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Baptist Church Pastor Resigns

**Rev. Lorentz I. Hansen to
Devote Full Time to
Teaching at B. U.**

Rev. Lorentz I. Hansen, pastor of the Andover Baptist church since February, 1931, became the fourth Andover clergyman to vacate his pulpit this year when he tendered his resignation on Sunday. Rev. Alfred C. Church of the Free church died, Rev. Charles W. Henry of Christ church resigned, and Rev. Newman Matthews of the West church retired to provide the



Rev. Lorentz I. Hansen

town with a record turn-over of ministers. Rev. Samuel C. Beane of the North Parish church, well-known to local Unitarians, also retired this year.

The various changes leave Rev. Frederick B. Noss, a comparative newcomer, the dean of Andover's active clergymen. Rev. Mr. Noss has been here only eight years, but today he is the oldest in point of service of any of the local active regular clergymen. Rev. Mr. Matthews is now serving as acting pastor while his church chooses a successor.

Rev. Mr. Hansen's resignation will become effective on November first. An ever-increasing load of teaching duties at Boston University has given him less and less time to devote to the parish duties, and this year work in two of the university's colleges provides a total of full

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Arbroathians to Meet Tomorrow

Andover's Arbroathians will play host to the Arbroathians of Massachusetts on Saturday night at a get-together in the town hall. A banquet, entertainment program and dancing will be enjoyed.

Taking part in the program will be Miss Margaret Wynton, David Wallace, Henry Fairweather and Mrs. Alfred R. Harris, with Miss Minnie Valentine at the piano.

The banquet will start promptly at six. The program follows: Address of welcome, John Greenhow, president; song, Miss Margaret Wynton; remarks, John Christison, Lynn; song, David K. Wallace; remarks; song, Mary C. Harris; song, Henry Fairweather. Miss Minnie Valentine, accompanist.

Those in charge: Floor director, Robert Williams; assistant, Alexander Beedie.

Officers: President, John Greenhow; vice-president, Mrs. George Petrie; secretary, Miss Ina Petrie; treasurer, James Watt; guard, David Vannett.

Get-together committee: Edwin J. Anderson, chairman; Mr. and Mrs. George Petrie, Alexander Valentine, George Gordon, Robert Low, James Watt, John Greenhow.

**Polls Open Noon to 6.30 on Tuesday
Cast Your Ballot Tuesday**

Refuse to Change School Age

Action on a suggestion to change the opening school age here to conform to that of all the surrounding towns was postponed to the spring by the school committee on Monday night at a special session. It was pointed out at the meeting that Andover requires a child to be six years before January first of the school year, while Lawrence requires the child to be six before March first, Methuen six before March first and North Andover six before April first. Methuen and Lawrence make exceptions if there is room in the first grade of the district involved.

The discussion took place on a letter received from Mr. and Mrs. William W. Kurth, whose child was refused admittance because he was not six years of age until January sixth. Superintendent Henry C. Sanborn stated that he had some other cases brought to his attention and Chairman Frederick C. Smith also mentioned that he had other cases. Mr. Sanborn said that about twenty children would be affected.

Town Expected to Endorse Sirois in Tuesday Election

Service Club Opens Season

Past Presidents' night was observed last night at the meeting of the Service club. President Richard G. Whipple was in the chair for the first time, and he spoke briefly in addition to Past Presidents Nathan C. Hamblin, Charles R. Scott, Dr. Nathaniel Stowers, Carl Elander and Thaxter Eaton.

A "quartet" from the Male choir, including eighteen members, sang, with Miss Marion Abbott at the piano.

Officers Named by Local Odd Fellows

The annual election of officers of the Odd Fellows was held Wednesday night, with John F. Sutcliffe being chosen noble grand. Others elected were: Ira Buxton, recording secretary; Alexander Mackenzie, treasurer; Ralph T. Berry, financial secretary; and William H. Faulkner, trustee for three years.

Republican Given Strong Chance to Win Demo- cratic District

Andover will go to the polls on Tuesday to participate in the Congressional battle between Edward D. Sirois, Republican of Lawrence, and Lawrence P. Connery, Democrat of Lynn. All six polling places will be open here from noon to 6.30 p.m.

The Republican town committee, which is putting on an intense campaign to get out the local vote in what seems the Republicans' first real chance in years to gain control of the district, met on Wednesday night, and decided to ask the selectmen to leave the polling-places open until eight. It was felt that the noon to 6.30 hours would make it impossible for some of those who work in Boston and Lawrence to vote. Whether or not this could be done at this late hour was not known at the meeting.

Andover is expected to go overwhelmingly Republican, gaining in strength over last November because of the antagonism here over the Supreme Court and other proposals of the President. Sirois, who is a Republican has been elected to the State General court in a Democratic district, is expected to pull enough Democratic votes from his home city, Lawrence, to give him the edge over Connery, brother of the late Congressman, whose seat is to be filled.

Will Give Course on Health Education

Dean Rogers and Miss Bragg, both of Boston University, will give an extension course at the Junior High school Monday afternoons at four o'clock commencing October 4 on health education.

TIME CHANGES SUNDAY

The state returns to Eastern Standard time on Sunday morning. Clocks should be set back one hour.

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Signed: Republican Town Committee, Harry Sellars, Chairman, 5 Avon Street

This Sober Town

Chats About You and Us
and the
Other Folks Here in Andover

Sewer Story

There's nothing very funny about spending about \$200,000 of Andover's money, but the hopes of some as to how it should be spent do have a lighter side. Last week a group of Andover officials and Taxpayers' association directors went up to a hearing conducted by the state department of public health in Lowell on the problem of the construction of a trunk-line sewer to the sea. The local group lolled around for a while, but finally the Lowell loll ceased when a few up-river politicians put in their appearance.

Dr. Chadwick from the state department called the roll of Merrimack valley towns from the ocean up, and it turned out that only Andover and Lowell were represented. The chairman of the Lowell planning board stated that the board's secretary had all the information ready, and after leaning over to ask him his name he introduced him.

It seems that Lowell is all worked up because the flood damaged some of its sewer lines and the city officials haven't repaired them. Much time was spent on relating what an awful thing the flood was. In fact all the Lowellites spoke very enthusiastically about the Merrimack valley towns' supplying the money for their flood-damaged sewers, and the only criticism that they had of anything was of the river itself. The local Taxpayers' association head finally broke the placidity of the meeting with a declaration that while Andover felt very sorry that there had been a flood which had hurt Lowell's sewers, the town couldn't quite see why it should pay to rebuild those sewers. Whereupon a Lowell politician arose in all his dignity, and stated: "Lowell always has and always will be able to take care of its own affairs."

Whether or not Dr. Chadwick based

his decision on the Andover feeling that Lowell should take care of its own affairs and the Lowell feeling that Lowell will take care of its own affairs is not known. Maybe he decided that Lowell will but won't.

Communications

ANOTHER BOY WHO WAS BORN ON JANUARY SIX

To the Editor of the Townsman:

I was interested to learn that the school committee had denied Mr. and Mrs. William W. Kurth's request to have their little boy admitted to the first grade, for I have a son exactly the same age as the Kurth boy, six on January sixth of next year. He is not able to attend school here because the school department's rule requires the age to be six before January first, but if I moved a few yards away from my present residence into the city of Lawrence my little boy could attend school and thus not lose a whole year of his school life.

Mr. and Mrs. Kurth probably feel, as Mrs. Fredrickson and I do, that the school department with its present rule should not make exceptions for our boys, alone, but it does seem that the school committee might have brought Andover's rule into more close conformity with the rules of North Andover, Lawrence, Methuen and the other surrounding communities. We like Andover, and we hate to feel sorry that we live in Andover, but when other communities will allow our youngsters to attend school, it is hard not to wonder whether it might be wise to move out of town.

The rule was adopted twenty-five years ago. Why the date was set at January first is hard to imagine, because January first is just another day in a school year that runs from September to June. It means that the youngster's age in September is five years and eight months, while the surrounding towns make it five and a half. Twenty-five years ago that committee

probably sat down and said: "We've got to set some date; might as well be January first as any—easier to remember." And now today's school committee continues to bind the town to an arbitrarily set rule.

The whole school philosophy of today seems to be based on the idea that youngsters are better equipped to tackle certain studies earlier than they used to. Today's sixth grade reading is more advanced than the sixth grade reading 25 years ago, but why does the committee stop there? Why doesn't it realize that because of many modern advantages parents today are able to better prepare their pre-school children than they were in the old days? The child of five and a half today is better equipped to enter school than the five and eight months old child of a quarter of a century ago, and our first grades are better able to take care of them than they used to be.

Even if the committee felt that the children might not be ready for school, isn't it possible that some at least of the children born after January first might prove able to be good first grade pupils? Some towns have a pre-school exam system, and that would weed out those unprepared and let the brighter ones go on without an unjust delay of a year. But the school committee here even turned that down because it was afraid of hasty action. Other towns have tried it, found it successful, but just because it hasn't been tried here in the last quarter of a century, our school committee won't take this method of finding out if the Kurth boy, our boy, and twenty or so other children are ready for school. The fact that our boy was born six days after the New Year does not mean he is less bright than somebody born on New Year's eve.

