

Propose Amendment to Experience Rule

Rule Would Retain Experience Requirement for Regular Staff, but Would Create New Class of Trial Teachers at Lower Salaries

An amendment to the local school board rule which requires two years' experience of applicants for teachers was proposed at the committee meeting Tuesday night.

The proposed rule would, while retaining an experience requirement for appointment to the regular staff, set up a new class of teachers, to be named "trial teachers," who may be elected without previous experience, but whose work will be closely supervised by the superintendent.

The salary of the trial teachers will vary with the amount of training. Those with three years' training would be given a salary 80 per cent of the minimum given to a regular teacher of the same class.

The superintendent, principal and head of the department in which the teacher is working would under the new rule carefully supervise and guide the new instructor.

If the trial teachers' work is satisfactory at the end of the year, four-year course graduates may be elected to the regular staff, and three-year course graduates may be elected to another year on the trial staff at a ninety per cent salary.

The proposed amendment was presented by Elmer J. Grover. The two-year rule has been the subject of much controversy since its adoption in 1925.

A new form of report card is soon to be used in the local schools, and they will be issued every eight weeks instead of every four as at present.

Plans for the coming month were formed at the meeting of the Mothers' club Wednesday afternoon.

On October 17 a weenie roast will be held at Mrs. Alex Crockett's camp at Haggets pond.

On October 19 the club will visit the Bond baking company plant in Boston.

Refreshments were served at the meeting by Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Henry Abbot, and Mrs. Stocks.

The town meeting vote requiring that the gravel for E.R.A. work be taken from town-owned gravel pits, will cost the town about \$1680 extra on the Lowell Junction road project.

Each load has two cubic yards. Gravel is sold to the town at fifteen cents a yard, a price which has to be approved by the Boston administrator.

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Woman's Guild to Open Season

The first meeting of the season of the Woman's Guild of Christ church will be held in the Parish house on Thursday, October 11, at 2.30 o'clock.

After a short business meeting the Guild will have the pleasure of hearing a speaker from Boston, the name to be announced later.

Women interested will be cordially welcomed to this pleasant occasion which is always looked forward to by Guild members.

The vestry of the South church will be the scene on Tuesday of a harvest supper to be held under the auspices of the A.P.C. sorority.

A menu consisting of cold ham, mashed potato, squash, cole slaw, assorted pies and coffee will be served under the direction of Mrs. Roy E. Hardy and Mrs. Osborne Sutton.

The chairmen and their committees of The King's Daughters are meeting each week working hard for the success of the Dickens bazaar.

The Girls' Friendly Society of Christ church will open its season with a supper served at 6.30 in Christ church parish house.

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What's Going On (from today until next Friday)

Tonight 8.15. Lecture by A. Lauren Brown: "Money Management. Academy Meeting Room.

8.00. Legion Auxiliary Whist, Legion Rooms. 8.15. Clan Whist, Fraternal hall.

7 p.m. Uncle Elmer at the Free Church. Tuesday 6.30 p.m. A.P.C. Harvest Supper, South Church.

7 to 9 p.m. Registration of Voters, Administration Building, Shawshewn Village. Thursday 7 to 9 p.m. Registration of Voters, Faculty club house, head of School street.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Claxton Monro, Jr. of Chestnut street, is on the honor roll M.I.T.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pitman have moved from Ballardvale to Park street.

Police Officer Frank McBride has returned after spending a few days in Whitefield, N.H.

G. F. S.! Season starts Monday evening with a supper served at 6.30 in Christ church parish house.

Mr. and Mrs. George Napier and Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Collins spent the week-end in Portland, Maine.

The Registry officials and local officers conducted a check-up on lights in Shawshewn village last night.

Coply Candies are now on sale at 106 Main street. Also nuts made fresh every day.

Mrs. Carl A. Wetterberg of 96 Maple avenue had as a week-end guest her mother, Mrs. Ralph M. Parrott of Lynn.

Donald Lundgren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett M. Lundgren of Elm street, is recovering following a recent illness.

Herbert Wormwood of Lowell Junction has been awarded a first prize in chemistry for the last school year at Lowell Textile school.

Miss Annie Rizzo of South Main street and Miss Eleanor Barnard of Lowell street have been awarded scholarships at Radcliffe college.

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Bacon to Speak Here Next Friday

Gaspar C. Bacon, Republican candidate for governor, will speak here next Friday evening at a Republican rally to be held in the town hall, starting at eight o'clock.

It is expected that the other candidates on the Republican ticket will also speak.

The meeting is being held under the auspices of the local town committee. Music will be furnished.

Uncle Elmer to Sing Here Sunday

There'll be a rainbow shining in the Free church Sunday evening when Uncle Elmer and his Song Circle will render another of their inimitable programs, starting at seven o'clock.

Uncle Elmer, whose Sunday morning programs starting with "There's a rainbow shining somewhere" have been one of the most popular radio broadcasts, is making his second appearance in Andover, and an overflow attendance is expected.

There will be no admission charge, but a collection will be taken up to defray the expenses.

Lienses Expire December 31 The present liquor licenses expire on December 31. If the town votes "No," on November 6, they will of course not be renewed.

The questions in November will be exactly the same as in March.

District Committee Conducts Meeting

The Andover District committee of the Boy Scouts met at the Legion headquarters last night, with Allan V. Heely, vice-chairman, presiding.

A nominating committee was appointed to bring in a slate of officers for the December meeting. The committee: Dr. Nathaniel Stowers, Tyler Carlton, and Alvin Zink.

The care of the Andover cabin was left in the hands of Clare Norton, Jr., Mr. Carlton and Mr. Wood. It is planned to put shutters on the windows, and to keep it in repair.

Mr. Norton will be the custodian. All the local troops will have a mountain trip on the holiday, under the direction of Mr. Zink.

Zoning Postponed to 1935 Town Meeting

A vote to ask the federal government to appoint Charles T. Gilliard as local E.R.A. administrator and the postponing of action on the zoning by-law to the annual meeting were the principal features of a special town meeting held Monday night.

A total of \$20,653 was voted for expenditure by the various town departments, a small portion of it from unexpended balances of some annual meeting special articles and the rest of it from surplus revenue.

A night police officer for Ballardvale was defeated, but a motion was passed to have the moderator appoint a committee to investigate the police department with a view toward making its organization more efficient.

The Pumps pond purchase article was withdrawn, as was the article for the renting of the Shawshewn Village athletic field.

Zoning Plan Postponed The debate on the zoning plan was surprisingly limited. Walter M. Lamont, chairman of the planning board which drew up the proposed ordinance, explained at the outset that the committee had worked from the original map and by-law turned down in March, 1928.

They had contacted the state planning authorities, and the state planning board had passed on it. Former town counsel Daniel J. Murphy had ruled it within the law.

The aim of the committee was to protect the present home-owner, Mr. Lamont declared. The plan, he said, would injure no one in the community, and it would protect everyone. He explained that the board had held a hearing at which the plan was discussed by those interested.

"Andover is coming into its own as a residential town," he said.

There being no more debate, the moderator put the question, but halfway through the count, Herbert Lewis offered an amendment to section III, dividing the town into five districts instead of four.

The fifth was to be an agricultural district, and no restrictions in the by-law were to be applied to this district.

At this point, Mrs. Byron Hrone moved that the whole matter be adjourned to the annual town meeting in order to give residents of the town a better chance to study it. The motion passed.

E.R.A. Appropriation Approved Article II dealing with the renting of the Shawshewn village athletic field was stricken from the warrant on motion of Chairman Harry Burns.

Mr. Burns, when article three came up moved that it be discussed under article eleven, but Moderator Butler explained to him that this could not be done.

The moderator then read the finance committee's recommendations on the article, providing \$6,000 C.D.A., K.C. Hall, 7.45. Election of officers. Pythian Sisters, Fraternal hall, 7.45. Penny social follows.

Tuesday Women's Relief Corps, Musgrave Bldg., 7.45. Legion, Legion rooms, 8.00. Grange, Grange hall, 7.45.

Wednesday Shawshewn P.T.A., Shawshewn school, 8.00. I.O.O.F., Fraternal building, 7.30. V.F.W., Auxiliary, Musgrave building, 8.00.

