

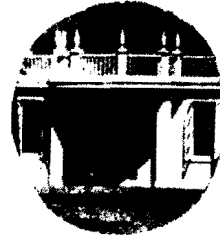
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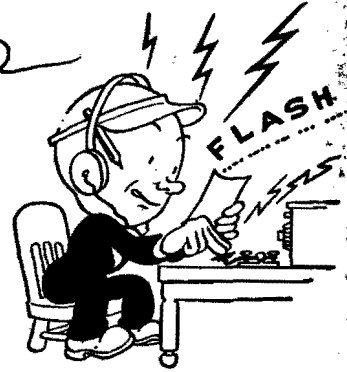
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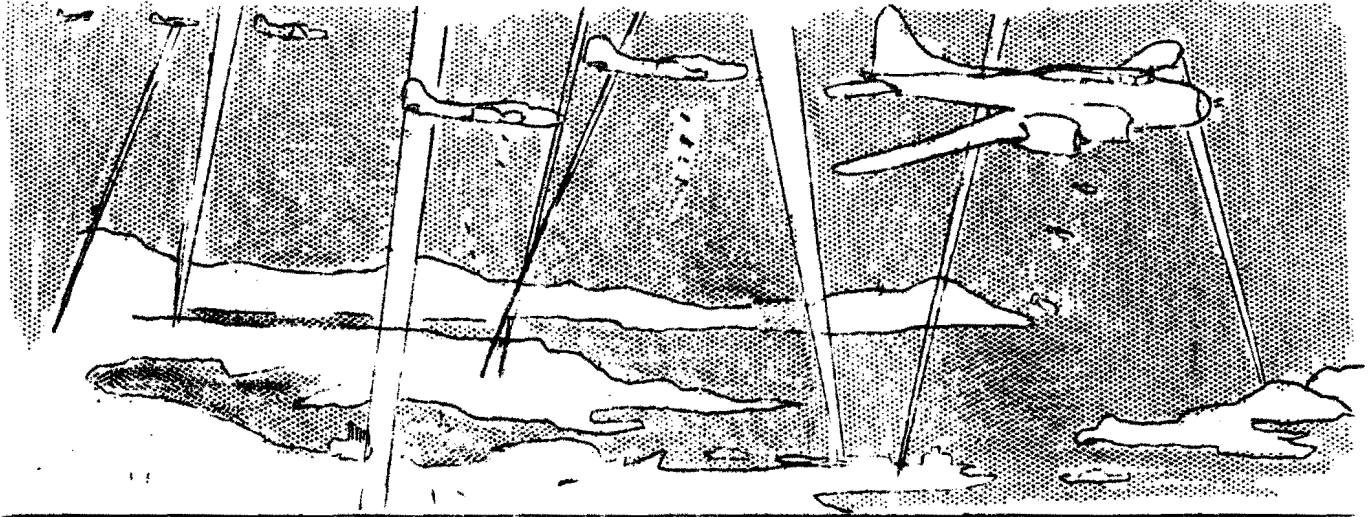
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## BLACK OUT

The blackout of July 24th, 1942, took place at Shoreham at 9:30 P. M. and the all-clear was sounded at 10:45 P. M.

Although it came rather unexpectedly on Friday, due congratulations should be given to all those who took part for keeping their heads, the quickness in reporting to their posts, and their cooperation with our Shoreham Control Center.

The residents of Shoreham also responded with blackouting their homes and keeping off the streets. I might say that one of our residents reported that several houses in Rocky Point on our line were lighted up during the entire blackout.

The first incident occurred on Wardscliff Road about 500 feet north of Fitzgerald Road:

"Small medium sized high explosive bomb exploded in center

of pavement - flying chunks of concrete."

Warden Thomas Miles discovered this incident and sent his messenger to our control center. Telephonist Elise G. Sherman phoned the main control center, Port Jefferson 20, reporting said incident and requesting ambulance, first aider and a road crew. Waiting at the Casualty Station, Evelyn Miles, in charge, heard no word from Port Jefferson ordering First aiders and an ambulance to report to the scene of the incident, so Mrs. Miles, using good judgment ordered First aiders and an ambulance to proceed to said incident.

