yale University to spend the Christmas holidays. He is a member of the freshman class.

YALE STUDENT HOME

William Glover of Larchmont has returned home from Yale University, where he is a senior, *to spend the Christmas holidays* with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Glover of 80 North Chatsworth Avenue.

Christmas Play Is Presented By Cub Scouts

A Christmas play staged before a background of Christmas greens and a giant lighted stained glass window was the feature of a meeting of Pack Three of the Mamaroneck Cub Scouts last night at Central School, where a record number of 36 advancement awards were presented.

Cubs sang and presented gifts to an orphan's home behind the window, and entered the stage carrying large carol books prepared by Mrs. Floyd Wright and Mrs. Clayton Davis.

The program opened with "Cub Scouting" sung to the tune of "Jingle Bells," "Silent Night," "Deck the Halls," "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town," and "Here Comes Santa Claus" with accompaniment on the accordion by Clifford Scholl, Mr. Scholl conducts an accordion school, and leads an accordion choir of 75 pieces.

Richard Travis as Santa Claus distributed gifts and candy canes to the cubs.

Advancement awards were presented as follows: Chris Noble, wolf silver arrow, bear and first year star; Tim Byrnes and Keith Mann, wolf; Martin Kenner, wolf and assistant denner; Sandy Noble, wolf; Rocky Roberts, keeper of the buckskin, and Sandy Sapery, wolf and denner, Den One.

David Thieme, denner, and John Crillo, assistant denner, Den Two; Robert Ditorio, denner, and Robert Kenney, assistant denner, Den Three.

Lawrence Templeman, Frank Farrell, Bruce Wright, John Moore, John Mancusi, Larry Simon, Richard Pinson, Charles Carr, wolf, Barry Wright, wolf and denner, Anthony Garafalo, wolf and keeper of the buckskin, and Roger Davis, wolf and assistant denner, Den Four.

James Rangsberg, James McNamara, Michael Mullin, Roy Neufeld, and Dick Travis, bobcat, and Richard Tergiman, bobcat and denner, Den Five.

The program concluded with group singing of Christmas carols led by Mrs. Wright, accompanied by Mr. Scholl on his electric accordion.

CORRECTION

The marriage of Laura Ann DeBaun of Mamaroneck and James Terence Murphy Jr., of Larchmont, took place Dec. 10 at a Nuptial Mass at Holy Trinity Church. The date appeared incorrectly in yesterday's account of the wedding. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Cormac Shanahan, C. P.

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Mary Seymour van Santvoord Engaged to John W. Williams

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. John G. van Santvoord of Albee Court, Larchmont, and Bennington, Vt. of the engagement of their daughter, Mary Seymour, to John Wyeth Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Franklin Williams of West Newton, Mass.

Miss van Santvoord, who attended Rye Country Day School, was graduated from Drew Seminary, Carmel, N. Y. in 1948, and is now in her second year at Southern Seminary Junior College, Buena Vista, Va. The prospective bride is the grand-daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Seymour van Santvoord of Troy, N.Y. and the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walter Bell of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. Williams attended Newton schools and received his A. B. degree from Harvard in 1947. During the war he served three years with the 15th Army Air Force, stationed in Italy, and flew combat missions over Germany, Austria and Yugoslavia as a B-24 bomber pilot. He is now a reporter on the staff of The Bennington Evening Banner. Mr. Williams is the grandson of Mrs. Frank Oliver of Sunderland, Mass. and the late Mr. Oliver, and of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Wyeth of East Orange, N. J.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Personality Of God Topic At CNR Talk

The personality is the thing sought in the profiles so popular in the news and other widely read magazines of today, commented the Rev. Walter D. Hughes, O.P., S.T.D., during the fifth in a series of talks on "Theology for the Laity" for an audience of about 250 persons last night at the College of New Rochelle.

Westchester Chapter, CNR Alumnae Association is sponsoring the series, Father Hughes is professor of moral and mystical theology at the Dominican House of studies, Catholic University of America, Washington.

Terming personality as a composite of human experience, the sum of man's powers, habits and acts, Father Hughes said that personality is also present in God. "Some persons recoil at the thought of God as a personality, but we do not fabricate God with a personal appeal similar to the mythologies. God is a reality and has the ability to know and to love. God has much in common with us, yet is beyond our understanding."

Father Hughes explained that will is an inclination to follow the direction of the intellect and both form the basis for personality, which he said is perfect in God. Discussing God's intellect and Knowledge, Father Hughes said that God knows Himself first and then everything else, knowing things because he has caused them.

HOME FROM COLLEGE

Miss Sally Schaefer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Schaefer of 220 South Dairy Avenue, Mamaroneck, returned home today to spend the Christmas holidays from the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis., where she is a sophomore. Her brother, Stuart, a freshman at Yale University, also arrived home today.

