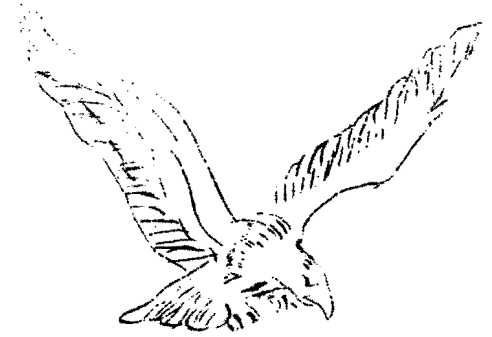
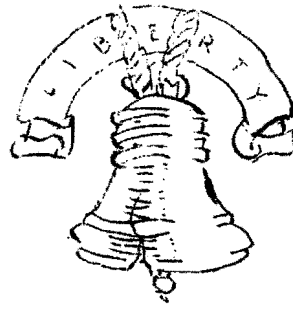


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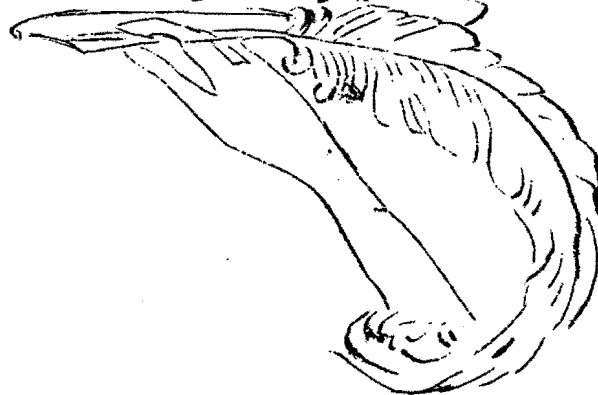


# SHOREHAM ITEM

SHOREHAM LI., N.Y.

JULY 12

## An Invitation



BEACH PARTY  
CLUB BEACH

8:PM Saturday July 14th

Beer - Music - Entertainment  
Bring your own Box  
Supper  
Contribution \$1.00

TOPSEY TURVEY SHOW

Featuring Skelly Rose Lee.

Come see a Topsey Turvey Show  
at the Club House after the Box  
Supper. Every girl will be dressed  
as a boy and every boy will  
be dressed as a girl. COME ONE!  
COME ALL!!!!!!

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:                      At First Sight

I have been invited, very casually, I assure you, to write about five hundred words on "How I Like Shoreham." To refuse even a casual request, seems cowardly to me because my heart has been so full of gladness since I came, that I fear it will burst. I surely owe it to my new neighbors to tell them how happy they have made me, though I despise composition, though I dread seeing myself in print, though I cannot put three words together without getting sloppy. "Sloppy" is my husbands all-inclusive word for the letters I write.

So I begin: wishing I could run away and hide, wishing the Shorehamitem had never been conceived, dreading to say the wrong thing, dreading to bare my soul. The labor pains before the birth of each sentence have begun; the waiting between pains also.

Coming to Shoreham to me has meant a terrific ammount of hard work, such as I had never done before, and didn't know I was capable of doing. Thus I learn that I am much stronger than I suspected and that hard work and deep sleep bring with them a serenity of spirit which cannot be equalled in this world.

And so, having put my house in order, after a fashion, I step outside my door to find Neechie, the like of whom cannot be equalled in the world either. Such a friendly soul, a quick smile, a frank manner of speech! Wasn't that a lucky first acquaintance?

And so for three days, I work and eat and sleep and finally my provisions falling I find the store..... a peculiar store in many ways. Everyone is smiling, so I think my hat must be on crooked and my lipstick smeared. But no, they are smiling because they are taking the time to smile. Here other things seem less important than this. It is so different in the city. There know one has time.