I think all the parents involved will join me in thanking the Kurths for making their specific case the basis for a plea to modernize the Andover rule for all our youngsters and for youngsters who will be faced with the same situation in years to come. And we hope too that after a year's study, the school committee will have time to come to the conclusion that they should no longer penalize our children just because they are between five and a half years and five years and eight months old.

Very truly yours,
JOHN FREDRICKSON
Fletcher street

Theatre Ready to Open in Month

The local theater, closed since late spring for extensive alterations, may be ready for occupancy in a month or so, it was learned this week. No definite date for the reopening can be set as yet, but work has progressed far enough so that the management can safely say that about a month will finish the job.

Much more time than was anticipated has been given to the work, the delay having been caused by a change in architects and by extensive changes in the plans. The aim has been to do a complete remodeling job. The theatre has been extended to the rear, and the floor has been lowered. A complete new, up-to-date ventilation system has been installed.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Student chairs—slightly used maple twin beds—studio couch—balloon chairs—high-grade tapestries. 53 Park street, Andover.

Neglect of Dog Costs Owner \$150

The story of a dog-owner who neglected to have his dog inoculated in the town's free rabies clinic this year, and who recently had to pay about \$150 for family inoculations in addition to losing the dog, was told this week by Franklin H. Stacey of the Board of Health, which inoculated some 300 dogs in the summer.

Mr. Stacey's report follows: "This summer the Andover Board of Health held their second annual clinic for the free inoculation of dogs. Four meetings were held and between two and three hundred dogs were inoculated. Many dogs have been done privately.

"One owner neglected to have his dog inoculated. Last week his dog became ill and in spite of home treatment died. After the dog's death the owner became worried and consulted a Veterinarian who advised the Board of Health that it was suspicious so the head was sent to the laboratory in Boston. Two days later the report came back that it was a positive case of rabies. Two little children lost their playmate and the dog lost his life. A family of four had to undergo the painful experience of receiving fourteen inoculations apiece. This meant fourteen daily trips to the doctor's office, the entire expense being about \$150.00.

"Readers, if you care for your pet protect it now against rabies. Once this disease is started there is no cure and a horrible death results."

Punchard Ready for Second Game

Tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock Punchard will play Boston Farm and Trade school at the Playstead. Last week Punchard set the season off to a good start by defeating Howe high school of Billerica, 26-0, with Manning tying Boston Farm and Trade 7-7. The Punchard teams have been having scrimmage practice every afternoon this week under the direction of Coach Lovely and Mr. Doherty.

One of Punchard's best veterans, "Doc" Dushame, will be unable to play due to injuries to his hand, which he received during last week's game. Coach Lovely will probably start the same line-up as last week, save for Dushame.

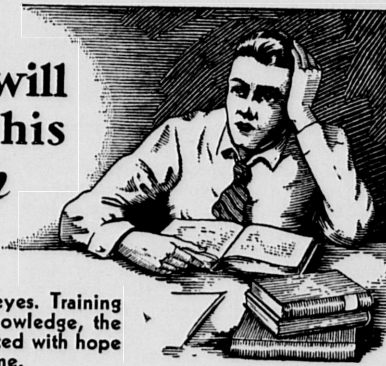
All students who have joined the Athletic association will be able to use their tickets at tomorrow's game. The price is 55 cents for membership and 10 cents a month dues. The tickets are good for admittance to all the games except the one at Methuen, and the Johnson high game. They also entitle the members to admittance to all of the basketball games to be played later this year.

G. F. S. TO START

The Girls' Friendly society will open its season with a meeting at Christ church parish house next Monday evening.

Election of officers will be held. Several of the girls are leaving tonight for a week-end party at the G. F. S. Holiday house at Milford, N. H. Those who are going are Mrs. Walter Howe, Misses Elizabeth, Doris and Ethel Hilton, Agnes and Betty Deyermond, Ethel Sorrie, Bertha Cuthill and Ruth Saunders. Minnie Valentine and Thelma Beck will join them on Sunday.

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Describes Three Weeks' Motor Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Earnshaw of 291 North Main street and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Miller of 281 Andover street, North Andover, have returned after a three-weeks' automobile trip covering 3340 miles. They went through 14 states and the District of Columbia. Mrs. Earnshaw has written the following account:

"On our way out we went through the ice mines in Condersport, Penn. The interesting feature of the mines is that in the summer when the temperature is 90 there is plenty of ice but in the winter there isn't any ice at all. Down in the mine the temperature was 28 and where we stood it was 33, some difference from outside where it was 92 in the shade. We also rode through the oil fields in Pennsylvania.

"One of the most beautiful sights we saw was the Cascades Sparks Fountain, Jackson, Michigan. It is the only spectacle of its kind in the world. The famous illuminated cascades are nightly viewed by thousands from all parts of the globe. Water forms and colors change constantly. To illuminate the falls and fountains, 1230 lamps are used. The night effect is unforgettable.

"We visited with Mrs. Miller's sister in Grand Rapids, Mich., for one week and then went down south to Nashville, Tenn. On our way we went through Cave City in Louisville, Ky. and went through Mam-

moth Caves and saw the most beautiful formations of colored stalactites and stalagmites. It took three hours to walk through and it was very hard going. We went down 270 feet and at the bottom was a small lake 30 feet deep, and we were all taken for a ride in a boat.

"We then continued on to Nashville, Tenn., and went through General Andrew Jackson's home, viewing all the old furnishings and relics that belonged to the noted general.

"Another interesting feature was the Natural Bridge of Virginia, which is considered one of the wonders of the world.

"From there we went over the Skyline Drive in the Shenandoah National Park, Virginia, 64 miles along the top of the mountain, an altitude of 3500 feet. We also went on a sight-seeing tour in Washington, D. C., going through several public buildings. From there we continued on to Atlantic City and New York, having ideal weather, with only one rainy day.

"While I was away my mother, Mrs. Winn, celebrated her 83rd birthday at the home of her son, Ernest, 39 Marble avenue, Lawrence. She was born September 1, 1854, in England, but has lived here over 50 years, and has made her home with me for a number of years. She enjoys good health and attends St. John's Episcopal church."

Former Local Girl Wed at Braintree

At a pretty garden wedding held last Saturday Miss Virginia Greenleaf Abercrombie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Balling G. Abercrombie of Quincy, formerly of Andover, and George Malcolm Hixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Hixon, of 116 Monatiquot avenue, Braintree, were united in marriage by Rev. Frederick B. Noss. About 100 people attended the wedding and reception.

The maid of honor and the four bridesmaids were all members of the South shore younger set. Fred B. Taylor, Jr., of Hingham, a classmate of Mr. Hixon's at Harvard, was best man.

The bride wore creme-colored satin, princess style, with duchess lace and a slight train. She wore an orange blossom halo veil and carried white gardenias, orchids and lilies of the valley.

The bridesmaids wore turquoise slipper satin, princess style, with veils of blue net, and carried talisman and yellow roses. The maid of honor wore peach-colored slipper satin, with a veil of peach

net, and she carried yellow roses with a few Talisman roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Hixon are honeymooning at Eustis, Maine and Chateau Frontenac, Canada. On their return they will live at Everett Court, Wollaston. Mr. Hixon, a graduate of Harvard 1936, is an electrical engineer, working for his father at the Hixon Electrical company.

EXPRESSES THANKS

The sesquicentennial committee appointed by the board of selectmen to organize a celebration in Andover in honor of the 150th anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States wishes to thank all those taking a part in this event. No funds whatever were provided for this celebration, and it was made possible only through the splendid spirit of co-operation, patriotism and public interest of those who so generously gave of their time and effort toward its success.

Signed,
STAFFORD A. LINDSAY
ROBERT V. DEYERMOND
J. AUGUSTUS REMINGTON

Crooks, Dupre in Academy Program

Phillips academy has again arranged a fine program of entertainments for the fall term. The usual Andover Concert Series will be held, with three programs, the main feature of which will be a recital by Richard Crooks.

Marcel Dupre, famed French organist, erstwhile organist of the Notre Dame Cathedral, organist at the wedding of ex-King Edward and Mrs. Wallis Warfield, will give a recital at the academy chapel during the fall.

Lecturers will include Alan Villiers, on October 29; Mr. Newhall, on October 15; and George E. Sokolsky on November 30.

Ethel Bartlett and Rae Robertson, wife and husband, will give a two-piano recital on November 5.

Scotch Night on Next Tuesday

Readings, songs, an address on Robert Burns and motion pictures of Scotland will be the feature attractions of the Scotch Night entertainment to be held at the Free church parish house next Tuesday evening at 7.45. Rev. John Nicol Mark will give the principal address.

