

American Legion



Notes

By F. W. Lowrie

Don't forget the Feather Party on Monday, November 23, at the Farmington Town Hall. Many thanks to all the organizations that cooperated to make Navy Day a complete success. Sorry that Lt. McClure failed to show up with the pictures. The Sea Scouts are a worthy

organization and should be built up by all local boys between the ages of 15 and 21. The boys receive a training that is of tremendous importance for any boy that intends to enlist in the Navy. Don't forget the card party the Ladies Auxiliary is having on Saturday, November 7. James Mourjian is the new finance officer, to replace Bill Gargh who is leaving for California. Good luck, Bill! A pot luck dinner will be held Armistice Night, November 11, at the Legion Home. Let's have everybody out!

GUEST SOLOIST

Mr. Eric Silvester sang the solo at the Salem Evangelical and Reformed Church Sunday morning. His selection was "The Ninety and Nine."

SERVICE NOTES

Lt. William Shoop is spending a furlough with his family. He has just finished officers' training in the East, and is on his way to the West Coast.

Pfc James J. Ryall has written his folks that he is now located in New Guinea. The letter, dated October 3, was received here October 23. Excerpts taken from the letter state "We are in New Guinea now and I sure hope we get rid of the Japs in a hurry as this is a miserable country. The conditions here all favor us and we are confident that the job will be done soon. This sun is very hot, and I've been running around with only shorts on, so you can imagine how black I am getting."

"As far as I can see this country is nothing but hills, and away from the distance is the Owen Stanley Range which you have read about. The natives are all black and some of them speak a little English. They are typical of what you would imagine a semi-wild black tribe to be. I have taken a bath and washed a half dozen times, but you just can't keep clean. You can imagine how clean it is by the looks of this paper."

"We don't get any newspapers or hear the radio, but all the rumors we hear are good, and we all have hopes that this whole war will be over soon."

"I will write as often as I can, but don't be disappointed if you don't hear from me for some time."

"Jim first entered the army in April of 1941, but received a discharge in November, being over age. He was called back in January and has been in Australia since June."

Private James Lee of Santa Clara, California, is home on furlough, due to the serious illness of his father who is confined to Fontaine General Hospital.

Private Ernest W. Klocke, son of Mrs. Bessie E. Klocke of 23026 Maple Avenue, has written his mother that he is getting along fine. He is stationed at Fort Bliss, Tex.

Charles and Samuel Bramford, survivors of the torpedoed Wasp, are home on furlough visiting their parents on Seven Mile Road.

Word has been received from Pvt. Charles G. Miller, who is now stationed in England and he wished to be remembered to all his friends in Farmington.

Rev. Robert LePew, who is stationed in Massachusetts and has many friends in Farmington, is a cousin of August Terreault on 12 Mile Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smith and two children moved to Farmington Wednesday from Kalamazoo and were dinner guests of Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Richard Taylor and family Wednesday evening.

"TRAILER VAGABOND"



By WARREN RAYLEY

What is your town doing for the old jobs? Where responsibility was buying war bonds and collecting on a fighting chance? Nick Apalak, I mean "What is your town doing for the boys, individually and collectively, that are fighting for our existence as a free country?"

A few weeks ago an article in Liberty magazine, written by Bill Cunningham, told a story about Stoneham, Mass., discussed the plan with some of its doing for its boys. It has a plan that should be adopted by every city and village in the country. You can help to get it started in your town. You SHOULD help to get it started. It takes up where everything else stops—when the war is over.

How well do you remember the end of the last war when the boys came marching home? They were cheered as they marched down the street—wined and dined and made heroes of for about a month—and then forgotten. Some found their way back into their old jobs—others found new ones. But many plan has been found no jobs at all. They were an understatement. The first tossed into a changed atmosphere fair—on July 4th put over \$3,000 in and left to sink or swim. Many to the bank.

There was nothing wrong with those boys—that a little money wouldn't have cured. Just a little financial help to get a new start in life. But where were they going to get that help? They had no security to offer for a loan. A soldier's pay, hardly encouraged.

An American Greek named Nick Apalak of Stoneham, Mass., thought of all these things as the boys from his home town marched off to another war on foreign soil. Would these boys come back to a changed world where the cards were stacked against them? What would happen to the boys who had no jobs to return to, or were physically unable to take back their home.

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FARMINGTON BOWLING LEAGUE SCORES LISTED

Players	Games	Ave.		
B. Davis	18	180	Hartz	18 144
Tudball	18	178	Blakeslee	15 143
Lamb	18	177	Muether	18 142
M. Cotter	18	176	R. Auten	18 141
Lapinum	15	173	Collins	15 139
Edwards	12	171	Bailey	18 134
Layton	15	168	Daugherty	18 128
Onamus	15	167	Hall	12 121
Henrion	12	164	Atwell	18 105
Billings	18	163	Schulte	18 91
Pauline	18	161	Team	Pts.
R. Cotter	18	161	Precise Tool	20
Menke	18	161	Menke's Super Service	18
Williams	18	160	Farmington Dairy	13
Heaney	15	159	Howard Otis	13
F. Davis	12	159	Earl Vivier	11
B. Schreier	18	159	Farmington Mills	9
L. Cotter	18	157	Farmington State Bank	5
Hamlin	12	157	Individual High	
Spaller	18	156	1st single game, 246, F. Davis.	
Carrier	18	156	2nd single game, 244, Lamb.	
Mass	18	153	1st three games, 609, B. Davis.	
J. Cox	9	162	1st three games, 609, F. Davis.	
Sallow	15	152	2nd three games, 601, Lamb.	

LEGAL HOLIDAY

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1942

THE FARMINGTON STATE BANK

Farmington, Michigan

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The brownies of Troop 4 are doing their bit in the salvage campaign by collecting small scrap from their own homes and their neighbors. They are on the look-out for anything that might have been overlooked in the regular scrap drive—bent nails, old hammer heads, broken alarm clocks, bolts, etc. So if you discover any such items in your home, the brownies will be glad to have them.

Mrs. Leighton Moats, troop leader, also has announced that there is now room in the troop for more brownies. Any little girl who is interested in becoming a brownie will be welcome at the troop meeting, which are held on Friday after school at the school building.

At last week's meeting of Troop

8, plans were made for a halloween party to be held on Thursday, October 29, in the school cafeteria. Priscilla Johnson was appointed chairman of the games committee and Joanne Beach chairman of the refreshments committee.

The pageant, "Girl Scouts Prepared," presented by Girl Scouts from the sixth, seventh and eighth grades, was given Tuesday night at the Eastern Star meeting.

Dr. Adams Speaks Here Next Thursday

Dr. Frank D. Adams of Oak Park, presented by Girl Scouts his popular sermon talks in Farmington next Thursday evening, November 5, at the Universalist Church.

The public is cordially invited to hear him. Service will start at eight o'clock.



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