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SEVENTEENTH YEAR

DECEMBER 1972

TINSEL BALL

The time has come once again for the annual Tinsel Ball. This shindig is being hosted by Ed Korp and Bill Campbell, and has promises to be one of the better nights of the year... for the last couple of party nights I heard rumbles about the unavailability of guest tickets. Again I urge you to get yours early to avoid being disappointed.

The bill of fare consists of hot hors d'oeuvres, roast beef, dessert and coffee. Music for dancing will be by Francis Murphy and his band, featuring Jerry Romano doing the vocals. All this for the small sum of \$6.00. No wonder the tickets are grabbed up so quickly. Don't forget the date: DECEMBER 9.

ON MEMBERSHIP!

► The reward for good work is *more* work! In 1972 we had a quota of 779. The County credited us with 798. So... *what is our quota for this year?* ... 799

► At the County Meeting held over at Voorheesville on October 26 we handed in 336 memberships for 1973 to take a shaky County lead. Fort Orange with 328 was next; and Scully with 317 was third. Denn Post with a quota of 40 met their quota on the nose.

► Your chairman appreciates your getting those new members and having your 1973 dues on the books. *Keep it up.* DUES ARE DUE FOR 1973! Make the check payable to the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post No. 1040 and mail the \$10 to: Kenneth J. Burns, 78 Hudson Avenue, Delmar, N. Y. 12054.

► A hearty welcome from Blanchard Post to:

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Meet Your Officers

My goodness, it seems our officers are getting better looking as we go along.



KEN BURNS, *Vice Commander*



FRANK ZINI, *Service Officer*

New Year's Eve Party

The New Year's Eve Party on Dec. 31 is rapidly drawing near. I hate to repeat myself but I urge you to get your reservations early. This makes it so much easier for you and the Post. I do not have the full particulars at this time but I am assured that there will be food for the stomach, music for the soul and noisemakers to ring in the New Year!

DECEMBER CALENDAR

- Dec. 9 — Tinsel Ball Dinner and Dance
- 17 — Egg Nog Party
- 23 — Children's Christmas Party
- 31 — New Year's Eve Party

Regular meeting every first and third Monday of each month at 8:30 p.m.

Board of Directors Meeting last Monday of each month at 8 p.m.

ANNUAL CALENDAR

- Jan. 13 — 20 Week Club Party
Dinner Dance
- 20 — German Night Dinner Dance
- Feb. 3 — Indoor Sport Day
- 10 — Valentine's Day Party
Dinner Dance
- Mar. 15 — Back-to-God Breakfast
Family Sunday
- 17 — St. Patrick's Party
Dinner Dance
- Apr. 7 — Welcome Spring Party
Dinner Dance
- 21 — Past Commanders Party
Dinner Dance
- May 25 — Installation of Officers
- 30 — Memorial Day Parade

HAVE A HAPPY

On behalf of the officers, Hank Voorhees, Ken Burns, Ken Havill, Bob Edwards, Dan Lantz and myself, we wish all members of Blanchard Post happy holidays for the coming year.

I am happy to announce that all our Post activities and social events have been terrific and everything is coming along just fine. (Just goes to show what people can do when they put their mind to it!)

This year we seem to have many more younger people joining our Post. Beautiful—for here is where our future officers come from.

Let me not forget the Ladies Auxiliary—Lenore Smith and her staff—for without them times would be more difficult.

May I say again thank you and a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of us to all of you.

Commander Mike Mele

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AUXILIARY NEWS

BY MARCIA TURNER

OFFICERS 1972-1973

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Our regular monthly meeting was held in the Post Rooms on Tuesday, Oct. 17.

Membership Chairman Della Brady was pleased to make the announcement that we have four new members: Lynn Cummings, Lori Whitney, Colleen Havill and a transfer from Tupper Lake Unit—Elizabeth Warden. We welcome these newcomers and hope their association with us will be a pleasant one. It's always nice to see new faces.

Lenore read certificates which had been awarded our Unit by County Chairman Helen Reynolds. It's at this time you realize all the hard work was not in vain.

Those attending the Third District Conference at Winding Brook Country Club from our Unit were: Lenore Smith, Della Brady, Lee Hurley, Maud Hafley, Helen Reynolds and Barbara Palmer.

Card Party Chairman Laura Howard thanked all who helped and said we had added \$107 to our treasury.

Also Laura announced that our raffle for the Tinsel Ball will be something different this year—first prize will be a portable TV and second prize a case of champagne. Many thanks to Bob Sowers of Delmar Appliances for sponsoring the tickets.

