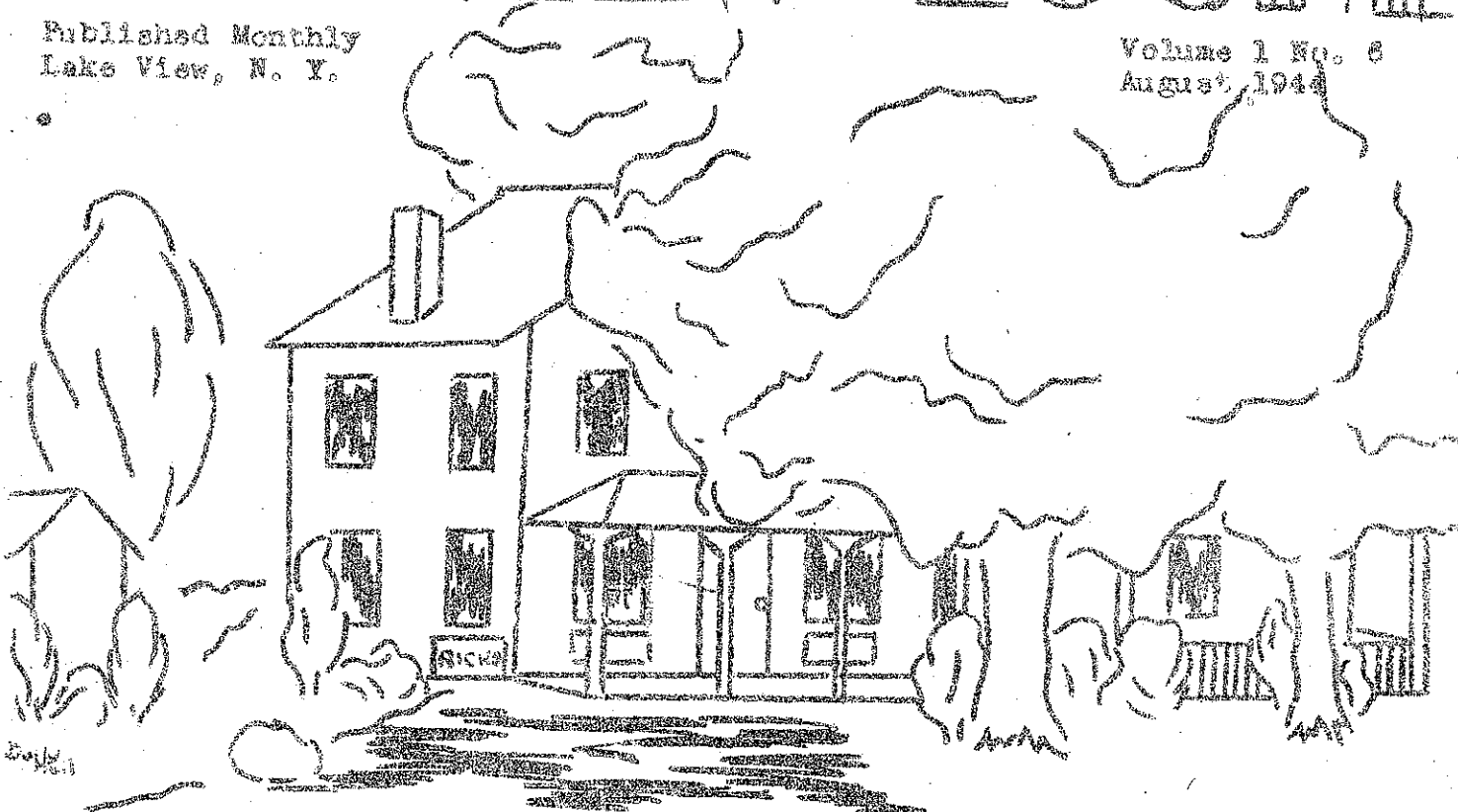


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To the Dove of Peace. May he fly so hard getting here  
that he will have to stay a long while to rest up.

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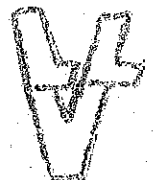
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Indeed I feel honored to have the privilege in sending  
a message to the boys and girls from Lake View serving their  
country. We do miss you, but we do not forget.

We earnestly pray for Victory Day and the time when you  
will all be marching home again to enjoy the American way of  
life for which you have made so many sacrifices.

Mrs. Augusta K. Slotman



Victor Corff writes:

Suppose you would all like to know what I am doing. I guess you would call me a member of the "Chair borne Infantry." I have been doing clerical work ever since my 5th day in England. It isn't a rough life but you still get a little H.T.O. happy.

Editors note:

We are curious to know what H.T.O. means. Will somebody help us out?

