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Aumuller, Edwin, 1918-

Interview with Edwin Aumuller / interviewed by
Helen Dowdeswell. - Valley Stream Historical Society,
January 8, 1992.

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NOTE: Edwin Aumuller, a U.S. Army career officer,
tells of his boyhood on East Lincoln Avenue, his service
in World War II and after, and of his father's prize-
winning dahlias.

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ADDITIONAL MATERIALS:

1. Outline of interview - Prepared by Helen Dowdeswell.
2. Photograph of Edwin Aumuller, January 8, 1992. *

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

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- 15 Introduction
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- 35 Family statistics - Edwin born 1918 , grandparents German
Brother Kenneth , sister Betty
- 80 Home on E. Lincoln Ave. from 1923 neighbors, relatives
- 130 Rockaway Ave. - stores
- 160 Mother - housewife, Father's hobby - raising prize winning
dahlias.
- 190 Brooklyn and Franklin Ave. Elementary Schools - baseball-
Mrs. Gibbons of E. Rockaway , sponsor of Jr. Citizens League
- 220 Camping at Lake Success and on Argent St., V.S.
Boy Scout troops #109 and 116
- 260 Methodist Sunday School
- 265 Father, President of I.J. Dahlia Society
- 280 H.S. sports - track Favorite subject - Mechanical Drawing
- 310 Pratt Institute while in H.S.
- 305 Apr. 1941- drafted - through WWII- Second Lieutenant Service in
Aleutians and Europe
- 340 Stayed in Service - Medical Reserve Unit
- 360 Married Rosa Wilks of S.C. - one daughter, Dale
Second marriage Betty Litt of V.S. - one daughter, Susan
- 375 Civilian wartime shortages
- 390 Retired from Army - 1963
- 400 Worked for others, then for self
- 420 Returned to V.S. after divorce in 1981
- 425 Retiree activities
- 440 Father's dahlia propagation
- 480 End

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