The program follows:

Welcome	Rev. Herman Jonhson
Songs	Mrs. May Black Wells
Readings	Miss Betty Campbell
Piano selection	Mrs. Ruth Smith
Address—Robert Burns, the Man and His Message	Rev. John Nicol Mark
Songs	Mrs. May Black Wells
Motion pictures of Scotland	
Presented by the Cunard-White Star, Ltd.	
Readings	Miss Betty Campbell
Songs	Mrs. May Black Wells

Nonagenarian Dies at Age of 94 Years

One of Andover's oldest residents, Mrs. Sarah Myers, passed away late Monday night at the home of her brother, Parmenas W. Partridge of 50 Walnut avenue. She was born the daughter of Asa Partridge and Catherine McMaster in Guysboro, Nova Scotia, 93 years and eight months ago. She resided in Gloucester for many years, her late husband, James Myers, being a Gloucester captain. She lived here for 24 years.

Mr. Partridge is the sole immediate survivor.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Frederick B. Noss, with burial taking place in the family lot at Cherry Hill cemetery, Gloucester.

Your Vote Counts
Polls Open Noon to 6.30 on Tuesday

ABBOT TO OPEN

Abbot academy will reopen next week for its second year under the principalship of Miss Marguerite Hearsey. Miss Fanny B. Jenks is on leave of absence for a year.

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Andover Has Chance of Real Representation at Election on Tuesday

On Tuesday we're not going to answer the question of Connery vs. Sirois so much as the question of Roosevelt vs. the public. For the special primary election goes deeper than merely the choice of a representative for this district; it provides the voters with an opportunity to disclaim the rash policies of the President so heartily favored by our late Congressman.

Something very drastic has happened to the two major parties since November of last year. The Republican party today is a new, energetic, progressive group which has tossed aside the old standpat element which placed it in such disfavor with a wrought-up populace, and now it is pledged to go ahead fighting for humanitarian legislation without going to the Rooseveltian extreme of depriving anyone of the rights guaranteed to him in the Constitution. The Democratic party was last November a united party led by Franklin D. Roosevelt; today it is divided into two bitterly-opposed groups, those who blindly followed the President through his ill-advised, crazy schemes of the past seven months and those who, letting reason and loyalty to their constituents be their guide, drifted away from the President.

The Seventh district has a choice on Tuesday between a young man who is undeniably one of the new progressive Republicans and a man who is equally as undeniably a Roosevelt Democrat. Lawrence Connery has waged his campaign on a pledge to follow his late brother's policies, and if the Seventh district will only remember what those policies were in the past half-year, they will indicate on Tuesday their desire not to have those policies followed. For the late Billy Connery was about as loyal a Roosevelt follower as the President could ever want to have. In fact, at times he even "out-Roosevelted" Roosevelt. Not long after the President announced on February fifth that he had decided to change the Constitution to suit his views, by packing the Supreme court, the late Congressman Connery announced his unequivocal support of the plan, and he stuck with it over the opposition of his constituents even when the majority of the Democratic Congressmen were working against it, having realized it was as insidious a piece of anti-American legislation as had ever been proposed. But the fact that Franklin Roosevelt wanted it was enough for the late Congressman. Little wonder that the President's Crown Prince son was induced to do his best in Massachusetts for the brother of Billy Connery.

In an issue of "Time" in early

August there was a discussion of Congressional action during the course of which the name of Senator Hugo Black was mentioned. A foot-note was appended, something to this effect: "At mid-week sentiment against Senator Black in his own state had grown so intense that official circles were hinting that the only way to save Mr. Black for the New Deal was to appoint him to the Supreme court." Before "Time" reached its subscribers, the President had done that. He knew that Black would be defeated in the next election because the senator had blindly followed the Rooseveltian dictates. If Alabama, so intensely Democratic that the party primary is really the election, can express such a sentiment against the New Deal, so can the Seventh Massachusetts Congressional district. With Mr. Black, our late Congressman sponsored the Black-Connery wages and hours bill, ditched at the session's end by a sober-minded Congress.

Andover has an especial interest in Tuesday's election, because it gives the town a chance of real representation. Mr. Sirois lives in Lawrence and knows Andover well. A Republican, he will carry many Lawrence Democratic votes and many Andover Democratic votes because it is obvious that a man from this end of the district will work harder for these two communities, regardless of party, than would a sympathy-vote Democratic candidate from the Lynn end of the district.

We want someone in Congress who will use his own mind, someone who will not follow the President's scheming blindly. We want someone who will fight for what is right, not someone who will base his action on the President's say-so, right or wrong. We want someone who can win an election by standing on his own record, someone who will not forget that this is America, not Russia, Germany or Italy.

We are sure that Mr. Sirois will represent the public well; we are sure that Mr. Connery will follow the President well. The choice is obvious.

To The Republicans

This is just a bit of advice for Andover's Republicans. You have been rather disturbed the last few years, particularly the last seven months, at some of the fantastic, hay-wire schemes emitting from the mind of Franklin Roosevelt.

Now what are you going to do about it? Are you just going to continue being disturbed, or are you going to do your part in lessening the Congressional support which has brought the President's schemes dan-

gerously near passage? You Republicans have a real chance on Tuesday to elect a real man to Congress. Are you going to vote, or are you going to stay at home? If you do the latter you're more an enemy of America and all it stands for than those who are proposing these schemes.

You didn't do so well at the primaries. There was a better proportion of declared Democrats out than there was of declared Republicans. You're interested in what is going on, we know that, but why don't you make your interest an active one? The polls are open in all six precincts on Tuesday from noon to 6.30. You've got a chance to have your say; go and say it with an "X" opposite the name of Edward Sirois.

Siftings

A letter from New York: "I've seen lots of Massachusetts Legionnaires here, but none that look as if they came from a sober town."

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Only one Democrat was noticed last Friday night at the Constitutional Sesquicentennial celebration. Imagine it! Only one of them quizzical enough to try to find out what this Constitution thing is all about.

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President Roosevelt is going west to convert the country to his Supreme court plan. If he goes far enough west, he'll get to Russia where they'll give it a hearty endorsement.

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See you at the polls.

Reserve Fund Transfers Made

Transfers eating up more than half the town reserve fund have already been granted by the finance committee. Ralph Woodcock has been appointed secretary, but no successor has yet been chosen for ex-chairman Hugh Bullock who is declining the post this year.

In addition to the \$200 appropriated for the new town employee retirement board in June, the following sums have been transferred: \$475 for election and registration to take care of the unexpected expenditures for the special election; \$5,400 for the old age funds; \$600 for the town infirmary, because of the unexpected drain caused by convalescents; \$100 for the officers and executives of public welfare and \$1000 for aid to dependent children.

The Board of Public Works has requested \$2,000 for W.P.A. work, but this is still being considered. The school committee has requested \$60 to cover an excess expenditure in the \$1,400 Shawshen school floor account, but after a conference with Theodore Waddell of the State Department of Corporations and Taxation, the finance committee denied the request on Mr. Waddell's opinion that an already incurred expenditure could not be paid for out of the reserve fund. Previously Mr. Waddell had informed the school board that this could be done, but he had apparently overlooked the words "already incurred expenditure" in the board's request.

BIRD HUNTING RULES

Town clerk George H. Winslow received this week information on the migratory bird hunting season. Shooting will be allowed roughly from October 1 to November 30, with limits within those dates being set for the various birds. Further information on the regulations may be had at the town house.

News of Other Days

What You and Your Neighbors Were Doing in Days Gone By

Twenty-five Years Ago

Mrs. Joseph Blunt and daughter Katherine have returned from a visit to Lowell, Me.

William J. Cronin of Stevens street has resumed his studies at the Boston University of Law.

Professor and Mrs. Joseph N. Ashton have returned to Andover after a several months' trip abroad.

It is reported that a meteorite weighing over fifty pounds fell last week on the farm of W. N. Pike in West Andover.

Fred Keuhner is substituting at the local post office in place of Augustine Conroy, who has been confined to his home for several days.

George T. Eaton and family of Bartlet street who are now in Europe have spent the past three months very delightfully in Scotland, England, Belgium, Holland and along the Rhine, and are now in Switzerland for a month and a half.

Mrs. Alexander Sheriff and Miss Elizabeth Lamont returned to this country on the Franconia after a four months' visit in Scotland.

Foundations have been laid on Essex street for a lunch-room. A new and up-to-date cart has been purchased.

Among the new voters last Friday evening were Fred H. Morrison, Claude M. Fuess, Charles A. Parmelee, Kerr A. Sparks, Harry Stephenson and Daniel J. Hart.

It is understood that Frank E. Gleason is soon to vacate his coal office on the corner of Main and Essex streets, with the new tenants to be the Cross Coal company.

In Andover, Wednesday, September 25, 1912, a daughter, Eleanor, to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Jenkins.

Ten Years Ago

The culmination of years of planning and work came to West Parish vestry fund workers on Sunday morning at the close of the morning service with the laying of the cornerstone of the new vestry.