Thursday British Veterans, Guild, 7.30. Service Club, Square and Compass Club, 6.30. Sportsmen's Club, Peabody House, 8.00.

Legion Drum Corps to Parade The Legion drum corps will parade in Reading Sunday.

Assessors Again Err in Figuring Tax Rate

Make Exactly Same Mistake as Three Years Ago—Sanatorium Item of \$3562.58 Included Twice—Illegal Playground Item Included

For the second time in three years a mistake has been made in the Andover tax rate. In 1931 the tax rate as announced was fifty cents higher than it should have been; this year it was about twenty-two cents higher than it should have been.

The Townsman discovered the error Wednesday while it was analyzing the rate figures to ascertain in detail what caused the rate to rise. The mistake was made in exactly the same manner as it was three years ago, but this year it was an item of \$3,562.58 that was included twice in the figures, while in 1931 the item was \$8,846.36.

The item both years was the Essex sanatorium item. It was included in the total appropriations of \$376,138.83 and also in the county assessments of \$24,766.50, thus making the total town expenditures \$3,562.58 higher than they should have been.

In the long run the mistake will not be a serious one, for although the money is raised, it will not be spent, but will go over into the overlay reserve and may be used to reduce another year's tax rate. However, it means that each taxpayer this year will have to pay about 22 cents more for each thousand dollars worth of property.

Another item included in the assessors' figures for total appropriations was the \$1250 voted for playground supervision at the annual town meeting but later declared illegal. The \$750 voted for the same purpose in May was also included. This \$1250 will go into free cash, and though it means a rise of about eight cents in this year's rate, it can be used to reduce another year's rate.

Bottom Stone Laid in River Road Job

The bottom stone has all been laid on the River road reconstruction job which is being done by local, county and state funds. The top stone will be laid next week. Sixteen men are working in the job.

The Board of Public Works is resurfacing the Main street sidewalk from Punchedard avenue to Chapel avenue. Some of the hydrants in town are being repaired. One side of Cuba street has just been finished.

Some brush is being cut, and considerable water servicing is going on. The Board has started men screening sand for the icy season.

Stop! Read! Act! October 20th comes soon and with it the Andover Guild rummage sale. Only two weeks more to collect your white elephants, discarded clothing, out-grown children's garments, and superfluous books, pictures, and furniture.

Then give us a ring. We'll relieve you of them any day and the Guild will thank you. Anna W. Kuhn, Andover 46. Elizabeth W. Kimball, Andover 144.

Nominees to Speak at League Meeting

The Andover League of Women Voters will hold its opening meeting on Tuesday, October 16, with a luncheon at the Willwood Inn. In addition to the luncheon, the program will provide several interesting topics. The candidates for the general court have been invited to speak on the following question: "How can Massachusetts Tax Laws be revised to assure a more equitable distribution of the tax burden and to provide adequate revenue for the essential government services?"

This is a vital question at the moment and it will be well to hear it discussed from several points of view. A question of more local interest, that of the granting of licenses to sell liquor, will be explained so that the wording of the question as it will appear on the November ballot will be understood, and so that the implications will be clear enough to avoid possible misunderstanding.

At this meeting also the committee chairmen will explain their plans for the coming year, with the purpose of enlightening as wide an interest as possible. Those who will speak are Mrs. Ralph N. C. Barnes, chairman of Government and Economic Welfare; Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin, chairman of Government and International Cooperation; Mrs. Alan Blackmer, chairman of Government and Its Operation; Mrs. C. S. LaMonte, chairman of Government and Child Welfare; and Mrs. Harold Rafton, chairman of Government and Education.

Mr. Frederick Butler, Moderator, and Mr. Frank H. Hardy, Mr. Howell Sheppard, and Dr. J. J. Daly, selectmen, have been invited as guests for the luncheon.

To Study Munitions Trade The first group to begin its work is under the leadership of Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin. The topic to be studied and discussed is the far-reaching one that has been brought forcibly to the attention of the public through the Senate investigation into the private manufacture of and trade in arms, munitions, and implements of war. All the public has been learning of the international relatedness of great munitions firms, their influence on newspapers and even government policies, was borne out by the findings of the Senate hearings. An informed public opinion is necessary, and to this end the first discussion group will study the manufacture of and trade in arms, munitions, and implements of war. Women in our community who are League Members or intend to become League members are welcome in this group. The first meeting will be held on Monday, October 8, at 3:15 at the home of Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin, Taylor Hall, Phillips Academy.

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Local Employers Develop Project

In accordance with Dean Marsh's advice to make C.C.C. men more employable, the adviser at Co. 110 and 167 Andover, Mass. and the business and tradesmen of the town of Andover are developing a project in vocational counselling, training and placement.

The business men representing the various occupational lines have formed a committee to guide the C.C.C. boys. If a member of the company desires information about a trade an appointment is made for him with a member of the committee. Should the C.C.C. member wish training, arrangements are made for him to work an hour or two a week in the townsmen's place of business.

In this way the men receive practical training, definite information, and the access to contact which may lead to employment.

In one instance a member of Co. 167 who is interested in printing had a talk with the owner of a print shop, as a result he will report every Saturday morning for apprentice work.

Large Attendance at P. T. A. Meeting

An unusually large attendance was present at the opening meeting of the Andover Parent-Teacher association held in the library at Punchedard Wednesday evening. Indications point to a most successful season for this organization, which has made marked progress in its short existence.

Several speakers from the school staff gave very informative and interesting talks on their work. Included in the list of speakers introduced by Mrs. Harold C. Dunn were Superintendent Sanborn, who explained in detail the new report cards; Miss Clara Putnam, principal of the Junior high; Miss Catherine Barret, principal of the John Dove and Samuel Jackson schools; Miss Alice Ollif, drawing supervisor; and Miss Miriam Sweeney, supervisor of music. Mrs. Fay H. Elliott, president of the association and member of the school building committee, told of the progress on the new school plans.

The attendance banner was won by Miss Helen McGraw's room.

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Attend the Republican Rally Friday evening, Oct. 12, at 8 o'clock ANDOVER TOWN HALL The Republican candidate for Governor Gaspar C. Bacon and the entire Republican slate will speak There will also be a musical program Be sure to register on one of the following dates: October 9, Administration Bldg., Shawshewn, 7 to 9 P.M. October 11, Faculty Club House, Phillips Academy, 7 to 9 P.M. October 17, Town House, 12 M. to 10 P.M. Signed: Harry Sellars, 5 Avon St.

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A Peculiar Way to Save

If there were a rule that no one should speak at town meeting unless he knew what he was talking about, Andover's town meetings would be very short indeed.

Dr. J. J. Daly, as E.R.A. administrator, if he wished to have the support of the E.R.A. workers, made a big mistake. He insisted that they work, something apparently unheard of in welfare circles.

Several complaints were hurled at Dr. Daly Monday night, despite the fact that there is a Board of Appeal and also the state officials with whom complaints may be lodged.

One person stated that there was too much office help; he neglected to state that the federal government requires this, and that the clerks otherwise would be unemployed.

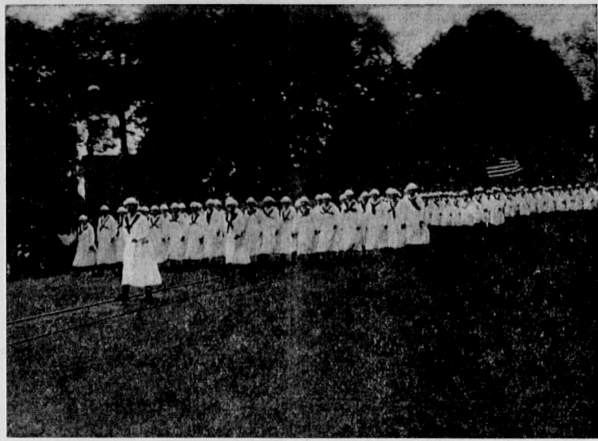
state that the Board of Public Works can, and indeed has, manufactured "washboard" roads which are guaranteed to produce as many vibrations per square yard as any E.R.A. road.

The resolution adopted at town meeting also stated that gravel should be taken from town-owned pits. This is merely another example of a speaker talking about something that he had not thoroughly studied.

