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SMOKES FOR SOLDIERS DANCE TONIGHT

Grandyle Village

By Ed Ball

A regular meeting of the Grandyle Property Owners Ass'n was held Wed. Evening, May 10th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kean 22 Love Rd. New members from East Park were welcomed at this time. Matters pertaining to the welfare of the community were discussed. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

Pvt. Alphonse Raeppe has been transferred from Camp Ipton L. I. to Kessler Field, Miss. His new address is: Pvt. Alphonse Raeppe 42094775 — 704 AAF Base Unit Class 260 Section 2 Air Corps Technical School, Kessler Field, Miss. — The cute little twins seen on last Park Rd. are Jimmy and George, sons of Mr. and Mrs. James Kerr. — Mr. and Mrs. Wiley are now occupying the house at Stoney Point and East Park Rd. formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Hansen. — The annual Spring party of the Grandyle Property Owners Ass'n was held on Saturday evening, May 10th at the Grand Island Fire Hall. — Mr. and Mrs. Rolf Buerger are now residing at 47 East Park Road. Other recent arrivals are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Jones and daughters. Also Mr. and Mrs. Torgeir B. Fadum of 53 East Park Rd. who have two sons in active service. Lt. Torgeir B. Fadum Jr. is in the Army Air Force at Charleston, S. C. and Lt. (jr) Hans R. Fadum is stationed Dutch Harbor Alaska. They have a 3rd son

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Tonight at the Fire Hall, Baseline Rd., the Volunteer Firemen will present a dance with proceeds earmarked for the Grand Island Smokes for Soldiers Fund.

Arrangements have been made to have appetizing array of refreshments on hand and round and square dancing will highlight the evening.

The committee will be under the co-chairmanship of Bill Fleming and Ed. Kruse. In charge of the Bar will be Art Kingston with Elmer Fleishman in charge of the lunch.

Your attendance will mean a carton of smokes for some Grand Island Service Man.

G. I. 4-H News

At the first meeting of the G. I. 4-H Club at the Sidway School the following officers and Council members were elected. President: Carol Keppler; vice-pres: Bill Stack, Secretary: Norinne Keppler and Treasurer: Cyrill Rank. Council members are Cecelia Stack and Pat Stack.

Mr. John Walker, 4-H Erie County agent attended and helped organize the club.

Mrs. F. Naomi Loder, local leader was ably assisted by Mrs. Alice Wolf, Mrs. Sally Smith, Mrs. Ellen Turnbull and Mrs. Helen Ball.

The next meeting of the 4-H Club will be held on Monday evening June 5th at 7:30 P. M. in the School Auditorium.

Fill In The Missing Words

Some where in "The Dispatch" are slogans and sentences which will give you the missing words in the following phrases.

The first 5 correct answers to be received at "The Dispatch" office, East River Rd., Grand Island, by mail will receive a pair of Guest Tickets to Basil's LaSalle Theatre. In case of ties decision of the Judges are final. Each answer must be followed by location of passage.

1. For to small supplies.
2. Niagara Frontiers
3. The best that and make possible.
4. Serving the Grand Island.
5. Your jeweler.
6. Inspected and Approved by the America.

SANDY BEACH

By Laura Winters

The contract Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. John Tinnell May 8th. Mrs. Charles Thomas was co-hostess. — Mrs. Calcord of Greenway Rd. has been serving on the jury in Buffalo for the past two weeks. — Mrs. Paul Johnson Jr. and Mrs. Orson Britton, both of Wallace Drive, have just completed their course in the Red Cross Volunteer Nurses Aid. They received their caps this past Thursday. This represents a good many hours of service and we are proud of you, Betty and Trudy. — The Pilgrims Worker class held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Thomas. — The Ladies Organization of the Sandy Beach Yacht Club held their first meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. Wm. Winter of Wallace Drive. It was election of officers and Mrs. Damon Averill of Kenmore is our new president. — Mrs. Ken Kinsey's parents were her guests the week of May 14th in her new home formerly J. C. Janes residence. — Summer can't be too far off, at least Joan Livingstone and Lynn Winter don't think so. They have been swimming already.

SPEEDBOAT REGATTA TO BE HELD AT BEDELL HOUSE

For the first time since the pleasure driving ban on power boats sent the speedsters into dry-dock, the Mercury Power

Boat Club will present a speedboat regatta at the Bedell House Sunday afternoon, June 4th.

Many of the speed demons of other years are in the service of our country, but some of the old timers have gotten together in an effort to keep the sport alive and will be out to do-or-die in anything from a 5 horse power fishing boat to a sleek runabout.

Entries have been received from Patty Fix, Al Manneck, Pete French, Dick Voight, Pete Fekke, Al Bingham, Cowboy Mamhardt, Jimmy Wilson, Bill Dolan, Bud Sullivan, George Schultz, Fred Binger, Ollie Howard and Merle Day.

The Mercury Power Boat Club invites anyone who has a stock boat either outboard or inboard to participate. There will be competition in all classes ranging from 5 horsepower outboards to unlimited inboards.

A basket picnic will wind up the day.

Red Cross to Conduct Aquatic School

For the twenty-third consecutive year, the American National Red Cross is planning to conduct National Aquatic Schools to serve Chapters and their Branches in the training of instructors to carry on First Aid, Water Safety and Accident Prevention programs. Men and women are eligible to enroll in an Aquatic School, provided they plan to serve as instructors in Water Safety, First Aid, and Accident Prevention, are 18 years of age or older, and are in good health and sound physical condition. Each school has a doctor and trained nurse on its staff.

The Aquatic School being conducted this year which is the nearest to this area is at Camp Oneida, Woodgate, N. Y. 30 miles north of Utica, from June 18-28, inclusive. The fee of \$35 which covers board, lodging, textbooks and all materials is assumed by the community Red Cross Branch for any individual interested in going. If there is anyone on Grand Island who would like to take advantage of this training, please call Mrs. W. F. Ness, W. River Road, G. I. 52-F-11 for further particulars.

Three New Members in Fire Co.

Three new members accepted into the G. I. Fire Co. Mr. H. W. Brown, Mr. M. L. Livingston and Mr. H. G. Wilson.

The Board of Directors held a special meeting and all arrangements have been made to start work on the truck garage addition immediately.

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"ORCHID OF THE WEEK"

On Sunday May 14th, Mrs. Mildred Gavett of Wallace Drive lost her purse containing fifty dollars, eye glasses, ration books, licenses, etc. The purse was found by Teddy Kumlander of Baseline road who immediately called Mrs. Gavett and informed her that he had found her lost property. When Mrs. Gavett called at his home to reclaim her lost property Teddy said: "It makes me feel so good to think that I found it and am able to return it to you."

Because of this incident many persons have written to "The Dispatch" and urging that Teddy receive the Orchids of the Week award.

We therefore, award Teddy Kumlander "The Orchid of the Week" and with it a hint that perhaps the person responsible for his natural reaction in respect of other persons property can be traced to his mother, Mrs. Theodore Kumlander, whose home training has produced a fine boy.

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