William McIntyre of Ballardvale and Fred Cheever are spending the week in Vermont.

Miss Dorothy Trott and Miss Clara Richards have returned to Boston University where they are members of the Junior class.

Miss Kathrine Weeks who has been visiting her parents on Wolcott avenue left Monday for Auburn, Maine, where she will resume her duties as industrial secretary of the Y.W.C.A.

Miss Mabel Marshall of Washington avenue has accepted a position with the public schools of Rumford, Maine. She will be supervisor of music and physical instructor.

William McDonald and Joseph B. Doherty are studying at Boston College.

Miss Elizabeth Reed, Punchard 1924, has been awarded a scholarship at Radcliffe college.

By-laws for the Andover Garden club were adopted Tuesday afternoon.

Aubrey Polgreen, the well-known football player, was hurt Wednesday while practicing at Punchard.

Alexander Stewart, Charles Remick and William Bradford have entered Lowell Textile.

K. C. members listened in to the Dempsey-Tunney fight last night.

Miss Marjorie West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse West of Summer street, has registered at Boston University, College of Liberal Arts.

OUTING RAINED OUT

The near-torrential downpour on Sunday afternoon cut short the outdoor outing of the British War Veterans held at Wallace's Grove, West Andover. The group of about 100 adjourned to Square and Compass hall where games were enjoyed.

MacDowell Club Elects Officers

The newly organized MacDowell club of the Stowe school held the first meeting of the season on Wednesday. Officers were elected and plans were made for a series of lectures and concerts to be presented in the school hall at which time the lives of the great music masters will be studied and their compositions will be performed by the most talented students of the school, under the direction of Miss Miriam Sweeney, supervisor of music, and Miss Catherine Barrett, principal of the Stowe school.

The MacDowell club officers are as follows: President, Dwight Killam; vice-president, Allan Munroe; secretary, Josephine Bernardin; treasurer, Floyd Humphreys; chairman of program committee, Peter Lenane.

The members of the club are Ruth Anderson, Lawrence Barss, Loring Batchelder, Robert Batchelder, Anne Boyce, Cascia Brown, Thomas Carter, George Collins, Richard Dake, Jaqueline Driggs, John Eastham, David Graham, Ruth Gregory, Robert Hamilton, Charles Hayward, Barbara Hill, Joan Holdsworth, Ruth Innes, Albert Johnson, Richard Kimball, Suzanne Leland, John Little, Evelyn Locke, Donald Lynch, Gordon Monroe, Beatrice Paine, May Peever, June Peever, Edythe Pullan, Lorraine Richard, Marjorie Smart, David Stafford, Shirley Stevens, John Thomson, John Winward, Peter Arnold, Chester Whitney, Alfred Furnari, Edith Gilman, Ethel Bourdelais, Ruth Gilman, Duncan Cairnie Augustine Sheehy, Harold Waldie, Edward Gordon, Esther Hibbert, Mildred Reed, Barbara Boutwell, William Lowe, Isabella Skea, Annie Kelembozian, Warren Kelembozian, Warren Knipe, Sally Brown, William Milne, Randlett Emmons, Winslow Hallowell, George Gordon, June Fettes, Hazel Murphy, Mabel Lawrence, Barbara Knowles, Robert Lee, Robert Ross, Norman Bendroth, Helen Renny, John Bourdelais, Nellie Buntin, Marjorie Kearn, Christine Duke, Robert Lawrence, Gerwin Rohrbach, Dwight Killam, Paul Schultz, Theresa Bernard, Clifford Peters, Billy Morgan, Allan Munroe, Floyd Humphreys, Marjorie Irwin, Josephine Bernardin, Frances Payne, Ann Walen, Helen Hannan, Marjorie Drouin, Rosalie Benton, Natalie Lawson, Edith Barlow, Allen Dea, Peter Lenane, Carol Sayles, Ruth Bradshaw, Barbara Koerner, Hilda Gaudet, Mafalda Colizzi, Evelyn Coolidge, Emmanuil Gigis, Billy Jaquith, Irving Thayer, Irene Wilson, Lynette Rainville, Muriel Smalley, Constance O'Connor, Laura Earley, Donald Wrigley, Fred Temple, George Washington, Roy Early, John Crossley, Mary Lou Lindsay.

CLUB MEETS

The Cheer-up club held its annual meeting on last Saturday at the home of Mrs. Henry S. Wright of Holt road. Various games were played, with whist winners being Mrs. Annie Kelly, Mrs. M. A. Burke, Mrs. James Cavanaugh, Mrs. Mary O'Sullivan and Marion Wadilove. A baked bean supper was served by Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Cavanaugh, Mrs. O'Sullivan and Mrs. John Wright.

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Gives Address on Constitution

The Constitution, the most venerable instrument of government in the world, "stands today stronger than ever, for its strength lies not only in military or dictatorial powers but in the loyalty and affection of the people," said Scott H. Paradise of the Phillips academy in an address at the Constitutional Sesquicentennial program held last Friday in the Memorial auditorium. He traced the history of the Constitution and the growth of the Nation in his brief talk.

An interesting local point brought out by the speaker was that the three delegates from Andover were instructed to vote against the Constitution for fear of binding the state to a government in far-away Philadelphia.

Selectman J. Everett Collins led the Male Choir in a program of songs, with Miss Marion L. Abbott at the piano. Rev.

Herman C. Johnson gave the invocation, and Robert Bisset recited the Preamble. Fred Butler presided, being introduced by Chairman J. Augustus Remington of the committee.

MARRIAGES

William Mosher of Andover and Hazel M. Hardy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hardy of West Andover, by Rev. Robert E. Swallow at Londonderry, N. H., September 4.

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Local Woman Killed in Crash

Mrs. Edith M. Parnham, who had been residing with Mrs. Frank Bartlett of 363 North Main street for the last year and a half, died on Tuesday in Sturgis, Michigan, as the result of an automobile accident which took place on Monday.

Mrs. Parnham was in a car driven by R. C. Shubert, also of 363 North Main street, which collided with another car driven by an Indiana man. Shubert was slightly hurt.

The couple left last Saturday for a vacation with relatives, Mrs. Parnham with a brother in Chicago and Shubert with his family in Rock Island, Ill. Mrs. Parnham was a registered nurse and Shubert was employed at the Tyer Rubber company.

The funeral will be held in Portsmouth, N. H., at the home of a sister. There are no local survivors.

Hobbies Wanted

Do you collect stamps or old match boxes? Do you weave or do fancy handiwork? Do you make furniture or take pictures in your spare moments? Do you collect anything from butterflies to rare objets d'art?

What you do in your leisure moments will be interesting and suggestive to others. You are urged to display your hobbies at the Hobby Show which will be sponsored by the League of Women Voters at the town hall on October 22 and 23. In doing so you may find a kindred spirit with whom you can exchange new ideas.

All entries will be protected at all times. Please call Mrs. Henry Tyer, Andover 434-J for further information. * * *

MASTER SINGERS IN PROGRAM

The Master Singers, a talented group of artists and singers, will present a program at an assembly October 8th, for the junior and senior high schools, to be held in the Memorial Auditorium.

Local News Notes

Plan to display your hobby at the hobby show October 22 and 23.

Mrs. Geoffrey Glendinning of High street is spending the week in Philadelphia.

Rev. Herman C. Johnson, Free church pastor, spent the early part of the week at a retreat for ministers in Byfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Maclaren and daughter, Isabel, of 2 Lewis street were in Nova Scotia over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Johnson and son Russell of Carmel road are visiting relatives in Batavia and Jamestown, N. Y.

Mrs. Donald Laurie and Margaret and Ruby Laurie of Whittier street are enjoying a trip through New York state and over the Mohawk Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Knowles and the Rev. and Mrs. Marion R. Phelps were visitors of the Rev. E. D. Disbrow in Phillipston last week-end.

Mrs. Lily B. Poor has sold her Cape Cod cottage on Andover street to Mrs. Ida Scammon of Portland, Maine, through the Fred E. Cheever agency.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rennie, 6 Argilla road, sailed from Baltimore Tuesday on the S.S. Chatham of the Merchants and Miners Line, enroute home via Boston, after having visited Washington, D. C.

Miss Patricia Lowry of 2 Andover street has returned to Bryant & Stratton school, Boston, this fall to continue her course in secretarial training. Miss Lowry formerly attended Salem Normal school.

The five-room apartment at 16 Morton street owned by Harry Schofield has been rented to Mrs. Delia Brown who is making it her new home. Arrangements were made through the W. Shirley Barnard real estate and insurance agency.

A hearing on protection of the grade crossings at Lowell Junction will be held next Monday at the hearing-rooms of the State Department of Public Utilities, Room 701, 100 Nashua street, Boston. The hearing will start at twelve noon.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Otheman Smith of Yonkers, N. Y. spent Tuesday with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David May of Washington avenue. They returned recently on the S.S. Europa from a three months' tour of the Continent.