AUXILIARY PARTY

Mamaroneck members of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Westchester County Association of Firemen who attended last night's Christmas party at the County Center in White Plains were Mrs. Janet Ebbinghaus, Mrs. Rose Poccia, Mrs. Cecelia Haviland and Mrs. Lydia Vaughn.

250 Expected At Wykagyl For Jr. Assembly

Mrs. Walter C. Chapin, chairman of the annual invitation Junior Assembly sponsored by the Mothers' Club of New Rochelle announced today that approximately 250 reservations have been received for the affair to be held next Thursday from 9 to 1 o'clock in Wykagyl Country Club.

The invitations are to girls from the tenth to the twelfth grades, and boys from the tenth grade up and are issued not only to New Rochelle residents but also to those of surrounding communities including Larchmont, Scarsdale, Mamaroneck.

Billy Elmore's orchestra will play Stephen Uhle, dance instructor, will be master of ceremonies assisted by a floor committee comprised of the following young men: Donald Weber, Frank Hummel, Joseph Albertson, Hoyt Chapin, John Gray, Douglas Melville, Howard Sweet, Bruce Jones, Robert Quinn, John Mayers, Paul Barnett, Frank Capra, Peter Reyelt, Marcellino Garcia, Graham McGill, Peter Knoke, Spencer Wallin, Cary Woodward, John Maclaren, Wallace Peck, Kenneth Shutt, Peter Anderson, William Bush, Tilton Wilkes and Bruce McKay.

NEW CLUB MEMBERS

New members of the Larchmont Shore Club include Scott Prendergast of the Alden House Apartments, Mrs. Albert Ford of 9 Gerlach Place, and Arthur Perkins of 32 Concord Avenue, all Larchmont; Richard M. Murphy of Rye, and L. D. Morley of Scarsdale.

Repaired Toys Collected For Needy By Cubs

The Christmas meeting of Pack Two of the Mamaroneck Cub Scouts was held last evening at the Mamaroneck Methodist Church house, where Christmas skits were given by the various dens, and advancement awards were presented by John Landsiedel, assistant cubmaster.

The meeting opened with the placing to the flag led by John Yannuzzi, and cub promise by Michael Lurie, with Den Five serving as honor guard for the flag.

Toys repaired by cubs were placed by each den under a Christmas tree trimmed with decorations made by cubs during the past month. Walter Picke, cub committeeman, accepted the toys on behalf of the Kiwanis Club, which will distribute them among needy children at Christmas.

Den six won the blue and gold inspection ribbon and blue ribbon for the best skit, with Den Two winner of the red ribbon for parent attendance. Santa Claus distributed gifts.

Advancement awards were presented as follows: Bruce Crisp, gold and silver arrow for wolf, James Dennis, James Warren and Ronald Crisp, wolf badge, and Dudley Goulden, bobcat, Den Two.

Bobby Parks, Michael Scarangela, Paul Marquard, Bobby DeProno, Billy Landsiedel, and Billy Ortman, wolf badge, Charles Madrazzo, bobcat and wolf badge, Den Four;

Mark Crown, bobcat, Michael Lurie, silver arrow for bear, Richard Currie and Peter Varley, lion badge, gold and silver arrows for lion, and John Yannuzzi, lion badge, gold and silver arrows for lion and first year service star, Den Five.

Announcement of the blue and gold banquet theme for January was made by George Langerfeld, cubmaster. Refreshments were served.

Kathleen Ann Is Born To Edward J. Farrells

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Farrell of 415 Jefferson Avenue, Mamaroneck, have announced the arrival of their third child, a daughter, Kathleen Ann, born Dec. 9 at United Hospital. Mrs. Farrell is the former Winifred Kedney, daughter of John T. Kedney of Rye. The new baby is the sister of Eleanor, seven years old and Edward Jr., aged four.

HOLIDAYS AT HOME

Miss Jacquelyn Keely of Larchmont, member of the senior class at Western College, Oxford, Ohio, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keely of Chatsworth Gardens.

MISS ELIZABETH A. BENOIT

John Monroe O'Connell to Wed Elizabeth Agnes Benoit in June

Dr. and Mrs. Hector W. Benoit, Jr., of Brooklyn, have announced the engagement of Dr. Benoit's sister, Miss Elizabeth Agnes Benoit, to John Monroe O'Connell son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond T. O'Connell of 748 Halstead Avenue, Mamaroneck.

Miss Benoit, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. H. Wirkit Benoit of Brooklyn, was graduated from St. Saviour Academy and Mount Holyoke College. She is a member of the Brooklyn Kindergarten Society and a provisional member of the Junior League of Brooklyn, Inc.

