

Those of you who visited the office of Dr. Cowell, the dentist, will remember his assistant, Miss Angela Purcell, of Cooper Road, RFD #1 Plainfield, N. J. She was operated on last month at the Orthopedic Hospital in New York for a serious spinal trouble and is now at home and doing well. She will have a long convalescent period and it would be nice if you guys and gals who know her would drop her a line, for she has lots of time on her hands.

The partiality of our Chit-Chat Editor, Miss Vera Clark, for Navy blue is explained by the recent announcement of her engagement to James Herrick, U. S. Coast Guard, son of Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Herrick of Mountainside.

John Brynildsen has done a nice job, with the help of Bruce Hall, of getting out a picture Honor Roll of the service folks of the Madison Ave Chapel. Among the 36 we recognize a number of Scotch Plains boys. John with the help of several editorial assistants issues a monthly service bulletin for the Chapel servicemen.

WOMAN HELD IN BAIL ON SERIOUS CHARGE.

Charged with performing illegal operations, Mrs. Mary C. Reed, 50, of 313 Cook Avenue, was arraigned before Recorder William R. Buckley on March 3rd and held for action of the Grand Jury. Bail was set at \$10,000.

Six persons were arrested in connection with the case, police say. Arrests were also made in Newark in what police described as "a ring operating in that city, New York and Scotch Plains."

Police charge that patients were brought to Scotch Plains for operations and then were cared for in Newark, operations averaging about one a week and costing from \$50 to \$300.

Two patients were in the house at the time of the raid, police say. One was about to leave for home and

the other was undergoing an operation at the time of the raid. She was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital in Plainfield. Both were held as material witnesses.

SERVICE MEN'S PHOTOS PLACED ON DISPLAY.

A Picture Honor Roll, containing photographs of Scotch Plains service men and women has been placed on display in the window of the Midlin Models at 435 Park Avenue. Sponsored by The Scotch Plainsman, the honor roll contains photographs of 120 of the local boys and girls now in the armed services.

We are making every effort to obtain a picture of every service person in the township in order that the honor roll will be a true picture record of the more than 700 residents now in service. Portraits are preferable, but good snapshots will be accepted and the original copies will be returned to the owners in good condition.

Families of service people are asked to mail the pictures to The Scotch Plainsman, PO Box 473, Scotch Plains, or leave the photographs at Police Headquarters.

In addition for use on the honor roll, the pictures will be used along with a service history of each person in a future issue of The Plainsman.

THE SCOTCH PLAINSMAN AIDS G I VOTE CENSUS IN SCOTCH PLAINS

The Township Committee early in March appointed Ted Swarer to conduct a military census of all service men and women of legal voting age in the township. The information is being sought by the Union County Clerk's Office for the purpose of mailing ballots to all service people. An emergency appropriation of \$200 to cover the cost of the census was voted.

The Scotch Plainsman has made its files available to Ted and he and your Managing Editor have spent several evenings at the latter's home on Raritan Road working up the necessary information.

Address changes of service people should be sent to The Scotch Plainsman, P O Box 473, Scotch Plains, NJ, both for the voting list and for the purpose of insuring the prompt delivery of The Plainsman to your man or girl in service.

The SCOTCH PLAINSMAN is nearing its first birthday - with the mailing of the April issue next month, the first year's subscriptions will expire.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS to canvass EVERY HOME in the Township seeking renewals from those friends who have made these first twelve issues possible and to invite new subscriptions from others.

The small 12¢ profit which each dollar subscription produces, together with the generous contributions of our space sponsors and a host of friends in and out of the Township, enables us to send the paper as 1st class mail each month to nearly 700 service men and women whose names and addresses have been made known to us - all without a penny of cost to the service people.

THE PAY? It's better than money! It's a share in the joy and satisfaction that comes from reading the letters from hundreds of boys and girls in service telling of the happiness and pleasure this monthly message from home brings them and knowing that through your efforts, this has been made possible.

WILL YOU HELP?

Why not volunteer today ----- right NOW while you think of it.

Drop a postcard to THE SCOTCH PLAINSMAN, PO Box 473, Scotch Plains, or phone Elwood Van Allen, Fanwood 2-8288, or Bill Garbe, Westfield 2-4785.



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MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE
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