Miss Grace M. Hatch, R.N., has returned to her duties after a month's vacation, spent with her parents at 45 High street, during which she and Mrs. B. Frank Hatch took a trip visiting Niagara Falls, Montreal, Canada and the White Mountains.

Be Sure to Vote
All precinct houses will be open on Tuesday

Group Attends Battery Reunion

A large number of former members of the Andover group of Battery F attended the Battery reunion held last Sunday at the Dracut Rifle range. A turkey dinner was enjoyed.

One of the main features of the reunion was the target contest in which Andover's George M. Collins led with a perfect score.

Those attending who were formerly identified with the Andover group were: Everett and George Collins, George Abbott, James Buss, Frank Nicoll, Neil Hart, Arthur Cole, Charles Bowman, David Gordon, Carl Lindsay, John Erving, Alfred McKee of North Andover, Joseph Daly of Lawrence, Harold Larkin of Bradford, Charles and Ralph DiFasio of Stoneham, George Symonds, Harry Hilton, Edward Dodge, Clarence Eastwood, George Napier.

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West Parish

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Allard of Freeport, Maine recently visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Estes, High Plain road.

Mrs. Herbert Merrick of Lowell street spent the week-end with friends in Springfield.

Miss Mary Winslow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Winslow of Lowell street, has gone to Middleton, where she will be an assistant in the laboratory of the Middleton sanatorium.

Warren Lewis of Lowell street and Burton Batchelder of Shawsheen road spent the week-end as guests of Billy Barnard at Barnstable.

Miss Helen Addison of Chandler road began her studies recently in the McIntosh Commercial school.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wright of Worcester spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Edgar Wright of Lovejoy road.

Miss Grace Ganley and Joseph Ganley returned recently to their home in Washington, D. C., after spending two weeks with their sister, Mrs. Philip Mooar of Lowell street.

Miss Katherine Rutter of Dorchester has returned to her home after spending several days with her aunt, Mrs. Fred Shiers of North street.

Miss Beatrice Lyman of Shawsheen road is enjoying her annual vacation from her duties in the Andover Savings bank.

Miss Shirley Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens of High Plain road, observed her tenth birthday on Friday, September 17. A small group of her friends were entertained at dinner and later in the afternoon a trip was made to Canobie Lake where a general good time was had. Those who were present were Barbara Lewis, Mary Carrol O'Connell, Virginia and Shirley Stevens and her cousin, Robert Hancock of Melrose.

Mrs. Karl Haartz has charge of the children at West Center school during the noon lunch hour.

Stewart Atwood has returned to his home in Bermuda after enjoying a ten-days' vacation at the home of Mrs. George Hunter, Lowell street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Doyle and sons of Greenwood road spent Sunday with friends at Salisbury Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis and daughters Marilyn and Barbara spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lewis of Newburyport.

Kenneth Barnard of Shawsheen road has returned from a business trip to Pittsburgh, Pa.

Miss Esther Smith of Shawsheen road is at home for a few days after spending several weeks at Biddeford Pool.

George D. Ward of Lowell street has returned from a several days' visit with his daughter, Mrs. James D. Marshall of Chicopee Falls. While away he attended the Eastern States Fair in West Springfield.

Mrs. Anna Paddock has returned to her home on Shawsheen road after enjoying a week at Fortune's Rock.

Miss Dorothy Foster of Lowell street spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. James Marshall of Chicopee Falls.

Theodore Rose of Staten Island, N. Y. was a week-end guest at the Carter home, High Plain road.

Miss Betty Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert P. Carter of Lowell street commenced her studies in the Chamberlain school, Boston, on Tuesday.

Misses Helen and Wilma Corliss of Osgood road and Irma and Norma Darby of Tewksbury spent the week-end at Hampton Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Livingstone of Lowell street spent several days the early part of the week at their cottage at Wells Beach.

Mrs. Joseph Smith and children of Cambridge spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lane of High Plain road.

Mrs. Edgar Wright and daughter Annie of Lovejoy road spent the first part of the week as guests of Mrs. Porter Livingstone at Wells Beach.

Max Lucke of Argilla road and his daughter Miss Esther Batchelder are enjoying a week's vacation at Bar Harbor and Mt. Cadillac, Maine.

George Hodgson of Arlington visited recently with Mrs. Sydney Batchelder of Argilla road.

Miss Marilyn Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis of Lowell street, was awarded first prize at the Topsfield Fair on the suit which she had made for a 4-H project.

Mrs. Mabel Fowle of Granville, Conn., was a guest recently of Mrs. Roger Lewis, Lowell street.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TO OPEN

It is expected that the West church Sunday school will have its opening session on Sunday, October 3. Further notice will be given later.

GRANGE TO MEET

Andover Grange will meet in Grange hall on Tuesday evening. The business meeting will be followed by a program in charge of Lecturer of Essex Pomona Sister Frances DeMerritt and the Assistant Lecturer of Middlesex-North Sister Vera Livermore.

About 25 members of Andover Grange were guests of Reading Grange on Wednesday evening. It was State Officers' night, and several of the officers took part.

R. P. C. CLUB TO MEET

The first meeting of the fall season of the R. P. C. club will be held at the home of Mrs. Roger Lewis on Lowell street on Monday evening, September 27.

CHOIR RESUMES REHEARSAL

The senior choir of the West church started their fall rehearsals on Wednesday evening at 7.30 in the vestry. On next Wednesday the choir will be served a supper in the vestry at 6.30, this to be followed by choir practice at 7.30.

Polls Open Noon to 6.30 on Tuesday

Ballardvale

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Colbath have returned to their home on Woburn street after spending a vacation in New York and New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy have returned home after a vacation spent at Sebago Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Mills and daughter Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Perlucci and Miss Mabel Barry of New York spent several days here this week.

The Ballardvale Boy Scout Troop 76 will serve a baked bean supper in the precinct room on October 2 at 6.30. Leslie Hadley is chairman of the committee.

Miss Alma MacTammany of Andover street has enrolled at the State Teachers' college in Lowell and has commenced her studies there.

Miss Norma Matthews has returned home after visiting in Montreal, Canada. Joseph Oldroyd has resumed his duties with the B. & M. after enjoying his annual vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson have returned home after a honeymoon trip spent in Nova Scotia.

Rev. Carl L. Crain attended the "Ministers' Retreat" comprising the Lynn district that was held this week in Ipswich.

Boy Scouts are asked to meet at the precinct room this evening at 6.45 p.m., where transportation will be given those who intend going to the camp fire at Brown's grove, Lowell Junction.

James Haggerty has resumed his studies at Tufts college, this being his sophomore year.

Clifton Harris visited in Hanover recently.

Mrs. Murray Ballou has returned to her home after a vacation spent in Providence, R. I.

Robert Turgeon of North Conway, N. H. is spending a few days here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Alfonzo have moved from Ballardvale to Methuen.

Miss Margaret Conway of Lowell visited here this week.

TO FORM FOOTBALL TEAM

It is desired that all young men that are eligible to play football should meet Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Ballardvale playstead

where it is hoped a team may be formed. It is also requested that those capable of coaching a team put in an appearance and assist in the work.

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Connery Upholds Brother's Platform

On next Tuesday, the voters of Andover will be called upon to express their choice for a Congressman to succeed the late Congressman William P. Connery, Jr., who represented this district for 15 years. The Democratic candidate to fill this vacancy is Lawrence J. Connery of Lynn, brother of the late Congressman and his secretary during the latter's 15 years in public office.

Before and since the primary election, Larry Connery has been appealing to the voters of every city and town in the Seventh Congressional District to send him to Congress so that he can carry on the work inaugurated by his late brother.

"I am not seeking this place for the honors that go with being a Congressman," Mr. Connery has affirmed on numerous occasions. "I want to go to Congress because there is much legislation pending which Billy Connery sponsored and which would have become law had he not been taken so suddenly from us during the height of one of the busiest and most important sessions of Congress in this country's history.

"I need but call to your attention what happened to the Connery wage and hour bill as soon as the bill's champion in the House of Representatives passed on. This bill, which would have been a lasting

memorial to Billy Connery, was shelved and will remain on the shelf unless somebody is on hand next year to take it down from the shelf and give battle for its passage.

"If I never do anything else when I am elected and sworn in as your Congressman, I promise you that I will give this bill my first attention and will fight for it until it becomes law.

"There are many other measures which will be brought before the next session of Congress which are as important to you. I will work for these bills and every act of legislation which will benefit the people of the Seventh Congressional District, particularly those bills which, like the Wagner-Connery Labor Relations Act, has given to the worker for the first time in the history of the country the right to collective bargaining.

"My opponent in this contest has been waging his campaign by attacking the national administration. He cannot attack me or my record, but I invite him to criticize the record of my late brother, whose ideals I have pledged myself to carry on and in whose fight for the worker, the underprivileged and the veteran, I had an humble part. No act of legislation introduced by Billy Connery was presented to Congress before I was consulted as to its merits or demerits. Who can carry on the fight for the Connery wage and hour bill as well as I, who helped draft the bill and have watched every move of the industrialists and the financial interests to kill it?"