Warden Paul Horvit then discovered the second incident on Briarcliff Road, and sent his messenger, Ed Barnhart to our control center:

"Medium size bomb exploded near parked car, on Briarcliff Road  
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## SHOREHAMITES



Mr. McCormack will be the guest of Mr. Alfred Varian for the weekend.

Mrs. C. B. McClure of Scarsdale, N. Y. who was the guest of Mrs. C. D. Waters last week, will again be her guest ~~over~~ the week-end.

Mrs. A. J. Cross of Ohio will be the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Cross for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koch are expecting Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Frank of New York to ~~be~~ their guests over the week-end.

Tony Hapgood is staying with his grandmother, Mrs. Hapgood, for the weekend.

Miss Audrey Humbert will have as her guest Miss Mary Rushton (alias Fluffie) of Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. John Madigan of Rockville Center will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Beatty.

Let's all welcome Sgt. Donald MacKinnon!

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus McGahen will have as their guest Mrs. Eleanor Hunt of New York City.

Mrs. and Mrs. Vincent Reilly, who have rented ~~Chander~~ Kenworthy house for the month of August, will have as their guests for the week-end Miss Seal Reilly and Mrs. Charles Reilly of Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Rogers of New York City are expected to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon A. DuCret for the week-end.

Mrs. Fritz will have as her guests for the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Marx.

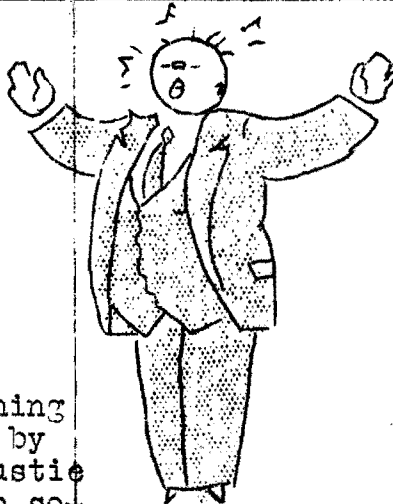
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barnhart are expecting Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Frei and their son Haskell to be their guests over the week-end.

Mrs. Eberhart of Bayside, Mr. and Mrs. Van Sise and Mr. and Mrs. Ridley, all of Huntington and Mrs. E. J. Spontowiz and her daughter will visit the Spontowizs for a week.



### SONG SERVICE

This week the Sunday Evening Song Service will be led by Dr. Frederick W. Finn. Rustie Kerr will sing a baritone solo, Caesar Franks "Paris Angelicus" accompanied by Peggy Haslett at the piano.



## EDITORIAL

We, who still have the privilege of arranging our lives to include a summer of country and seashore, of health and relaxation, can easily forget, in the enjoyment of these things the importance of the part which we, as citizens, continuously play in our nation's struggle.

The Opisto of pleasure is a delightful and necessary one, but it should not oblivate the fact that it is one of the numerous things for which we are fighting. Shoreham means pleasure for all of us, but Shoreham is still an integral part of a nation at war, and is beholden to give its best in both spirit and effort.

Very little is asked of us -- that some of us should give our free time to help in the organization of our local preparedness and defense -- that some shall take active part in the workings of that defense -- that all of us shall willingly and gladly cooperate in perfecting that defense. We may be asked occasionally to give up an hour of our evenings to darkness. An hour is a very short time. France has been in darkness over two years, and France can be delivered. Forty-eight thousand American men have, since December the 7th., 1941 gone into a darkness from which there is no deliverance.

REMEMBER THE SOLDIER!!  
HE LEFT HIS HOME -  
TO DEFEND YOURS!!!!!!

THE END



## MARRIAGE

The marriage of Jean M. Heiruk and William D. Van Arnam, Jr. will be solemnized at twelve o'clock noon on Saturday, the first of August in the First Congregational Church, in Flushing, L.I. A reception for the immediate family will follow at the Sanford Hotel. Billy and his bride will make their home in Baltimore, where Billy is an aeronautical engineer with the Glenn L. Martin Company.

