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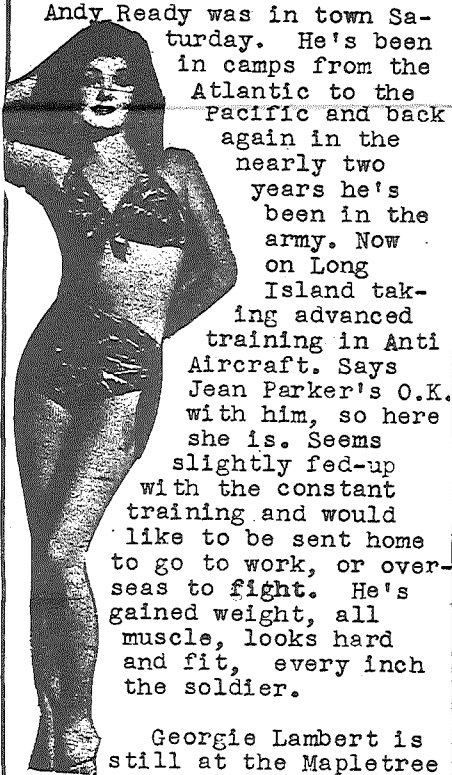
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JUNE, 1944.



Antone and his son, Hock, who is in England.

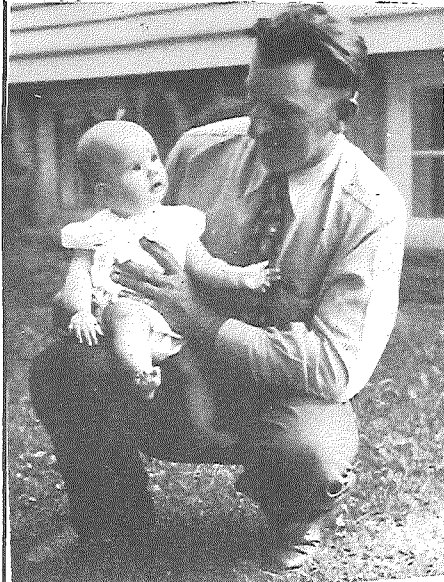
Wally Wrede of the Air Corps was home. Red Miles and George Grabovetz both of the Army were home.



Andy Ready was in town Saturday. He's been in camps from the Atlantic to the Pacific and back again in the nearly two years he's been in the army. Now on Long Island taking advanced training in Anti Aircraft. Says Jean Parker's O.K. with him, so here she is. Seems slightly fed-up with the constant training and would like to be sent home to go to work, or overseas to fight. He's gained weight, all muscle, looks hard and fit, every inch the soldier.

Georgie Lambert is still at the Mapletree Inn. Night manager.

Frank Fedorowicz, husband of Evelyn Umbaugh has returned from England where he has been for the past twenty one months.



Cecil Hoffman and granddaughter Gail - Jack's Dad.

F-A-T-H-E-R'S D-A-Y

Children's Day is in June. So is Father's Day. We bestowed so much praise on Mother in the previous issue, I feel it to be only right and proper that we join in song to Father in this issue. Let's. Here's the only Father's song I know:—

Everybody works but father, and he sits around all day. Sitting by the fire, smoking his pipe of clay. Mother does the housework, the garden's done by Ann. Everybody works in our house, 'cept my old man!

Here's Dad's old pin-up girl; and by way of contrast, we'll show some pin-ups of today.

A note from Lou Mac Donald. He went through the African campaign, the invasion of Sicily, was wounded and with it all, what do you think he wrote? Is the beer holding out O.K., and how is Lank! Pvt. Wm. Potts 32760493 405th Fighter Sq. 371st Grp. APO 595 % Postmaster New York, N.Y. A/C Marvin Henschel Class 44-7 Box F62 V.A.A.F. Victorville, Calif.

Louie, Maplewood Inn, apparently thinks well of tomatoes. (No! We mean the vegetable kind.) He put in 500 plants. Now figuring roughly at 20 tomatoes per plant he'll have ten thousand!

Mr. & Mrs. Story have rented their home for the summer as Mrs. Story is not well enough to stand the commuting. They will just come up to the farm now and again. We shall miss them.