Our Rehabilitation Chairman Barbara Palmer said that volunteers are desperately needed at the VA Hospital. Anyone who could spare a few hours during the week would greatly be appreciated. Barbara has been going in once a week to help in the physical therapy room. She said it really is a rewarding experience! If you don't feel you could do anything as strenuous as physical therapy, there are men there who would be happy just to have someone come in and say hello.

Our Gift Shop at the hospital will be December 4 and 5 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Help is needed. Open house will be on the third floor, Sunday, Dec. 3 from 2 to 4 p.m. If you've never been in to see Gift Shop—try to get there this year—it's the true meaning of Christmas.

Coupon Chairman Helen Quinn read the list of coupons and stamps collected by the Auxiliary. The list reads:

Coupons: Mrs. Filbert's Margarine, Gold Seal (Penny Pet Prod.), Betty Crocker, Grandma's Molasses, Krey Meat Products, Red Scissors, Linit Starch, Kirk/Octagon Products.

Stamps: Plaid, Triple S, King Korn, Top Value, GO (gasoline), Gold Star, S&H, Merchants Green Stamps, Gold Bond.

Cigarette Coupons: Raleigh, Belair, Old Gold, Philip Morris, Galaxy, Alpine and Chesterfield.

The notice on the bulletin read in part "Our American Legion Auxiliary receives cash and valuable merchandise for the coupons we clip and save. The more coupons we get, the more help we can give our infirmity at Tupper Lake."

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WELL DESERVED PLAUDITS

International Nite has come and gone. Everyone had a fine time, enjoying the decorations, food, and dancing. In all our parties a tremendous amount of preparation and effort is necessary to make these affairs successful.

The committee responsible for this dinner dance deserves recognition. Co-chairman Freda Sherman was in charge of decorations, assisted by Ronnie and Warren Moessner and Barbara and Jack Selig. Ted Sherman was Maitre D in charge of reservations. Barbara Whitney guarded the ticket window while Rollie Whitney supervised the cleanup detail; then Jack, Della and son Mark Brady manned the "China Clipper" (dish-washer). The bandstand—"Good Ship Blanchard"—decorations were the combined effort of the Erlichmans (Wally, Roxy and their sons Jim and Joe). Mary Kaplan, among other jobs, ran the 50-50 Club raffle. This then was another instance of the Legion and the Auxiliary working together for the good of Blanchard Post. The excellent "Steamship Round Roast" was prepared and served by Al Stiglmeier of Homestead Caterers.

Sid Kaplan, Chmn.

(Yeah, and you did a good job, too, Sid. Ed.)

MANY THANKS

Well, Italian Night has come and gone and is now part of Post history. The following are some of the wonderful people who helped make this night a success:

Phil Giacone, George Clouthier, Bob Fraim, Nick De Bias, Nick De Angelo, Frank Miano, Ray Callagan, Mike Mele, Bob Edwards, Jack Chetney, Ed Yanni, Bill Blanchard, Jim Blanchard, Rusty Miller, Gus Williams, Fred Grasser, Bob Montgomery, Red Kernahan, Ken Havill, Roland Whitney, Al Vanderwood, Dick Dalton and Barbara Whitney, Pat Havill, Ann Carroll, Ann Williams, Noreen Giacone, Bernice Lawson, Ruth Dalton, Laura Howard, Marilyn Blanchard and Mary Blanchard.

It sure takes quite a few people to put one of these affairs on. To each and every one... *thank you!*

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BEYOND THE POST

By Al Woehrl

From some of our old-timers we hear that Blanchard Post, when it was formed over 40 years ago, had attendance at meetings of twice the number of those who now attend. Also, a much larger share of the Post's membership took an active part in the operations whether it be social, business or for the good of the Legion. Presently, about five percent of our 800 members come to Post meetings. Not many more participate in the workings of the Post. (It was good to see at the Nov. 6 Post meeting about a third of those present are from the latest (Vietnam) eligible group for membership.)

It is the custom at our Post when a new member is officially initiated into the American Legion for the Commander to give the new Legionnaire a formal welcome and cite the opportunity for the newcomer to serve on any of the various committees in the Post.

The "bible" for operating a Post is the "Post Commander's Guide." In it there is a section dealing with Post committees. Its application follows the guidelines for National as well as Department (State), District and County levels of the American Legion.

Higher Echelon Committees

In addition to their executive committees Albany County and the Third District each have 26 committees of which the titles and functions of 17 are identical. They are (alphabetically) Americanism, Baseball, Bowling, Boy Scouts,

Boys' State, Children and Youth, Civil Service, Credentials, Distinguished Guests, Graves Registration, Legislative, Membership, Mountain Camp, Oratorical, Public Relations, Rehabilitation and Special Activities.