Jack Wilson wants to know:

How is the ball team? (and you should have one as the draft board isn't down to that age yet) If you need a 1st sacker I can secure one out here and come back to the states. (He is in the South Pacific.) Things have gone swell for me since I joined in 1940 and I have made good advancements.

Charles Coniglio informs us:

Nothing new here, but you can give the South back to the Indians. I'm in training down here (N.C.) while the fighting Coniglies are really doing the fighting. All I do is fly in planes and shoot all day.

We received a letter from Frank Melar saying that he arrived safely in Italy.

Jim Mingoia (Louisiana)

I am pleased to see that the boys I once knew who are fighting & sweating it out in battle all over the world are holding high ratings and doing well. Not much to say for myself for we are only "Fill Rollers" ----just rolling behind the Infantry.

Johanny Dean states:

A while ago we returned to our base after 3 months in the jungle. To my surprise I found that there is still white bread & ice cold water. That makes a difference when it comes to eating our favorite "C" rations.

Maile Hall:  
Greetings from

Saipan Island.  
One thing I would like to know is how all those gals

and fellows from L.V. in the service get all those furloughs. Boy! I could use one. I tried my darndest to name a street over here after our town but there's no lakes.

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Editors note:

Wally Pierle & Eddie are still together on Saipan amidst all the battle..Jap snipers & bombs were hot on their trail for a while. It didn't take Eddie long to get one good truck running though it did take one whole day to patch up the bullet holes.

Bob Beckman says:

I met Barry Patter on the G.I. boat over. We had a round table discussion every day and neither of us got seasick. Barry & I had hoped to drink a few warm brews together only we were split up along the line. The country over here is very agreeable and so are the English girls.

Chick Malinowski (India)

I lost track of all my buddies until I received the L.V.L. Its swell to know whats going on in good old Lake View. It takes me right back there when I read the paper.

Stewart Grant (U.S.S. Windsor)

Out here a newspaper with news from home is a real treat believe me. It tells a fellow that everyone is behind him in helping to make the war shorter, so all the boys can come home again & live as they did before.

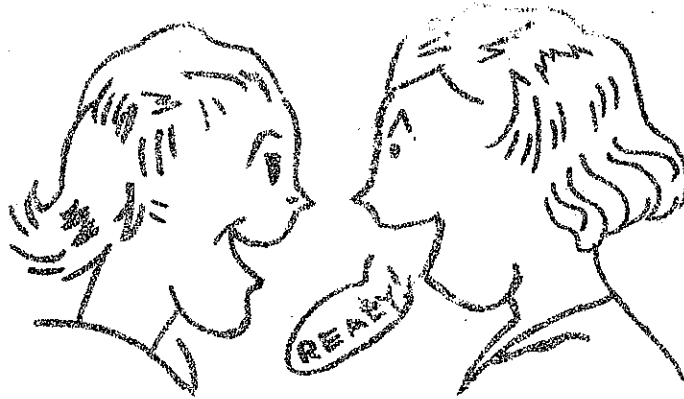
Howard Haberman:

It sure does seem good to hear from the town, even if we have moved out from there.

Joe Heiderman: (Texas)

This flying is the nuts, Gang! Some day I'm going to buy one of these "flying crates" for myself, after Hirohito & Adolph are a good 5 feet below the terra firma.

...  
taken a look-see at  
little CeCe Hummel  
(Gene & Cecelia's off-  
spring) at the Cong.  
Church lawn fete.  
After an evenings  
entertainment of  
singing & dancing  
given by a group of  
young artists from  
Buffalo, CeCe decided  
she would give her  
first performance  
on the stage. Every  
body applauded too!



...  
in town have ripe  
tomatoes on their  
vines. The only  
trouble is they were  
tied on. W&W wonder  
how that could have  
happened!

Roy McAllister is  
home from college for  
the week-end. His  
classmates played a  
brick on him, and as  
a result he had to  
borrow some trousers to  
wear home.

Instead of having a lawn fete,  
this year, the catholic Church took  
up a collection. Over a thousand  
dollars was donated.

The other day a passerby happened to  
notice our friend, Ted Huebner hard  
at work on his new job as janitor  
of the firehall, stretched out on  
the lawn sound asleep. Guess thats  
how he manages to keep young.

Rev. Thomas Conner, cousin of  
Gert, Sam, Paul, & Bob Beckman read  
mass at Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
Church Sunday the 13th & offered it  
up for their safe return.

The grumbling heard in L.V. about  
4:30 P.M. is nothing less than Fred Green  
Al Fierle, Bob Kohlan, & Bob Jameson  
decked out in their R.R. best. As  
you have probably gathered they work  
on the N.Y.C. OH yes! an added  
attraction of about 5 inches of dirt  
is included.