Lloyd Treadway and Bill's bloodhound.

The Women's Club are having their annual luncheon at the Congregational Church this year.

George Apgar is fine, very busy with his work but not too busy to write his mother twice a week. He is getting anxious to get it over with so he can get back to Chester, New Jersey.

Frank Handville has been home for three days. After he left he went to Ann Arbor, Michigan where he will remain for quite some time to study Japanese.

Bob Spencer's mother is visiting with him for the summer months.

Don Burr was home on a furlough. His wife, Billie Worth is playing in the summer presentations at the Paper Mill Playhouse. She had the comedienne lead in "The Red Mill".



Mr. Joseph Bragg and Dudley.

I have been asking Dud Bragg for a picture of himself for I don't know how long. He promised me one before he left from his last furlough, but I still don't have it. Here is the best I can do.

Clark Grady and Jack Hoffman have been trying to find each other in Hawaii. When they get each other's address and get to the place indicated, they are just in time to discover that the other fellow's address has recently changed and he has checked out for other parts. Here are their latest addresses:

Pvt. Clark Grady 42000070 Hq. 1 Bn 55 CA APO 954 % Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.

PFC John C. Hoffman, Jr. 32159979 Co. C 867th Anti Aircraft AWBN APO 244 % Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.



Fred DeHart, Warren's Pop.

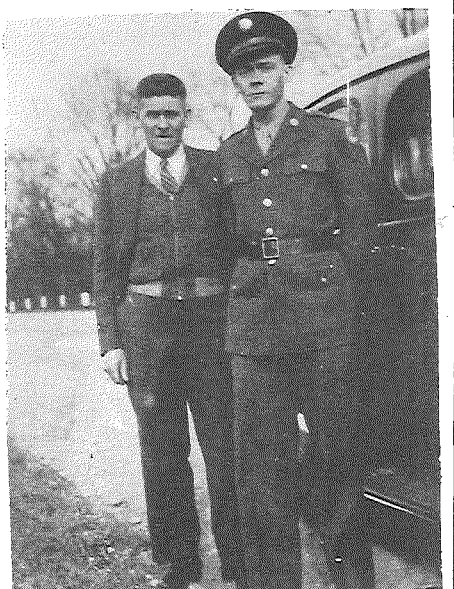
Lapham's dog (Lapham's are the new proprietors of the Birchwood) was killed on the road in front of their house.

Al O'Brien and Dick Shotwell are the latest fathers who had to go from town. Their wives are living together in the John Gray house on the Borie estate. They are managing beautifully with the five youngsters in the one home. Al and Dick were entertained several times before they went in service. It's a hard blow for those two young men to have to leave their lovely little families.

Andrew Crammer Fl/4 Plot. 39 Gr. 145 Div. 20 U.S.N.A.T.B. Camp 2 Ft. Pierce, Fla.

Cpl. Lloyd Ader 32055710 Co E. 60 Inc. APO 9 % Postmaster New York, N. Y.

George Thomson was home for a few days.



Francis Hoffman and his Dad.



Guess who this cutie is? She is Brenda Jane, daughter of Sgt. Geo. M. Apgar, Jr. It was one long year since the 5th of March since she saw her daddy. But her mama takes as many pictures as she can get films so her daddy can watch her grow.

Roxbury played Netcong baseball, Wednesday May 31 Score 10-2 favor Netcong.

The Chester team played one game with Flanders and were beaten 12-8. They have another game scheduled with Fox Hill next Sunday. Bets are being heavily laid in Bunn's store on that game. And no wonder with Bunny the proprietor, and Jean Apgar chief salesgirl. The Chester team consists of anyone who wants to play. They are headed by Capt. Benny Wiles and Asst. Capt. Pappy Thomson. John Steinberg, Jr. has been pitcher and Walt Conklin has been catching. More scores later.

Charles Scribner is in England with the Ninth Air Force. Hasn't seen anyone from home as yet.

