

Expect Tax Rate in Middle of September

Probably Will Be Lower Because of Decreased Appropriations—Other Towns Forbidden to Use Free Cash to Reduce Rate—Andover Probably Can

New Exhibition at Addison Gallery

There will be an exhibition of historical prints of American yachts, clipper and warships at the Addison Gallery, Phillips academy, Andover, from August 25 to October 1.

Through the courtesy of Thorndike D. Howe, of Boston, formerly of Lawrence, the Addison Gallery is holding an exhibition of Marine Prints which were collected by Mr. Howe's father, the late Dr. Octavius T. Howe, Dr. Howe, for many years a leading physician and surgeon of Lawrence, inherited his interest of Maritime History of New England, as he descended from a seafaring family of Beverly. He early became a collector of old ship prints and after retiring from practice, moved to Boston and devoted his later years to the study of New England shipping, becoming recognized as an authority in this field.

The water colors by Mr. Hopkinson, lent by the artist, include a group shown during the past winter at the Corcoran Gallery, Washington, D. C. Several of the younger painters in the West church and again two years ago. On these visits they were entertained by their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hardy. Since 1920 Dr. Andrews had been in ill health and at the time of his death was on a leave of absence from his church.

Former Pastor of West Church Dies

Word was received here yesterday afternoon of the death of Rev. George H. Andrews, D.D., of Los Angeles, Calif., on Thursday, August 18. Dr. Andrews was a former minister of the West church from 1899 to 1904 and is well remembered in Andover by many. In recent years he and Mrs. Andrews have visited Andover twice, on the occasion of the one hundredth anniversary of the West church and again two years ago. On these visits they were entertained by their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hardy. Since 1920 Dr. Andrews had been in ill health and at the time of his death was on a leave of absence from his church.

Democratic House Rally Next Tuesday

A monster house rally will be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Hurley on 56 Bartlet street in the interest of John J. Harrington, candidate for the Democratic nomination for state auditor. Other Democratic candidates are also invited to attend.

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Swimmers Compete at Pond Tomorrow

Tomorrow American Legion day will be observed at Pumps pond with all kinds of attractions from fancy diving to free refreshments. The local post has been working on plans for this affair for some time, and they have been assisted to a great extent by the Senior Life Guards at the pond, John A. Robertson and George C. Forsythe.

The program includes 50-yard dashes for men and women, open; relay race, Andover vs. North Andover; fancy diving; 50-yard free style novice races for boys and girls and 100-yard free style handicap races for men and women.

Refreshments are being served free to children under sixteen years of age through the courtesy of Joseph Murphy of the Curran and Joyce company and I. R. Kimball of the H. P. Hood company. The Legion invites the public to come and have an enjoyable afternoon watching the various events, which are scheduled to get underway at two.

Local Relief Corps Receives Invitations

"Women's Relief Corps Day" will be celebrated next Wednesday at the Governor John A. Andrew home, 92 Washington Parkway, Newtonville. Members of the local corps have been invited to attend and bring their families. The program will last from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

The Essex County association of Women's Relief Corps will conduct its regular quarterly meeting in Cliftondale on Wednesday, September 14, at the Community House of the Methodist church. All planning to attend are requested to notify the secretary, Mrs. Estelle Nuckley at least a week in advance of the get-together.

New Voters Will Sign Wednesday

The last opportunity for new voters to register prior to the coming state primaries will be given next Wednesday at the Town Clerk from noon until ten in the evening. The Board of Registrars is now sending out letters to those whose names are omitted from the annual register. This is being done in accordance with Chapter 280, section one of the Acts of 1929. Unless the recipients of these notices show that they had a legal residence in the town as of April 1, 1932, their names will be taken off the voters' list.

Playground Activities More as Season Ends

Field Day Next Week Closes Program for 1932—Prizes to Be Awarded at Carnival—Contests Ended Successfully This Week

The Andover Playground season is nearing a close with one more week remaining on the schedule. As the end approaches, activities at the playground increase, culminating in the annual Field Day to be held next Friday. Tonight the annual Indian Pow Wow will take place, and next Wednesday the annual Playground carnival will occupy the children's attention. This week many of the contests that have been going on during the season were brought to a close, and the prizes in these will be awarded at the carnival. Tonight's feature is being conducted by James Bissett, who has planned a short pantomime and a square dance. The pantomime will depict the landing of the first white men in America. The square dance will have twenty little girls acting as squaws. Other events will include games, imitation of Indian customs, and the demonstration of feats of strength. The program starts at 7 o'clock.