Mr. O'Connell was graduated from Yale College and attended the Yale School of Fine Arts. He served 18 months in the Pacific Theater with the U. S. Navy, and holds the rank of lieutenant (j.g.) with the Naval Reserve.

The wedding is planned for June.

Tandas Feted By Jr. League At Yule Party

The Eastern Westchester Unit of the New York Junior League, sponsor of the Tanda group of Larchmont Camp Fire Girls, gave the group a Christmas party yesterday at the home of Mrs. George W. Hurlbutt, 26 Homer Avenue, Larchmont, with Mrs. Richard C. Staelin as co-hostess.

The refreshment table was decorated with lighted Christmas trees, and Mrs. Hurlbutt's one year old son, dressed as Santa Claus, presented each girl with a Christmas gift. Carols were sung and games played.

Guests were Judy Van Law, Judy Wilson, Jackie Mancini, Betty Sinopoli, Mina Earth, Sarah Brandi, Kay Egan, Gertrude Schuler, Mrs. Erich Schuler, leader of the group, Mrs. John E. Woodbridge, executive director, and Mrs. George S. Iquibb Jr., chairman of the Junior League unit.

Students Demonstrate Skills In Gymnasium

A demonstration of Physical Education Department activities was given yesterday at the Daniel Warren School, featuring a student program of stunts and tumbling, apparatus work, pyramid building, relay races and *square dancing*. Mrs. Marguerite Smith O'Keefe, girls' physical education instructor, was in charge of the program which opened with the pledge to the flag and the singing of the Star Spangled Banner.

Fourth grade girls opened the program with mat tumbling, apparatus work and pyramids, followed by fifth grade girls who exhibited skills on rings, ropes, spring board and pyramids. Sixth grade girls offered an advanced skill performance on the apparatus, with pyramid building, stunts and two sets of square dancing. The program closed with competitive relay races between the gymnasium classes.

BACK FROM EUROPE

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Sisson of 1880 Palmer Avenue, and Adelaide Baird of 6 Nassau Road, all Larchmont, were among the 1,558 passengers who arrived Thursday in New York on the Queen Mary following a five-day voyage from Southampton and Cherbourg.

IN LEHIGH CHOIR

James P. Whalen of 51 Hickory Grove Drive, Larchmont, has been named to the chapel choir at Lehigh University for the coming year.

Jr. High Pupils Hear Program By Musicians

Mamaroneck Junior High School students were entertained yesterday at an assembly program by the Dorelle Concert Trio of New York, composed of Maxine Dorelle, soprano; Walter Kotter, pianist and Jascha Fastafsky, violinist.

Selections by the trio were "O What a Beautiful Morning" from "Sing, Gypsy, Sing", Grieg's "My Johan", "Granada" by Lore and "By the Waters of Minnetonka" by Lieurance, with Strauss' "My Hero" from "The Chocolate Soldier" as an encore.

Mr. Fastafsky offered a group of Polish dances and Gypsy dances, and Mr. Kotter played Leclione's "Malaguena" and "Clair de Lune" by Debussy.

Holiday Story Hour Set At Mamaroneck Avenue

Mrs. Elisabeth H. Friermood of Pelham, story teller specialist for the Westchester County Recreation Commission, will conduct a holiday story hour Tuesday for lower grade children in the auditorium of Mamaroneck Avenue School.

Charles L. Warren, school principal, arranged the visit, through the Westchester County Recreation Commission. Mrs. Friermood author of children's books, has been a children's librarian for 17 years, and has conducted story hours in Pelham and Bronxville. She is leader of a Brownie troop in Pelham and teaches a Sunday School class.

FBI CLUB TOPIC

The workings of the Federal Bureau of Investigation will be explained at the meeting of the Couples Club of Temple Israel at 8.15 P. M. tomorrow by George Masset, special agent of the FBI. A social hour will follow the address.

HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

John Worden, son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Worden of 9 Huguenot Drive, Larchmont, is home for the Christmas recess from Lawrenceville Preparatory School.

14 Webelos Ranks Won At Cub Yule Fete

A candlelight Webelo ceremony was held for 14 members of Larchmont Pack One cub scouts last night at the annual Christmas party at the Murray Avenue School, where the entertainment included two holiday movie shorts, refreshments and a grab bag.

Webelos receiving the rank from their fathers were Graham Best, Berte Brady, Martin Carnoy, Gifford Cummings, John Elliott, Thomas Gill, Gregory Mathus, Rhett Mitchell, Duncan O'Dwyer, John Pierce, Hoke Simpson, Wright Smith, Richard Vanderbilt, and Robert Zavell.

Winners of den competitions announced by Cubmaster Joseph Swift, were parent attendance: Dens 9 and 12 tied for first place, Den 8, third; inspection award: Den 12 first, Den 11, second, Den 10, third; projects: Den 11, first, Den 9, second, Den 2, third.