PUNCHARD TEAMS FORMED

Monday during the utility period, all Punchard boys who were interested in signing up for touch football, soccer, and horseshoes reported to Instructor Donald Dunn. Captains for the football and soccer leagues, which are to be combined, were picked by Mr. Dunn, and these boys picked the men who are to play on the teams from those present. The horseshoe teams will be organized in the near future.

Next Week's Church Calendar

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday, 9.30 Sunday school, a real school of religion to which parents and children are invited; 10.45 Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor, "Twin Realities—The Bible's March of Time." Music and congregational singing. Tuesday, 7.30 Meeting of Sunday school workers of Greater Lawrence at the Lawrence Street Congregational church, Lawrence. Friday, 7.00 Choir rehearsal under direction of Mrs. L. I. Hansen; 7.00 Boy Scout Troop 74 meets; 8.00 Philathea meeting at the church followed by Rose Bud party.

Note—Public Harvest supper Saturday, October 9th.

ACADEMY CHAPEL—Sunday, 11 a.m., Rev. A. Graham Baldwin.

SOUTH CHURCH—Sunday, 9.45 Church school and The Little Church; 10.45 Morning worship and sermon, "Man's Equipment for Spiritual Life"; 10.45 Church kindergarten. Tuesday, 7.00 Pack 1, Cubs. Thursday, 3.00 Fall meeting Women's Union;

4.00 Junior choir; 7.00 Senior choir. Friday, 7.00 Troop 3, Boy Scouts.

FREE CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Sunday, 10.45 Morning worship with music by the junior and senior choirs. The pastor will preach on "Believe in Providence." 6.30 Christian Endeavor. Tuesday, 7.45 "Scotch Night," entertainment by the Way and Means committee, tickets at 40c each. Thursday, 6.00 Junior choir rehearsal; 7.30 Senior choir rehearsal.

WEST CHURCH—Sunday, 10.30 Public worship with sermon by the pastor.

CHRIST CHURCH—Sunday, 8.00 Holy Communion; 9.30 Church school; 10.45 Morning prayer and sermon; Monday, 8.00 Girls' Friendly society. Thursday, 7.45 Choir rehearsal.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH—Tonight, 7.45 Stations of the Cross. Sunday masses, 6.30, 8.15, 9.45, 11.30 a.m. Ballardvale, 9.00. Week-day masses 7.30 a.m. Friday, 7.45 p.m., Evening devotions.

Beethoven Club Forms in Village

The first meeting of the Beethoven club was held in the Shawsheen school hall on Tuesday morning. Officers were elected for the year, and plans were made to conduct a series of concerts by the most talented students of the Shawsheen school. The programs to be presented at these concerts will include the compositions and studies of the Great Masters of Music under the direction of Miss Miriam Sweeney, supervisor of music and Miss Anne Harnedy, principal of the Shawsheen school.

The officers of the club are as follows: President, Harry Emmons; vice-president, Sammy Waugh; secretary, Robert Miller, Treasurer, Jay O'Connor; chairman of the program committee, Bernhardt Harig.

The members of the club are Louis Anderson, Dorothy Foster, Sammy Waugh, James Farley, Elsie Rasmussen, William Orttam, Harry Emmons, Kathleen Eastwood, Marie Eastwood, Constance Hathaway, William Dyer, Rita Hillard, Robert Miller, Bernhardt Harig, William LaRosa, Warren Bell, Wallace Bell, Carlton Conner, Vincent Mitchell, William Ross, Frederick Anderson, Pauline Erler, John Hathaway, Whitney Hansen, Marguerite Botsch, Salvatore Spin-

ella, Paul Cheney, Vincie Spinella, Shirley Gordon, William Poland, Elizabeth Kurth, Jean Batal, Jean Mulvey, Madge Twomey, Angelina Magnano, William Gro-leau, Jane Lindsay, Miriam Dearborn, Jay O'Connor, James Christie, George Avery, Benjamin Baldwin, Cynthia Black, Dorothea Blomquist, Janet Campbell, Anne Campbell, William Christison, Barbara Dean, Gloria DeRosa, Louise Doyle, Marie Edwards, Rita Goulet, Daniel Grant, Miriam Hadden, Raymond LaRosa, Sheldon Lebow, Pauline Lewis, Fred McCollum, Francis Manning, Marjorie Miller, Joseph Misenti, Robert Merchant, Sally North, Norman Parsons, Robert Phinney, Monica Regan, Marion Skeivek, Irene Sprague, Nancy Trumbull, Claire Turpen, Mavis Twomey and William Ware.

Local Legionnaires at New York Convention

Eleven local Legionnaires attended the National Convention in New York for three days this week, taking part in the mammoth parade with the Lawrence group.

The group included: Commander Stafford A. Lindsay, Thomas Dea, Harold Peters, Joseph Remmes, Percy Dole, Harold Fowler, Mark Beauchene, H. Garrison Holt, Wright Bolton, Cornelius Cronin, and Frank Horne.

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Obituaries

Charles W. Livingston

Funeral services for Charles W. Livingston were held Sunday afternoon in West Parish cemetery chapel by Rev. Newman Matthews, burial following in the family lot. Mr. Livingston died a week ago yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Grace A. Sellars of 5 Avon street.

Bearers were: George B. Sellars, John Carse, William Jaques, J. Frank Lambert, T. Irving Livingston and Herbert J. Towle.

Miss Nora Kirby

Funeral services were held yesterday for Miss Nora Kirby, resident of Andover for half a century, who died Tuesday morning at the Lawrence General hospital after a long illness. She was a native of Ireland.

The services were held from the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Durant, 29 Lafayette street, Lawrence with a mass of requiem at St. Augustine's church. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

She leaves another sister, Mrs. John Donnelly, mother of Rep. James Donnelly of this district.

James Barlow

James Barlow died early Monday morning at his home, 93 Abbot street, Andover. Mr. Barlow was a percher in the Pacific mills and lived in Lawrence until he retired some years ago when he took up his home in Providence. A few months ago he came to Andover. He was born in Hyde Cheshire, England, seventy years ago. He was a member of the Perchers' Relief association and the Ancient Order of Foresters.

He is survived by his wife, Nancy A. Bayley Barlow, a son, J. Russell Barlow of York street, two grandchildren, Marilyn and John Barlow, a brother, John of England, and a sister, Mrs. William Ashton of England.

The body was removed to the A. H. Libby Undertaking Parlors, and on Tuesday was taken to the home of his son, J. Russell Barlow.

The funeral was conducted from there on Wednesday afternoon with services by Rev. Archie H. Crowley, rector of Grace church, Lawrence.

Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery.

Mrs. T. Dennie Thomson

Mrs. T. Dennie Thomson died on September 23. Funeral services will be held at Christ church on Saturday, September 25, at 2.30 p.m.

Daniel F. Harrington

Daniel F. Harrington, for the past 63 years a resident of this town, passed away on Wednesday at the Tewksbury hospital. He was well-known here as a farmer.

He leaves a son, Fred T., of this town, in addition to a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Funeral services are being held this afternoon at the late home on Osgood street.

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Car Disappears at Court Session

Alleged operating under the influence brought a lot of trouble for Fred Thomas of North Andover and for Lawrence, Andover and suburban town police on Tuesday. Officer Carl Stevens arrested Thomas on Monday evening, and while the case was being tried in District court on Tuesday, the car Thomas had been driving disappeared from the vicinity of the courthouse, starting a wide search by police. Later it was found that a representative of a New York finance company had repossessed the car, having secured previous permission from a Lawrence police official.

The case of drunken driving was continued until September 27.

Orchestra Formed at Punchard High

The Punchard high school orchestra met with Miss Sweeney in the auditorium, Wednesday during the utility period. All members had their instruments, stands, and music present and a short rehearsal was held. All members of the orchestra who attend rehearsal five periods a week will receive five points, as they would in any of the regular subjects. Those that cannot attend five times a week, but can

attend at least three times a week, will earn three points, provided that they do good work. Thursday afternoon, tests were taken for the orchestra master, who will receive the "choice" position on the end seat. Several took the test and they were judged by their playing ability, the best player receiving the "choice" seat. Miss Sweeney and the remaining members of the orchestra were the judges.

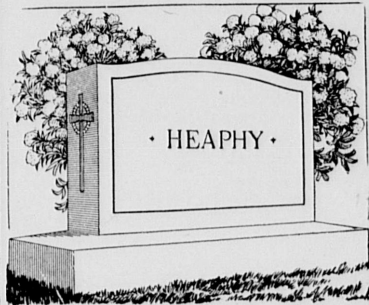
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Punchard Wins Opening Game

Punchard high school held Howe high scoreless last Saturday afternoon in a spectacular opening game while they romped to victory with 26 points to their credit. Mal Lynch, Punchard's versatile captain, did most of the heavy scoring. The starting line-up was as follows:

Punchard—Jones, l.e.; McDonald, l.t.; Price, l.g.; Lenane, c.; Flaherty, r.g.; Sanborn, r.t.; Gordon, r.e.; Bisset, q.b.; Lynch (Capt.), l.h.b.; Dushame, r.h.b.; Noyes, f.b.

