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SERVICE MEN

The Service Men's Committee of our Association, which sent out packages for almost four years to the boys and girls in service from our community, made possible by the contributions of their neighbors, has had a special medal struck, a medal that is a work of art and admired by all who have seen it.

These medals, upon which the name of the recipient has been inscribed, will be presented at a get-together on Saturday Evening, May 18th at our headquarters. This re-union will be exclusively for the service and ex-service men and women whose names appear on our Honor Roll. We use the word "service" men and women because there are a number still in service and they may be able to arrange a pass or leave to attend. But we wish to emphasize that this is for the boys and girls only and it will give them an opportunity to swap stories.

The Committee has mailed post cards to all and has asked that they be returned without delay. In order to arrange the program for the entire evening, the Committee must know how many will attend. Therefore, get those post cards back AT ONCE.

DRIVE

Our membership drive thus far is meeting with success which is borne out by the fact that over 75 new members were taken into our association at our last meeting and there are about 50 applicants to be acted upon at our next meeting. This will bring our total to well over 300, the highest in the history of our association.

The drive committee has prepared a blueprint showing every home in our community and a sticker has been affixed indicating the home of every member. Inasmuch as our goal is to have every home a member, our efforts will now be exerted to have stickers placed over the bare spots on our blueprint.

CARD PARTY

Absence of the notice giving date of our May afternoon card party was not an oversight. These card parties are held on the first Wednesday of each month and therefore the one for May was held on May 1st and this issue of the "News" was too late to give notice.

The next afternoon card party will be held on June 5th.

DUES

Along with the splendid progress being made in our membership campaign, the matter of payment of dues by our members must also be mentioned.

Although 1946 has gone along only four months, our Treasurer Joseph Simon is elated with the promptness this year's dues have been paid. As a matter of fact he reports that there are very few who have not yet paid. This, we believe, is merely an oversight on the part of those members. Look at your membership card and see whether it is of the current year.

PROCLAMATION

President Truman has proclaimed Sunday, May 12th, as "Mother's Day" and called for its nation-wide observance.

The proclamation said that it was especially appropriate this year after victory "on a thousand momentous fields of battle" that the Country "express the debt of gratitude which each of us owes to his own mother and which we all owe to the mothers of America."

He asked observance of the day with "public and private expressions of honor, reverence and love."

JUST A REMINDER

Like any other day of the year, the last day for the payment of taxes comes and goes. But remember this, if the last day of April passed on without your paying your taxes for the last half of 1945-46, you are being penalized with interest for nonpayment at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the first of April to date of payment.

ON TIME

The wish expressed in our last issue of the "NEWS" to have our meetings get under way as soon after 8 o'clock as possible met with success. Our members assembled early and the meeting adjourned at an early hour.

It is our hope and desire to be able to continue to do this.

NEWS

Announcing the arrival of a baby girl in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Aull of 237th Street. Congratulations to the happy parents.

**NEXT MEETING:
AT HEADQUARTERS,**

**TUESDAY, MAY 7
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2. SUBWAY EXTENSION TO CREEDMOOR.
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5. HIGH SCHOOL FOR EAST END.

H. J. BREININGER **Editor**
A. D. VASKO **Business Mgr.**

THANK YOU!

That hit and miss luncheon and card party held on the afternoon of April 3rd was indeed a grand success.

The quality and quantity of the luncheon that was served remains the talk of the community. The games and the prizes offered, rounded out a most enjoyable afternoon.

We wish to thank the ladies who so kindly prepared and contributed the food. We are also grateful to those who by their attendance, helped to make it a social as well as financial success.

BUS SCHEDULES

In the window of our headquarters and in several of the stores of our community, you will find a time schedule of the buses of the Q-1 Bellerose-Jamaica Line.

These were furnished by the North Shore Bus Co. and will assist our neighbors in arranging their time to meet certain buses.