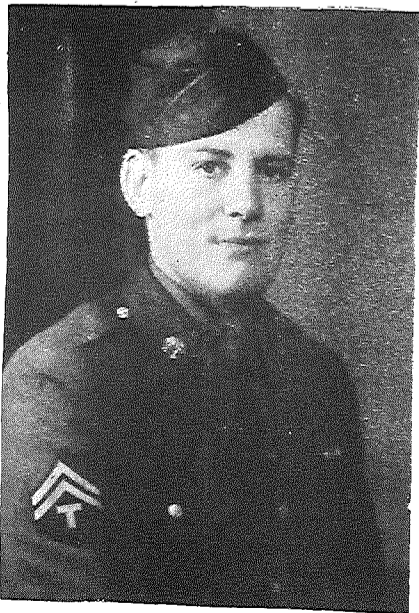
I am so sorry I got some Netcong news in the Chester paper. My classes at school are doing the same thing, that is, sending a service letter to ex-Netcong students and I got the envelopes mixed. Beg your pardon.

One night last week down in Montrose on the Harry Henderson Field, Lewman, Sr. Wright and Henderson's seen playing baseball. What a game!

Mrs. Segur was ill with pneumonia.

Cpl. John E. Moore 12165632 Btry. B. 637 A.A.A. APO 668 % Postmaster New York, N. Y.

Here's his picture.



George Kellett is on an island near Australia, in an isolated place where the natives are all fuzzy-wuzzies. There are no towns near by, nor no radios. All they do in their spare time, is sit in their grass huts, read and write letters home.

Bob Bischoff also received his prize from the party in Chester. He hopes more fellows are as lucky as he and receives an extra ten bucks so easily. He's moved from Washington, D.C. to New Orleans where he is taking a few more weeks of basic training. He then expects to go overseas. He is now in the transportation corps and will direct the flow of traffic from rail, water and highways overseas from ports to the front. It sounds like interesting work.

Pvt. Bernays B. Apgar 42100883 Co D 3rd Bn Repl Regt Inf AGF Repl Depot No. 1 U.S. Army Fort George Meade, Md.

Bernays has been home for ten days and returned to Fort Meade.

Ralph has been receiving the paper regularly in spite of errors in his address, even when he was out in the Tennessee hills on maneuvers for two and one half months. He has one gripe about the paper and that is that it is too small and he'd like more pictures. It's good to see someone's face you know. Ralph has been in service now for eight months and expects a furlough, his first, sometime in the near future. He is a radio repair man in the radio section of the company which also contains wire telephone and teletype repair men. It's no snap but it is interesting and complicated work. Some people have the wrong conception of the signal corps but Ralph explains that signal corps men have to be everything regular soldiers plus a technician. The temperature has been 103 where he is, which is plenty hot.

Cpl. Ralph Shann 42015836 66th Signal Rep. Co. Fort Jackson, S.C.



Capt. Lee L. Galbraith, Battery Commander at Fort Totten, Long Island and his two children. His son, Bill eleven and daughter, Katherine fourteen, who is a student at St. John Baptist School at Mendham. Capt. Galbraith was formerly connected with St. Bernard's school.

Letter from a mountain woman to her son in the Army.

Dear Son:

Your pa has a new job. The first in 20 years. We air a little better of now, War wages \$17.95 every Thursday.

So we thot we would do a little fixin up. We sent to Sears Roebuck for one of them thar new style bathrooms you hear about in them city homes.

It took a plumber to put it in shape. On one side of the room is a great big long thing something like the pigs eat out of. Only you get in it and git washed all over, now over on the other side is a little white thing called a sink for light washing like face and hands.

But over in the other corner, now we really got something thar. This darn thing, you put one foot in, wash it clean and then you pull a chain and you get fresh water for the other foot. Two lids come with this thing, and we ain't had any use for them in the bathroom so I am using one for a breadboard and the other one we framed your grandpaps picture in.

They are awfully nice people to deal with, they even sent us a roll of writing paper with the order.

Take care of yourself son, and write reel soon.

Love, Ma.

Pvt. Lewis H. Hoffman, Jr. 42006123 Class 44-29 H.A.A.F. Harlingen, Texas.

Pvt. George J. Kellett 42012839 270th Repl. Co. APO 711 % Postmaster San Francisco, Calif.

Lewis Hoffman, father of Lew, Jr.



I keep on waking up The night wind begins to blow It rustles the curtains Making a noise like the sea Oh, that those were waves Which could carry you back to me.

