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SABINE HOUSE COMPLETELY ENCLOSED

Laboratory workers completed the installation of all exterior sheathing on the Sabine house on Saturday and Sunday, February 5 and 6. The cornices were also put in place in preparation for the roof shingling, which will be done some time this week by the Island Asphalt Roofing Company.

Next weekend, provided the roof has been shingled, workers will nail shingles on the sides of the house and garage. There will be work for many, skilled and unskilled, and staff members are urged to call George Wagner, Ext. 2158, and arrange to take part in this project.

Staff members who worked last weekend were:

James Hallock
Bud Lacey
Harold Pfeiffer
Clyde Reed
Lincoln Stoughton
John Giordano
Robert L. Chase
Jack Craig
George Wagner

SCRAP LUMBER AVAILABLE

Scrap lumber is available to all employees from H.K. Ferguson scrap pile. Passes may be obtained from Mr. N. Houston, Bldg. F-4, Monday thru Friday, 8:00 to 4:30 Saturday, 8:00 to 11:00, (Saturday passes must be obtained Friday.)

JUDGES PICK WINNING PHOTOS

John F. Garfield and Robert F. Smith, judges for the Photo Contest, spent several hours Monday evening selecting the prize-winning photos. The final awards were as follows:

Color

1st - Dr. Seymour Katcoff
2nd - John D. Jameson
3rd - Gerald Strickland

Black & White

1st - August Fobjecky
2nd - Lan Mazzarella
3rd - Dr. Robert Ballentine

The prize-winning photographs, as well as all the other photographs that were entered in the contest, will be on display until Friday, February 11, in the lobby of the Research Staff Building, and all staff members are invited to attend.

RIFLE CLUB PLANS .22 CALIBER RANGE

Plans were submitted for a permanent .22 caliber range at the monthly meeting of the Upton Pistol and Rifle Club, which was held on Monday, January 31. Work will be started as soon as weather permits.

A proposed skeet range was also discussed and the Club hopes to be able to proceed with its construction, but can only do so if there is sufficient demand for it. All staff members interested in skeet shooting are urged to call Bob Brouwer, Ext. 2342, for further information.

It was announced at the meeting that arrangements are being made for competitive meets with other Eastern Division teams. The Club has not met in open competition as yet, but hopes to have a full spring, summer and fall program.

Election of officers for the year 1949 will take place at the next regular monthly meeting.

COMING EVENTS

Film Study Group
Presentation -
"The Birth of a
Nation" -
February 21

Choral Group
Spring Concert

DRAMATIC CLUB MEETING, FEB. 11

The BNL Dramatic Club will hold a meeting on Feb. 11 at 12 noon, in the Research Staff Lounge, to discuss future productions.

All members, and any staff members wishing to join the group, are urged to attend.

FACT 'N FISSION

"It is O.K. to love the beauties of the countryside," said the sage of Brookhaven, "but you're taking a long chance if you give them a lift."

O.K. Boys! You split the atom.
Here's a harder task by far.
Invent an easy way to get
The cellophane off a candy bar.

"How I met your mother is not a story for children," a father told his son, "but I'll tell you one thing. It certainly cured me of whistling."

Recently we heard of a man so near-sighted that when he couldn't sleep nights he had to count elephants.

FISHING CLUB TO BE FORMED

A meeting of all staff members interested in forming a Fishing Club will be held at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, February 11, in the lounge of the Research Staff Building. It is urged that all of those interested attend this meeting as there will be a general discussion of the purposes of the club and its future plans. For further information call C. Larson, Ext. 2376.

FURTHER DISCOUNTS OFFERED BY L. C. MAYER

The L. C. Mayer Co. of 545 Fifth Avenue, New York City, has advised that a new catalog offering additional discounts up to 25% will be issued shortly for the purchase of diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, luggage, electrical appliances and giftware by members of BERA. An announcement will be made as soon as the new catalogs have been received.

Incidentally, staff members interested in the purchase of diamonds may make arrangements through R. H. Jones, Ext. 489, to have several items sent here for their approval and inspection.

"LISTENING TO MUSIC" GROUP

The "Listening to Music" Group met for the first time on Tuesday night, February 1, in the Lounge of the Research Staff Building. An interesting program was given, including music by Beethoven, Brahms and Sielbius.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, February 15, at 8 p.m. All interested persons are cordially invited to attend. If any staff member has any comments on the last program, or suggestions for future programs, please contact Merrill N. Lustgarten, Ext. 790.