Mr. Swift *commended* the cubs for their repair job of toys for needy youngsters for Christmas, to be distributed by the Visiting Nurses of the Department of Welfare of New Rochelle.

The meeting opened with Christmas carols led by Richard Pond, scoutmaster of Troop 8, accompanied by Mrs. George Valentine, den mother. The flag ceremony, den inspection and awards presentation followed.

Awards were given as follows: Bobcat: Richard Case, Lauren Myrolia: Wolf: Michler Bishop, Paul Marraffino, Martin Mitchell, Peter Noble, Wilkie Simpson, William Smalley, Michael Vianello, Charles Wharton, John Brassem, Ronald Lockhart, William Massey, Henri Newman, John Robinson, Roy Humphreys, Peter Bellows, Douglas Hughes, John Schue, Douglas Elliott, Stanley Brubaker, Roger Cutter; Wolf, gold arrow: Paul Marraffino, Martin Mitchell, Michael Vianello, Charles Wharton; Bear: Gilbert Windheim, Robert Dick, Lee Humphreys, David Wulp, George Larned, Teddy Tuck, Paul Watnen;

Bear, gold arrow: Ralph Krankey, Teddy Tuck; Bear, silver arrow, Ralph Krensky, Alan Beede, Lion: Ricky Staelin, Peter Garlock, Berte Brady, Gifford Cummings, John Elliott, Hoke Simpson, Wright Smith, Richard Vanderbilt, Robert Zavell; Lion, gold arrow: Ricky Staelin, John Pierce, Peter Garlock, Martin Carnoy; Lion, silver arrow: Ricky Staelin, Martin Carnoy; One-year Service Star: Douglas Davidson, George Larned; Two-year Service Star: Martin Carnoy, Wright Smith; Assistant Denner's Stripe: Donald Forrest.

Hadassah Bridge Held In Larchmont

There were three tables in play at the regular monthly bridge, sponsored by the New Rochelle-Larchmont Hadassah, held yesterday in the home of Mrs. G. D. Gershovitz of 140 Palmer Avenue, Larchmont. There were no table prizes as all proceeds are used to purchase fabric and yarn to be made into garments by the sewing group for the Hadassah Hospital and youth of Israel.

The next bridge will be held Jan. 13 in a member's home to be announced later.

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The Weather

Cloudy and mild through tomorrow; fog tonight and tomorrow morning; low tonight, mid-40s, high tomorrow, 50 to 55. High tides today at 11:09 P. M.; tomorrow at 11:16 A. M.

Combing The Town

He Didn't Look

When Philip J. Tuzzolino of 352 Mount Pleasant Avenue decided to make a left turn from Mount Pleasant into Stanley Avenue at 12:10 P. M. yesterday he neglected to make sure of two things. One was to signal the car behind and the other was to notice that the car behind him was a police car.

Result? Damage to the left front and rear fenders of his car and to the right front and rear fenders of the patrol car out of which slightly rattled Patrolman Alton Palmer climbed. But, fortunately for Tuzzolino, wreckage for the afternoon had ended. Patrolman Palmer merely made out an accident report. No charges or arrests were made.

Community Sing

A drizzling rain failed to dampen the spirits of nearly 200 residents who attended Mamaroneck's annual Community Sing last night in front of the Municipal Building.

Christmas carols, under the direction of J. Ellsworth Olsen, head of the Bellows High School music department, featured the sing. Harland Finney of the Mamaroneck High School music department led the instrumental accompaniment supplied by school musicians.

Mayor B. J. Santoro of Mamaroneck opened the Sing with a welcoming speech, stressing the spirit of good will evident during the Yuletide season. The event was sponsored by the Mamaroneck Chambers of Commerce.

Some Guarantee!

Some further light may or may not be shed on the Republican victory in the Town of Mamaroneck last month by a remark made at a party recently by one of the field workers for the Independent party who, it seems, had gone just a little too far afield.

Someone had just concluded an explanation of the various hodge-podge sections into which the village of Mamaroneck is divided—unincorporated area, village and town of Rye, when the Independent "wheel-horse" was heard to exclaim in dismay, "Why, good heavens, I guaranteed 150 votes for Mr. Mills, all in the Town of Rye!"

Mr. Mills was candidate for supervisor in the Town of Mamaroneck.)

Lucky Scouts

Troop Seven of the Larchmont Boy Scouts was certainly lucky to get Russel Jones as a bus driver when the troop chartered a bus for a weekend outing at Camp Siwanoy.

On the way up, driver Russel who inavertently revealed he was a cook back in his G. I. days, promptly found himself drafted into service again. He spent part of the weekend in the camp kitchen and the rest out in the woods or on the pond with the boys, having as much fun as anyone, according to a report from Troop Committeeman Dr. Morton Heide.