Last night Chief Mat-oh-n-ko, a full-blooded Indian of the Ojibwa Sioux, was the guest of the playground folk. The chief is of the Standing Rock Indian Reservation of the Dakotas, is 23 years of age and is at present a senior at the Haskell Institution, a government college at Lawrence, Kansas.

During the summer months he has been one of the chief counselors at Camp Manning, where he has been in charge of the older boys in camp, his group comprising an Indian village, living and studying Indian customs. Chief Mat-oh-n-ko which translated means chief "Eagle Shields," appeared at the local playground in full Indian regalia, including his war-bonnet and tepee. He entertained the kiddies by singing a number of Indian songs among them a several death chants of his tribe. He also danced several dances, among them a "grass dance," buffalo dance, ghost dance, and the famous Sun dance. Indian weapons of war were also displayed among various other implements used by the original Americans. The chief gave a rope lassoing demonstration.

Mrs. Charles Ward and Captain Copeland of Camp Manning made possible the visit of Chief Mat-oh-n-ko to the playground.

Champions Crowned Monday night the playground golf champion was picked, and Tuesday evening the checker, backstone, and sand building winners were announced. John Griffin with a score of 25 snatched the golf title away from Walter Milnes, and George Gorrie, who followed him with 27 and 28 respectively. Thomas Duff was fourth with 32. Others who survived until the final round were: James Smith, Duncan McNeil, Mary Walker, James Gorrie, Raymond Lefebvre, Eugene St. Jean, Thomas Duff, Alex Holden, and Drummond Bissett.

Miss Winifred O'Hagan won the first honors in the jackstone contest. Miss Gladys Greenough was second and Miss Pearl Hurley was third. Mrs. Charles Gabeler sponsored this contest. Harold Dennison was first in the senior checker contest and Donald Spinney proved supreme in the junior group. Other senior (Continued on page 2, column 1)

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Rita Duff of Essex street spent Sunday at Salisbury Beach.

William Harnedy of Summer street sailed on Sunday for Havana.

Daniel Hartigan is enjoying his annual vacation of two weeks.

Fred Welch of Summer street motored to Brookline Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Welch of Summer street spent Sunday at Lynn Beach.

Miss Dorothy Newton of Salem street is visiting in Portland, Maine.

Miss Evelyn Cairnie of Baker Lane spent Sunday at Salisbury Beach.

Henry Pomeroy of Chestnut street is enjoying his annual vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Elliott of Summer street visited at Lynn Beach Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Verrette of Main street is spending a few days in Canada.

Mrs. David Wallace and son, Thomas, spent Tuesday at Marblehead.

Mrs. Sarah Downs of North Main street spent Sunday at Beverly Beach.

Kenneth Mozeen of the Press is enjoying his annual two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. John Young and daughter Mary visited at Beverly Beach on Sunday.

George Parker and family have moved from Essex street to North Main street.

Joseph Hannon of the J. E. Greeley company has been enjoying a week's vacation.

The Misses Nelda and Joan Dawson of New York are visiting with friends in town.

Miss Helen Collins of North Main street is enjoying her annual two weeks' vacation.

George Dane, Chief of Police, has resumed his duties after enjoying his annual vacation.

Allan Polgreen of Washington avenue has been enjoying the week at Nantasket Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bodwell and family of Elm street are enjoying a vacation down the Cape.

Duncan Bissett has accepted a position with a printing establishment in Portland, Maine.

Mrs. George Manock of the B. L. McDonald office is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Dorothy and Frederick Winn of Chestnut street are enjoying a vacation at Newfound Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Cheever of Chestnut street spent Sunday at Marblehead.

Miss Grace Larkin of Porter road has returned after a week's vacation at Newfound Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander and son Brian of Summer street spent Sunday at Lynn Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. David May of Washington avenue have been enjoying a two weeks' stay in Nova Scotia.

Jeremiah J. Twomey and family of Haverhill street are spending their vacation at Hampton Beach.

Mrs. Everett M. Lundgren and son Donald of Elm street are spending several weeks at Point Judith, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. George G. Brown of Phillips street are spending several weeks at Kennebunk Beach, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Godfrey and son Robert, of 32 Chestnut street are at Biddeford Pool, Maine.