Agnes Proctor is the new chairman of a War Executive committee, a new committee formed in the Women's Club necessitated by the war.

A letter from Joe Rosko whose address I cannot print as he is now on a ship. He's well and happy to be getting the paper.

PFC Walter E. Serbe 32594683

Hq. Btry 601st AAA Group Camp Davis, N.C.

Serbe received the paper and got in touch with Andy Rady who is at Fort Fisher, a fact which he gleaned from the HONOR ROLL. He's a bit nearer that generalship now with PFC.

Ed Fleming went on a two hundred mile air corps practice flight.

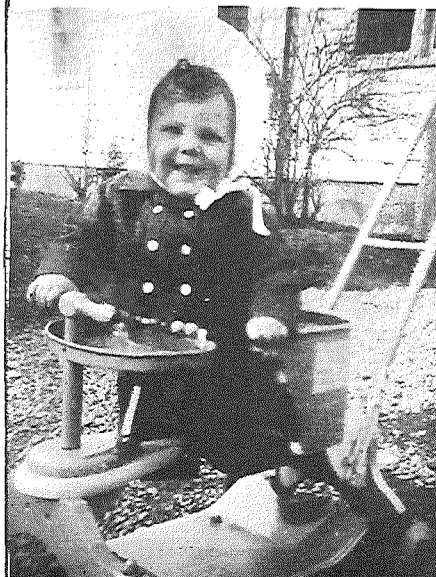
Mahlon Smalley was home for seven days. He returned to Scott Field, Illinois.

Mr. Anson Henry had an accident with his bus. He collided with another car. The bus was laid up for quite a while and the kids had to ride in private cars and the other buses which filled in the gap. No one was in the bus when he had the accident so there were no casualties.

Doc Fry was at the Dentist convention at Atlantic City.

Come on send in your orders for candy. The money is adding up and we must have a request.

Linda June Kellett, granddaughter of Rose Martin and daughter of George Kellett. Linda is now living with her grandparents Mr. & Mrs. Walter McClelland of Mendham, formerly of Chester.





Here's a pretty little English lass, the girl friend of Elvin Hollenbeck.

The June wedding bells are ringing and tolling out the happy greetings to two Chester couples. The Dean's are marrying again. It seems that one member was not going to outdo the other. First, it was Ken and Mary Jane; then, it was Myrt and Teeny; and now it is Gert who will marry Carlos Rockefeller on the fifteenth of June. They will have a quiet wedding and will then move to Carlos home at Tranquillity. Hank Hoffman will also step it off on the tenth of June at Plainfield, to Bea Essig. Bea was a nurse at All Soul's Hospital.

George Schaefer is getting a new car. A '36 Chevy. 'Twill be good for the town twosome. Schaefer and Jean Apgar.

Tandem Club had an outdoor picnic and farewell party for Al O'Brien and Dick Shotwell.

Mrs. Blaine is ill in Somerset Hospital.

Mrs. Pace is also ill in Somerset Hospital.

Art Thompson has been staying at Somerville during the week.

Cpl. Charles Kappes 32770255 Troop E Car Ren. Sq. Atlantic Beach, Florida.

Clinton Firstbrook is now of the Navy at Sampson, New York.

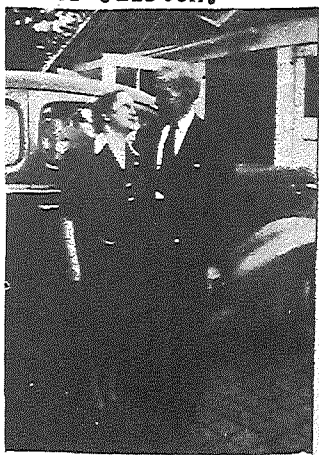
Dick Harding, also of the Navy, has been home on leave.

Joe Culleney was home on furlough.

Mrs. Simpson with her two children has gone to Florida to spend a holiday with her family in that state.

Evelyn and Buddy Croot were home for a few days. They have some handsome pictures of their two babies who are growing up fast.

Harold Waters, father of Clifton.