A minute for safety is better than a month for repairs.

INDOOR TENNIS POPULAR SPORT

The indoor tennis season is in full swing. The court in the Gymnasium is now being used to capacity every Tuesday noon and night. Last week every hour was reserved and many matches which started out as singles frequently became doubles, as additional players dropped in without previous reservations.

Several Spaulding "Mercury" tennis rackets have been ordered and will soon be available for rental by staff members who do not have their own equipment. Dick Vogt has obtained some green tennis balls which show up well against the background of the gray sidewalls of the Gymnasium. Players can, of course, dye their own balls. Dr. Karl Hartzell and Dr. Walter Merkle have found that home-dyed tennis balls are slower and have the advantage of cutting down the speed of the skid bounce, thereby simplifying the problem of timing.

Regular tennis fans at the Gymnasium now include: Katherine Yaw, Marilyn Hoopes, Jean Snover, George Bennett, Abraham Edelman, Karl Hartzell, Walter Merkle, Andrew McReynolds, Leslie Nims and Raymond Davis.

The floor of the Gymnasium has recently been reconditioned under a process that is in wide use for college basketball courts and professional arenas such as Madison Square Garden. The process has the advantage of providing a high gloss
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BNL BOWLING LEAGUES STANDINGS - Feb. 4, 1949

<u>TUESDAY - MEN</u>	<u>W. L.</u>	<u>HIGH TEAM GAME</u>
1. Utilities	51 29	<u>Men</u>
2. Fire Lept.	48 37	
3. Bldgs. & Grnds.	38 37	Fiscal 892
4. Purchasing	38 37	
5. Electronics-B	37 38	<u>Ladies</u>
6. Meteorology	40 45	
7. Photography	30 40	Director's Office 688
8. Mach.Shop-B	28 47	

TUESDAY - LADIES

1. Director's Off.	31 11	<u>Men</u>
2. Accelerator	24 15	A. Dick 591
3. Purchasing-B	29 19	(Mach.Shop-A)
4. Fiscal	25 17	
5. A. E. C.	21 21	<u>Ladies</u>
6. Biology	12 27	
7. Purchasing-A	12 30	V. Peters 504
8. Medical	9 30	(Accelerator)

WEDNESDAY - MEN

1. A. E. C.	56 29	<u>Men</u>
2. Fiscal	45 39	
3. Mach.Shop-A	45 40	R. McKee 231
4. Info. & Pub.	40 45	(Info. & Pub.)
5. Personnel	35 49	
6. Director's Off.	34 51	<u>Ladies</u>

WED.-THURS. - LADIES

1. Biology	20 13	S. Webb 195
2. Communications	16 11	(Communications)
3. Physics	15 15	<u>HIGH INDIVIDUAL AVER.</u>
4. Info. & Pub.	9 18	<u>Men</u>

THURSDAY - MEN

1. Central Drft.	56 24	R. Dvorak 171
2. Paint Shop	50 25	(Electronics-B)
3. Nuclear Reactor	46 39	A. Dick 171
4. Accelerator-A	31 44	(Mach.Shop-A)
5. Accelerator-B	34 56	<u>Ladies</u>
6. Electronics-A	22 53	K. Boysen 138
		(Director's Office)

HIGH TOTALS (WITHOUT HANDICAPS) FOR MATCHES UP TO DATEHIGH TEAM SERIES

<u>Men</u>	
Fiscal	2524
<u>Ladies</u>	
Accelerator	1899

INDOOR TENNIS
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without making the floor slippery. The tennis court is marked out in the center of the Gymnasium floor, which provides ample playing space behind the base lines, and on each side of the doubles' lines.

The fact that showers and the swimming pool are available for use after playing adds to the advantage of having the tennis court located in the Gymnasium.

All staff members are invited to take advantage of the indoor tennis court.

House For Sale

Located in Bellport - Price \$7,995 - Red-shuttered house on south side of Woodland Park Road - Has 4 rooms - 2 bedrooms - 1 bath with plastic tile - Coal heat at present but is equipped for oil - Easily converted - Hot air system with ducts in each room - Electric cook stove - Frigidaire - House is insulated and redecorated except floors - No garage - Built in 1947 - Youngstown kitchen - New Laundromat - Venetian blinds - Screens and storm windows - Dinette and breakfast bar - Inlaid linoleum in kitchen and bath - Full basement - Automatic hot water - Attic but no stairs - Plenty of closet space including coat closet in small front entrance - House is equipped for television and has a set now which can be bought at cost price with the house - Land is graded and seeded and shrubs ordered for spring planting - Size of lot: 100 x 150 ft. - G.I. Mortgage - For further information call the Housing Office, Ext. 2218.