WORLD WAR I VETS

Remember that you received bonds in lieu of your Adjusted Service Certificate—well, they became due and payable June 30th, 1945. Interest ceased on that date. You are urged to cash these bonds by applying to the post office with your honorable discharge for identification. They will be certified and within a few days you will receive the proceeds by means of a check. Do not hold these bonds but cash them in.

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CONDOLENCES

We note the passing of our neighbor, Richard Flushing of 240th Street. To his bereaved family we offer our heartfelt condolences.

OUR ADVERTISERS

Among the new cards you will find in the pages of this issue are those of the tailoring establishment of William Finn; the Super Screen Co., manufacturers of screens and storm sash and doors; the L Construction Co., general contractors; and Dr. Seldin, our new community dentist.

The Variety Hardware Store is now under new management and has added a line of fertilizers, insecticides and garden supplies.

A GOOD TELEPHONE NUMBER

When you notice a street light near your home out of order, go to a telephone and call STillwell 4-1850. Your call will receive prompt attention.

And if you see anyone breaking or tampering with the street lights, call the police immediately.

Every street light should be lighted every night and reporting a light out of order is rendering a service to yourself, your neighbors and your community.

MORATORIUM

Governor Dewey signed the Janes Bill continuing the mortgage moratorium which began in 1933, until July 1, 1947.

The statute provides that mortgages covered by the moratorium cannot be foreclosed if interest and taxes are paid and 3% annually paid upon the principal.

WARNING

Because of the prevalence of rabies, acting Commissioner of Health Weinstein urged every dog owner to keep his dog on a leash, under control and away from other dogs whenever the dog is in a public place.

The Commissioner emphasized that parents should instruct their children not to pet or play with any dog other than their own pet.

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Our Congressman, Henry J. Latham, has sent us reprints of the Congressional Record of a speech he made in the House of Representatives on "Where Do I Stand?" Says the Veteran and contains much valuable information for veterans. These reprints may be had for the asking at our next meeting.

FOR MOTORISTS

Governor Dewey signed a measure making 50 miles an hour top speed limit on State highways.

But at a conference of city, county and state authorities, the speed limit on parkways in Queens was set at 35 miles per hour. In Nassau and Suffolk Counties the parkway speed limit was set at 40 miles an hour.

DISPLAY THE FLAG

Let's all fly the flag on Memorial Day, May 30th. There is a no more inspiring sight than a community with the Stars and Stripes waving in front of every home

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JUST IN FUN

A fat lady stepped on the scales, not knowing they were out of order, and put in a penny. The scales went to 57 pounds and stopped. A newsboy standing by noticed the situation. "Good night!" he said, "she's hollow!"

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Barber (a beginner): Do you want anything on your face when I finish shaving you?

Customer: Well, I hope you'll have my nose.

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Bobby: "Mama, what is a 'second story man'?"

Mama: "Your father is one. If I don't believe his first story, he always has a second one ready."

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A life insurance agent approached Mose Taylor, a very much married Negro.

"Better let me write you a policy, Mose," he suggested.

"No, suh," said Mose emphatically. "Ah ain't none too safe at home as it is."

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Sherlock Holmes: Ah, Watson, I see you have on your winter underwear.

Watson: Marvelous, Holmes, marvelous!! How did you ever deduce that?

Holmes: You forgot your pants.

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A three-hundred-pound man stood gazing longingly at the enticing display in a haberdasher's window. A friend stopped to inquire if he was thinking of buying the marked-down lavender silk shirt.

"Gosh, no!" replied the fat man, wistfully. "The only thing that fits me ready-made is a handkerchief!"

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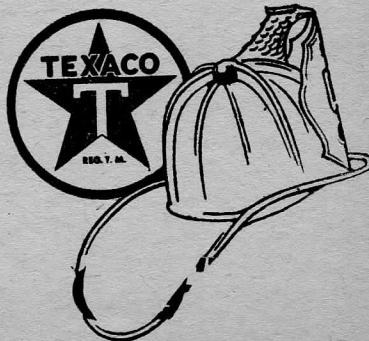
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