Ever since man began working for money, there have been complaints. Everyone will remember quite well that the men who complained Monday night about the E.R.A. and praised the Board of Public Works were not so long ago criticizing the B. P. W. work policy.

The Townsman is "rabid Republican"; Dr. Daly is "downright Democrat". But the Townsman believes in fairplay, regardless of party.

Remember This—Abbot's Patriotism in the War?



Abbot Academy Girls in the Red Cross Parade From "Andover in the World War"

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(Continued from page 1) able to sell the E.R.A. gravel roads as washboards.

Dr. Daly stated that the question was whether the town would spend a few thousand dollars to match the E.R.A. funds and get a return, or whether the town would spend the same amount on public welfare and get no return.

Mrs. Horne was very much against the E.R.A., mentioning two families, not in Andover, who had not been properly provided for. She said you have to be a "downright Democrat" before you can get anywhere.

The moderator again told Mr. Burns that his amendment was beyond the scope of the article, but could be discussed under article 11.

ALMANAC

- 10-8-\$200,000,000 loss in great Chicago fire, 1871. 9-Yale College receives its charter, 1701. 10-First pony express arrives San Francisco, 1839. 11-Sir Williams, founder of Y. M. C. A., born 1821. 12-Christopher Columbus discovers America, 1492. 13-Cornerstone of the first White House laid, 1792. 14-Milwaukee fanatic wounds Theodore Roosevelt, 1912.

Obituaries

FOLEY Mrs. Mary E. Foley passed away Tuesday night at the family home on 44 Chestnut street, after a long illness.

STICKNEY Charles C. Stickney, 78-year old resident of Ballardvale, passed away Wednesday morning at his home on Woburn street.

RINKER Paul Rinker, 58, formerly of Andover, passed away September 29 at Gardner, Mass., after a short illness.

GIBSON Mrs. Mary Weir Scott Gibson of Inverberie, Scotland, passed away September 15 at the age of 90 years.

HUDSON Mrs. James Hudson of Marland street, Ballardvale, passed away yesterday morning at the Tewksbury hospital following a short illness.

TRACY Dr. Herman P. Tracy, husband of the former Ethel Manning of this town, passed away Monday morning in Portland, Maine.

federal approval, he stated, and he concluded that there never had been any accusation that he had wasted money on any project.

Mr. Emerson stated that this work was the duty of the B. P. W. He couldn't see why it was necessary to inject a new organization to take over the duties of the Board of Public Works.

The Woman's Union of the Andover Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Joseph Holland on Thursday, October 11, at 2.30.

ANDOVER CHURCHES

- FREE CHURCH 9.30, Sunday, Church school; 10.45, Morning worship with sermon by the pastor, "Kindness"; 6.00, Christian Endeavor; 7.00, Uncle Elmer song service. All are welcome. 8.00, Monday, C. E. social. 7.30, Tuesday, Troop 2, Boy Scouts. 2.30, Thursday, Meeting of Woman's Alliance; 6.30, Rehearsal of junior choir; 7.30, Rehearsal of senior choir; 7.30, Meeting of Fair Committee. BAPTIST CHURCH 9.30, Sunday, Church school session, Christian training for children and young people; 10.45, Morning service and communion. The pastor preaches on "The Golden Portal"; music by girls' choir; 6.15, Senior Christian Endeavor at the church, organization meeting. 8.00, Tuesday, Standing committee. 7.45, Wednesday, Midweek meeting, Quarterly business meeting of the church. 2.30, Thursday, Meeting of the Woman's Union at the home of Mrs. Holland, the president. CHRIST CHURCH 8.00, Sunday, Holy Communion; 9.30, Church school; 10.45, Holy Communion and sermon; 6.30, Young People's Fellowship. 4.00, Monday, Choir, boys; 6.30, Girls' Friendly society open its season with a supper, New leader, Mrs. Kenneth Minax. 4.00, Wednesday, Choir, boys. 7.30 a.m., Thursday, Holy Communion; 2.30, Woman's Guild, speaker; 7.15, Choir, boys and adults. 7.00, Friday, Boy Scouts. SHAWSHEEN COMMUNITY CHURCH 9.30, Sunday, Church school in Balmoral hall. PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL 11.00, Sunday, Dr. Henry Sloane Coffin, president of Union Theological Seminary, New York City. NORTH PARISH CHURCH 10.30, Sunday, Rev. S. C. Beane will take as his subject, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." Singing by the vested choir; 11.30, Opening of the church school; 7.30, Y. P. R. U. 10.10, An automobile leaves the Andover Bookstore and at 10.15 a bus leaves Abbot Academy for the Unitarian church at North Andover.

Siftings

Somehow we wish Hauptmann's case had been settled the same way Dillinger's was.

More work at the same pay is called a "stretch-out." Would Charlie Gilliard go on strike, too?

Tax rate mistakes may be shocking, but still they're not like lightning, which, you know, never strikes twice in the same place.

One of the things we don't like the word "American" used with is "tragedy."

Once upon a time we used to say in our stories: "Police are investigating." Now we can say "Police are being investigated."

Now if Mr. Hanstaengl would only give us the \$1000 that Harvard refused.

Abbot Academy Notes

During the past week officers have been chosen by the three lower classes. Anne Laurence Dodge of New York City is the new President of the Senior-Middle Class, Georgaanna Gabeler of Andover, Vice-President; Elinor Robinson of Oxford, Maine, Secretary and Eleanor Wells of Kingston, Jamaica, Treasurer.

floor wings of Draper Hall gave some very amusing corridor stunts. Peter Pan in Pantomime and The Fatal Ghost, an unhappy tragedy, were the cause of much merriment.

The regular Trustees' Meeting will be held on Friday evening at the Women's City Club in Boston.

Dr. Faith Meserve of Weston, will give the first of a series of Hygiene lectures on Saturday afternoon.

The Rev. Dr. Henry Sloane Coffin, President of Union Seminary in New York City will be the Sunday evening preacher. The service will be held in Abbot Hall and friends of the school are most welcome.

Wedding ZALLA-BUCKLEY Miss Katherine Marie Buckley, daughter of Mrs. Alice Buckley of 15 Brechin terrace, and Eugene Albert Zalla, son of Charles E. Zalla of 27 Florence street, were united in marriage by Rev. Charles A. Branton, O.S.A., at a nuptial mass in St. Augustine's church, Saturday morning.

The bride was charming in a gown of brown transparent velvet with turban in harmony, and she carried an arm bouquet of white chrysanthemums. Her sister, Miss Eileen Buckley of Melrose, acting as maid of honor, wore wine transparent velvet with hat in harmony.

Leo B. Zalla was best man. The wedding march was played by Miss Annie G. Donovan, church organist. The soloists at the mass were Charles O'Neill who sang "Just for Today," Miss Irene McCarthy who sang "Salve Regina," Miss Milly Zalla, sister of the groom who sang "Ave Maria" and Augustine C. Reilly who sang the "O, Salutaris."

Following a wedding trip to New York City, the couple will be at home after October 15 at 16 Center street, Ballardvale.

Library Note The number of books issued for home use at the Memorial Hall library during September was 5910. At Ballardvale, 591 were borrowed, making a total library use of 6501 volumes.

V.F.W. Auxiliary Notice The V.F.W. auxiliary will meet Wednesday night at eight o'clock. On October 24 nomination and election of officers will be held.

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NEWS OF OTHER DAYS

Twenty-five Years Ago Jerome W. Cross has moved his family back to Andover. They now reside at 53 Bartlet street. S. H. Davis of Boston, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, will speak at the Free church, Sunday morning.

Local Singers at Boxford Festival An outstanding feature of the festival to be held at the pine amphitheatre of the Kelsey-Highlands nursery, East Boxford, Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, will be the singing of the professional quartet of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Lawrence, under the direction of Dr. Robert Farquhar.

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LOST—Andover National Bank

The following pass book issued by the Andover National Bank has been lost and application has been made for the issuance of a duplicate book. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908. Payment has been stopped.

C. W. HOLLAND, Cashier

Andover Savings Bank

The following pass books issued by the Andover Savings Bank have been lost and application has been made for the issuance of duplicate books. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908.