Beyond the Post level membership on a higher level committee is open to any Legionnaire who wishes to serve and the County, District or Department Commander finds there is an opening on the committee.

The nine District committees which have no County counterpart are Contest Supervisor (concerned with the drum and bugle and other contests held during the Department Convention), Education and Scholarship, Emergency and Disaster, Employment, Foreign Relations, National Security, Post Publications, Sons of the American Legion, and Stamps for Hospitalized Veterans.

District committees generally are comprised of a member representing each of the seven counties in the District plus a chairman, most frequently a County representative, and occasionally a co-chairman who may or may not be a County representative. It is the responsibility of the District Committee Chairman to coordinate and advance the programs of the American Legion with which the committee is involved with the other members of the committee who in turn are expected to communicate with the Posts in their respective counties.

County Committees

The nine County committees which have no District counterpart are Audit and Finance, Blood Bank, Boys Club, Color Guard, Constitution and By-Laws, Indoor Sports, Law and Order, Resolutions, and VA (Hospital VS Representative). In addition there is a special committee concerned with annually preparing for the visitation (dinner meeting) of the Department Commander (traditionally held at Scully Post in Albany).

For each County committee there is a chairman and recently, to encourage more Legion members to get involved co chairmen were named. It is the responsibility of the County chairmen to encourage interest and activity in programs of the American Legion in the 29 Posts in Albany County.

It is the responsibility of all commanders, at all levels, and the chairmen for those committees required to do so to submit reports, even if negative, by the end of the Legion year which usually is in mid-June when the County convention occurs which is about a month prior to the Department Convention which is a month before the National Convention.

Post Committees

In Blanchard Post there are two officiating bodies. One is the Board of Directors (formerly the Executive Committee) which has a chairman and of which one of the members is the commander. The other is the Post Affairs Committee of which the commander is the chairman

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... and a big welcome from the League to Jim BERRY... sorry Al GREENWOOD had to drop out... and a fast recovery to Fred BUKER and Bill VOLK... and how about them fancy shots this year! — Ray BENDER and Milt ANDRE making the 6-7 split! Dan the Giffer LANTZ making the 4-6 split and Hank RISTAU converting the 4-7-9-10 split... and what about that Infantry team with four (count 'em) southpaw bowlers in Ollie PALMER, Vern EAGAN, Bud MOSMEN and Bill CAMPBELL. The only Infantryman heaving from the starboard side is Captain Tom FOY... and when they refer to Medics as B.P.'s they don't mean British Petroleum... and three rousing huzzahs for the great job done on marking the parking lot by Gus WILLIAMS, Bill DONNELLY, Rollie WHITNEY and their buddy who's name I'll git und put in der next issue, by golly!... and our eminent V. Prez Bill MITCHELL is right on the ball announcing that the Annual Banquet & Dance will be held at HOJO's in East Greenbush... and a champagne-doff to Milt ANDRE in not only keeping the League full but having the substitutes every week... and a right-on, Lad to Frank FUTIA for the record breaking Italian Night... and when the 100-year-old was asked his secret for long living he said, "I hain't never held with much washin'"... and to Rose FOY—bear with us, we'll git ya them 1040 Times yet!... 'n how come I said Earl COOPER a couple months ago instead of Earl HOFFMAN... and a man who does so much for County Legion and is "Mr. Patience himself" is our buddy Jim FARRELL, that's who!... and the Duster like Snoopy in hiz Sop-with Camel, got shot down in flames! That'll teach ya, Duster, ta sound off!... good ta see Skip "rolla-bowla-ball" LARKIN back at Fish-Nite Kegling... and when we gonna git Walt "The Cooker" VAN WORMER back in the League?... and a hearty congratulation to Phil LEE on being elected a Vice Prez in that Roads-Bridges-Tunnels Association... and how about Bill CAMPBELL zooming right up there with that 234 single... and when da youse think the music will start on Saturday night?... and a plague on whoever stuck that Shoes-Booze doggerel in my column for Nov. '72. I can get into enough trouble, and am senile enough without your help... and I bet George FEIDEN knows Long Island better than the natives... and certainly it's always a pleasure to see Buffalo Bob STRICKLAND around... and always a nice foursome in the

Post are Ann, Doris, Harold and Joe REOHR... AND JUDGING BY THE WEATHER I bet that Ray CALLAGAN has been doin' a few more rain dances!... so until we ring the bells on another New Year, remember—sometimes the things we argue about the loudest are the things we know the least about!