Well, my work is done. I go back to gather my ducklings together to lead them to the new nest. "When can we go swimming? Where's my bathing suit? When can we go? When? When?" Suddenly I realize that all my work and the new nest mean nothing to them. What they want is the water! And quickly! So I drop everything, including the baby, and we go to the beach. Ah! there you have something! But let me not digress! What I think of salt water and sand with tiny toes dipping in both could never be put in five hundred words. At present, the beach keeps them busy and happy and healthy, but I am hoping when the little ones grow up, their summers at Shoreham will have many happy memories and remind them to take time to smile.....

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR con't,

We have had our swim. We are clean and satiny, inside and out, for once we are quiet. Then I know that not only are we quiet but all Shoreham is still. It would be silent were it not for the birds. Good Heavens! We have profaned a bird sanctuary. Here the wrens are busy with their housekeeping and the woodpeckers assert themselves. The jays as usual are out of time. The blue eggs lie broken in the nest and the baby robins have flown away. But not far away. Here is one under the bush, as timed as the little cottontail who is watching us. We must remember to feed the birds when we come during the winter. And next spring we must plant some carrots for the "bummy" as Susan calls him. Next spring! What plans we are making! Perhaps a brave new roof; Perhaps a lawn, grass in place of hay. That would be nice. But first, let us enjoy the summer. "Gather ye rosebuds while ye may!"

It is consummated. Shades of Roger!

How do YOU think I like Shoreham?

D. Queenan

" THE SHOREHAM TENNIS CLUB "

You are requested to support "The Shoreham Tennis Club" in one of two ways.

- (a) Active playing season membership \$2.50
- (b) Supporting patron member \$1.00

Men and women from Shoreham in the armed services, will be given free use of the courts and your patron membership will help to sustain the cost.

Your help is needed as the community is small but the court upkeep is expensive.

Your Tennis Club Membership is entirely separate from the Country Club, so please mail your checks separately and in favor of "The Shoreham Tennis Club"

Frank Heiss  
President

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I am glad to support "The Shoreham Tennis Club"  
and enclose \$ \_\_\_\_\_ as a (playing) member.  
patron

## NEWS OF SERVICE MEN

Pvt. Edward Barnhart, Selma Alabama.

Dear Mom and Dad:

Still have not received that letter you spoke to me about when you last called. The mail is really mixed up between here and New York.

We have an inspecting General on the field now, so everyone is washing, polishing and generally straightening things up. They have a saying down here which pretty well covers the subject. "If it moves salute it! If it does not move pick it up! and if you can't pick it up paint it!" This is just about what we are doing. I am sending home some pictures of the gang I know, and knew. Also some pictures you sent me off Shoreham. Put them in that scrap book, and I will try to get some more. Look around and see if I have a camera, on second thought the fellows down here have enough, I can use theirs.

I hope the furlough comes through in August.

Dear Mom and Dad:

I soloed last Sunday up at Clanton Alabama. It is a small field about forty miles from Selma, and takes about two hours to get to. I have had two hours solo time.

As for my position at Craig Field, well I am still hanging tires.

I am not sure if I will be able to make it home in August.

It is hard to believe that Shoreham is in full swing now, and the Fourth of July will seem just like any other day down here. I will be in a "Big Parade" all right, but not the one Mr Varion leads. Of course that's not so bad at that, when you think about it. What I mean to say is that time doesn't mean anything in the Army. Months that once meant fun and happiness are now just something you must wait to pass, so that you can get a few days home. The time does pass quickly for me too, it's the same routine every day, and they slip by quickly.

Thanks for the big letter! and what is Herbert Frei in? the Army, Navy or what?

Eddie

## NEWS OF SERVICE WOMEN

Lila M. Seals, 1st Lt. Landsberg, Germany

I haven't had letters from home in two weeks. I suppose you expect me to come walking in any day, but the Army does not work that way. I am allowed to send a cable giving the approximate date of arrival- and will be going to Fort Dix from the boat or plane- I hope to fly back-

In spite of five battle stars and 95 discharge points- I will probably complete three years over here. I have stopped stewing about coming home- for there's really nothing I can do about it- I had hoped to spend at least one of the summer months in Shoreham. But please don't expect me till you receive the cable. can't next page

NEWS OF SERVICE WOMEN CON'T

Yesterday I went to Berchtesgaden and Salzburg, Austria. I have never before looked upon such beautiful scenery!