Only a Background

Larchmont made the New York Times yesterday, but only as a background.

In the financial section appears a picture of Nathan Cummings, chairman of the Consolidated Grocers Corporation, waiting on a customer in a Larchmont store. Unfortunately the caption doesn't say which Larchmont store, but it does explain that Mr. Cummings as head of a corporation indulges in coast-to-coast tours, assuming the grocery clerk's role in an effort to study the business.

Early Christmas

Mamaroneck youngsters began the annual pre-Christmas rounds yesterday with two parties given by companies of the Mamaroneck Fire Department.

Several hundred eager moppets turned out for parties at the Volunteer Hose Company and the Columbia Hose Company and spent the afternoon seeing movies, receiving gifts, eating refreshments and greeting Santa Claus.

GAEKWAR OF BARODA HAS LABOR TROUBLE

BOMBAY, India, (AP) — The lavish-spending Gaekwar of Baroda is having labor trouble in his palace. His 250 servants have organized a union and are striking for higher pay.

The Gaekwar, whose state legislature once accused him of squandering $10 million in a six-week spree, returned from Europe last week to find his servants out on strike. About 100 have been arrested.

Saturday 4,000 municipal workers in Baroda, a city of more than 100,000 people, also went on strike in support of the Gaekwar's servants. The city was in darkness for an hour.

Center Religious School Receiving Registrations

The Westchester Jewish Center religious school now is accepting registration for the second semester of its first grade Sunday School.

Registration may be made through the office of the Center. In order to be eligible for the first grade, children must have reached the age of five by Jan. 1.

A SUCCESSFUL CAMPAIGN brought these smiles to the faces of Larchmont Legionnaires whose activities for the Legion's Emergency Welfare fund's total quota of $5,000 in one month. Photographed at a campaign celebration in the Legion's Flint Park club house Saturday are, left to right, Commander Frank Webb, and committeemen Harry T. Flynn, William Blumgold, chairman of the campaign, Frank Ridgeway, and William Adams. Other committeemen were Henry P. Zieger, J. P. Coughlin, Joseph Straus, R. Timothy Gibson, Frank Mott, Benedict P. McGrath, and George Stott.

—Staff Photo

LARCHMONT 'SING' SLATED SATURDAY

Station Plaza Park Will Be Scene of 20th Annual Caroling

Larchmont's 20th annual Christmas carol sing will be held Saturday at 7:30 P. M. in front of the lighted Christmas tree at Station Plaza Park.

Leading the carolers will be P. Colwell Conklin of the Mamaroneck High School Music Department, who has not missed any of the community sings since their inception under the sponsorship of the now defunct Larchmont Choral Society in 1930.

A Larchmont tradition, the Christmas Carol sing annually draws several hundred residents and once during the war more than 700 carolers attended. It will be held regardless of the weather.

Accompaniment will be provided by student musicians of Mamaroneck Senior High School under the direction of Harland Finney, also of the High School's music department.

Supervisor Owen A. Mandeville of the Town of Mamaroneck issued the following statement in regard to the sing: "The singing of Christmas carols at Station Plaza has been an important part of the Town scene for 20 years. Through the efforts of the Larchmont Choral Society and our Park Department, it was first organized and since that time the carol sing has annually lent warmth to the Christmas season. I urge all residents of the Town, the Village of Larchmont and surrounding communities to join in this Yuletide celebration."

Arrangements for the caroling are being made by Mr. Conklin and Mrs. Claude Seixas.

SENTENCE SUSPENDED ON ASSAULT CHARGE

A suspended sentence of 30 days in the County Penitentiary was handed Richard de Mackiewicz, twenty-two, of 4 Cabot Road Larchmont by Judge Munn Brewer, as de Mackiewicz appeared in Town Police Court to answer charges of third degree assault.

De Mackiewicz spent the previous night in a town police cell after he was brought in and charged with assault by Sgt. Francis Waterbury. De Mackiewicz offered violent resistance when the officer attempted to evict him from the home of his father-in-law, Thomas Paiola of 103 Myrtle Boulevard, Larchmont. Mr. Paiola summoned the police when his son-in-law refused to leave the house as ordered. De Mackiewicz had come to the Paiola residence demanding to know the whereabouts of his wife from whom he has been separated since Nov. 27 when their three-month old son suffocated in his carriage.

Judge Brewer explained the suspension of the sentence on the grounds of the recent tragedy in the family and on the prisoners superior war-record.

Burglar Creates Havoc But Doesn't Get Any Loot

A burglar who entered the Red Circle diner at 520 West Boston Post Road last night didn't find anything of value, but caused the proprietor almost as much trouble as he would have had he carried off the cash register.

The thief, an apparently careless soul, entered the diner through the washroom window, and created havoc as he did so, climaxing his foray by breaking the sink. It seems he used it as a step ladder.

