



## POLICE-FIREMEN PROTECTED RYE DURING POWER FAILURE

Rye police and firemen worked efficiently to combat Tuesday night's blackout. Despite the darkened streets and makeshift lighting arrangements in private homes there were no auto accidents, burglaries or fires reported in the city.

Within an hour after the lights went out at 5:28 p.m., the entire city had been blanketed with police as off-duty officers, realizing the emergency, reported to police headquarters without being summoned.

An auxiliary generator was hooked up by the fire department under the direction of Chief George Graham to street and traffic lights at the intersection of the Post Road and Purchase Street and Milton Road and the Post Road.

Firemen also used an auxiliary generator to supply power at the

police station when the power failure hit. A fire truck was parked outside the station to provide emergency power until the supplementary power system could be

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## Rye Man Heads Cancer Crusade In Westchester

Dr. Robert S. Wren, President of the Westchester Division of the American Cancer Society, announced today that T. Vincent Learson of Rye, I.B.M. senior vice president and member of the company's board of directors, will be the 1966 Westchester County Chairman for the Cancer Crusade. In expressing his thanks, Dr. Wren said he was sure Mr. Learson would play the dominant role in making 1966 a banner year.

In reply, the I.B.M. senior vice

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## Rye Pilot Flying In Viet Nam War Awarded Air Medal

USS INDEPENDENCE (CVA-62) (FHTNC) Nov. 3—Navy Lieutenant Donald R. Eaton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace R. Eaton of 30 Bennett Street, Rye, N. Y., has been awarded the Air Medal while serving with Attack Squadron 75, embarked aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Independence.

The carrier is operating in the South China Sea off the coast of Viet Nam as a unit of the U. S. Seventh Fleet.

The Air Medal, the United States' ninth-highest decoration, was awarded to him for "meritorious achievement in aerial flight as a pilot flying in fixed wing aircraft (with his squadron) during missions in support of combat operations in Southeast Asia against (the Viet Cong and communist North Vietnamese)."

A graduate of Westchester Commercial College, Westchester, N. Y., Lieutenant Eaton entered the Navy in September 1957.

## CAPT. NORMAN HONORED FOR AIR FLIGHTS IN VIET NAM

Captain Robert A. Norman has returned from Viet Nam and is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Norman of Vale Place. He has been joined here by his wife, Christa, and their two year old

daughter, Christina, who had been living with her parents in West Berlin, Germany, while he was on his tour of duty.

Captain Norman spent 12 months in Viet Nam with the United States Air Force, during which time he flew about 450 missions over enemy territory. He has received a medal of honor, first class, from the Vietnamese Air Force; was awarded the Vietnamese Pilot Wings by General Nuyen Cao Ky; the Cross of Gallantry with a Silver Star from the Vietnamese Army for the Battle of Dong Xuoi; Cross of Gallantry with a Gold Star from the Vietnamese Army for the Battle of Song Be; and the Vietnamese Service Medal.

From the American Air Force he has received the Air Medal with

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Raleigh L. Davenport

## Republican Club Names Directors

At the Board of Directors' meeting at his home, 155 Osborn Road, President James Rebata of the Rye Republican Club, announced the appointment of two new directors to fill vacancies resulting from Philip James and Mrs. Priscilla Wakefield moving from Rye. Those appointed Monday evening were Joseph Douglass and Edmund Sullivan, Jr.

Mr. Douglass came to Rye from Brooklyn in Aug. 1964. He studied free hand drawing and applied design at The Mechanics' Art Institute of New York City. He matriculated for the B.B.A. degree at the College of the City of New York and is employed by the United States Lines Company as a senior adjuster in Marine Hull Insurance. He resides in the Rye Colony with his wife and son who is

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## City Employees Code Of Ethics Being Discussed

The City Council will consider a Local Law establishing a Code of Ethics governing the conduct of City officers and employees. The suggestion for a code was originally made by the Charter Revision Commission during its work in 1963 and 1964. The Commission believed that a Code of Ethics for city officers and employees should take the form of a local law rather than be part of the city charter. As a consequence, a Code of Ethics Committee was appointed by the City Council early in 1965. Its members are: John F. Devine, John L. Sigalos, Councilman John Carey, Corporation Counsel Anthony T. Antinozzi, and City Manager John Paulus.

The committee examined codes in use in other jurisdictions and

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## WARNS REGIONAL PLANNING MUST BE CAREFULLY WATCHED

Regional planning for New York City and surrounding area must be carefully watched by communities like Rye, according to City Councilman John Carey who attended Wednesday's 20th annual Regional Plan Conference at the Hotel Statler Hilton.

"Regional planning is desirable within limits," said Mr. Carey, "but

all too often the regional planner seems to consider local autonomy an obstruction to progress. As for local political leaders, they seem to be often thought of disdainfully."

One of the speakers remarked that "those who run the community should have a professional attitude and not a political one." Accord-

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## Human Rights Group Holding Open Meeting

The Rye Council for Human Rights will inaugurate its 1965-66 season on Monday, Nov. 15, with an open meeting at the Rye High School, according to Robert Bendick, co-chairman. He announced

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## World Community Day Observed At Rye Church

World Community Day with its theme this year of "Laibies Mission World Affairs" was celebrated Monday night in conjunction with the United Nations' twentieth year at the Rye Presbyterian Church. Held under the auspices of the Rye Council of United Church Women, an impressive audience of about three hundred attended.

Following the invocation given by the Rev. Joseph Bishop, Rye Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Harry A. Vosburg, president of the Church Woman's Association, welcomed the group.

On behalf of the Rye Council of United Church Women, Mrs. Deane Edwards, honorary president, presented a gift of a United Nations flag to the City of Rye. The pre-

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RYE GOP LEADERS—The Campaign Committee, who contributed, in large part to the election of the entire Republican ticket in Rye. Sitting from left to right: George Elwers, vice-chairman and news; Dr. William Bush, chairman; Dorothy Waltz, secretary; John Gunn, advertising. Standing from left to right: Alice Langhirt, radio and television; Harry Dunning, news; Kenneth Waltz, news; Wells Brown, news; Joseph Douglass, photography; Thomas Keane, news; Missing are Arthur "Bugs" Baer, Jr., advertising; and Ezra Dolan, political literature.

(A. Rocco Photo)

## Sulla's Defeat As Supervisor Is Confirmed

The Westchester County Board of Elections Monday officially confirmed Democrat John A. Passidomo's election as supervisor of the Town of Harrison when a recount showed that he defeated Republican incumbent Alfred F. Sulla by 67 votes.

Following the canvass, which was conducted by William Childs of the County board of electors, Mr. Passidomo made a brief victory speech. He stated "the only real winner in last Tuesday's election was the people of Harrison who found in the voting booth the traditional American way of voicing their dissatisfaction and their hope."

Mr. Sulla was reportedly vacationing in Florida.