Miss Kathryn Friel of Abbot street has returned after a vacation at Old Orchard and Hampton Beaches.

Miss L. Elgina Allen, and her friend from Tougaloo, Miss., have been guests of Mrs. W. A. Allen this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. E. Kendall and daughter Edith of Chestnut street spent Sunday at Marblehead.

Legion Continues Plans for Contest

The local post of the American Legion is going on eagerly with its plans for a bugle and drum corps competition to be held here September 24. Competitions such as these have come into vogue as town boosters, and the post sincerely hopes that the citizens of Andover will support them in making this affair a success. Some of the best corps in the state are being invited to compete.

Posters have been printed and are now being circulated among the various merchants in town. The tags which will be given to all those who contribute twenty-five cents or a dollar will soon be ready for distribution. The post needs a great deal of support so that it can afford to give the winning corps suitable prizes.

The post will hold its annual outing September 11 at West Andover.

Eleventh Birthday Observed at Party

A very enjoyable birthday party was held last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Scott, 94 North Main street, on the occasion of Freda Scott's eleventh birthday. Games were played and piano selections were rendered during the course of the evening's entertainment. Mrs. Scott served a dainty luncheon to her little daughter's guests, with a large candle-bedecked cake being the chief attraction.

Those present were: Isabel and Archie MacLaren, Ethel and Billy Watts, Shirley and Paul Hatfield, Edith Fettes, Mrs. David Wallace, Mrs. Alex Beedie and the Scott family.

Mildred McGlynn Takes Two Firsts

Mildred McGlynn, local swimmer, won two first places at the swimming meet in the Nautical Pool, Revere, last night. Miss McGlynn took first in the 100-metre free style for women and also came out first in the 50-metre free style (handicap) for women. Her times were 1 m. 20 s., and 38 s. respectively. She is a member of the Boston Swimming association.

Births

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Higgins of 26 Riverina road at St. John's Hospital, Lowell, August 14. A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Keesling of North Andover, August 22, at the Lawrence General Hospital. The mother was formerly Miss Margaret Thomson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Thomson, 42 Red Spring road.

Petition Not Presented to Selectmen As Yet

Kidd Asks Board to Sponsor Appropriation, but They Refuse—Meeting Can Not Be Held before Two Weeks from Tonight—Burns Against It

Shooters Disport at Annual Field Day

The first annual field day of the Andover Sportmen's club was held at Conkey's farm last Saturday with a large crowd of local shooters and guests from out-of-town in attendance.

The first prize was won by R. Sinclair, who was able to bring back to Ipswich a thirty-pound turkey as a reward for his efforts. Clyde White of Andover, in the handicap shoot, broke 22, with his handicap of two birds, gave him first prize and Joe Pitman of Andover, shooting from scratch, broke 23 and won second prize after shooting off a six-man tie. The first shoot-off, J. I. Pitman got a score of 23 and H. Manthorne got a score of 19, with a four handicap made the two men tie. In the shoot-off between Pitman and Manthorne, Pitman got 24 and Manthorne got 17.

The straight trap was won by M. J. Doyle of Lawrence and the quail shoot was won by Joe Pitman of Andover. The turkey shoot was won by Dick Hoyer and the prize was a large turkey. His score was 49 pellets in the target. Shooters from suburban towns are invited to attend the weekly shoots every Thursday evening at 6 o'clock.

Public Whist to Be Held by Auxiliary

A public whist party will be conducted in the Legion hall next Thursday evening under the auspices of the auxiliary to the local post of the Legion. Play will start at 7.45.

At the auxiliary meeting last night Mrs. Joseph Miller read a report on the Essex County meeting held recently at Swampscott. The County Council will hold its installation and dance in the new Amesbury high school, October 15 at 6.30 p.m. Those desiring tickets are asked to communicate with the president as soon as possible.

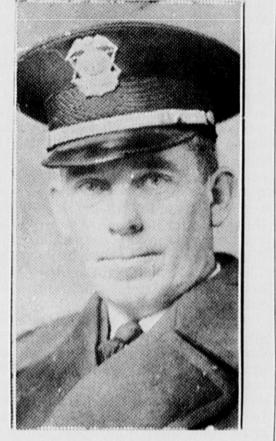
Refreshments were served last night by Mrs. Ethel Robinson, Mrs. Albert Cole and Mrs. Harry Gouck.