War Sabotage Plot By Reds Revealed By Mt. Vernonite

WASHINGTON, (AP)—A story of a World War II Communist plot to sabotage U. S. industry in case of war with Russia has been related under oath by a Greater Mt. Vernon man who says he became a Red on FBI orders.

The testimony, by John J. Huber of Mount Vernon, N. Y., was given in secret session to a Senate judiciary subcommittee in September. It was released over the weekend by Chairman McCarran, D, Nev. The subcommittee undertook a study of possible laws again subversive lines.

Huber told the Senate group the FBI asked him to become a Communist Party member in 1937, after he had reported that some of his fellow workers on government relief projects were Communists. He continued his membership until 1947, he said, "at which time I ceased my work with the FBI of my own volition."

FBI officials would not comment on Huber's story.

While Russia and the United States were Allies in the war against Germany, Huber said, the American Communist "high command" ordered a campaign "to get Communist Party units and Communist Party fronts set up

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CHINESE RETAKE CITY FROM REDS

Kumming Again Nationalist As Defecting Troops Flee Westward

TAIPEH, Formosa, (AP)—Kunming, important World War II U. S. base, was recaptured today by Chinese Nationalists, the fugitive Nationalist government announced here.

The government said its 26th Army seized the large South China city from defecting provincial troops who took it over as the Nationalist government fled here from Chengtu.

Li Mi, Nationalist commander of Kunming, was released at the airport. He had been held there by soldiers of turncoat Gen. Lu Han, Governor of Yunnan Province.

Lu and his troops hurriedly fled westward along the Burma Road. Nationalist planes strafed them inflicting heavy casualties, the government said.

The Kunming victory was reported as official circles buzzed with stories the Nationalists would counter British recognition of Red China by severing relations with Great Britain.

As the report was circulated, police strove to keep order before the British Consulate. Chinese by the hundreds clamored for visas to enter British Hong Kong and a haven from what many consider an impending Communist attack on this island.

Britain has not said officially Red China will be recognized but indications are such a step soon will be forthcoming.

Formosa from Hong Kong, too. Many of the influential arrivals hold passports for entry into the United States eventually.

Amid all this flurry, Claire L. Chennault announced in Hong Kong he had taken over the properties of the China National Aviation and Central Air Transport Corps. He asked the Hong Kong government to protect the two airlines' properties as American owned.

WHITE PLAINS MAN HURT IN COLLISION

Joseph Wrana, fifty-six, of 95 Hale Avenue, White Plains, suffered abrasions and contusions to ribs, legs, and head when he was thrown from his car in a collision at 6:02 P. M. Saturday in front of 96 Chatsworth Avenue, Larchmont.

According to Larchmont police, Mr. Wrana was proceeding south on Chatsworth Avenue when a car driven by Rodney Ollinger Jr., twenty, of 64 Grove Avenue, Larchmont, collided with the Wrana car as it approached in the opposite direction. Mr. Wrana was hurled from his car to the street.

Police drove the injured man to the office of Dr. Herman Hoffman at 219 Larchmont Avenue, where he was treated and released.

Both cars were damaged slightly, but left the scene under their own power. There were no arrests or charges, police reported.

DEWEY SUMMONS WATER OFFICIALS TO SURVEY CRISIS

Governor May Offer Plan For State Action at Meeting Today

ALBANY, (AP) — Governor Thomas E. Dewey summoned the state's top water supply officials and their engineering aides to a conference today on New York City's water crisis.

There was no announcement in advance of the late afternoon meeting what steps, if any, the state would take. However, Dewey's sudden call indicated that some plan of aid for the city's eight million residents might be forthcoming.

New York City officials said the municipal reservoirs upstate were at 34.8 per cent of capacity as of yesterday. They reported the supply in the Croton and Catskill storage systems at 88 billion gallons.

No rain was expected today for the 1,000-square mile watershed, although cloudy skies and mild temperatures were forecast.

A month's rain is needed to bring the water supply back to normal in the city's two reservoir systems.

Stephen J. Carney, City Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, raised the possibility of water rationing. If rains don't come, he said, "drastic action" might be necessary.

Called to the conference here with Dewey this afternoon were

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LOBBY QUIZ CHIEF TO SCAN MEDICINE

To Study Real Estate Field Also; Probe May Start By Jan. 15

WASHINGTON, (AP) — The chief prober in Congress' new investigation of lobbying plans to cover such fields as medicine and real estate, among others.

Representative Buchanan, D, Pa., chairman of a special House Committee to investigate the various influences brought to bear on legislation, said over the weekend that he hopes to get started Jan. 15.

The chairman said reports that the committee will turn first to the American Medical Association are incorrect. He added, however, that the association's fight against what it calls "socialized medicine" will be a topic, and that so will be the matter of real estate activities.