Lew Biebigheiser visited his brother and sister in Washington, D.C. His sister is with the WAVES and is a storekeeper in Washington. His brother, Tom, who lived with Lew here in Chester for a while and went to Morris-town High School and Morris Junior College, was visiting in Washington prior to being shipped. Tom is in Radar and is in the Signal Corps.

Here is a picture of the three of them.

SOMEWHERE IN IRAN May 16, 1944.

Dear Mae and all the Gang:

This will be just a few lines to thank you for your nice letter and of course the \$10.00 money order which accompanied.

Was glad to read that some of you were still able to get together to celebrate St. Patrick's Day together.

As for being able to use the money here, there isn't a whole lot one can use it for but no doubt I will more than likely use it to purchase some more souvenirs.

As for any news of my service I don't have much to write. I have now been overseas 14 months, 12 of which have been spent on the deserts of Iran. I am located at a spot that is known as the hottest place in the world.

Well, Mae I believe I have written enough for now so I will close hoping that next year I will be able to join you and the rest of the gang on St. Patrick's Day.

Thanks again for your lovely letter and also the money.

Sincerely,
CLIFFORD GARRISON

TEC 4 CLIFFORD J. GARRISON, Jr. 32189929 917th ORD HV AUTO MAINT CO APO 797 % Postmaster New York, N. Y.

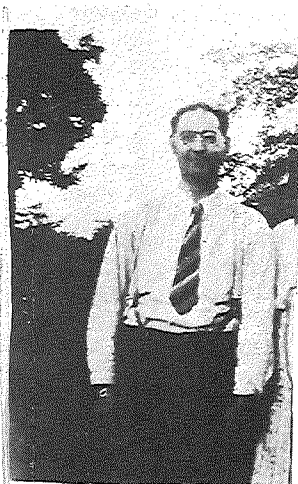
Eddie Higgins has been accepted in the Marines.

Fred White was home on fourteen days leave. He had been in the hospital for three weeks with bad legs and conjunctivitis of the eyes.

Don Manning was home on leave in time to take Betty Cowie to the Prom.

Bob McMurtrie was visiting at Roxbury. He is now in the Navy.

Harry Henderson, Father of Harry Jr. and Emmett.



This lads spent quite a few weekends in Chester while he was at Monmouth and knows quite a few of the Chester folks. His picture:

His poem:

To Bea:

I do believe the Lord above
Created you for me to love.
He picked you out from all the rest
Because He knew I'd love you best.

I once had a heart, both tried and true
But now it's gone from me to you.
Take care of it as I have done.
For you have two, and I have none.

If I go to Heaven and you're not there
I'll print your name on the Golden Stair
And all the angels will know and see
Exactly, Darling, what you mean to me.

If you're not there by Judgment Day
I'll know you went the other way,
I'll give the angels back their wings,
Their golden halo, and everything
And just to show my love is true,
I'll go to Hell, dear, just for you.

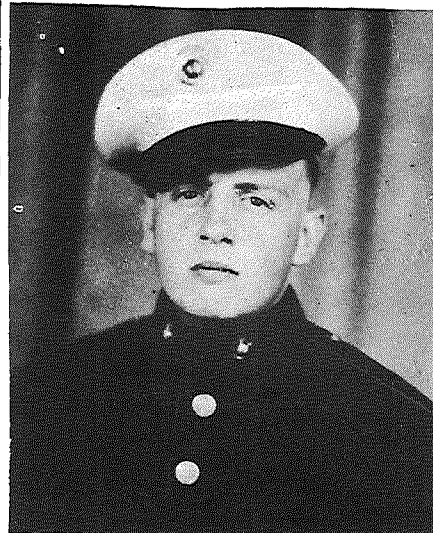
PFC James T. White
S/Sgt Clinton W. Mack 6993480
Section B Plt 1
3701st AAF Base Unit
Amarillo, Texas.

Clinton is still instructing mechanics on one of the big bombers. Note his change of address.

Lloyd Ader is also in England, has visited London and other interesting cities. He also hasn't seen anyone from home but he says it is like hunting for a needle in a haystack as there are so many Americans over there. Castner is still around and they see each other quite often.

PFC Walter J. Hoffman
100th T.C. Sqn.
441st TC Grp
APO 9710 % Postmaster
New York, N.Y.