The 'Shot-Down' Gutter Duster

TEAM STANDINGS

	H.S.	H.T.	Pts.	W	L	Pins
Marines	838	2461	22	16	8	18612
Army	827	2379	20	15	9	18265
Navy	829	2403	17	12	12	18374
Infantry	932	2521	16	13	11	18726
Medics	884	2372	16	12	12	18340
Tanks	844	2406	14	12	12	17891
Air Force	861	2446	13	10	14	17865
Coast Guard	862	2443	10	7	17	18244

INDIVIDUAL STANDINGS

Class A

	Games	H.S.	H.T.	Avg.
O. Palmer	20	223	580	172
R. Bender	24	226	607	170
W. Johnson	18	200	552	169
C. Larkin	9	211	539	168
D. Lantz	21	205	564	167
A. Tangora	20	197	558	167
T. Foy	24	210	541	166
G. Roach	24	206	558	165
E. Korp	20	202	522	164
J. Aupperle	18	209	554	163
J. Berry	3	186	491	163
K. Havill	24	212	526	162
M. Andre	24	203	566	162
A. Pugliese	18	205	512	161
J. Cummings	21	190	518	161
R. Whitney	21	201	511	157
W. Berry	24	192	539	155
W. Mitchell	18	215	531	152
W. Campbell	18	234	558	152
J. Pauquette	24	209	548	151

Class B

J. Donnelly	22	200	490	151
H. Ristau	21	194	497	151
D. Roach	18	182	508	150
A. Mosmen	21	194	514	148
A. Beckmann	18	181	499	147
E. Vail	24	175	479	147
J. Marino	24	218	515	146
W. Roach	24	187	467	144
J. Haker	24	170	492	143
J. Brady	24	187	473	142
V. Eagan	21	220	477	141
K. Burns	24	205	489	141
W. Alwell	24	196	537	140
A. Vanderwood	24	186	482	138
G. Butman	24	176	469	138
G. Feiden	18	175	448	137
M. Dybas	24	170	452	135
R. Cole	18	188	470	132
L. Monette	21	178	414	124
H. Stowers	24	143	381	111

Another Winner

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Sick Call

Sorry to report George Reeber has been hospitalized, but it's for certain George will be up and around in no time! You can't keep a good man down plus he's our fantastic Flag Chairman.

Arthur Maloy is also hospitalized.

It is difficult to keep an up-to-date list of members hospitalized as, at times, the patient is sometimes home before we are told of his illness. Sick Call Chairman sends a card of good wishes immediately

when informed of a member's illness, but it would be most meaningful if the ailing comrade was remembered with cards or possibly visits from other members. A list is posted on the bulletin board and if you know of someone not listed, please add the name and hospital. Also when in doubt as to whether or not a member has been released from a hospital, a card of "good cheer" can be sent to his home address. *Hugh Stowers*

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I am happy to report in this issue that on Friday nights (I am told) one may order and get a sandwich. It just goes to show what a little "bellyachin" will do. I also hear that we even have a "mike" downstairs so that we can hear the announcements. Man, this is living, eh! One of the fellas to thank for this is our Commander, Mike Mele. Thanks, Mike!

Now I must vent a rumble. I hear tell that many members are itching for some music in the Post Lounge for Saturday night. Evidently these members love the Post so much they wish to come back on Saturday night. Well, I say good. This sounds like a good idea. What do you say Mike, how about pushing this thought for us?

You know, this my fourth issue coming up, and I'm still waiting for someone to give me a "squawk" to be printed. What do you say fellas, how about some help with this article. This is not a one or two man publication. Each of us must have some gripe or idea he would like to pass on. Put your comments on paper and leave them at the bar marked 1040 Times. Okay! *Ed.*

Taps

We mourn our departed comrade Fred. T. Burleigh and extend our sincere sympathy to his widow and family.

BEYOND THE POST

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and the other members are the Post elected officers and those committee chairmen invited by the commander to attend. The 17 committee chairmen so named by Commander Michael Mele for this year are:

Americanism	Charles J. O'Hara
Baseball	Ernest Gall
Bowling	Kenneth J. Burns
Boys' State	Philip Lee
Color Guard	Donald J. Smith
Flags	John J. Brady, Sr.
Graves Registration	Arthur J. Quinn
Historian	Warren D. Moessner
Mt. Camp & Mountaineers	Robert J. Smith
Oratorical	William J. Blanchard
Parade (Memorial Day)	Alexander J. Woehle
Publicity	Edward M. Korp
Refreshments	Oliver H. Palmer
Service Officer (Rehabilitation)	William F. Davidson
Sick Call	Albert T. Davis
Special Activities	Frank Zini
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If this article can encourage any non-active member of Blanchard Post to get involved in American Legion programs it will have served its purpose. Should the spirit move you, all you have to do is make your interest known to Commander Mele, any of the Post Officers or the chairmen of any of these committees.

The happy winner of the 50/50 drawing on November 3 was Mary LaFleur.

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