FRANK R. BOUTWELL, Treasurer

September 21, 1934

LEGAL NOTICES

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by William P. Parker, of Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, to the Lawrence Co-operative Bank, situated in Lawrence, in said County of Essex, dated August 19th, 1932, recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 566, Page 246, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE PREMISES, ON ANDOVER STREET, BALLARDVALE, MASSACHUSETTS, ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 15th, 1934, at FOUR O'CLOCK, P.M., all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to-wit—

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the village of Ballardvale in said Andover, bounded and described as follows:

Westerly by the Boston and Maine Railroad one hundred ninety feet, more or less; Southerly by the Shawshaven River one hundred seventy-five feet, more or less; Northerly by land now or formerly of J. P. Bradlee's trustees sixty-nine feet; Easterly by land now or formerly of said trustees about sixty-one and 1-2 feet; and Northerly again by the old road now called Andover Street, sixty-two feet.

The said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and other municipal assessments and liens and also subject to the rights of the Atlantic Refining Company as granted to it by instrument dated October 3, 1931, and recorded with said Registry of Deeds, Book 561, Page 532.

Five Hundred Dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

LAWRENCE CO-OPERATIVE BANK, MORTGAGEE, By WILLIAM A. WHITNEY, Treasurer

Eaton & Chandler, Attys., Lawrence, Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, SS. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Helen I. Higgins late of Andover in said County (wife of William H. Higgins) deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate, by William H. Higgins who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, without giving a surety on his official bond, the executor named in said will having declined to serve.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Haverhill in said County of Essex, on the twenty-second day of October A.D. 1934, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to the public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman a newspaper published in Andover the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of October in the year nineteen hundred and thirty-four.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF ANDOVER

Office of the BOARD OF SELECTMEN Andover, Mass.

You are hereby required on or before December 1, 1934 to destroy the gypsy and brown tail moths on your property in this town.

This notification is in accordance with Chapter 152, General Laws, which requires cities and towns to destroy the eggs, caterpillars, pupae and nests of the gypsy and brown tail moths under heavy penalty for failure to comply with the provisions of the law.

If a property owner fails to destroy such eggs, caterpillars, pupae and nests, then the city or town is required to destroy the same, and the cost of the work, in whole or in part, according to the value of the land, is assessed upon and becomes a lien on the land. (Section 18, Chapter 152, General Laws, on reverse.)

The Selectmen ask owners and tenants to cooperate with the town in its work on highways and other public grounds by doing effective work on their premises. Citizens who have cleaned their premises of the moths, but find their trees endangered by the neglect of owners of adjoining estates should make complaint to the Selectmen. The infestation of a residential neighborhood by the neglect of a few will not be tolerated.

The eggs of the gypsy moth should be destroyed at once with creosote. They should never be scraped off the object on which they are laid. Careful search should be made for gypsy moth clusters, not only on trees, but also on house walls, stone walls, fences and in rubbish heaps, etc. Trees in which cavities occur and which it is not desirable to cut should have the cavities tinned or cemented. This is important. The present and future cost of combating this insect can be greatly reduced by cutting and burning worthless brush, hollow trees, etc. A few trees well-cared for are more valuable to the property owner and the community than a large number of neglected trees.

The nests of the brown tail moth should be cut from the trees, carefully collected and burned in a stove or furnace. Full instructions as to the best methods of work against the moths may be obtained from the Local Superintendent, Ralph T. Berry, or from the State Forester, Room 519, State House, Boston, Mass.

Work done by contractors should be inspected and approved by the Local Superintendent before payment for the same is made.

FRANK H. HARDY HOWELL F. SHEPARD JEREMIAH J. DALY Selectmen

October 2, 1934

Good Taste Today

By EMILY POST, Author of "ETIQUETTE," "THE BLUE BOOK OF SOCIAL USAGE," etc.

THE ALL-IN-ONE WEDDING INVITATION

DEAR Mrs. Post: The time has come for mother to order the invitations to my wedding. A friend told us you wrote sometime last winter that the wedding invitation which folds in half and whose edges seal to form an envelope on which the address is written, is in best possible taste and used by smartest people. The stationer has shown us a sample of this style of invitation on this bond paper, as well as the heavier kid paper that fits in two envelopes. The thin all-in-one piece invitation is considerably less expensive, but before choosing it we would like to be sure of your opinion, please.

Answer: I can't remember exactly what I answered, but I doubt having gone so far as to say that the all-in-one sheet invitation was in "best possible" taste. I think I said it would be permissible since it is the type of invitation much used in England and one that has been chosen also by a number of the smart in New York. Lately, however, several invitations and announcements have been sent me by my readers, which have made me rather sorry that I endorsed this type of invitation, because it can lend itself to a very poor quality of paper and to imitation engraving. About half of the examples sent me looked rather shoddy by the time they had gone through the mill.

In other words, I really prefer the conventional wedding invitation engraved (not printed) on a kid finish paper suggestive of an orange blossom petal in color and texture, which fits into an inner envelope without mullage on the flap, and this into an outer one with a muclage flap. The reason for the two envelopes is that when the outer one is thrown away, the under one is entirely fresh and therefore nicer to keep with its enclosures until the latter are used. In the single form, no cards can be enclosed, and a postmarked, and sometimes crumpled invitation must be presented at the church.

It is true that for those who must economize, the sheet and envelope in one is less expensive to have made, and to stamp, since it can be sent as unsealed postage. But if saving of expense is not a pressing necessity, the conventional invitation with its card enclosures is certainly in best possible taste.

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Nine o'Clock Island

Tahiti is a nine o'clock island; everything shuts up there by that hour, and everyone is asleep by 9:30. But everyone is up again by 4 a. m.

Officers Installed by A. P. C. Group

The annual installation of officers was held last night at the meeting of the A.P.C. sorority. Miss Esther Colby was installed as president.

Other officers installed were: vice-president Mrs. Emma G. Carter; recording secretary, Miss Louise Sherman; corresponding secretary, Mrs. George Sanborn; treasurer, Miss Helen Robertson; auditor, Mrs. Ada C. Brown. New members of the advisory board are Miss Edith Kendall and Miss Evelyn Jenkins. Mrs. Frank T. Carlton is counselor.

Prior to the installation a supper was served to some 70 persons. The supper committee: Mrs. Frank R. Petty, Mrs. John Holmelund, Mrs. Ronald Glines, Mrs. Norman Morgan, Mrs. Homer Hess, Mrs. Ralph Draper and Mrs. Roland Thompson.

Mrs. Philip Hardy and Mrs. J. Albion Burt were in charge of the installation. Mary Winkley was in charge of decorations.

C. C. C. Learning Auto Servicing

Plans are under way for interesting instruction in automobile servicing through practical teaching on an automobile and the exhibition of films at the 110th C. C. C.

Through the efforts of Advisor Mr. Lieberman, the Massachusetts Forestry Extension Service, and the New England Food and Dairy Co., equipment has been made available; the Mass. Vocational Teacher Training Dept., has offered its service, and the American Museum of Natural History has donated the following films to be shown in the Recreation Hall on successive Monday evenings.

This opportunity is a great chance to learn to work in gasoline stations, garages, etc. A list of the films follows: Automobile lubrication, carbon monoxide, story of gasoline, story of spark plugs, story of storage battery, metals of a motor car.

Under the instruction of Mr. H. Wood of the Mass. Vocational Teacher Training School, the class in automobile servicing, at Co. 167 North Reading is engaged in an unusual educational development. The members are being taught how to perform the duties of a gasoline station attendant: greasing, changing tires, batteries, repairing minor defects, installing accessories, etc. Along with this instruction Mr. Wood intends to point out the various opportunities the work will offer for employment. The object of the course is to teach the men not only how to do the work but how to earn money by it.

Plans for Country Club Championship Sunday

James H. Eaton and A. E. Brooks will meet each other Sunday for the Andover Country Club golf championship for 1934. The two are the lone survivors of championship tournament.

The annual Golfers' Day and dinner which concludes the official tournament schedule for the season was held at the Country Club Saturday afternoon and evening.

Walter M. Lamont captured first prize in the medal play, full handicap tournament held for non-prize winners during the tournament. He turned in a score of 83-16-69. J. H. Boss was second with 86-17-69, and George Hammond, third with a card of 101-27-74.