## HORTICULTURE

A good time to prune all the early flowering shrubs, the rambler roses, taking out most of the old canes of each class. Many kinds of perennials especially some Alpine plants clematis and Iris are best planted in the fall, also some varieties of annuals, such as larkspur, calendular, and annual poppies. These annuals should be planted as late as possible so that they will not make a start before frost, and are best grown if seed is grown where it is to grow next year.

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# BLACK OUT

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just west of of the Gully Rd. it shattered glass and broken light wire.

This was reported at once to the Port Jefferson Control Center, again requesting ambulance and First Aid. Mrs. Miles, realizing that no call came through from the Port Jefferson Control Center on the first incident, requested the ambulance driver taking away the casualties from the first incident to the Casualty Station at Rocky Point, to return and render assistance to the victims of the second incident. The casualties of a minor nature were given first aid at the scene of the incident and brought to our local first aid station for further treatment. A road crew arrived rather late to render assistance on Warden-cliff Road.

Although the instructions were to the effect that all incidents were to be reported to the Control Center at Port Jefferson, and this control center would send out proper aid, wish to advise that no ambulance was notified nor were First Aiders, so I hope you will excuse us acting on our own.

As stated before, every one participating did splendid work. Special mention should be given to the Motor Corp. and First Aiders.



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## NOTICE

### BEWARE

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## HORTICULTURE

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Fall is also an accepted time for planting roses, so there is quite a good reason for consulting catalogs right now.

As for poison ivy eradication, an item in the Readers Digest suggests that goats make a very good agent for this, as they are quite fond of eating the leaves. It has been called to the attention of the Horticultural chairman that it would add a nice bit of local color and at the same time solve a most pressing problem, if the Garden Club members would dress up in peasant costumes and herd a small flock of goats up and down the Shoreham streets and other places where the ivy grows rampant, to accomplish this purpose.

## GARDEN CLUB NEWS

The third lesson in flower arrangement will be held Wednesday, August fifth at the Shoreham Country Club. As with all the three last lessons, this will be held with both morning and afternoon sessions, members wishing to avail themselves of Mrs. Erhorn's instruction are urged to spend as much time with her as possible, and do that and, the hospitality committee of the Shoreham Garden Club will furnish coffee for those bringing a box luncheon.

There is but one class, a Victorian arrangement, or as Mrs. Richardson Wright called it, a Buxom Bouquet, which is a large arrangement suitable for a piano, hall table or similar location.

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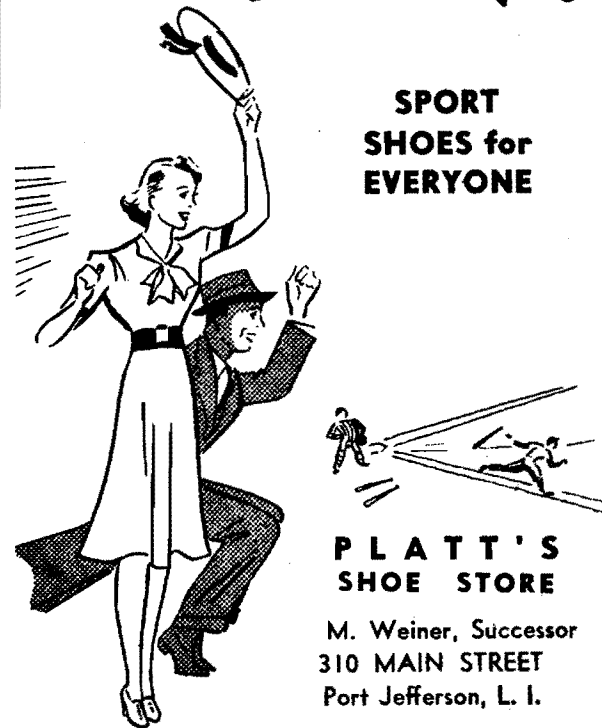
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