We drove half-way up the mountain to the retreat- which consists of Hitler's-Goering's and Bahrman's homes and Administrative Building- These have all been bombed. Then we drove for 20 minutes further up- got out of the car and walked or climbed up to the top of the mountain where the Eagles Nest is located- This building escaped bombing and is in fine condition. There's a circular room with a tremendous fire-place. Several reading and lounging rooms and a large dining room and a smaller one- a very nice modern kitchen. Although the weather was warm there was snow about.

It was a beautiful clear day and one could see for miles around- Lakes rested between the mountains and snow on their crests. Austria without a doubt has the most beautiful scenery of any country in which I've been- especially if one likes mountains- and I do not particularly.

Germany has excellent high ways- and one can drive for at least one hundred miles without an intersection- They are six-lane highways- the Germans used them for runways for their planes after their airfields were so badly bombed. The planes were hidden in the woods along the highway- yesterday we drove several miles outside of Munich, passing skeletons of planes that had been destroyed along the edge of the woods.

We expect to move back near Heidelberg quite soon. I am looking forward to the move for I have not been in Heidelberg yet. I have friends stationed there and am also looking forward to meeting them again.

I have just received news that I leave tomorrow morning for Cannes on the Riviera. Will be gone about two weeks including travel time. I am terribly excited and busy packing. Will write from there.

June 21 I have just returned from Cannes on the Riviera- I had a splendid holiday and it was especially nice to have a change.

We-(several other nurses) had to drive 200 miles to Strausberg to get the train. From Strausberg we went to Nancy and spent the night. In the afternoon we took a Delsel train to Dijon and changed again for a train to Marseilles. We arrived there at 7 AM next day. We waited in Marseilles until 1 Pm and then took another train for Cannes which required five hours traveling.

We spent seven days in Cannes at a very nice hotel. The Riviera reminds me a lot of Bermuda - only not nearly as nice. The Army has taken over the big hotels at Cannes for the army officers and army nurses and they (the army) have done a wonderful job making it into a recreational area. There's bathing, bicycling - various bus trips to points of interest - dancing every evening

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NEWS OF SERVICE WOMEN Continued

at the hotels - floor shows - movies and plays with actors and actresses from the States. Grace Moore was there while we were. You haven't seen anything until you see a crowd of American soldiers on a holiday - including some Navy - The enlisted men go to Nice and there are accommodations for 12,000. It rather gave one an idea of what the future American Legion conventions will be like.

We were very fortunate in getting a plane ride back in AC-47. We left Cannes at 3 PM - flew over to Nice, then back to Marseilles. We left there at 5 PM and landed 90 miles north of Munich at 8:30 PM. We stayed over night and the next day at the Air Corps Headquarters. We left there at 7PM in a bomber, B-26, flew to Sinz, Austria, then Salzburg, Austria and landed in Munich at 8:30 PM. Quite a contrast to the trip down but I would still rather be in Shoreham now.

Our unit has been transferred from the 7th Army to the 3rd Army so I haven't any idea when I will be home - Those of us who were in the African Campaign will not be going to the Pacific Theater.

Give my greetings to those who still remember me at Shoreham after almost three years absence.

1st Lt. Lila M. Seals A.N.C.  
9th Evac. Hospital, APO 403, New York City

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Pvt. Ed Barnhart A.S.N. 12089808  
Squad C, 2138th B.U. Craig Field  
Selma, Alabama

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HOUSE GUESTS

Mrs. S. G. VanArnam and Miss Jane Van Arnam will spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. VanArnam.

Diana Parsons is visiting Betty Hunter.

The E. W. Olivers are entertaining Mrs. Mimno.