W. M. Sullivan capped first prize in the selected 12 holes, 3-4 handicap tournament with a card of 51-13-38. J. A. Hines won first prize in the tournament of a similar nature held for the guests. He was tied for low net with D. D. Sample but Hines won on the draw.

Prizes for the year were distributed following the dinner.

Vets Auxiliary Whist

V.F.W. Auxiliary whist winners last night were: door prize, Miss E. Bowes; consolation, A. Walker, Mrs. Craik; P. J. Barrett, table cloth; Edward Downs, cups and saucers; Raymond Metcalf, clothes basket; Gladys Rodgers, waffle set; Mrs. William G. Martin, pantry set; A. Walker, jardiniere; Mrs. Charles Shorten, casserole; Mrs. Fred C. Collins, custard cups; Ruth Lee, shopping bag; Mrs. W. Shaw, cake box; John White, bottle basket; Mrs. Harold Cates, flower holder; Henry McGlynn, stationery; Fred Westcott, stationery; Mrs. Mason, cards; Mrs. John Young, table cloth; Ernest Verrette, towels; and Mrs. A. Colbath, cards.

Health Education Meeting

One of the outstanding meetings on Health Education in recent years is the Institute on Health Education in the Secondary Schools which is to be held on Monday, October 15, at the Salem Teachers college, Salem under the auspices of the Essex County Health Association in collaboration with the Massachusetts Tuberculosis League, the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, the Haverhill Tuberculosis association, the Lowell Tuberculosis League, the Lynn Tuberculosis League, the Newburyport Anti-Tuberculosis association and the Salem association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

Jesse F. Williams, M.D., professor of physical education, Teachers College, Columbia University will be the principal speaker and has chosen for his topic "Basic Principles in the Organization of Health Education." Dr. Henry D. Chadwick, commissioner of public health will speak on "Reorganization of Chadwick Clinics Especially in Relation to the High Schools."

The afternoon session is scheduled to begin at 3:30 with Jean V. Latimer, educational secretary of the Massachusetts Tuberculosis League in the role of chairman. J. Ashby Pitman, president of the Salem Teachers college will extend greetings to the members and guests of these various organizations. Carl L. Schrader, State supervisor of physical education will open the conference and other speakers to follow include Dr. Henry D. Chadwick; Dr. Olin S. Pettigill, superintendent of the Essex sanatorium, Middleton; Dr. Jesse F. Williams; M. Luise Diez, M.D., director, Massachusetts division of Child Hygiene; Jerome Burt, state supervisor secondary education, and Ernest Stephens, director of secondary education, Lynn. Brief reports from the field will be given by Lee Gray, principal of the Swampscott high school and H. Deane Hoyt principal of the Priest school, Manchester. A buffet supper will be served at 6:00 p.m.

A panel discussion with Frank Kiernan, executive secretary of the Massachusetts Tuberculosis League, presiding will be held between 7:30 and 9:00 on the topic of "What Shall Be the Educational Criteria for Developing Health Education Procedures in the Secondary Schools."

Reservations for the buffet supper should be made not later than October 11. This program on Health Education, as well as several other similar programs conducted throughout the year by the Essex County Health Association and other affiliated organizations is financed by the annual sale of Christmas seals.

Men's Fellowship to Meet

The Men's Fellowship of the Andover Baptist church will hold their first meeting of the season Monday night at 7:30. The lion and other affiliated organizations is financed by the annual sale of Christmas seals.

Varied Entertainment Program at Academy

An excellent program of entertainment has been scheduled for the coming school year in the Meeting Room of George Washington Hall at Phillips academy. The following is a brief outline:

October 15. A form of entertainment entirely new to Andover will be presented when Ted Shawn brings his group of men dancers to George Washington Hall. Dancing was originally an exclusively male prerogative, associated with war and religion, and women were forbidden to practice it. To revive this original form of dancing Mr. Shawn has gathered a group of young men, several of them former college football players and wrestlers, and put them through a course of training at a Berkshire camp. All who have seen them: including many football coaches, athletic directors, and sports writers have been impressed with the virile, masculine character of the performance, and the remarkable beauty and precision of the dances.

November 9. Roland Hayes, the remarkable negro tenor, who has just returned from Europe, will pay his second visit to Andover.

November 22. Lee Simonson, a director of the Theatre Guild, and with Robert Edmond Jones in charge of stage design for Theatre Guild productions, will give an illustrated lecture on stage design. This will be in connection with the International Exhibit of Theatre Art at the Addison Gallery. The talk will be of interest to boys, and to those unfamiliar with the theatre, as well as to those who are experts.

December 8. The Don Cossacks, who last year gave one of the most interesting and thrilling musical performances ever enjoyed in Andover, will return. They have made a sensation wherever they have appeared, in Europe or in America.

December 14. Mr. George E. Sokolsky, author of "The Tinder Box of Asia" and nationally known journalist, will lecture on

Propose Amendment to Experience Rule

(Continued from page 1)

Another page will contain a report on such matters as a gasoline station attendant: greasing, reliability, co-operation and respect for authority.

The milk question because of the recent pegging of prices occupied considerable time, with the committee finally deciding to submit new requests for bids. Sidney P. White, local milk dealer, is present to explain the price changes, and he also requested the committee to secure the milk from 100 per cent local dealers, hiring all local labor, living here, and taking their milk entirely from locally pastured cows.

Three teachers were granted 92¢ increase for professional study, in accordance with the salary schedule. Miss Mina Noyes of the Bradlee school, Miss Helen Sargent of the John Dove school, and Miss Clara A. Putnam, principal of the junior high, were the teachers involved. Miss Putnam has not quite completed her professional study, but she is to retire in June, she should be given credit for it immediately.

Oil Contract Awarded

The Williams service station was given the contract to supply fuel oil to the North school at six and a half cents per gallon. The committee took this action on the grounds that the rest of the fuel supply had been split among the three local oil dealers, and that fairness demanded that the oil go to another, since the prices are all the same.

The buildings and grounds committee was instructed to see the Board of Public Works about a pond of water in the North school lot which it is claimed was caused by the blocking up of a drain by the B. P. W. workers. This results in frequent flooding of the block of the school with consequent damages to the heating system.

It was announced that Dr. J. J. Daly, local E.R.A. administrator, had expressed his willingness to cooperate with the committee in making a lot opposite the West school suitable for playground purposes.

Commend Local E.R.A.

Later in the meeting the committee voted to commend Dr. Daly a letter thanking him and to commend him for the fine work done by the E.R.A. in painting the Bradlee school and in the constructing of dry-wells there.

The matter of transportation of West Andover pupils took up considerable time, with the committee being particularly interested in the extra mileage caused by extra transportation required by state law.

Miss Jane Fitzhery and Mrs. Kenneth Hilton received a raise in pay to bring their salaries into accordance with the schedule for school principals.

The committee voted to empower the superintendent to go ahead with sending local students to the Lawrence Evening high school, with the town paying their twenty dollars tuition. All applicants, however, must be approved by the superintendent.

Privileges Granted C.C.C.

Several privileges were granted to the C.C.C. on Mr. Sanborn's report that the boys' conduct had been remarkably good last year. The use of the old Punchard hall seats was granted them for the rest of the school year, to be used at their weekly entertainments, and they are also to be allowed the use of the high school evening.

Mr. Sanborn announced that the Shawshaven Parents-Teachers association planned to again have Miss Blanche MacGowan act as practice physical education teacher at the school, and the committee approved this action.

It was reported that the fuel account because of the coal increase in price would be planned this year but by curtailing of other planned activities, it is expected that the year will be finished within the appropriation. The Bradlee school boiler is in bad shape, and will have to be replaced next year.

No word has been received from Boston as to whether the proposed E.R.A. school project.

British Vets Auxiliary Note

The members of the British Veterans auxiliary planning to go to Lawrence this evening will assemble at seven o'clock in the square.

Reports Dog Killed Rabbits

Sebastian Fernari of River road reported to the police Monday that sometime Sunday night a dog killed a number of his rabbits.

national and international affairs. He is recommended by all who have heard him as a speaker of unusual power and interest.

January 11. Harold Bauer, one of the world famous pianists of the day, will play in the Meeting Room.