Reporters asked whether the committee would inquire into charges that government agencies have been lobbying in behalf of compulsory health insurance and also in favor of public housing.

Both Sides To Be Quizzed

Buchanan replied: "They ought to come in together, all groups, pro and con." And so far as possible, he said, the committee will quiz both sides before moving on from one subject to another.

Buchanan set up this goal:

"It is my hope that before this committee completes its work, we will be able to answer definitely whether the lobbying law is being violated, and, if so, to what extent and in what manner; also whether the present act is adequate or requires amendment."

LARCHMONT CLUB MARKS BIRTHDAY

Rotarians Celebrate 20th Anniversary; Dr. Ernst Presides

The Larchmont Rotary Club last week observed its 20th anniversary at ceremonies conducted by Dr. Edgar Ernst, oldest living past president of the organization. Dr. Ernest introduced all past presidents who were present including Harry Flynn, Alexander P. Gest, Milton Weintraub, the Rev. Floyd E. McGuire, P. Colwell Conklin, Fred Krisch, A. E. Tuttle, Gilbert Merrell and Hoyt Smith. All the past executives made short talks reviewing the history of the club.

An observance of Christmas will highlight the luncheon meeting of the Larchmont Rotary Club Friday at the Larchmont Shore Club.

Visitors were Rotarians Hal Watson of Lake Mahopac, George Pennell of the Bronx, Thomas Swift of Mount Vernon, Stanley MacArthur of New York, Sylvan Schwartzrich and the Rev. William Fairman of Mamaroneck, William E. Everts and W. T. Wright Jr., of New Rochelle, and Robert Palmer of Hastings.

YULE LIGHTS go on at the Mamaroneck Methodist Church as Dorothy Primrose (kneeling) and Marsha Yerdon (standing) turn the switch on the Christmas tree, a living memorial to William H. Johnson, Jr. The annual ceremony was held yesterday in front of the church preceding the Candlelight Music Festival.

—Staff Photo

Neglect Of Spiritual Values Communist Flaw, Knights Told

"The perfect fulfillment of our vocations is the way to sanctity for each of us," William E. Carlo, professor of philosophy at New Rochelle College, told 65 members and guests of Mamaroneck Council No. 2247, Knights of Columbus, at the annual Christmas Communion Breakfast yesterday in St. Augustine's auditorium, Larchmont.

"It is the solitary course," the twenty-nine year old professor said, "that we must pursue, guarded by trustful purpose and well-defined motives."

Dr. Carlo, who is the youngest man ever to receive the degree of L.M.S. in Medieval Studies from the Pontifical Institute, spoke on the "Reality of the Immaterial", pointing out that the fundamental flaw in communist doctrine is its "religion of materialism", and total neglect of spiritual values, which in the last analysis are the only true and abiding values.

Dr. Carlo was introduced by Harold Weber, who described the guest speaker as "the most practical philosopher, who shingles his own roof, while his three children run about below."

Guests who heard the talk were Martin Roden, grand knight of Tuckahoe, William Conway, first deputy, also of Tuckahoe; Harold Weber, Catholic Action committeeman, and William Spellman past grand knight of Mamaroneck.

Owen A. Mandeville was toastmaster, and John H. Kirvin was chairman in charge of arrangements, assisted by Paul R. Rigano, James V. Smith, James McDonnell Jr., Anthony Tanza, Edward O'Reilly and Anthony Russo.

METHODISTS HOLD SPECIAL SERVICES

90th Church Anniversary, Christmas Marked At Festival

More than 350 in the morning and 500 at a Candlelight music festival in the afternoon celebrated the Christmas season and the 90th anniversary of the present church building yesterday at the Mamaroneck Methodist Church.

The Rev. Lynn Harold Hough, D. D., former president of Drew Theological Seminary, preached the sermon at the 11 A. M. service, elaborating on the theme, "The Church which keeps Christmas alive in the World."

The afternoon service, the seventh annual Candlelight Musical Festival, featured the Senior and Junior Choirs of the Church, violinist Sol Nemkov and soloist Mrs. Helen Marshall Woodward, singing Christmas anthems and hymns.

After the candlelight service, members of the young people's group of the church sang carols around the newly-lighted church Christmas tree on the Post Road.

Cold Eases Over Nation

By The Associated Press

Most of the nation has temperatures within normal ranges today. The coldest spot is in Montana, where the mercury dipped to 12 below zero at Cut Bank, and to -9 at Lewiston.

The Pacific Northwest steeled itself today for a forecasted cold wave expected to drag temperatures to 10 below in northern valleys of Washington and the Idaho Panhandle. Temperatures elsewhere in the area were expected to hug the zero mark.