Howe—Bent (Captain), l.e.; Nickles, l.t.; Finlayson, l.g.; Westlund, c.; Howarth, r.g.; Ellis, r.t.; Finnegan, r.e.; Vocell, q.b.; Ross, l.h.b.; Johnson, r.h.b.; Oliveri, f.b.

Punchard kicked off. During the first quarter Punchard was penalized five yards for being in motion before the ball was snapped back. "Doc" Dushame received a bad wrist injury while running with the ball. He went to shift the ball from one hand to the other when he was tackled and he fell on his free wrist. He was out for the rest of the game. Towne went in in his place.

In the second quarter, on Howe's 12-yard line Punchard passed and Howe caught the ball. Punchard recovered the ball on the next play and Mal Lynch went over for a touchdown. Lynch kicked the point, making the score 7-0. Lynch then made another touchdown, but failed to kick the point, making the score Punchard 13, Howe 0.

In the third quarter Howe kicked off to Punchard, Mal Lynch catching the ball and running for a great gain. On the next play Jones caught a pass. Following came a spinner play in which Bisset caught the ball but nobody came to take it from him.

whereupon, Bisset charged through the line for the third touchdown of the game. The kick failed, the score being Punchard 19, Howe 0. Punchard then kicked to Howe, but in the following play they recovered the ball. They then slowly but deliberately made their way down the field for another touchdown, Mal Lynch scoring. This was the final touchdown of the game, however, and Punchard won 26-0, after a successful try for the point.

In the fourth quarter Coach Lovely took out all of the first team, leaving Towne in, and sent the second team out on the field. Those sent in were: Line, Blamire, guard; Buchan, tackle; Collins, tackle; Anderson, end; Noyes, guard; Sellers, center; and Estes, end. Backfield, Walker, quarterback; Lakin, halfback; Miller, fullback; and Towne, halfback. Punchard kicked off to Howe. Punchard was later penalized for roughness. Haigh went in for Estes, and Brown for Buchan. Punchard kicked off to Howe. Punchard later got the ball and Walker gained 25 yards—the longest gain of the day. On the next play Towne had the wind knocked out of him when he fell on the ball. With only five minutes to go Towne caught a pass thrown by Walker which brought Punchard up near Howe's goal line. Walker then took the ball for a short gain. On the next play Walker again took the ball, but this time no gain was made. Sellars was put out for talking and Butler took his place on the field. Chandler went in for Anderson. Howe passed and Walker of Punchard intercepted the ball. Crosby went in for Noyes.

Be Sure to Vote
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Shawsheen Village

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Perry of 404 North Main street recently moved to 37 Balmoral street.

Doris Anderson of William street returns to Smith college on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester C. Conner and Buddy of Windsor street have returned from a trip to Bar Harbor, Maine, Atlantic City, New York City and Long Island. While on Long Island, Mr. Conner won a cup for sailing.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander R. Davis of the Aberdeen apartments are moving to Everett next week, where Mr. Davis has received a promotion in the theatrical field.

Mrs. Frances B. Connor of Windsor street was the guest speaker on the Greater Lawrence Booster's association broadcast on Wednesday evening from Station WLLH.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Emerson, 51 Haverhill street are week-end guests of Frederick Fralick of New York, at his "Winter Club," Long Island, Casco Bay.

Mrs. John A. O'Connell was taken suddenly ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Scanlon of Arundel street, Monday afternoon.

Ann Scanlon of Arundel street is confined to her home by illness.

The Rev. and Mrs. Archie Crowley have taken up their home on Pleasant street, Methuen. They moved from the Argyle apartments last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Greenfield and small daughter, Peggy, of the Argyle apartments have removed into the apartment occupied by the Rev. Archie Crowley. Peggy Greenfield has whooping cough.

CONSTITUTION DAY PROGRAM

The following Constitution Day program was given at the Shawsheen school last Friday morning, under the direction of Miss Anne Harnedy.

Singing—America

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Miriam Dearborn, Jay O'Conner

Reading—Preamble to the Constitution

Robert Miller

Reading—Hats Off, The Flag Is Passing By

Margaret Mitchell

Reading—Constitution Day

Pauline Eler

Reading—What Our Flag Means

Charles Bradley

Salute to Flag

Star Spangled Banner

BACHELLOTTES ELECT

The Bachelorettes held their annual election of officers last Saturday evening, with Catherine Jowett as hostess. The new officers are: President, Elinor Houston; vice-president and treasurer, Barbara Gahm; secretary, Katherine Bixby.

The next meeting will be with Barbara Gahm of William street. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were: Katherine Bixby, Catherine Jowett, Elinor Houston, Barbara McClellan, Barbara Gahm, Phyllis Campbell, Dorothy Christie, Ruth Cowan.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Hugh Donahue Malley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Malley of Arundel street, had a party Tuesday afternoon in honor of his fifth birthday. There were table favors, and delicious refreshments were served.

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AT PRIVATE SCHOOL

The following children are registered at Mrs. Pike's private school in the Administration building in the village from grades one through the six.

Grade 1—Joan Cross, Joan Davis, Barbara Dow, Burnham Riggs, Gayl Wilder.

Grade 2—Nancy Ashburn, Bobby Godfrey, Lee Howe, Billy Nichols, Tania Russell, Frank O'Reilly, Jane Whitehill, Sally Macartney.

Grade 3—Katherine Barrell, James Crotty, George Redman, Frank Reynolds, Ann Weston, Wesley Rich, Joseph Egiton, Gordon Dewart.

Grade 4—Harry Dow, Jean Gurdy, Peggy Howe, Sally McDuffie, Allan Titcomb.

Grade 5—Phyllis Ashburn, Kimmy Dow, Dossie Eccles, Helen Hodges, Mary Jane Hodges, Carolyn Riggs, Judith Shepard.

Grade 6—John Barrell, Archie Howe, Charles McDuffie, John Shepard, James Eaton.

Baptist Church

Pastor Resigns

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time teaching-hours, thus enabling him to realize a long-felt ambition to devote all his time to educational work. He will teach this semester courses at Sargent college of physical education in General Psychology, Philosophy for Educational Workers and Modern History. At the College of Practical Arts and Letters he will teach The History of Education, Educational Psychology, and a laboratory period in Educational Psychology.

He has taught courses at Sargent for the past two years, and he had previous educational experience in religious education, having been Director of Religious Education for the state of Colorado, where he also taught classes in psychology and Biblical Literature. While pastor in the San Francisco area he was chairman and faculty member for the San Francisco Bay religious education training schools.

Rev. Mr. Hansen a year ago won his Ph.D. degree from Boston University, and his previous degrees were A.B. from Central college, A.M. from the University of Chicago, and B.D. from Chicago.

Under Rev. Mr. Hansen's enthusiastic guidance in the past few years the Andover Baptist church has grown, been repaired, and been able to each year pay off a considerable amount on the mortgage. With Mrs. Hansen he has worked to develop an educational program in the church as well as a program of worship and music. The family will continue to live in Andover.

Moderator Clifford W. Dunnells has appointed a pulpit committee which hopes to secure a new pastor before November first. Mr. Dunnells will receive all applications, and acting on them with him will be Mrs. Colver J. Stone, Mrs. Henry S. Jenkins, Mrs. Clare W. Norton, Arthur Smith, Jr., Charles A. Stone, Sr., and Thomas Thompson.

C. E. OFFICERS CHOSEN

The Junior-Intermediate Christian Endeavor society of the Union Congregational church elected the following officers Sunday evening: Hazel Downs, president; Sherman Johnson, vice-president; Barbara Parker, secretary; Leslie Hadley, Jr., treasurer; Thelma Rogge, Ruth Anderson, Jean Gilfoy, Philip Webb and Robert Simon, social and program committee.

DEATH

Beverly Mae Schubert, three-day-old daughter of Edward M. and Evelyn F. Schubert of 95 Haverhill street, at the O'Donnell sanatorium September 16. Burial Friday at Bellevue cemetery.

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To all persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Simpson late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by J. Leverett White and Fred E. Cheever both of Andover in said County, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of October 1937, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
(D. P. U. 5472) September 20, 1937

Upon the petition of the Selectmen of Andover relative to protection at grade crossings of the Boston and Maine Railroad at Lowell Junction in said town, the Department of Public Utilities will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 27, 1937, at 12 o'clock noon, at its hearing-room, 100 Nashua Street, Room 701, Boston.

By order of the Department,
ALLAN BROOKS
Secretary

LOST

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.

Payment has been stopped.
Books Nos. 51003, 50235.