Mrs. John Ferris and Mrs. Bertha Frei are again in Shoreham for a two week stay.

Dr. and Mrs. Geysa Sarkany are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Fee

of the Mount Vernon Fees this coming week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Garvan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zenke last week and Mrs. Revell Bayliss, of Glen Burnie, Maryland, has also been a guest for two weeks.

Mrs. Selden Heatley's mother will be visiting her this week-end.

Mr. Al George's mother is visiting him and his wife Eileen, also his brother, Roy, is aboard.

Mrs. Philip Brooks Robinson of New York will be week-ending with the John Q. Hunsickers.

Mrs. A. C. McGarey and daughter are with Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Ellioi

Dr. and Mrs. Adams are entertaining Capt. and Mrs. Becker, Mr. Ed Stone and Sgt. Arnold Tellefsen

GUESTS FOR THE WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hawkins of St. Augustine, Florida were visiting guests of the Sacketts for the past week. Mrs. Hawkins is the sister of Mrs. Sackett.

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THE SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE

A large crowd turned out for the dance on July 7th. Everyone danced to a band called "The Continental" from Grumman Aircraft, and young and old had an enjoyable evening. Part of the entertainment was supplied by Neechie Jensen who sang old favorites such as: "The Tattooed Lady, The Funnies, and the Cuspadore." She also did "Whistling Sue;" was accompanied by Ivy (Neechie's sister) at the piano.

This Saturday the band will consist of two members of Shoreham's younger group, plus an impersonation show featuring SKELLY ROSE LEE. All this and more will follow the Beach Party on SATURDAY JULY 14, 1945. Everybody is invited to witness and participate in the GALA EVENT.

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NOTICE

PLEASE RETURN ALL PAPER BAGS TO MY STORE AS THERE IS A SHORTAGE OF THEM. WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR COOPERATION.

F. E. BECKWITH



NOTICE

PLEASE BRING ALL YOUR SCRAP PAPER TO THE POLICE STATION ANY TIME!!!!

NOTICE

PLEASE SEND US (THE SHOREHAM ITEM) THE ADRESSESS OF THE MEN & WOMEN OF SHORE-

To REMIND YOU

AS WE SEND THEM FREE

PORT JEFFERSON THEATRE  
Port Jefferson, N.Y.

WEEK OF JULY 13th, 1945

Fri. & Sat.  
July 13-14  
Matinee Saturday 2:30 PM

Monty Woolley - Gracie Fields  
In  
"MOLLY AND ME"

News  
Cartoon  
Short

Bill Elliott - Alice Fleming  
In  
"LONE TEXAS RANGER"

1st Eve. show at 7:00 PM  
2nd Eve. show at 8:45 PM  
Molly & Me shown at 4:03, 7:29 & 10:19 PM  
Lone Texas Ranger shown at 2:59, & 8:46 PM

Sun. Mon. Tues  
July 15-16-17  
Matinee Sunday 2:30 PM

Katherine Hepburn -  
Spencer Tracy

News Cartoon

In

"WITHOUT LOVE"

1st Eve. show at 7:00 PM  
2nd Eve. show at 9:10 PM  
Feature shown at 2:49, 7:19 & 9:29 PM

Wed. & Thurs.  
July 18-19

Fred MacMurray - Joan Leslie

News  
Cartoon  
Selected Shorts

In

"WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE"

1st Eve. show at 7:00 PM  
2nd Eve show at 9:04 PM  
Feature shown at 7:49 & 9:53 PM

COMING:

"THE CLOCK"

Friday and Saturday  
July 20-21

BUY WAR BONDS AT THIS THEATER



Due to a mix-up in New York, the new advertisements that were planned to be published in this issue of the Shoreham item will be omitted. They will be resumed in the following issues. Here is the list of our advertisers.

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W. Fry

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Ed. Olson

Thurber Lumber

Bank Of P. J.

D. T. Bayles and Son

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Okst Liquor Store

Judge's Inn

Hans Hulsmann Liquor Store