Lewis Wyckoff



Here is a picture of Albert Smith when he was in the Marines. He has received a medical discharge.

Lonny Thomson was home on leave for two days. He has developed a delicious southern accent that's so thick you can cut it. He recently mashed two fingers when an anchor chain dropped on them. And they tell me those links weigh a hundred pounds a piece. Lonny's getting a bit husky and is nearly six feet tall.

Myrtle and Teeny are moving back to Chester for the summer. They will be living at the Cross Roads. They both beam from ear to ear when they say they are coming back. Think they missed the old town.

Barney Apgar lost ten pounds when he was home on furlough. Now, Clara Mae!

PFC John Biersach
Co D 405 Inf
APO 102
Camp Swift, Texas.

Roxbury had its annual Junior Prom. The

gym was a veritable garden with rustic furniture and a pool in the center of the gym floor. The music was furnished by an all girl orchestra from Wharton. Mr. & Mrs. Adam Martin, Mr. & Mrs. Vin Reilly and Lt. & Mrs. Marshall Evans were the chaperones. The party ended at 11 o'clock so that everyone could leave in time to go down to the Terrace Room and dance again.

Lew Hoffman was home on furlough, for ten days.

This is Charles Calvert, brother of Mrs. Irvin Tredway.

PFC Charles Calvert
15 TSS Brk. 405
Chanute Field, Ill.





Dougie Smith, son of Sgt. Ralph Smith.

Roxbury is having its operetta Friday Night June 2nd. "Blow Me Down" is the name of it.

George Sutton has the captain's part, Dolores Filiberto, Joe Filiberto and Ricky Bryan from town are all taking part in it.

PFC Russell Apgar, 32770208 Company C-58 Med. Trng. Bn. Camp Barclay, Tex.

I started to send Jack Whittington the service letter. This act instantly provoked an answer from him which was most welcome. He gave the news that he had been married on July 3, 1943 to Miss Winona Dalton of Morristown at Lafayette, Indiana. while he was going to Purdue University for naval electrical training.

Marion Waters will graduate on June tenth from Centenary Junior College at Hacketts-town.

Bea is still working at Westinghouse and will go to the shore this weekend for a house party.

Charles Robinson, Jr. married Marjorie Kuepferle on his last furlough.

PFC James L. Tester 12203560 84 Cor RCN Mech. APO 84 Camp Claiborne, La.

Margaret has been in Louisiana with him for the past month.

Pvt. Stanley C. Hollenbeck 32923758 472nd MPEG Co. APO 9943 % Postmaster New York, N. Y.

Wesley Bartow has been discharged from the army for the past six months and is now living at Morris Plains.

Bess Mennen, her son Billie, Dot Morton and son Bob and Mae Call and her two kids saw the Circus at the Garden.

Dan McDonald, Lou's Father.



Al Birkmaier wrote to me congratulating me on the birth of my new son. He got his signals mixed. It was Mrs. Charles Call who deserves the felicitations. Excused. He is now in Ireland, all of a sudden and unexpected like. They flew there and the ride was fun. It was the first time he was up in the air, that is, in a plane. At first, his stomach and he couldn't quite get together, like going over some of those loops on dear old Route 24. He will not be in Ireland long as it is detached service and he'll soon be back where he came from.

I didn't jump with the rest of the crew because I was scared to death. —Lieutenant Jack W. Watson, after he alone had safely piloted his blazing bomber back to England.

HENRY FORD has received a patent for an internal-combustion engine in which each cylinder has two pistons, with crankshafts opposite each piston. When the gas mixture is exploded in the cylinder the pistons are forced away from each other. Essentially it is the familiar V-8 engine, but with four combustion cylinders, instead of eight.



Mr. Barkman, Father of Rad.



Mr. Bischoof, Father of Bob.

Edith Firstbrook Brown sends some news of her and Brownie. They are still in Martinsburg, W. Va. Brownie is a medical supply officer and also officer in charge of the post laundry. Edith has been doing substitute teaching in the various schools throughout the county. Very few of the schools are as well constructed as Chester school. In general, their ways of teaching are not so advanced as in New Jersey either. Before, when all the schools in the county were united under one board, some of them were only open four or five months a year. Now they are open all nine months. She has gone as far as twenty miles to one room schools out over the mountain. They have no telephones, electricity, nor water in their homes nor in the school. But the children there are fine and it is fun working with them. In their spare time, the Brown's indulge in photography. Edith has her brother's dark room equipment with her. And they are now trying their luck with a movie camera.