PREFAB BUILDINGS AT DISCOUNT

Any person interested in obtaining a special price on pre-fabricated houses and garages please contact Dick Vogt in the Gym.

DIAGNOSIS IN RHYME

By Joseph C. Allen

CLASSIFIEDFor Sale

Dodge - 5-passenger -
2-door Coupe - \$200 -
J. Trebing, Ext. 684.

1936 terraplane - \$200 -
Can be seen on Saturday -
Call Jerry Bowie, Ext.
2185.

Saddle horse - Gentle -
7 yrs. old - Western sad-
dle and bridle - \$150 -
Call Joe Abrams, Ext.
2463.

New Philco car radio -
Will fit any car - Sacri-
fice - Must sell this week.
Call Bud Lacey, Ext. 541.

Classical and semi-class-
ical records - Records are
from a private collection
and in very good condition.
5 rec. - \$4.25, Regular
Price \$7.25
4 rec. - \$3.50, Regular
Price \$6.00
3 rec. - \$3.00, Regular
Price \$4.75
2 rec. - \$2.00, Regular
Price \$3.50
Call Richard Weiss, Ext.
682 or 2468.

"Hot Point" electric
washing machine - Ex-
cellent condition - Elec-
tric pump and wringer -
Two years old - Call Ext.
396.

1936 Ford Tudor - Excel-
lent mechanical condition-
New paint, shock absorb-
ers, brake lining, distrib-
utor and fuel pump - Good
tires - \$350 - Call Ext.
2123.

Wanted

Jeep trailer (used) - Con-
tact H. Veillette, Ext.
2418.

To join or form car pool
from Blue Point or vicini-
ty to Laboratory - Call
Ernest Courant, Ext. 745
after February 12.

Wanted

A bowler for Biology-A
Women's Team - Wed-
Thurs. League at 5:30
p.m. - Call R. Dumrose,
Ext. 2244.

New Houses For Sale

Twenty new houses are
planned for wooded prop-
erty in East Patchogue.
The location is about a
half mile south of Swezey
Street on the West side of
Pine Neck Avenue. Plots
are 60 x 145 ft., or slight-
ly more than a half-acre.
A model house will be
built, size 24 x 28 ft. with
a full cellar. It is a four
room bungalow having two
bedrooms and bath, living
room and kitchen. Heat is
by hot air, oil fired.
These houses will sell for
\$7,800 with a \$6,300 FHA
first mortgage at 4-1/2%.
Amortization and interest
on this mortgage will cost
about \$35 per month.
Yearly taxes should be
approximately \$60. For
further information, call
the office of E. F. Dal-
masse, Patchogue 76, or
the Housing Office.

FOUND

3 religious medals on link
1 string of pearls
1 maroon cashmere scarf
1 brown leather men's
glove
1 pr. brown leather gloves
(men's)
1 pr. black wool gloves
(men's)
1 pr. red corduroy mit-
tens lined with fur
1 set of keys

F. Feters, Cutting Activi-
ties Chairman:

"I'd like to appoint C.
Larson chairman of the
Fishing Group."

R. Brouwer, Finance
Chairman:

"I object. If he should
ask for money, it would
be larceny."

I have laryngitis, so they
say,
And may not leave the
house today,
Because of "spots" and
"temperature"
And "things" of which
I'm not so sure.
I only know I am not well.
In brief, my friends, I
feel like h---.

I must not talk; it will in-
flame.

The (what-the-devil-is-
its-name?)

I feel a twinge, where
deeply drillin'

The doctor shot the pen-
icillin.

I am confined; my only use
is to absorb pineapple
juice!

Bacteria of hostile type,
Invading gizzard, lights
and tripe,

Have travelled through my
lengthy frame,

Just like the old-time
Army game;

Opposing armies, and, you
see,

The only casualty is me!

Invisible, they live and
move

Along each small canal
and groove,

Producing piercing pain
and ache,

And leave destruction in
their wake.

All this they do, beneath
the skin,

Like Reds who tunnel from
within!

And so, and so, I must lay
by,

With husky voice and
bleary eye;

With aching bones and
fevers heat,

With burning hands and icy
feet.

Oh, what the devil is the
use!

'Tis time for more pine-
apple juice.

--Vineyard Gazette