LOUIS S. FINGER,
Treasurer

Sept. 17, 1937

Andover Boy Arrives in China

A telegram from the Yale-in-China office at New Haven reports the receipt of a cable from Changsha announcing the arrival there of Edward Gulick, son of Mrs. Myron E. Guttererson of Chestnut street. As both Edward and his classmate, John Runnals of Syracuse, were landed at Hongkong on Saturday, September 11th, it is to be inferred that they were held over there by quarantine regulations as well as by the bombardment of Canton, ninety miles to the north. The boys presumably traveled north the 650 miles to Changsha over the new Canton-Hankow railroad, now one of the main arteries for evacuating Americans in Central China.

Mr. Gulick graduated from Phillips academy in 1933 and Yale in 1937, and with Mr. Runnals is now under a two-year contract to Yale-in-China.

Yali Union Middle school opened on September 3rd with a complete staff save for the two expected Bachelors. Francis Hutchins, brother of Robert Hutchins of Chicago University, and son of President Hutchins of Berea college, is the school principal. His intimate knowledge of the Chinese language and people renders him a superior leader at this moment of great danger. At Wuchango, across the Yangtze River from Hankow, is Hua Chung college, also backed by Yale in conjunction with the Nanking government. So great has been the enrollment of students there, because of disruption in the northern colleges, that double decker bunks have been installed in its dormitories. It is the intention of Yale-in-China to carry on its educational and medical program just so long as in so doing it does not imperil its staff and students. It is veritably showing itself a Big Brother to the Chinese.

ELEANOR GULICK GUTTERERSON

Refuse to Change School Age Limit

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be reduced as low as five years and four months instead of five and eight with all above five and eight allowed to attend and those between five and four and five and eight allowed to do so upon passing the test. An amendment proposed at the meeting however went unacted on when several of the members objected to any hasty action and referred the matter back to the sub-committee on teachers for report in the spring.

A representative of a heat control firm was present to report on an investigation he made of overheating at Stowe, John Dove and Samuel Jackson schools. He was asked to draw up specifications for heat control installation, which it is expected will save its cost in a year and a half by fuel savings.

A discussion took place on the advisability of the school department's purchasing the uniforms and equipment for Punchard teams. The matter was referred to the sub-committee on finance.

It was voted to close school on Wednesday noon before Thanksgiving.

Cast Your Ballot Tuesday

Sirois Battles for Wage Earner

Concluding his whirlwind campaign for Congress with a week-end schedule of three meetings daily, Representative Edward D. Sirois today received assurances of victory from his lieutenants in every section of the Seventh District. The special election will be held Tuesday, September 28.

"The working people of this District understand clearly the impoverishing effects of the reciprocal trade treaties," Major Sirois said in summarizing his campaign observations. "When Massachusetts plants are working half time because of an increasing flood of cheap foreign imports, the wage earners understand why there is not more work for our domestic industries. They understand also that American workmen cannot compete successfully with the rice-and-water labor of the Orient."

Sirois has centered his campaign on the preservation of the American wage scale against demoralizing foreign competition. Coupling that platform with a vigorous pledge to preserve and defend constitutional government, he has aroused enthusiastic support throughout the District.

He has vigorously opposed packing the Federal bench with champions of bigotry and intolerance.

"Dissatisfaction with the present system of administering relief is general throughout the District," Major Sirois added. "The reason for this dissatisfaction is that the whole enterprise is cor-

rupted and corroded by greedy political spoilsmen. Everyone who has made an inquiry into the relief situation has found that only about half of the funds appropriated actually reach the needy. The other half goes for overhead, which means for building up a selfish and extravagant political machine. Up and down the District I have pledged repeatedly to rid the relief system of the present intolerable burden of corruption and political spoils."

The Republican Congressional campaign also emphasized the constantly increasing cost of living, pointing out that advances in meats and other food stuffs during the last year have more than wiped out wage increases in industry. Sirois is pledged to the sound and constructive policies of government as the first step toward reducing skyrocketing living costs.

Rousing applause greeted Major Sirois' repeated pledge to work in Congress against a Southern wage differential in the proposed national legislation to regulate labor standards.

"A Southern differential would mean the imposition of Dixie sweat-shop standards upon Massachusetts wage earners," Sirois said.

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Announce Change in Meeting-Time

State League of Women Voters to Hold Conference Here on October 5th

A change in meeting-time for the afternoon session of the Massachusetts League of Women Voters to be held here on October fifth was announced this week. Instead of starting at 3.30 as previously announced, the session will start at two. The speaker will be Thomas Eliot, counsel for the social security board.

There will be ten different conferences in the morning, meeting as follows: Presidents' Council, with Mrs. Harold R. Rafton; finance, with Mrs. Roscoe E. Dake; membership, with Mrs. Henry G. Tyler; legislative, with Mrs. A. Graham Baldwin; government in operation, with Mrs. C. Carleton Kimball; government and education, Miss Clara A. Putnam; government and child welfare, Mrs. Cleveland Gilcreast; government and economic welfare, Mrs. Wallace Brimer; government and foreign policy, Mrs. John S. Barss. The meeting-place for the government and legal status committee has not as yet been finally decided.

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Planning to Form Sea Scout Patrol

The first meeting of Troop 74 was held in the vestry of the Baptist church last Friday evening. Scoutmaster Clare Norton, Jr. has made a number of changes in the leaders of the troop. Charles Shattuck and Fred Eastman will serve as junior assistant scoutmasters, George Brown, Jr. as senior patrol leader, Charles Sanborn, Harold Hudon and Richard Caldwell as patrol leaders.

A sea scout patrol, the Pelican patrol, which is made up of the leaders of Troop 74 is being formed by Clare Norton, Jr. The membership of the patrol at the present is as follows: Clare Norton, Jr., Charles Shattuck, William Page, Donald Lundgren and Fred Eastman.

EXTRA! South Church Ablaze



The local fire department poured a lot of water around this building in their tests and coupling contests this summer, but back in 1898 or '99 it really needed water. It's the South church in flames forty years ago.

Safe after Perilous Journey Over Andes

Colonel V. M. FitzHugh returned to his home on Morton street Friday afternoon after a South American tour which might have ended in disaster. He flew over the Andes in the Santa Ana which took off with the Santa Elana, and the latter plane crashed, killing three. The Santa Ana had turned back on two attempts two days before when a blinding snowstorm made air travel impossible.

P. H. S. DICTION CLUB FORMED

It was announced by Mr. Hamblin at Monday morning's assembly in the Auditorium that a club is to be formed under the name, "The Spoken Word." The purpose of this club is to teach the Pynchard students the ways to cultivate good diction and to speak clearly. All those interested were asked to give their names to Mr. Stevens, of the faculty.

Memorial Plaque Group to Meet

There will be a meeting of the Memorial Plaque committee tonight at eight o'clock in the town hall.

Members of the committee are urged to be present to take part in forming of plans to carry this project to a satisfactory conclusion.

The members are: Stafford Lindsay, Herbert Carter, Harold Cates, Clifford Dunnells, Howell Shepard, J. Everett Collins and Robert V. Deyermont.

Engagements Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Mercer of 97 Middlesex avenue, Reading, announce the engagement of their daughter, Phoebe Frances, to Mr. Gordon L. Colquhoun of Andover. The announcement was made on Wednesday, at an evening bridge party given by Miss Mercer's sister, Mrs. Elmer A. Rising of Reading.

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Grand President of the Clan auxiliaries Mrs. Margaret Hamilton of Youngstown, Ohio, was tendered a reception in the town hall Wednesday night by the auxiliaries from Andover, Lawrence, Lowell, Haverhill and Amesbury. A supper, reception and entertainment were enjoyed.

Other grand officers attended, with all making brief remarks, Thomas Thin serving as toastmaster. Rev. Herman C. Johnson offered the invocation. Several presentations were made to the Grand President.

The Pringle sisters of Lawrence gave some dancing specialties, and vocal selections were rendered by James Brown of Lowell, Mrs. Mary Harris and Henry Fairweather of Andover, and Mrs. Margaret Collins of Haverhill.

Be Sure to Vote All precinct houses will be open on Tuesday

KINDERGARTEN TO OPEN

The Ballardvale kindergarten will open next Monday morning in the Bradlee school under the sponsorship of the Ballardvale Parent-Teacher association.

Mrs. Eleanor Driscoll, who taught here previously, will be in charge. A large group of kindergartners has already enrolled.

Any parents interested are requested to communicate with Mrs. James Schofield, Mrs. S. B. Moody, and Mrs. George G. Brown.

BRITISH VETS TO MEET

The British War Veterans will meet in the Square and Compass club hall on Friday night at 7.30. After the business meeting Commander Kuhring of the League of Germans of Boston will talk on the World War. All veterans are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served.

V. F. W. NOTES

A special meeting of the V. F. W. will be held Saturday evening at eight to nominate officers and to initiate a candidate.

Refreshments of coffee and doughnuts will be served. Members are urged to come and spend a social hour on Saturday evening.

"I am 60 years old," said the rich man to his friend's wife. "Do you think it would be better for me to tell a certain woman whom I should like to marry that I am 50?"

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