January 18. Father Bernard R. Hubbard, S.J., "The Glacier Priest" whose explorations among the snow covered volcanoes of Alaska are widely known, will tell of his latest trip to the north and show hundreds of feet of extraordinary moving pictures.

February 8. Oliver La Farge, Pulitzer Prize winner, and author of Laughing Boy and Long Pennant will speak. Mr. La Farge is an explorer and archaeologist as well as a writer.

April 12. Miss Gloria Hollister, who for five years been William Beebe's "right hand man" in his "bathysphere" diving expeditions, will tell about discoveries made thousands of feet under the ocean's surface. Described by Time as resembling a "cinema actress playing a part more than the earnest young scientist she is," Miss Hollister took down in shorthand Beebe's observations on 3,982 feet. She herself holds the women's record of 1,208 feet. Her lecture will be illustrated by colored lantern slides and motion pictures.

April 26. Chester S. Howland has spent years studying the methods and life of the whaling men of long ago. His lecture will include not only old pictures of the whale fishery, and old stories drawn from original log books, but also actual whaling scenes caught by motion picture camera on a special expedition to the Caribbean Sea.

April 17. Miss Marjorie Moffet is considered by critics in New York and other large cities to be one of the best of the younger monologists. In her "one woman show" she presents a brilliant series of sketches, both humorous and tragic.

Local Ladies at British Reception

About fifty persons from Andover, members or friends of the British War Veterans auxiliary, attended the reception and dance for the British sailors on board the H. S. M. Dragon at Boston Monday evening. A most enjoyable time was held.

Among those attending: Mrs. Raymond Lefebvre, Mrs. John Elder, Miss Margaret Reid, Mrs. Alex Smith, Mrs. William Carnegie, Mrs. Hugh McLaughlin, Mrs. Joseph Keith, Mrs. Hector Patullo, Mrs. James Stewart, Miss Rachael Stewart, Miss Gertrude Stewart, Miss Agnes Stewart, Mrs. David Wallace, Mrs. Alex Duke, Mrs. Peter Campbell, Mrs. Peter Stewart, Mrs. Duane Carnegie, Mrs. Dan Gallagher, Mrs. Charlotte Holden, Mrs. Annie Frazer, Mrs. George Campbell, Mrs. George Davidson, Mrs. John Thomson, Mrs. Albert Cole, Mrs. Peter Doherty, Mrs. Robert Cairne, Mrs. Archie Davidson, Mrs. Verin Porter, Mrs. Howard Downs, Mrs. Sarah Jack, Miss Margaret Reid, Mrs. Grace Larkin, Mrs. Charles Skea, Mrs. Paul Simeone, Mrs. John Young, Miss Mary Young, Mrs. Fred Firth, Mrs. Wm. Tammany, Mrs. Norman Mazer, Mrs. James Winters, Mrs. Margaret Kimball, Mrs. Robert Carling, Mrs. James Mitchell, Mrs. Julia Quinette, Mrs. Allison Stewart.

James Nicoll, Joseph Keith, James Beatty, Henry Beatty, Fred Firth, William Bewick, Alex Duke, William Stevens, Norman MacLeish, James Caldwell, James Vannett and James Fairweather.

Baptist Scout Notice

On account of the Philathea banquet to-night the boy scouts of Troop 74 will meet in the upper vestry of the Baptist church.

Meagher Company of Peabody Skilled Designers

The designing of Cemetery Memorials is such an important feature as to warrant only the best skill obtainable. The beauty of any Memorial depends on its proportion, it is very essential that it be the correct size, and type for the lot. The Meagher Company have made a thorough study of Memorial Art, its texture in all its branches, and are recognized authority on Memorial Art. The fact that the erection of the family Memorial is something that is done but once in a lifetime makes it an important issue, that the best skill obtainable be employed.

In Peabody, Mass., where the Meagher Company have the largest granite cutting plant and show-room in this state, is much of interest to the prospective purchasers of Cemetery Memorials for there is displayed every conceivable style and proportion that is used for cemetery purposes, and many exceptional values are to be found among this collection. It is a busy place these days, already many selections have been made which will be installed before cold weather sets in. A visit there will prove very interesting, you will see work in the various processes of construction as well as the finished Memorial exhibit which is the largest in this state. There is much to choose from and if you have any problem in the Memorial Art line, why the Meagher Company are prepared and equipped to handle it satisfactorily.

Carry Young in Pouch

Opossums are marsupials, their young being born so early and undeveloped they are carried in a pouch on the mother's abdomen until level with her feet. Born half an inch long, like kangaroos and mice, their mothers drop them into their pockets, where they grow throughout the Jurassic and Cretaceous periods the mammals were probably all small, of the low order of monotremes or marsupials, carnivorous and insectivorous. No herb eaters lived before the Eocene, perhaps. Of very ancient lineage, living through many depressions and perilous ages, the opossum has learned that "feigning death" is a good weapon of defense.

The Indians of early days often made their arrow heads of a natural glass known as obsidian, a variety of lava which is partially transparent and is very hard, brittle and sharp-edged. Obsidian is of a variety of colors ranging from black to gray, but the color of one specimen is usually uniform. In the United States the natural glass is found in Yellowstone park principally, although it is also found in other regions. It is rather widely distributed throughout the world, wherever volcanic action has occurred.

WEST PARISH Telephone 463

Tuesday evening the Lafolot club met with Mrs. Herbert P. Carter, Lowell street. It was the annual election of officers and the following were elected: president, Mrs. C. A. Mayo, Main street; vice-president, Mrs. Grace E. Stevens, High Plain road; treasurer, Mrs. Alex Henderson, Argilla road; goodwill committee, Mrs. Russell Foster, Lowell street; chairman, executive committee, Miss Ebbal Peterson, Greenwood road; Mrs. Kenneth Hilton, Lowell road. Plans for the winter work were mapped out and then the hostess served a dainty luncheon.

Mrs. Hervey Northey was called to Lisbon, N. H., by the death of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McLean are moving into their new home on Balmorel street.

The many friends of Miss Kate Pike will be glad to know that she is improving after her serious illness.

Mrs. Frances Benson of Marlard road entertained Mrs. Clarence Shaw Tuesday.

Arthur Brouette has moved from Woburn street to Newburyport.

James Randall of Everett spent Tuesday in Ballardvale.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clemons of Andover street entertained Mrs. Margaret Murcheson and Miss Eleanor Murcheson of Lynn Sunday.

David Stein and William Benson spent Sunday at Topfield.

Mrs. Emma Keenes of Andover street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dana Hanson of Everett recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richardson and family visited in the vale over the week-end.

Mrs. Fred Fyler of Everett spent Tuesday visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cronin of Roslindale visited in Ballardvale Sunday.

Stephen Castle visited in Westville, N. H. Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Fone of Clark road has been confined to her home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Donnell of Tewksbury street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whitteker of Detroit, Mich. Sunday.

BALLARDVALE Telephone 1007M

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gerard and family of Greenwood spent Sunday visiting with relatives in Ballardvale.

John Peatman of Woburn street commenced his fourth year term at Essex Agricultural School Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peatman visited in Hamilton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Louge and family of Westford visited with Mr. and Mrs. William McDermitt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Flood and family and Miss Josephine Howard of Rochester, N. H. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hussey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Marion and family of River street spent Sunday visiting in Lowell.

George Haselton has returned to his home on Hall avenue after undergoing an operation at the Audubon Hospital.

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### Pythians Work Rank of Page

The rank of page was worked Tuesday night at the meeting of Garfield lodge, 172, Knights of Pythias, in Fraternal hall. Visitors were present from Haverhill, Salem, Somerville, and Lawrence lodges. Deputy Grand Chancellor Leroy Pettigrew and suite of Rockport were among the visitors.