Her brother, Clinton, has gone into service.

The First Aid Squad has taken eleven people to the hospital. They brought Mrs. Dee home from the hospital a few days ago. They are doing an excellent job. The group of men devotes its time for service and study without any remuneration. It's no small job to be responsible for such an undertaking and I am sure that everyone in town realizes that the fellows should be complimented on their accomplishments. But everything has its humorous side so I shall tell you about one of its most recent incident tests. Frency, the captain of the squad surprised the rest of the gang by calling a "test case". He 'phoned from Muskrat Hotel and said that there was an accident down there. Ducky Covert heard the call and headed for Bill Cox's with the news that there was "A terrible accident over on the hill with a couple of people killed, someone's head cut off and its rolling in the gutter!" Bill



Mr. Cowie, Father of Bob and Bill.

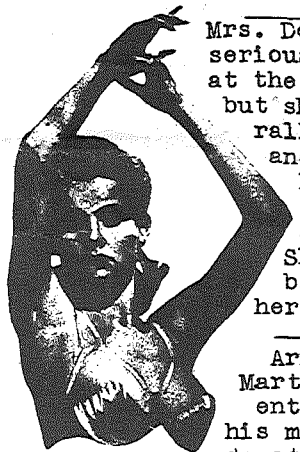


"Grandpa" Rus Apgar & his granddaughter Arlene.

was naturally alarmed and he headed for Muskrat. He stopped at Kossow's, asked them "Where's the accident?" They didn't know. In the meantime, the First Aid Squad was going through its grapevine system of calling the other members of the squad. They didn't know if it were a test case or the real thing. Someone called the State Troopers who were in the patrol car somewhere near Rockaway. They, too, arrived on the scene. The First Aid Squad arrived on the scene, (at least all those who could be reached). They even stopped the wheels of war production by calling John Steinberg at his job over at the Bomb Plant at Fairmount. He arrived in ten minutes flat. The rest of the squad was all on hand in ten minutes. Most of the town was also there thinking the accident was the real thing. I understand the Draft Board even was upset as it, also heard the reverberations of the tale. It is a tale that has its amusing angles but we all know how every fire department in existence has taken its share of ribbing, and we also know the fine job they, too, do when an emergency presents itself. It's the same with the First Aid Squad. When they are needed they are on hand full force.



Bill Smith, Father of Bill & Ralph.



Mrs. Dee was seriously ill at the hospital but she is rallying now and all looks rosy again. She is back at her home.

Arnold Martenis entertained his men friends at his apartment in Morristown. Myrt can cook all right!



The Boy Scouts are still collecting newspapers.

The Gee Haws of the Congregational Church made over thirty dollars on the food sale. The money from this is going to swell that fund for the recreation room in the cellar.

EXHAUSTIVE tests of old and new cures or preventatives for poison ivy poisoning has led Dr. J. B. Howell to the conclusion that only one is of any real value. Experimental studies show that a 10 per cent solution of potassium permanganate, applied within 15 minutes of exposure either prevented the poisoning, or reduced its severity. Other remedies, such as washing with soap and water, or using a 10 per cent ointment or a 10 per cent solution of ferric chloride, or a 10 per cent solution of sodium perborate were comparatively valueless.



With Al O'Brien and Dick Shotwell gone, the Scout troop is again in the hands of Mel Blaufuss and Phil Crammer.

Warren Dehart is now working on 60 calibre machine gun training. When he finishes he will then be placed on a B-29.

Uncle Sam is getting a big man when he gets Joe Filiberto. He's six feet tall and now tips the scale at 204 pounds.

Jack Sparge goes with the next group.

Al Birkmaier has been promoted to Sergeant.

Bill Cowie was moved to Arizona.

GOOD LUCK TO YOU, Mae Call

Spring in Chester April 5th, 1944. The mercury touched 32 June 7th.