Sleet and snow smothered the area yesterday, snarling traffic and scrambling public transportation schedules. Snowplows and crews worked to clear tracks of the Southern Pacific Railway Cascade Mountain routes where snow piled up to 42 inches in some places.

Rain continues falling in Southern California where Los Angeles had the heaviest downpour of the season yesterday. The storm which brought 1.95 inches of rain to the city flooded many streets, it raised the moisture total for the season there to 4.80 inches compared with 1.30 inches at this time last year and a normal precipitation of 2.35 inches.

Light snow was reported in the Northern plains, the plateau states and Northern Rockies. Light rain and drizzle continued in the Northeastern states.

Mamaroneck Girl Fined In White Plains Court

WHITE PLAINS—Joan Albelli of 622 Stiles Avenue, Mamaroneck, a junior operator, was fined $35 in City Court Saturday when she pleaded guilty to speeding 75 miles an hour along Mamaroneck Avenue Dec. 3.

Patrolman Michael Olympico who gave the girl a summons, reported that she had two other girls riding in the front seat with her.

Fire Damages Car

A parked car owned by Roger W. Cleworth of 633 Shore Acres Drive was slightly damaged yesterday at 4 P. M. by a fire caused by a short circuit. All units of ment responded to the general alarm at Mamaroneck and Prospect Avenues.

"ALL ABOARD!" says Larchmont Troop Seven Scoutmaster Lawrence Freedman (in doorway) as he makes up his passenger list for last weekend's outing at Camp Siwanoy, Wingdale. On opposite sides of the door are Troop Committeeman Dr. Morton Heide and Robert Moore who directed the affair. In the foreground are part of the 23 Scouts who boarded the bus in front of the Chatsworth Avenue School and rode as far as White Plains behind a motorcycle escort provided by the Larchmont and Town squads. (Story on Page 9).

—Staff Photo

FOUR LARCHMONT TEEN-AGERS HURT IN CAR ACCIDENT

One Is Held In Hospital After Murray Avenue Collision

Four Larchmont teen-agers were badly hurt at 8:33 P. M. Saturday when their car crashed into a tree in front of 110 Murray Avenue, Larchmont.

Three of the four, including sixteen-year old Jack Henry Reed, the driver, of 4 Beresford Avenue, were taken to New Rochelle Hospital in the hospital ambulance where they were treated in the emergency room by Dr. H. J. Dunlap of the hospital staff.

Reed was treated for a broken right arm and severe lacerations about the face; Roger Mitten sixteen, of 16 Harmony Drive, suffered severe lacerations of the scalp, possible concussion, and a cut on the left hand; and Betsy Allen, sixteen, of 60 Cooper Lane was treated for a bruised hip and possible fracture of the left leg.

Reed and Miss Allen were released from the hospital after treatment but Mitten was held for further observation and examination.

A third passenger, Florence Collins, also sixteen, of 100 Reach Avenue was treated at the scene of the accident by Dr. Charles Weller who had been summoned by Town of Mamaroneck police.

The youthful driver of the badly damaged vehicle told the police he did not know how the accident happened. Someone told a joke, he said, and he laughed "and the car went up on the curb and crashed into the tree."

The car was towed from the scene with a crumpled front end and right wheel and broken windshield.

There were no arrests or charges, the police said.

BRITISH SENTENCE EX-FIELD MARSHAL

Found Guilty On 9 Counts Of Atrocities In War; Asks No Mercy

HAMBURG, Germany, (AP)—A British military court today sentenced former Field Marshal Erich Von Manstein to 18 years imprisonment for atrocities against Poles and Russians committed by German troops during the war.

Manstein, last of Hitler's generals to be tried by the victorious Allies, declined to plead for mercy.

He was found guilty on nine specific charges and was acquitted on eight other counts. All grew out of alleged atrocities by German troops under his command during the Nazi invasion of Poland and Russia.

The president of the court said the sentence was handed down today. The sentence is subject to confirmation by higher authority.

The decision to try the German Field Marshal after such a lengthy imprisonment had aroused much controversy in Britain. Wartime Prime Minister Winston Churchill was among the prominent people who subscribed to a fund to provide English counsel to defend him.

Three other German war leaders were also to have been tried by the British. But Field Marshal Walter Von Brauchitsch died in captivity, and British Army doctors ruled that Field Marshal Gerd Von Rundstedt and Col. Gen. Adolf Strauss were unfit to stand trial. They were released.

Tomorrow Manstein will be taken to the prison at Werl, near Hamm, where he will join two other former German commanders-in-chief, Field Marshals Albert Kesselring and Nikolaus Von Falkenhorst, who are serving war crimes sentences there.

Manstein's face had remained impassive while the sentence was pronounced. His composure had been shaken only once earlier, when the court announced the charges on which he had been convicted.