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Libath, Theodore O., 1918-

Interview with Theodore O. Libath / interviewed by
Helen Dowdeswell. - Valley Stream Historical Society,
February 10, 1989.

1 cassette.

NOTE: Mr. Libath talks about life in early Valley
Stream, including his family background, neighbors,
schools and teachers, churches and organizations,
his career at Sid Harvey, his retirement, etc.

1. Libath, Theodore O., 1918- . 2. Valley Stream
(N.Y.) - History. I. Valley Stream Historical Society.
II. Dowdeswell, Helen.

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS:

1. Outline of interview - Prepared by Helen Dowdeswell.
2. Photograph of Theodore O. Libath, taken February 10, 1989. *

*Original photograph is filed in the Valley Stream Historical
Photograph Collection.

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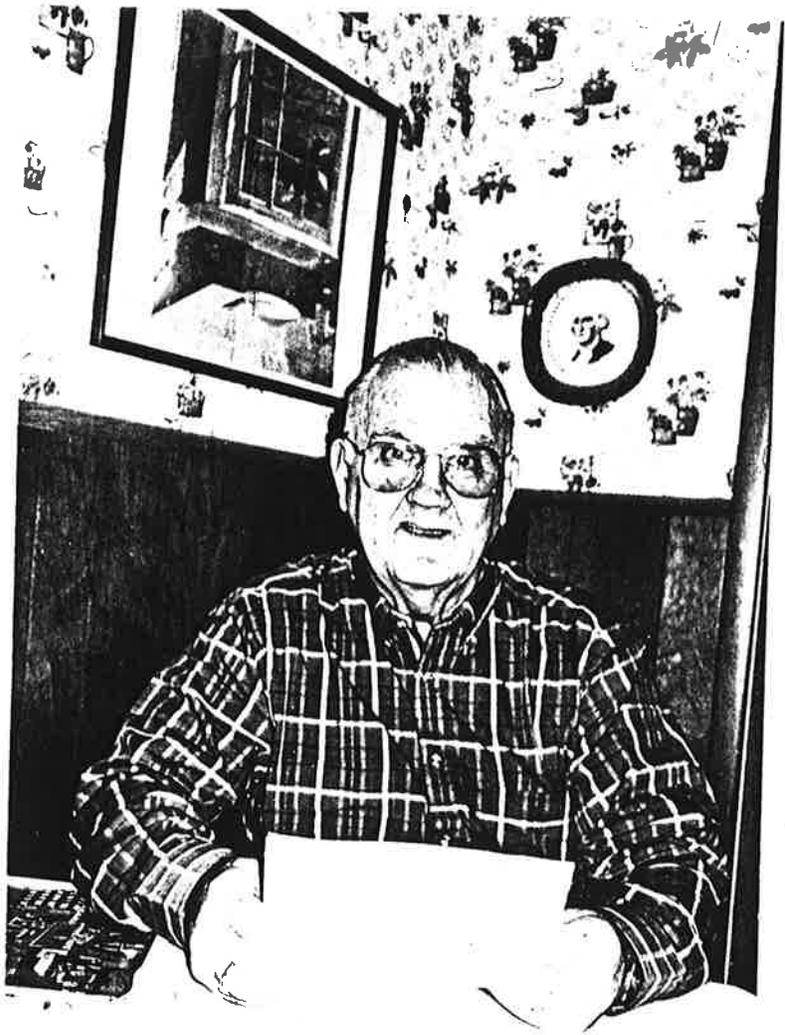
Theodore C. Libath

Side #1

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- 5 Introduction
- 15 Family Background
- 30 Father's occupations
- 55 Coming to East Ave. in 1922
- 105 German speaking neighbors, Brower, Schunk, Pape, Hoerlein
- 120 Schools 13, 30, back to 13
- 134 School days- games, hunting, fishing, swimming
- 170 Teachers - Adams, Andrews, Cole, Terry, Hendrickson
- 196 Summers - farm work, wages
- 230 Paper routes
- 260 Summer fun - camping, underground huts, swimming, baseball
- 300 Religious life- St. John's Methodist, helping establish First Presbyterian
- 335 Clubs & organization - Citizen's, Masonic, Scouts, Jr. Citizens
- 385 High School - new friends, sports
- 405 End

Side #2

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- 20 Football memories
- 55 Omega Gamma Delta fraternity
- 90 Friends - Owen Salvage, Ed Klein
- 101 Favorite subjects and teachers - Math, Industrial Arts, Clark Vielbig
- 120 After school career - 50 years with Sid Harvey Inc.
- 145 Aviation Cadet Corps - WWII pilot
- 190 Family - three children
- 220 Changes in village over the years
- 255 Influential people - Waldinger, Ward, Hendrickson
- 285 Retirement activities - Hospital, H.S. Alumni Assn, Masonic
- 335 Construction of homes in the 20's
- 379 Schneider farm
- 400 Selling bananas
- 405 End



THEODORE O. LIBATH, FEBRUARY 10, 1989.