Brooklyn Girl Near Drowning at Pumps

A Brooklyn, N. Y. girl was rescued from drowning early Sunday evening when she went under while attempting to swim to the raft at Pumps pond. The girl, Miss Mildred Farrell, was saved by the quick action of Benjamin Brown, John Robertson, and Irving Whitcomb. The latter two are life guards at the pond, and Brown was recently made a senior Red Cross life saver. The rescue took place at six o'clock.

Police Starting War on Drunken Drivers

Three Men Charged in District Court Yesterday—Two Arrested Last Night—Chief Dane Starts Patrol of Side Streets—Motorists Avoid Square



Courtesy of the Lawrence Telegram CHIEF OF POLICE GEORGE DANE

S. of V. Auxiliary Conducts Whist

Tuesday evening a public whist party was enjoyed in G. A. R. hall under the auspices of Walter L. Raymond camp, 111, Sons of Veterans. Mrs. James N. MacCord was in charge.

Prizes were awarded as follows: Jessie Kinnear, pillow; Robina Mitchell, doll; Mrs. William H. Navin, pillow; Mrs. Snyder, pillow; Mrs. Lafayette Stickney, tea pot; Mary Colbath, table scarf; Mrs. Walter Shorten, dish; Raymond Metcalf, bridge set; Mrs. Albert Cole, picture; Mrs. Alex Blaney, towels; Mrs. Harold Cates, towel; Mrs. Hugh McLay, necktie; P. J. Barrett, dish; Mrs. James Fraser, apples; consolations, Mrs. Skeea and Patrick Tucker and special prize, Miss Robina Mitchell.

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The petition for the special town meeting sponsored by a group of the unemployed is still in circulation with no definite time set as yet for presentation to the Board of Selectmen. Monday afternoon William A. G. Kidd appeared before the Board with the request that they sponsor the suggested appropriations, but the town fathers refused to do this. Mr. Kidd next asked them to endorse the movement, but they would not do this, either. The town meeting cannot possibly be held now before two weeks from this evening, since the law requires the publication of the warrant seven days prior to the meeting.

Mr. Kidd has insisted that he had only a passive part in this campaign. He stated that several of the unemployed had asked him to sponsor a petition, but he refused. However, he finally agreed that if the unemployed could gather fifty signatures, he would help them out. The fifty names were secured and since the petition had been added to the list. The unemployed are still circulating the petitions. Mr. Kidd further stated that when sufficient signatures had been received, he would ask the selectmen to sponsor it. This he has done without success.

The unemployed seem divided among themselves. Mr. Matthew Burns, who formerly sponsored the unemployed in these petitions, has absolutely refused to have anything to do with this particular agitation and he states that many of the unemployed feel the same way. A few weeks ago he agreed to co-operate with the authorities in their drive. The following statement was issued by Mr. Burns this week:

"I absolutely have nothing to do with any town meeting unless sponsored by the proper authorities. I'd like to call your attention to the editorial of the Townsman of August 19 (Continued on page 2, column 1)

Huge Truck and Trailer Overtaken

Two men narrowly escaped serious injury, a heavy truck and trailer were considerably damaged, hundreds of empty milk bottles were smashed, and a traffic light was snapped off its standard early Monday morning when the large Shawheen Dairy truck overturned near Chapel avenue. Joseph Cederberg of Lowell street and James Todd of 43 Railroad street were both badly shaken up but they suffered no serious hurts.

The accident occurred at 4.45 on the truck's return trip from Boston. According to the report filed at the police station, the truck struck a stone in the highway and so knocked the wheel out of the driver's hands. Then the right front wheel crashed into the curb and knocked the signal over. Next the truck lurched in the direction of Chapel avenue and turned turtle. The trailer swung around on Main street prior to turning over. Officer Frank McBride brought the occupants of the truck to Dr. W. D. Walker's and after treatment, both returned home in the Fire Department ambulance. It was only through good fortune that their injuries were not serious.

Sponsor Public Whist Wednesday

Garfield Temple, 56, Pythian Sisters, will sponsor a public whist party next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Westcott, 78 Summer street. It is planned to start play sharply at two. At the conclusion of the games, an attractive array of prizes will be awarded.