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### What Caused the Tax Rate to Jump

Andover's taxpayers have been wondering since the tax rate was announced just what caused the tax rate rise. The Townsman has prepared an analysis of the tax rate figures, which shows approximately what caused the change. The new junior high school project, according to the town treasurer, had no effect on this year's rate. The analysis follows:

| Tax Rate Rise Factors  | Increased Appropriation over 1933 | Approximate Effect on Rate |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| *Free Cash             | \$35,000                          | -\$2.20                    |
| Snow Pump              |                                   | 1.25                       |
| Snow Removal           | \$20,000.00                       | 1.25                       |
| School Board           | 9,614.58                          | .60                        |
| Tree, Moth, Truck      | 2,355.00                          | .15                        |
| Assessor's Survey      | 1,990.00                          | .13                        |
| Elections              | 1,600.00                          | .10                        |
| Cemetery, Truck        | 1,190.00                          | .07                        |
| B. P. W.               | 1,140.95                          | .07                        |
| Fire, Police, Car      | 1,122.51                          | .07                        |
| Miscellaneous Accounts | 770.92                            | .05                        |
| <b>Totals</b>          | <b>\$59,783.96</b>                | <b>\$5.94</b>              |

| Tax Rate Decrease Factors | Amount     | Effect on Rate |
|---------------------------|------------|----------------|
| Bonds, Interest           | \$5,000.00 | -.31           |
| Welfare                   | 3,927.50   | -.25           |
|                           | \$8,927.50 | -.56           |

\*Free cash to the amount of \$35,000 was voted in 1933 to reduce the tax rate. This was not voted this year.

All the above figures are based on \$16,000 spent equals \$1 in the rate. Other factors, county assessments, etc., about balanced each other.

### German Organist's Program Enjoyed

A large attendance of music-lovers from Andover and other surrounding communities was present in the Academy church at Phillips Academy Tuesday night to hear Gunther Ramin, noted German organist.

The program:

Prelude and Fugue in C Major *Georg Boehm (1661-1733)*  
Partita on the Choral "Ach Wie Nichtig, Ach Wie Flechtig" (Ah, how empty, ah, how fleeting) *Georg Boehm*  
Prelude and Fugue in E Minor *J. S. Bach (1685-1750)*  
Trio Sonata No. 6, G Major *J. S. Bach*  
Lento *Allegro*  
Sonata No. 2, D Minor, Op. 60 *Max Reger (1873-1916)*  
Improvisation  
Introduction and Fugue  
Improvisation on a Submitted Theme

### Christ Church Notes

It is expected that the new altar will be dedicated by Bishop Sherrill when he comes for confirmation on Sunday morning, December 2.

The Woman's Guild will hold its first meeting on Thursday at 2:30. There will be a speaker on missions from Boston and tea will be served. The chief item in the program before Christmas will be the Thanksgiving sale to be held on the Tuesday before Thanksgiving Day. It is planned to have a supper on the evening of the sale.

The Junior Woman's Guild held an enjoyable meeting on Monday with Mrs. Richard Whipple.

The Girls' Friendly Society will begin its season next Monday with a supper, when Mrs. Kenneth Minard will preside.

### Whist Party

A whist party will be held this evening at eight in the Legion rooms by the Legion auxiliary. Extensive plans have been made as twenty different members have promised to fill a table and a large number are expected to attend. There will be numerous prizes including a table lamp and an end table. Mrs. Kenneth MacDonald and Mrs. Carl A. Wetterberg are in charge of the affair. "Ring" will also be played during the evening. Boxes of chocolates are the prizes. The playing will be in charge of Misses Ethel and Doris Hilton.

### Sports Schedule

**Tomorrow**  
Football—Harvard freshmen at Andover, 2 p.m.  
Dartvers High at Punchedard  
Soccer—M.I.T. Freshmen at Andover  
Soccer—By-pass, 2 p.m.

**Sunday**  
Soccer—Sanford, Me., vs. Andover at Shawshen, 3 p.m.

### Sport Notes

**Norwood 21—Punchedard 6**  
Punchedard lost its first game of the season Saturday when the Norwood high team, playing on its home grounds, won a 21 to 6 verdict on a soaking wet field. Punchedard held the Norwood eleven scoreless until the second period, when a forward pass across the goal line put the home team ahead 6 to 0. Norwood scored another on a plunge following a fumble, and in the last period a blocked punt netted the Norwood team a touchdown. They also tackled Gillen behind the goal for a safety.

Chelebowski scored for Punchedard late in the game after a Norwood fumble.

The local line-up:  
Sayers, r.e.; Hurley, Deshane, r.t.; Platt, r.g.; C. Mitchell, Sparks, c.; Pomeroy, Boynton, l.g.; Elder, L.T.; Winkley, l.e.; Hackney, q.b.; P. Mitchell, r.h.b.; Tammany, l.h.b.; Chelebowski, Gillen, f.b.

The score by periods:  
Norwood: 1 2 3 4  
Punchedard: 0 13 0 8 21  
Touchdowns: DeCosta, Coughlin, Karlstrom, Chelebowski. Point by goal after touchdown, Coughlin, Safety, Gillen.

### Andover 6—Methuen 1

The Andover soccer team overwhelmed the Methuen team 6-1 Saturday at Methuen, with J. Ashton scoring the only goal against the local team on a penalty. Smith, Campbell, Deyermann, and McLaughlin starred for the local eleven.

The local line-up: Burbine, g.; Denholm, r.b.; Sharpe, l.b.; Simes, r.h.b.; Smith, c.h.b.; Bissett, l.h.b.; Campbell, r.o.f.; Carver, r.i.f.; McGrath, c.f.; McLaughlin, l.f.; Deyermann, l.o.f.

Summary—Andover 6 goals, Methuen 1 goal; goal scorers, McLaughlin 2, Deyermann, Carver, McGrath, Smith, Ashton (penalty). Time, two 45-minute periods.

### Playoff Postponed

The playoff for the New England amateur-professional club pair championship scheduled to have been held at the Andover country club Sunday was called off when the contestants failed to appear. They were Tom Mahan and Art Jorgensen of United Shoe and Larry and Jimmy Gannon of Happy Valley, who tied last Monday with cards of 140.

### League Conference to Be Held Oct. 9

A Fall Conference of the League of Women Voters will be held in Weston on Tuesday, October 9, at which the program will be discussed in its relation to organization and promoting better understanding of League purposes. In the morning there will be a general meeting on organization and the program; at luncheon group meetings, State League Chairmen with local League Chairmen; in the afternoon a general meeting on legislation and the program.

It is hoped a large group from Andover will attend this conference, for everyone will be welcome. Anyone interested should call Miss Helen Chickering, president, to make arrangements.

### Free Church Notes

The Free church C. E. society will hold a social Monday evening at 7:30 in the primary room.

Rita Kinnear will be the leader of the meeting Sunday evening at 6. Lillian Brown led the meeting last Sunday, the subject being "Worth While Aims for the Year."

The missionary committee of the Free church met Sunday following the morning service. The committee: Mrs. Annie S. Angus, Mrs. Roy E. Bradford, Mrs. Frank A. Buttrick, Rev. Frederick A. Wilson, D.D., pastor emeritus and Rev. Alfred C. Church, pastor. The boxes given out three months ago were called in. The committee has arranged for a special speaker in November.

Frank A. Buttrick has accepted the chairmanship of a committee to arrange for men's meetings in the future.

All are invited to the Uncle Elmer service next Sunday evening October 7, at seven o'clock.

The Brotherhood holds its election of officers at 12 noon, October 7th.

The first fall meeting of the Woman's Alliance will be held on Thursday, October 11th at 2:30. The date for the Harvest Supper has been changed to October 17th at six o'clock.

**British Vets Notice**

The British War Veterans have been invited to attend a church parade in Springfield on October 14 at 10:30 a.m. Any members wishing to go are asked to be sure to be at the next regular meeting on October 11, starting at 7:30 in the Guild. If not able to attend the meeting, they are asked to get in touch with any officer of the association.

### Local Artist Opens Studio-Barn of Art

Miss Frances Dalton and Birney Quick, two talented, and able young artists, have opened a school of arts and crafts at 20 School street, in the studio-barn opened last year by Miss Dalton. The school commenced last Monday with several private pupils and classes in oils, watercolors and wood-carving. Later, it is expected, a class in Batik will be formed.

Miss Dalton, who is the daughter of Mrs. Mary E. Dalton of 79 Chestnut street, is a graduate of the School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston. Miss Dalton studied abroad three years on the Paige Scholarship.

Birney Quick, is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Quick of Quicks Bend, Pa., and Duluth, Minn. Mr. Quick attended the Vesper George School of Art and was an honor student.