A bundle from heaven was left at  
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Grub's home. Its a  
baby boy (Donald Charles).

Mr. & Mrs. Bob Mayer have also  
got a baby boy. (Robert Michael)  
Correction: The Morrow B-Boys name  
is Douglas, Not Timothy as we printed  
in our last issue. Sorry, our error.

Did you know that Joe Rouch is build-  
ing an addition on his air raid shelter?  
Theres nothing like being prepared.

Vacation time is here. Thought maybe  
you would like to hear where some  
of us spent our time off in the record  
breaking heat.

Mrs. Charles Spittler & Bud spent  
a week end with Mr. & Mrs. Gene Wetter  
on Lake Champlain. (It was Buddy's first  
train ride.)

The 2 Malinewski girls (Jeanette & Agnes)  
and Mary Sueraki put on their Sunday  
best and took a trip to Toronto.

The Fred Green family packed their  
baggage & hit the trail to Allegany  
State Park.

Your Co-editors also camped there  
for a few days. Ouch, so you think  
you have it tough. You should see us  
rough it. You ought to taste our  
soaking???

Rich ran out of gas and the old MODEL A  
spent the nite in Malinewski's ditch.  
There is a shortage----you know.

At first we thought we were seeing  
things. Then it seemed a certainty---  
and it was. A two-man fire dept  
(Chief Spittler & Asst. Chief  
Ziegelhofer) putting out a fire at  
the flatiron. They had to shine the  
spotlight on the firetruck to find it.  
It turned out to be only a burning stump.

One thing you must remember is  
Crystal Beach. The old Canadiana still  
carries passengers back & forth & its  
really loaded down this year.

Don Chilson is new in Southern Italy. He has been promoted to S/Sgt. and has been awarded the air medal. Don is also working on his 3rd Oak Leaf Cluster and his squadron has received 2 citations from the gov't.

There was organized confusion the other night when some of us stayed up past our bed time (11:00) to see Joe Heiderman fly over our burg in his plane en route to his camp. They even forget to roll up the sidewalks.

Sgt. Leo Walterich of Lake View has been reported wounded in the Mediterranean area.

The Abr family have also been informed by the war dep't that Louis is missing in action over Yugoslavia. He was stationed in Italy. We are all hoping and praying for his safe return.

Well another one of our boys, Norm Nielsen, has left for the service. You guessed it. Its the Navy.

Radio Smaraki sure has some experience to tell about after his ship was torpedoed in the battle of Saipan. He was home for a 20 day furlough waiting for the ship to be repaired.

A fast recovery to Hip Shiedel, who is coming along all right after his recent operation. Fred Fueller paid him a visit in the hospital.

Home on leave:

Ralph Fierle	Fred Fueller
Radio Smaraki	Harry Milliron

Happy birthday to the following:

S/Sgt Charles Smaraki	Sep't. 1
Pvt. James Flick	Sep't. 5
Fred Fueller	Sep't 6
T/5 Jack Patter	Sept. 17
P.F.C. Tom Purzel	Sep't. 18
Opl. Jack Chase	Sep't. 22
P.F.C. Roy Smalley	Sep't. 23
Opl. Bill Brude	Sep't. 26
S/Sgt Dan Chilson	Sep't. 26

After the early season jitters the team has finally found their batting eyes & settled down to playing baseball. Rich Fierle is clouting out the old apple with a batting average of .375 closely followed by Gene Heil with .359 and John Gerhard .321.

The Hbrg. Blue Jays defeated L.V. at Hbrg. 6 to 5. Jerry Veasted, a former resident of this town pitched for the opposing team.

The largest crowd of the season was on hand to watch the game between Hbrg & L.V. here. This was the first game lost by more than one run. We got off to a flying start but threw it away with a score of 7 to 11. Bobby Brude relieved Rich for a few innings & Gene Heil pitched the remaining innings.

We closed in on the Hbrg. Blue Jays here with a score of 7 to 8. There were several arguments arising between our umpire & the players. But whats a game without an argument??

The sensational hitting of all the players helped to win the game with Athel Springs easily with a score of 8 to 3. Bud Sawley got a swell hit over the fence but the ground rules only permitted him 2 bases.

To the people of the town:

This year the Xmas mailing period for both Army & Navy overseas forces is the same--Sep't 15th to Oct. 15th.

The parcel must not exceed 5 lbs, and must not be more than 15 inches in length or 36 inches in length & girth combined. Not more than one parcel may be mailed in any one week to the same member of the armed forces by or in behalf of the same mailer.

How about some cooperation with the postoffice employees, folks???

The Lord gave us two ends to use:  
One to think with, one to sit with.  
The war depends on which we choose.  
Heads we win, tails we lose.