Both Miss Dalton and Mr. Quick worked and exhibited with the artist colony at Woodstock, N. Y., the past summer. They now are at work on several portraits, and Mr. Quick is making his sketches for the murals he is to paint in the Central Avenue Methodist church in Duluth, Minn.

### Ministers Meet

The local ministers group met yesterday at the home of George B. Frost on Chestnut street.

### Held as Result of Double Accident

William A. Meagher, 14 Fontaine street, Woburn, was held in \$400 bonds when arraigned in District court Saturday morning as the result of a double accident in which Martin O'Donnell, 31, of Woburn, was seriously injured. The case will be heard October 6.

O'Donnell was injured in the second half of a double accident which occurred early Saturday morning on the by-pass about a quarter mile south of Wildwood road. A car operated by Carl Shmarvon, 28, of Haverhill, was proceeding north when he slowed down and was hit in the rear by a Ford coach operated by George A. Brewster, also of Haverhill. The latter was taken to Dr. Daly's where five stitches were taken to close a cut in his forehead. Miss Genevieve Shmarvon was shaken up.

While a wrecker was removing one of the cars, Meagher's car came along and hit the wrecker. Police claim that the scene was brightly lighted by spotlights, flares, headlights, etc. O'Donnell was removed to the Lawrence General hospital suffering from bad cuts on his neck and chin, severe back and chest injuries, and possible internal injuries. He was placed on the danger list.

Meagher was arrested by Officer David Gillespie on charges of operating to endanger, and operating without a license or a registration in his possession.

### Essex Field Day Held Here Sunday

Jim Henderson of the Andover Sportsmen's Club won first prize in the registered skeet shoot held here Sunday as part of the annual field day of the Essex County League of Sportsmen's Clubs. Henderson broke 49 out of 50.

J. I. Pitman, Andover, was second with 47, and H. Turner and L. Curtis Jr. of Waltham, tied for third with 45. On the shootoff Curtis broke 25 out of 25 to win the prize, Turner hitting 21.

Five shooters scored 44 in Class B to tie for the first prize. C. Mitchell of Waltham shot 23 on the shootoff to take the first prize and L. Curtis of Waltham took second with 22. W. Perrin of Waltham won third on a toss with C. Pearl and L. Verza of Marblehead. J. Elliot of Canobie scored 43.

W. Bowen and D. Hastings of Waltham tied for first in Class C with 42, with Bowen winning on the shootoff. L. Kinsman of Andover and E. Burns of Quincy divided third prize with 39.

Other scores: S. Stoddard, Andover, 38; Dr. Judkins, Lynn 31.

The Hugh A. Cregg pistol trophy was won by the Methuen police team with a score of 415, 500. The team consisted of Albert J. Medaer, captain; E. Vernon Sanborn, Rudolph Dietrich, Milton Lodge and Richard Wolfendale.

Fred Hofeman of Lawrence won the re-entry pistol match with 188x200 on the 25-yard target. McNeill's score of 188 contained one more eight, which gave him second place. The tie for third place between Sanborn and Medaer of Methuen was settled when they decided to split the prize money.

The junior 50-yard rifle match winners were as follows: Graham, 71; Huntress, 39; Munro, 29. The senior rifle scores were: Kent, 197; Fox, 194, and Peck, 193.

In the turkey shoot M. Larkin of Haverhill and H. Miller of Andover tied for first.

In straight traps, prizes went to M. Doyle, Andover, 46; L. Verza, 45; J. Henderson, 45.

### Severely Injured in Village Crash

George Burpee, injured in an accident here this week, died at four o'clock this morning at the Lawrence General hospital. Police charged George A. Gauthier this morning with manslaughter.

George Burpee of 163 Hancock street, Manchester, N. H., is on the danger list at the Lawrence General hospital as the result of an accident at three o'clock Wednesday morning on North Main street near Poor street. He sustained a fracture of the jaw, probable fracture of the skull, multiple lacerations about the face and head, and shock. James Sheard, 286 Farnham street, Lawrence, also complained of a leg injury following the accident.

Burpee was a passenger in the front seat of a car driven by George A. Gauthier, 29 Cumberland road, Manchester, N. H. According to the police report, Gauthier was driving toward Lawrence on North Main street near Union street when he crashed into a car stopped on the Boston-bound lane. The operator of the latter car was Michael J. Carroll, 22 Bailey street, Lawrence. He reported that he was driving toward Boston when he stopped alongside a parked car on the westerly side of the street. The crash occurred soon after James Picarillo, 400 Andover street, South Lawrence, was the operator of the parked car, which had run out of gas.

Gauthier's car turned turtle following the crash. Police found a partially empty tin bottle in the car and a case of whiskey in pint bottles.

Sheard was riding in the front seat of Carroll's car.

When officer McBride reached the scene of the accident, he found the Picarillo car on the east side of the road on the cement, and just north of this was the Ford coupe tipped over on its right side just off the cement.

Gauthier was arraigned in district court Wednesday morning on charge of operating under the influence, operating so as to endanger, and drunkenness. He pleaded guilty. Disposition of the case was continued until Tuesday, October 9. Bail was set at \$3.50.

### Local Vets Win Prizes at Boston

Andover's British War Veterans figured prominently in the prize awards at the field day in Boston Saturday in connection with the visit of H.M.S. Dragon and H.M.S. Dundee, the British cruisers.

Most of the sports were called off because of rain, but in five-a-side football the Andover team was second, being defeated by the Dragon sailors. Each member of the following team received a small cup: Norman K. MacLeish, James Mitchell, Edward Bushnell, David Milnes, and James Grant.

In the two prizes that were held, Andover people won prizes. Mr. MacLeish received a small cup for winning second in the 100 yard dash for men, and Jean MacLeish, his daughter, won a set of dishes by taking first in the century for girls from 12 to 16. Jean Mitchell took second in this race.

Those present at the field day from Andover were: Mr. and Mrs. Norman K. MacLeish, Jean MacLeish, Russell MacLeish, Mr. and Mrs. James Beatty, Henry Beatty, Eric Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell, Jean Mitchell and Margaret Mitchell, Arthur Anderson, George Addison, Edward Bushnell, David Milnes, James Leah, Alex Auchterlone, James Fairweather, Thomas Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. William Beswick, James Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Firth, Joseph Percival, Mrs. Margaret Kelley and James Vannett.

### Plan 15th Anniversary

Plans for the 15th anniversary of the Clan Johnston auxiliary were made at their meeting last night. The anniversary will be celebrated at the next meeting, October 18.

A penny social followed the meeting.

Refreshments were served by a committee including: Mrs. George B. Petrie, Mrs. James Coates, Miss Mary Gammell, Mrs. Thomas W. Neil, Mrs. Joseph Keith and Mrs. James Bateson.

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### Food and Gasoline Stolen in Break

Many articles of food, some gasoline and oil, were stolen Sunday night or early Monday morning in a break at William F. Barrow's filling station on Lowell street, according to a report made to the local police at 7:30 Monday morning.

Entrance was gained by ripping off a screen on the east side of the station, breaking the window and opening the lock. An automobile had been backed in beside the window and the loot handed right out to the car.

Barron reported that the following articles were missing: seventeen gallons gasoline, five pounds coffee, two gallons oil, four pounds candy, one pound crackers, seven pounds Salada tea, about 80 cigars, eleven boxes cookies, four rolls adhesive tape, and two quart bricks of ice cream.

An auto jack was found left beside the gasoline pump.

Twenty gallons of gasoline were removed Sunday night from a station owned by Ohan Loosignan on the Lowell road.

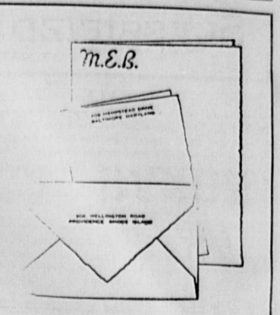
### Shawshen Scouts Meet

Troop 11, Boy Scouts of Shawshen Village will meet this evening in the Shawshen school at 7:45. All boys of 12 years and over who wish to join the troop are requested to attend this meeting as well as all the older members of the troop.

### Square and Compass Meets

The Square and Compass club will hold a bean supper on the 20th, according to plans made last night.

Ralph Hadley was appointed chairman of the bowling committee.



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